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APPLICATION FOR HORSE REGISTRATION

Office Use Only		Date Received:		Receipt/ Banking No:	
Horse No:		Registration Date:		Name Allotted:	

Applications can only be accepted from current EA Members. See attached information and EA General Regulations for Rules. Full Registration is for competitive horses participating in Equestrian competitive activities. Horses registered with EA are registered for life. (i.e. A horse can only be registered once with EA).

HORSE NAME SELECTION - you **must** supply 5 names in preference order.

1st Preference

2nd Preference

3rd Preference

4thPreference

5thPreference

INSERT MEMBER LABEL HERE OR COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

PRIMARY OWNER **– (Must be current EA Member/s)** see page 3 of this Document & EA Regulations

EA MEMBER NO: _____ Owners Name: _____

ADDRESS: _____

_____PostCode:_____ PIC NO:_____
(Property where horse resides)

Phone: _____Email:_____

OTHER OWNERS (Must be current EA Member/s) see page 3 of this Document & EA Regulations

EA MEMBER NO: _____ Owners Name: _____

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HAS THIS HORSE BEEN IMPORTED INTO AUSTRALIA? Yes / No, if yes, please attach copies of **FEI passport** and **overseas performance record** as issued by the relevant National Federation.

This becomes a TAX INVOICE upon payment ABN: 80 362 146 367

FEES: Application to Register a horse - **$110.00** **All prices include GST**

I also require competition Licences *(circle type)*

Dressage $ **30** Pony Dressage **$ 30** Eventing **$ 30** Jumping **$ 30** Vaulting **$ 30** Rider Labels **$10/Sheet**

Enclose *cheque/ money order* to "Equestrian Victoria" or charge my: *VISA or MASTERCARD* (please circle) *for* ***$***_____

Card Holders Name: _____ *Signature*_____

Card #: ___ ___ ___ ___/ ___ ___ ___ ___/ ___ ___ ___ ___ / ___ ___ ___ ___*Expires:* ___ ___/___ ___

$110.00
$ .00
$ .00
$ .00
$ .00
TOTAL
$

HORSE DETAILS & MARKINGS

Horses must be Micro chipped to register with the EA

COLOUR:		SEX:	Please circle : **Gelding** **Mare** **Stallion**		
BREED:		FOAL DATE:	/ /	HEIGHT in Hands:	

MUST AT LEAST INCL YEAR

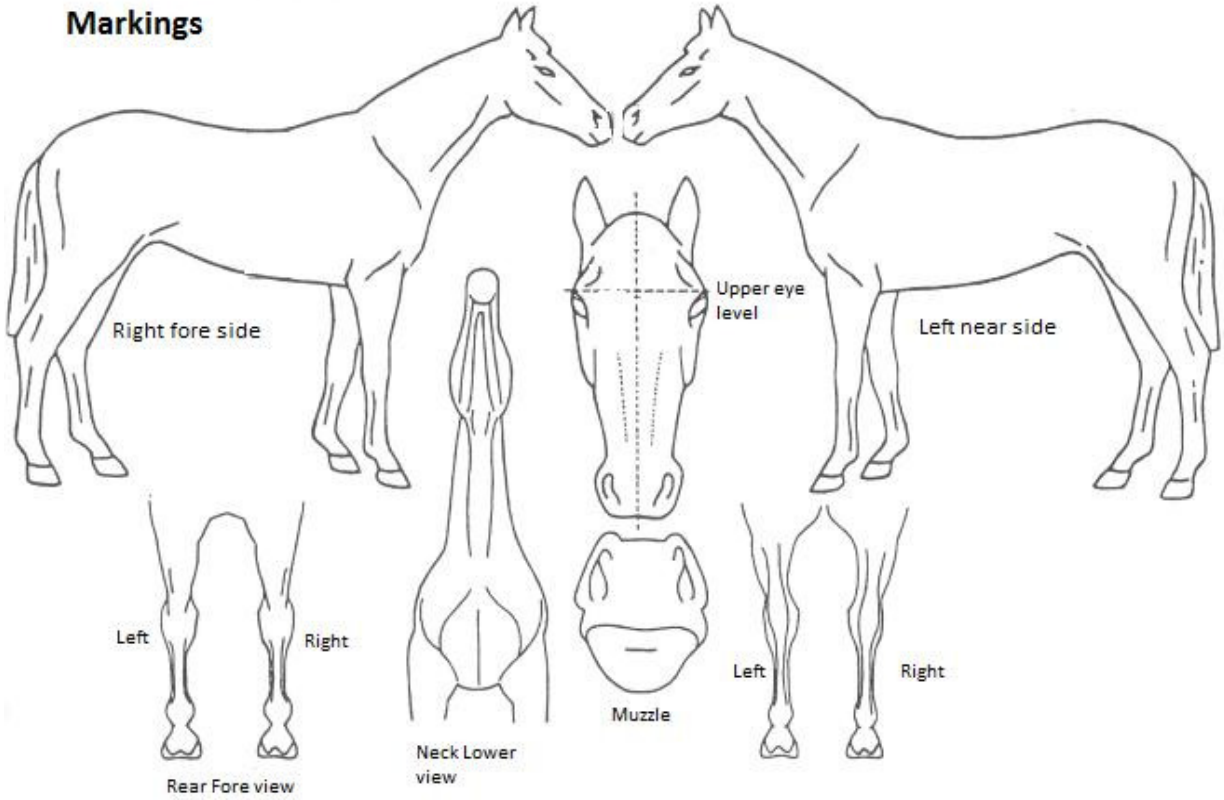
MICROCHIP NUMBER Issued (Include label if available)		MICROCHIP TYPE & LOCATION:	

