

Notice of Retirement as a Pet – Transfer to New Owner

This form enables a GRV registered owner to comply with the requirements of the *Code of Practice for the Keeping of Racing Greyhounds* (the Code), and to transfer the ownership of the greyhound on the Greyhound Microchip Registry to the new pet owner. To meet those requirements:

- All sections must be completed and signed by both the GRV registered owner and the new owner (must be 18 years or older).
- The GRV registered owner must provide a copy of this form and the desexing certificate to the new owner, keep a copy of this form for their records and provide a copy of this form to GRV (within 10 business days) by post or by email to retirements@grv.org.au (smartphone photographs are acceptable).
- If the greyhound's new owner requests it, the Code requires the GRV registered owner to take back the greyhound within 21 days of sale or transfer and refund 100% of the purchase price (if any).

Greyhound details

Race name (if named):	Sex: Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>
Pet name:	Has the greyhound been desexed?	
Microchip number: 9560000 _ _ _ _ _	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes - Desexing certificate is attached*.	
Ear Brand:	Colour:	<input type="checkbox"/> No - Only allowed when accepted into rehoming group.
* Desexing is mandatory under racing rules when rehoming to member of the public or another participant.		

Preparation for rehoming

Has a preparation for rehoming program been completed in accordance with an Establishment Health Management Plan (EHMP)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
	<input type="checkbox"/> No - by signing this form, the new owner understands that a rehoming preparation program for this greyhound has not been completed.
Vaccinations must be current prior to rehoming.	<input type="checkbox"/> Vaccination certificate attached

Previous owner details (GRV registered owner)

First name:	Surname:
Email address:	Member Number:

Are your contact details on FastTrack up to date? If not, please update them immediately.

New owner details (these details will be recorded on the GRV Microchip Registry)

First name:	Surname:	
Street address:		
Town / suburb:	Postcode:	State:
Email Address:	Municipality:	
Best contact phone number:		
Secondary contact person:	Name:	Phone number:

Change of Ownership

By signing this form, the new owner declares that they have taken ownership of the above-named greyhound on the date of signature.	
Previous owner name:	New owner name:
Signature:	Signature:
Date:	Date:

This form must be completed and submitted to GRV within 10 working days of change of ownership by emailing a copy or photograph to retirements@grv.org.au.

Rehoming Statement

Housing, feeding and exercise (for the past 3 months)

Housing - where does the greyhound usually spend the day and sleep overnight?

(e.g. the greyhound has been spending its day in a backyard or inside a home, and has been sleeping outside in a kennel)

Feeding - what is the greyhound usually fed, and when, each day?

(e.g. brand and type)

Exercise - what is the greyhound's usual exercise routine each day or week?

(e.g. a 15-minute walk three times a week, normal exercise within a backyard each day)

Pet training - what activities has the greyhound been engaged in to prepare for pet life?

(e.g. walking on leash and muzzled in park, greeting small dogs, time spent inside the house with family)

Note: If a preparation for rehoming program has not been completed, the greyhound may need pet training in its new home to help it adjust

Health of the greyhound at time of rehoming

Current illness or injury - include any treatment plans and medications

Previous illness or injury affecting current health - include dates, treatments and any exercise limits required

Other comments - please provide details of any other health concerns (if any)

Parasite treatments - include dates administered and type / name of treatment

Worming _____ Type _____

Flea treatment _____ Type _____

Dental - include date of last dental check-up, any issues found and usual dental management routines

Behaviour of the greyhound

Please detail the greyhound's usual temperament.

Does the greyhound regularly display any behaviour that requires management? Please provide details. Concerning behaviour may include aggression towards other dogs or people, anxiety, excessive barking, digging, destructive behaviour, food guarding or fence jumping?

Has the greyhound's behaviour / temperament been professionally assessed? If yes, please provide details of assessment including by whom, when and results.

Has the greyhound been exposed to:

- small dogs (non-sighthound breeds)
- cats
- other small animals (birds, guinea pigs etc)

Please provide details on the animals the greyhound has been exposed to, how often/long and any concerns.

Has the greyhound lived with:

- small dogs (non-sighthound breeds)
- cats
- other small animals (birds, guinea pigs etc)

Please provide details on the animals the greyhound has lived with, for how long and any concerns.

Does the greyhound display any predatory behaviour? Information on "Managing Prey Drive" can be found in GRV's booklet, Rehoming Guide - Information for New Owners.

- No Yes - Please provide details below.

If yes, it is strongly recommended that the greyhound wears a muzzle at all times when out in public.

In order to comply with the requirements of *The Code of Practice for the Keeping of Racing Greyhounds*, this Rehoming Statement must be completed, and a copy provided to the new owner, if the greyhound has not completed a preparation for rehoming program in accordance with an EHMP. The GRV registered owner of the greyhound is also required to keep a Greyhound Record and if you seek any further specific information about the greyhound for the purposes of its rehoming please speak to the GRV registered owner directly who may provide that information on request.