



## **DANGEROUS WILD ANIMALS ACT 1976**

In accordance with the provisions of the Dangerous Wild Animals Act 1976, I/We hereby make application to keep a Dangerous Wild Animal at the premises stated.

### **A. APPLICANT**

i) Name of Applicant (s)

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms

ii) Address and postcode

iii) Telephone

Home

Work/other

iv) Date of Birth

v) Occupation

vi) Give names, addresses, occupation and ages of any other persons by whom the animal(s) may be kept.

vii) Have you or any of the persons mentioned above previously held a licence? If so give details

viii) Are you or any of the persons mentioned above disqualified under this Act from keeping a dangerous wild animal? If so give details

## **B. ANIMAL – HISTORY**

- i) Exact species of animal(s) proposed to be kept
- ii) Number of animals each species proposed to be kept
- iii) Age(s)
- iv) Does applicant own animal?
- v) If (iv.) answered 'No' give the owners name and address and the reason(s) for your keeping the animal(s).
- vi) Is the animal in your possession?
- vii) If the answer to (vi.) is 'No' indicate in whose possession the animal is

## **C. ANIMAL ENVIRONMENT**

- i) Address where animal kept and exact location.

Construction – Description and Dimensions

- ii) What form of temperature control is in operation?
- iii) What means of artificial lighting are provided?
- iv) Provisions for exercise
- v) Provisions for drainage (*where appropriate*)

vi) Details of safety precautions to prevent the animal(s) escaping.

vii) Details of precautions for the protection of the animal(s) in case of fire or other emergency.

viii) Details of food and drink – description, source of supply and storage facilities.

ix) Arrangements for the storage and disposal of any refuse, waste etc. associated with the keeping of the animal.

x) Details of bedding materials(s) to be used (where appropriate)

xi) What arrangements are made for visiting the animal(s) at suitable intervals?

#### **D. GENERAL**

i) Do you hold a current insurance policy which insures you and any other person entitled to keep the animal under the authority of the Licence against liability for any damage which may be caused by the animal? (NOTE: - "Damage" includes the death of, or injury to, any person).

Details

ii) Name and address of your usual veterinary surgeon/practitioner.

iii) Is it intended to move the animal at any time from the above premises for any purpose for a continuous period exceeding 72 hours?

iv) Date from which you wish the Licence to operate.

**Date:**

**Signed:**

## **DATA PROTECTION – Keeping your personal information safe**

Any data that you provide will be stored and processed by Watford Borough Council or its appointed agents in accordance with the law.

Information collected may be shared with other Council departments and/or organisations the Council works with who assist us in the performance of our functions. It may also be shared with outside organisations such as the Police, DWP, and County Council, to prevent and detect crime. It may be shared with insurance companies and bodies responsible for auditing or administering public funds for the prevention and detection of fraud.

Further information on the Council's obligations to safeguard your personal information and your rights on accessing data held about you can be found on the Council's website at:

<https://www.watford.gov.uk/privacynotice> and <https://www.watford.gov.uk/ehlprivacynotice> or by telephoning 01923 278000

## **NOTES**

### **1. Licence Fee**

The Licence Fee (check the Fees & Charges part of the website for the current fee) should be forwarded with the application, cheques made payable to the "Watford Borough Council".

### **2. Inspection of Animals**

Applicants are asked to note that they should be prepared to make themselves available during office hours for the purpose of inspection.

### **3. Ownership and Possession of Animals**

The licensing authority shall not grant a Licence unless the application for it is made by a person who both owns and possesses or proposes both to own and to possess any animal concerned, except where the circumstances are in the licensing authority's opinion exceptional.

### **4. Licence Conditions**

Subject to sub-section (6) of Section 1 of the Act, the licensing authority may, in granting a Licence, specify such conditions of the Licence, as it thinks fit.

### **5. Insurance Policy**

The insurance policy or a copy thereof should be forwarded for examination along with the application.

### **6. Period of Licence**

Any Licence under this Act shall (according the applicants requirements) relate to the calendar year in which it is granted or to the next following year. Any Licence shall remain in force until the end of the year to which it relates and shall then expire.