PLEASE INCLUDE COPY OF MICROCHIP CERTIFICATE NB All Horses registered from 1/7/2008 must be microchipped. OR DECLARATION & SIGNATURE OF VET: I hereby certify that the horse as described in this application has the above micro-chip details and that I have scanned the horse to validate that the chip details are correct. I have also checked the markings drawn for this horse on this form and certify them to be true and correct.

VET Name……SIGNATURE……Date……

MARKINGS: HEAD	SIRE:
NEAR FORE	DAM:
OFF FORE	SIRE OF DAM:
NEAR HIND	OTHER MARKINGS: whorls & scars must be included
OFF HIND	
BRAND NEAR SIDE:	BRAND OFF SIDE:

Draw brands & white markings as they appear on the horse



DECLARATION BY OWNER/S

I / We hereby make application to register a horse and certify that the particulars supplied on the front and back of this form are true and correct in every respect. I / We certify that this horse has not been registered with the EA before. I / We certify that I am / we are the recognised owners of the said horse. I / We understand the EA Horse Registration is not legal proof of Ownership but is for the purpose of Registration / Identification to compete. I / We understand that if any incorrect information is furnished on this application, the Branch may cancel the registration, may take disciplinary action against the applicant/s and may also disqualify the horse. I/ We (Parent / guardian if owner under 18 years) undertake to accept all the responsibilities of ownership of the horse identified above.

Name & Signature of all owners: _____ **Date:** _____/_____/_____
And parent guardian/ where member is under 18 years of age

Name & Signature of all owners: _____ **Date:** _____/_____/_____

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INFORMATION ON REGISTERING A HORSE WITH THE EQUESTRIAN FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA

Registering a Horse

1. Horses and Ponies must be registered with the EA to enter Official Events and Competitions. Registration is a means of identification, to establish ownership for competition purposes and if need be, proof of identification. Horses and ponies do not need to be registered with the EA to take part in Training Competitions or Associate Competitions or to participate in training days at a Local Event where the training class at the Local Event provides no prize money, voucher or reward of any kind other than receipt of a ribbon or rosette.
2. Application papers must include owner/s EA member number, the full name, address and signature of the owner, or owners. The description of the horse and diagram must be accurately recorded. If the name of the horse is ever changed or any pertinent changes are made the Person Responsible must return the identification papers to the EA for updating.
3. A horse must be microchipped (Compulsory from 1st July 2008) according to the standard AS 5018/5019, before it can be registered. If the horse is microchipped members should get a registered veterinarian to fill out and sign the microchip details on the application form or provide a Microchip certificate issued at time of implant before the EA can accept it.
4. The Person Responsible for a horse at an Event is responsible for the accuracy of their identification papers and keeping accurate results records for each Sport. Papers must be available for inspection when required by an official of the EA or the OC.
5. Owners must advise EA at the time of registration if the horse has been imported into Australia. Foreign – owned Horses or imported Horses will be graded / classified at the discretion of the sport/s concerned.

Horse Names – Life Registration

General Regulations Article 138 – Names of Horses

1. Horses registered with the EA are registered for life. (i.e. A horse can only be registered once with the EA.) Members attempting to do a new registration of a horse that is already registered may be subject to penalty. *See EA Disciplinary By-Laws*.
2. In principle, the first registered name of a horse registered with the EA will remain on permanent record.

   2.1. When applying for the initial registration of a horse or pony with the EA at least five names ranked in preference must be given.

