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Keeping dogs exempt from being kept on a leash

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Modul	Sachverhalt
Leistungsschlüssel	99110009010000
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Keeping dogs exempt from being kept on a leash
Leistungsbezeichnung II	Apply for exemption from leash requirement
Typisierung	4 - Land: Regelung
Quellredaktion	Hamburg
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Begriffe im Kontext	<div lang="en-x-mtfrom-de">Exemption from the obligation to leash for dogs</div> , <div lang="en-x-mtfrom-de">Dogs, exemption from the leash requirement</div> , <div lang="en-x-mtfrom-de">Dog driving license</div> , <div lang="en-x-mtfrom-de">Expert for dog driving license</div> , <div lang="en-x-mtfrom-de">Exemption from the leash requirement for dogs</div>
Leistungstyp	
Leistungsgruppierung	

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Verrichtungskennung	
SDG-Informationsbereich	
Lagen Portalverbund	
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	Nein
Fachlich freigegeben am	28.10.2024
Fachlich freigegeben durch	
Handlungsgrundlage	§ 9 Hamburg Law on the Keeping and Leading of Dogs (Dog Law - HundeG) https://www.landesrecht-hamburg.de/bsha/document/jlr-HuGHAV3P9
Teaser	Under certain conditions, you can have your dog exempted from the general leash requirement in Hamburg.
Volltext	In Hamburg there is a general obligation to keep dogs on a leash. You can apply for an exemption from the leash requirement if you have passed the prescribed obedience test with the dog with a recognized expert or if you have passed an equivalent test with the dog. Exceptions are possible for old and sick dogs, provided you can provide a corresponding certificate containing a veterinary assessment of the dog's behavior. Dangerous dogs cannot be exempted from the leash requirement.
Erforderliche Unterlagen	Proof of obedience test or proof of an equivalent recognized test if necessary, veterinary certificate Identity card or passport with last registration confirmation if applicable, proof of registration in the dog register
Voraussetzungen	You have successfully completed an obedience test or an equivalent recognized test with your dog. You have taken the relevant test with a recognized examiner. If you present a veterinary certificate, you can also have old or sick dogs exempted from the leash requirement. Your dog is not classified as dangerous.
Kosten	Fees apply. For exemption from the leash requirement:

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	46 EUR per person or 84 EUR for groups (families), maximum for 2 people required For an expert: 30 EUR For a replacement exhibition: 41 EUR
Verfahrensablauf	You apply for exemption from the leash requirement at the responsible authority and submit all necessary documents. The responsible authority will examine your application and documents. If necessary, it will request additional documents from you. The responsible authority will decide on your application. You will receive a notification.
Bearbeitungsdauer	The processing time depends on the administrative effort in each individual case.
Frist	You need an exemption from the leash requirement before you are allowed to walk your dog without a leash outside of free-running areas in public areas in Hamburg.
weiterführende Informationen	https://www.hamburg.de/hunderauslaufzonen/ https://www.hamburg.de/hunderauslaufzonen/ https://www.hamburg.de/hundegesetz/ https://www.hamburg.de/hundegesetz/ https://www.hamburg.de/service/info/11259728/ https://www.hamburg.de/service/info/11259728/ https://www.hamburg.de/service/info/11252830/ https://www.hamburg.de/service/info/11252830/ https://www.hamburg.de/politik-und-verwaltung/behoerden/bjv/themen/verbraucherschutz/tiere/hundegeseztz/anleinpflcht-89206 https://www.hamburg.de/politik-und-verwaltung/behoerden/bjv/themen/verbraucherschutz/tiere/hundegeseztz/anleinpflcht-89206
Hinweise	Dog owners who do not live in Hamburg can be exempted from the leash requirement if they use the Hamburg area for walking, for example. This exemption can only be applied for at the Department of Consumer Protection, Trade and the Environment. In special dog run areas in parks and green spaces, dogs are allowed to run without a leash, even without an obedience test.
Rechtsbehelf	contradiction

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Kurztext	general leash requirement for dogs in Hamburg Exemption from the general leash requirement under certain conditions: prescribed obedience test by a recognized expert or equivalent test Exceptions for old and sick dogs possible with appropriate veterinary certificate no exemption from the leash requirement for dangerous dogs possible
Ansprechpunkt	If you want to find out exactly who is responsible for your request, please follow the link to Hamburg Service
Zuständige Stelle	District Office Altona
Formulare	
Ursprungsportal	Hamburg Service, Hamburg Service (Currently this link is only available in german)