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Keeping a fighting dog - apply for a licence

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Modul	Sachverhalt
Leistungsschlüssel	99110009104001
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Keeping a fighting dog - apply for a licence
Leistungsbezeichnung II	Keeping a fighting dog - apply for a licence
Typisierung	4 - Land: Regelung
Quellredaktion	Baden-Württemberg
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Begriffe im Kontext	
Leistungstyp	
Leistungsgruppierung	
Verrichtungskennung	
SDG-Informationsbereich	
Lagen Portalverbund	
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	

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Fachlich freigegeben am	
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Handlungsgrundlage	
Teaser	You need a licence to keep a fighting dog that is older than six months.
Volltext	<p>You need a licence to keep a fighting dog that is older than six months.</p> <p>Fighting dogs are dogs that can be assumed to be highly aggressive and dangerous towards people or animals. Dogs of the breeds and groups "American Staffordshire Terrier", "Bull Terrier" and "Pit Bull Terrier" and their crossbreeds are presumed to be fighting dogs. This categorisation is based on the Fighting Dog Ordinance.</p> <p>Dogs of other breeds are only deemed to be fighting dogs if the local police authority has determined that they are fighting dogs.</p> <p>Note: The Fighting Dogs Ordinance is intended to protect the population from the dangers that can emanate from fighting dogs. Therefore, the keeping of fighting dogs is only permitted with an official licence. The requirements for such a licence are very strict. In very few cases will they be met.</p> <p>Please note: If you are granted a licence to keep a fighting dog, you must always have this licence or a certified copy of the licence with you.</p>
Erforderliche Unterlagen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certificate of good conduct • Certificate of competence for owners of fighting dogs (after passing the competence test) • Proof of your legitimate interest in keeping a fighting dog Note: The individual municipal and city administrations decide at their discretion how the proof is to be provided and whether it has been provided. • Proof of special liability insurance

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Note: Please enquire in advance with the responsible authority whether you need to submit further documents.

Voraussetzungen

- Justified interest in keeping a fighting dog You must demonstrate a need that cannot be adequately met by dogs without fighting dog status.
- Reliability Reliability may be lacking, for example, if you have a criminal record for certain offences or have repeatedly behaved in a disorderly manner, are addicted to alcohol or drugs or are unable to drive the animal due to physical circumstances.
- Expertise The dog must not pose a danger to people or animals when kept and managed. You must therefore have the appropriate knowledge and skills.
- Dangers to life, health, property or possessions must be excluded. No recognisable dangers may arise from keeping the dog.
- The dog must have unalterable and legible labelling. This must enable the owner to be identified and the dog to be unmistakably identified.
- Special liability insurance

Note: There may be other regulations and statutes of the city or municipality that may deny you a licence deny you a licence.

Kosten

Ask your local authority about this

Verfahrensablauf

You can apply informally for a licence from the relevant local police authority. The application must contain the following information:

- Your personal details
- the identity of the dog, in particular details of the breed or crossbreed
- Sex
- Coat colour
- Date of birth or age
- Identification of the dog

Submit the application together with the required documents to the local police authority. The municipal or city administration will check the documents. It will then inform you whether the requirements for granting

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	the licence have been met. You will then receive a written certificate of authorisation.
Bearbeitungsdauer	varies depending on the municipality
Frist	Application at the earliest possible date
weiterführende Informationen	
Hinweise	none
Rechtsbehelf	none
Kurztext	
Ansprechpunkt	
Zuständige Stelle	
Formulare	
Ursprungsportal	