

# CATEGORY A

Australia, New Zealand, Republic of Ireland, United Kingdom (Great Britain and Northern Ireland)

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**TIMELINE BEFORE ARRIVAL**

≥ 6 weeks

### Step 1. Ensure

- [the breed of your dog/cat is allowed in Singapore](#)
- [your dog/cat is allowed in the intended residence in Singapore](#)
- your dog/cat is at least 12 weeks old upon arrival
- your dog/cat has stayed in exporting country continuously for at least 6 months or since birth



**Step 2.** Microchip your dog/cat according to International Standards Organisation (ISO) Standard 11784 or ISO Standard 11785 Annex A (the microchip no. must be indicated in **all** vaccination/treatment records)

### Step 3. Send pet for vaccinations when it is at least 6 weeks old

- **Dog:** Canine Distemper, Canine Hepatitis & Canine Parvoviral infection
- **Cat:** Cat Flu (Feline Calicivirus and Feline Viral Rhinotracheitis) and Cat Enteritis (Feline Panleukopaenia/ Feline Parvovirus)

Is your pet younger than 16 weeks as at arrival date?

Has pet obtained one dose of vaccinations\* which will still be valid as at arrival date?

**\*Dog:** Canine Distemper, Canine Hepatitis & Canine Parvoviral infection  
**Cat:** Cat Flu (Feline Calicivirus and Feline Viral Rhinotracheitis) and Cat Enteritis (Feline Panleukopaenia/ Feline Parvovirus)

Follow vaccine manufacturer's recommendation for duration between 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> dose of vaccinations

≥ 2 weeks

### Step 4. Send pet for 2<sup>nd</sup> dose of vaccinations

- **Dog:** Canine Distemper, Canine Hepatitis & Canine Parvoviral infection
- **Cat:** Cat Flu (Feline Calicivirus and Feline Viral Rhinotracheitis) and Cat Enteritis (Feline Panleukopaenia/ Feline Parvovirus)



*Pets can skip 2<sup>nd</sup> dose of vaccinations ONLY IF*

- pet will be **16 weeks or older** and **1<sup>st</sup> dose of vaccinations will still be valid upon arrival in Singapore**

**Start to prepare**

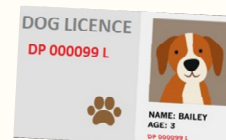
- Flight arrangements for you and/or your pet
- [Pet crate](#) that complies with your chosen airlines (for your pet during the flight to Singapore)
- Residence for yourself and your pet

7 to 30 days

**Step 5. Dog owners:** [Apply for a dog licence](#) (Note: You need to include dog's microchip number & address where dog will be kept)

**Step 6.** [Apply for an import licence](#) (Also include the dog licence number during application)

**Step 7.** [Book inspection](#) **after** import licence (step 6) is approved. (Attach the flight details)



**Check the costs, service standards and validity for these e-services**

- [Dog Licence](#)
- [Import Licence](#)
- [Inspection](#)

**Refer to step-by-step guides for these e-services**

- [Dog Licence](#)
- [Import Licence](#)
- [Inspection \(Creating an account; Booking inspection\)](#)

2 to 7 days  
(arrival day = day 1)

**Step 8.** Send pet for external & internal parasite treatments and request treating vet to complete **Sections I to III** of the [veterinary certificate](#)

**Step 9.** Visit the exporting country's official government vet to endorse **Section IV** of the same veterinary certificate



**Avoid booking these inspection timings**

- Mon to Sat 10:30PM to 8AM
- Sun & public holidays

Just before departure

**Step 10:** Submit [declaration of facts to Singapore Customs](#) to apply for exemption from paying Goods & Services Tax (GST) for the importation of your pet.

**Step 11:** Arrange with your chosen airline to sign the [captain's declaration](#)

**Step 12.** Present your pet's import licence during check in

**PET ARRIVAL DATE**

## Check if the breed of your pet is allowed in Singapore

Breeds of Dogs not allowed in Singapore	Breeds of Cats not allowed in Singapore
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Pit Bull, including<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ American Pit Bull Terrier (which is also known as the American Pit Bull and Pit Bull Terrier)</li><li>○ American Staffordshire Terrier</li><li>○ Staffordshire Bull Terrier</li><li>○ American Bulldog</li><li>○ Crosses between them and other breeds</li></ul></li><li>● Akita</li><li>● Neapolitan Mastiff</li><li>● Tosa</li><li>● Dogo Argentino</li><li>● Fila Brasileiro</li><li>● Boerboe</li><li>● Perro De Presa Canario</li><li>● Crosses of the above</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> generation Bengal or Savannah cat crosses</li></ul> <p><i>If you intend to import either a Bengal or Savannah cross breed cat, you need to show documentary proof that your:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>Bengal cat cross is at least a 5<sup>th</sup> generation cross from the ancestral stock of Prionailurus bengalensis</i></li><li>○ <i>Savannah cat cross is at least a 5<sup>th</sup> generation cross from the ancestral stock of Leptailurus serval</i></li></ul>

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## Check if your pet is allowed in the intended residence in Singapore

Type of Dog/Cat	Housing Development Board (HDB) residential flat (No. of dog/cat allowed per residential unit)	Non-HDB residential premises (No. of dog/cat allowed per residential unit)
Approved dog breed	<u>1</u>	Up to 3
<a href="#">Scheduled Dog</a>	0	1 (Out of 3 dogs, a <b>maximum</b> of 1 scheduled dog is allowed)
Cat	0	Check with your residential management for specific rules for keeping cats

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## E-services: Cost, Processing Service Standard and Validity

E-service		Cost	Service Standard	Validity
Dog licence	Dogs below 5 months of age:	<b>S\$15</b> per dog	Issued immediately upon successful online application	1 year
	1 <sup>st</sup> 3 dogs	Sterilised: <b>S\$15</b> per dog Unsterilised: <b>S\$90</b> per dog		
	4 <sup>th</sup> or subsequent dog:	<b>S\$180</b> per dog		
	1 <sup>st</sup> 3 dogs	Sterilised: <b>S\$25</b> per dog Unsterilised: <b>S\$165</b> per dog		2 years
	4 <sup>th</sup> or subsequent dog:	<b>S\$325</b> per dog		
	1 <sup>st</sup> 3 dogs	Sterilised: <b>S\$35</b> per dog Unsterilised: <b>S\$230</b> per dog		3 years
	4 <sup>th</sup> or subsequent dog:	<b>S\$460</b> per dog		
	Licence to Import/Export/Transship Animals, Birds, Eggs and Biologics (Personal) <i>Also known as personal pet import licence</i>			<b>S\$50</b> (normal service)
		<b>S\$100</b> (express service)	Issued within 1 working day of submission of ALL required documents	
Pet inspection upon arrival		Free (S\$80 will be charged if inspection is not booked)	Inspections scheduled within Mon to Sat, 8AM to 10:30PM will be approved immediately.  Please avoid inspections outside of Mon to Sat, 8AM to 10:30PM	-

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