   2.2. Horses cannot be registered as trade names i.e. Versace, Calvin Klein or Nescafe. This is an FEI rule.

   2.3. Horse names may not to exceed 28 characters including spaces.

   2.4. There are certain horse names which may never be reused even if the horse is retired or deceased. These names have been given exclusive rights if the horse has made significant achievements usually relating to the Olympic or World Equestrian Games e.g. Peppermint Grove, Kibah Tic Toc.

   2.5. Prefix initials (e.g. “CH”) are not permitted. (Example: “November Rain” cannot be “CH November Rain”.)

   2.6. Punctuation marks (e.g. full stops, commas, etc.) and special characters (e.g. [asterisk] *, [ampersand] & etc.) must not be used in names. (Example: “Mr Burns” cannot be “Mr. [full stop] Burns”.)
3. Horses that have been registered with another recognized breed society may be EA registered using that name. Where the name exists already, a trailing number may be added. This rule also applies to horses being imported into Australia.
4. If the owner applies for a name change or a change to the commercial prefix/suffix, the horse’s registration papers and Identification Document must retain the old name or prefix/suffix for the next 12 months as follows: new name and/or new prefix/suffix **ex** previous name/prefix/ suffix.
5. A horse/pony name including a prefix or suffix may be registered with the EA provided it complies with one of the following conditions:

   5.1. A commercial prefix/suffix may be added to the name, and must be entered in the registration papers. However, at Regional and Olympic Games under the patronage of the IOC, such prefix/suffix cannot appear in a program and cannot be used in any other way.

   5.2. A Breeder/Stud prefix or suffix shall be given to a horse or pony bred by breeders and studs who are a member of the EA or a recognised Breed Society.
6. EA reserves the right to refuse to register any horse under any particular name..

Owner/s and Lessees

General Regulations - **Article 139**

1. All owners, including part-owners, must be current Senior, Senior Show Horse, Associate, Junior, or Corporate member of EA. Any other listed category members is not eligible to register or be part-owners of a horse. Category examples include Recreational or Affiliate. An Associate member may be an owner of a horse but cannot ride the horse in official competition. The horse must be ridden by current financial FULL members in all Official competitions.
2. The Primary Owner is the owner who is to receive any information relating to the horse, i.e. its registration papers, performance cards etc. Usually the rider or the owner with the largest ownership share is the primary owner.
3. EA accepts registrations on the understanding that the Person or Body making the registration is the bona fide owner, part-owner or lessee of the horse. EA will accept no responsibility on cases of disputed ownership, which must be settled by the parties concerned.
4. EA will keep a register of the owners of horses including multiple ownership. Changes of owners and records of leasing agreements must be entered in the identification papers by EA.
5. Owners of horses sold or leased must return the identification papers immediately to EA with the name and address of the Purchaser or Lessee. The new owners will pay the change of ownership fee.
6. Leasing of horses is permitted under the following conditions.

   a. The form and duration of the lease agreement is a matter for the parties concerned; it does not require the approval of the EA.

   b. The member to whom the horse is leased is regarded in all respects by EA as the bona fide owner and shall have the same rights and duties.

   c. When a horse is leased this will not be regarded as a change of ownership.

   d. If a leasing agreement is cancelled during the period of lease or is renewed, EA must receive written confirmation from the parties of the lease.

Foal Date & Age (Years)

If you only provide the year foaled, the horse's birthday as used in the Southern Hemisphere which is the 1st August will be used.

Height

Height is an estimated height at the date of registration. If the horse is officially measured, this will be the horse's official height for competition purposes.

Article 114 – Horse Identification

From 01 July 2008, to become registered with EA, all horse must have a microchip meeting AS 5018 & AS 5019 inserted.

NB Branding remains compulsory in WA due to government regulations.

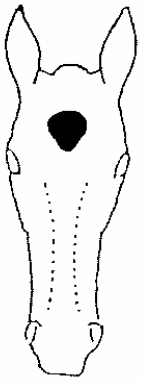
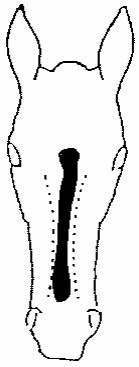
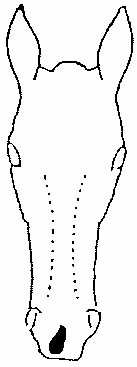
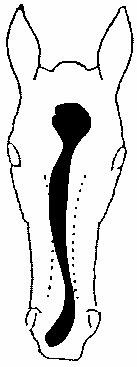
From 01 July 2011, all horses participating in Official competition must have a microchip meeting AS 5018/5019, (Amended 16 May 2008). Members shall affix a microchip barcode sticker (issued at time of implant) Animal registry certificates with microchip details May be accepted. Otherwise, a registered veterinarian must complete the microchip verification on the application form.

