

## Media release

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## Greyhound racing regulation set to improve

The regulation of Queensland's greyhound racing industry is set to improve with participants now able to make licence applications online.

"The Queensland Racing Integrity Commission has been developing an online registration and licensing portal known as RandLE," Commissioner Ross Barnett said.

"After months of work, the greyhound trainer's licence application process is now available through the portal which is accessible via the Commission's website."

Greyhound code participants can apply online for Class 1, 2, and 3 trainer licences as well as make online payments and provide kennel addresses and other animal related declarations.

"They can use personal computers, tablets and smartphones to access RandLE," Commissioner Barnett said.

"This new technology means we'll have a more informed picture of who is licensed in Queensland as well as breeding trends and growth in registration numbers," Commissioner Barnett said.

The Commission will keep the current paper based licensing system in place for the time being so that participants who do not have Internet or smart phone access can continue business as usual.

"We'll continue to work on expanding the portal's capabilities over the coming months so that it can offer similar compliance capabilities to the harness and thoroughbred codes of racing in Queensland.' Commissioner Barnett said.

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