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## The French Bulldog Club of NSW Inc Breeder's Directory Application

For *Le Bouledogue Francais* and the Club website [www.frenchbulldogclubnsw.asn.au](http://www.frenchbulldogclubnsw.asn.au)

**FBCNSW reserves the right to refuse or withdraw without notice any listing of a member who breaches FBCNSW Code of Ethics**

**FEE: \$30 per annum payable with membership**

Please make cheques/money orders payable to *The French Bulldog Club of NSW Inc.*  
Direct deposits may be made to the Club's bank account BSB 032-272 Account 21-1270.  
Credit Cards **Visa or Mastercard**

Card No:..... Exp:.....

CSV: ..... (Three digit no. on back of card)

### Criteria for acceptance onto the breeders list

- (i) **you must be a member of the Club for a minimum of two consecutive years;**
- (ii) **failure to adhere to the FBCNSW Code of Ethics may result in your removal from the breeders list;**
- (iii) **campaign at least 1 of your own French bulldogs to its championship title and provide a copy of that certificate;**
- (iv) **include with your application a brief resumé of your breeding history, number of litters, health scheme and show experience;**
- (v) **members must not act as agents for the sale of French Bulldogs for non-club breeders or other non-club members.**

Please accept my listing in the Breeder's Directory

Name .....

State controlling body membership # .....

Kennel Prefix .....

Email ..... Phone.....

I have read through and confirm that I shall abide by the Code of Ethics and in particular as a breeder will abide by and will follow all the Recommended Breeding Practices and all relevant parts of the Code of Ethics.

Full name .....  
Please print name

Signature ..... Date.....

Please return the completed form and your payment to the club secretary at the above address.

V. July 2022

## THE FRENCH BULLDOG CLUB OF NSW INC CODE OF ETHICS

1. \_\_\_\_ I shall ensure that at all times the dogs under my control are properly housed, fed, watered, regularly wormed and kept in good condition. All dogs shall receive proper veterinary attention if and when required.
2. \_\_\_\_ I shall not allow any dogs under my care to roam at large and when in public I will ensure they are under effective control at all times. I will ensure that my dogs are kept in a secure and fully fenced environment.
3. \_\_\_\_ I shall only breed for the purpose of maintaining or improving the quality and health of the breed, which may include participation in hereditary diseases programs.
  - a) I shall not breed from any bitch before she is twelve (12) months of age.
  - b) I shall not breed a bitch that results in it whelping more than twice in two (2) years without the prior written approval of a veterinary surgeon (the definition of 'breed' means date of mating).
  - c) I will not breed more than 4 litters from any individual bitch.
4. \_\_\_\_ I shall not breed from any male under twelve (12) months of age.
5. \_\_\_\_ I shall not advertise any male for stud purposes until the dog has been health screened over the age of twelve (12) months and has obtained all the relevant health certificates required for the breed at the time.
6. \_\_\_\_ Recommended Breeding Practices
  - (a) In line with the breed standard it is not recommended to breed from any dog exhibiting severe respiratory distress.
  - (b) X ray spines for major defects prior to breeding. Defects include hemi-vertebrae, kinks and distortions of the spine. Screening for long term stability of the spine.
  - (c) X ray for hip dysplasia prior to breeding.
  - (d) X-rays should be submitted and scored under the French Bulldog scheme or by a nationally recognized scheme. For breeding purposes spine and hip x rays should be taken when the dog is over 12 months of age.
  - (e) X-ray and screen puppies' spines prior to sale.
  - (f) DNA test for hereditary cataracts.
7. \_\_\_\_ I shall not permit any of my pure-bred dogs to be mated to a dog of a different breed, to a cross bred dog or to an unregistered dog of the same breed.
8. \_\_\_\_ I shall not knowingly register progeny on the Main Register which does not conform to the breed's accepted colours at the time of registration.
9. \_\_\_\_ I shall not transfer from my care any puppy under eight (8) weeks of age. All puppies must be vaccinated and microchipped in compliance with relevant State regulation, prior to leaving the kennel.
10. \_\_\_\_ I shall approve of all persons acquiring dogs from me and ensure that they clearly understand their responsibility for the care and welfare of the French Bulldog breed and that they have the time and adequate facilities to properly care for their dogs.
11. \_\_\_\_ I shall provide to all purchasers of dogs or dogs placed by me, written details of all health issues, dietary, worming and vaccination requirements as well as pedigree registration details.
12. \_\_\_\_ As a breeder I shall not knowingly misrepresent the characteristics of the breed, nor falsely advertise or mislead any person regarding the health or temperament of any of my dogs. I shall also provide ongoing support and advice to purchasers of my dogs.
13. \_\_\_\_ I shall not knowingly sell any dog to commercial dog wholesalers, retail pet dealers or brokers directly or indirectly. I shall not allow my dog/s to be given as a prize or donation in a contest of any kind.
14. \_\_\_\_ I shall not act as an agent for nor sell dogs on behalf of a non-club member.
15. \_\_\_\_ In the event that I can no longer keep my French Bulldog for whatever reason, and I am having trouble rehoming my dog/s, I shall notify the breeder or The French Bulldog Club of NSW for assistance in rehoming.

**Please initial each point above, sign where indicated and return together with your application.**

**Signature.....**