Record of the microchip will be included on the certificate of registration and EA National Database.

Markings

White markings, whorls and scars are the only markings to be recorded on EA registration certificates (plus brands/microchip details). Black markings i.e. the black legs of a bay horse do not count as identifying markings.

White Head Markings: Here are some common examples and how you would describe them.

				
STAR Any white marking on forehead	**STRIPE** Narrow white marking running down nose	**SNIP** White marking in vicinity of nostrils	**STAR, STRIPE & SNIP CONJOINED**	**BLAZE** Wide white markings covering most of face.

White Leg Markings

EA Staff need to be very specific as to the location of white markings on the legs when describing them on the database. However, as there is limited spaces available in the database fields, abbreviations sometimes need to be used. Refer to the below guide as to standard practice.

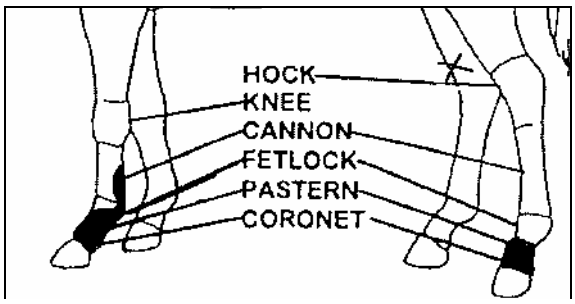
NEAR FORE = NF OFF FORE = OF NEAR HIND = NH OFF HIND = OH

CORONET = C/NET PASTERN = P/TERN FETLOCK = F/LOCK CANNON = C/NON

KNEE = KNEE HOCK = HOCK CONJOINED = CONJ

White leg markings must be shown as they appear when viewed from both sides of the horse. If a white marking extends right around the leg so as to be visible from both sides it must be drawn on both near side and off side diagrams.

Here is an example of how you would describe the white markings and a scar on the diagram below. **NEARFORE**: White to fetlock, extending higher behind to cannon **NEAR HIND** White to pastern **OFF HIND**: Scar above hock on inside of leg



Markings (cont.)

Other Markings - Scars

The position of scars, accidental or otherwise **MUST be marked** on the diagrams using an '**x**'.

Other Markings - Whorls

The position of whorls **MUST be marked** on the diagrams using an **'o'**.

Pinto, Paint & Appaloosa Horses.-Members who submit an application to register a horse with excessive markings i.e. pinto, paint or appaloosa, must include 3 clear photographs (by two sets) with the application taken of the front of the horse (showing its head and front leg markings) and from the near side and off side. EA Office staff will then staple one set of photos to the registration certificate and one set to the original application. An EA stamp will be placed on the back of the photos that are stapled to the registration certificate to ensure that they are never altered.

Brands

Note: All new Registrations from July 1 2008 must have a microchip implant before it can be accepted.

Branding (OPTIONAL) can either be freeze brand or hot brand and need only be on one side of the horse. It does not matter what the brand is. Brands are drawn onto the diagrams of the registration certificate as well as recorded in words. Some common description of brands use the words:

Conjoined = when two characters are touching –

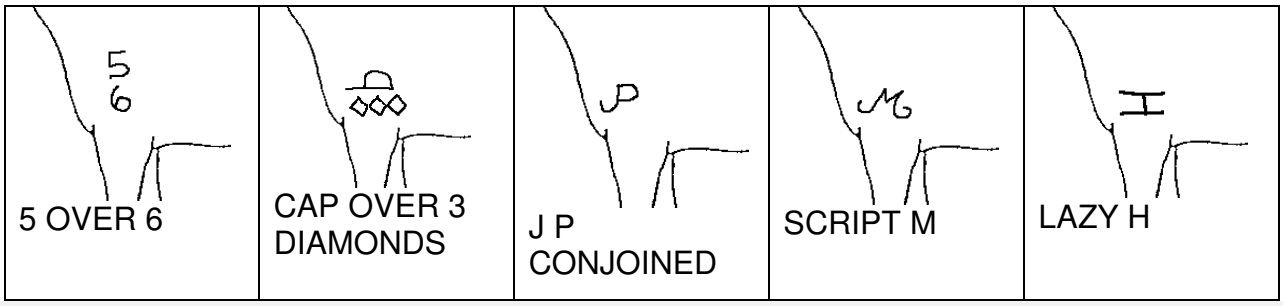
Over = when one character sits over the other

Script = used to describe a cursive or fancy letter

Lazy = when a letter or number is on its side

R**unning** = used to describe a character that's slightly on its side (like *italic* text)

Here are some examples of brands and how you would describe them in words.



Please <u>draw</u> all brands, white markings, whorls and scars in pen onto the diagram on the Application form.

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