

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL KENNEL COUNCIL LTD POLICY STATEMENT

PROTECTION FOR PUPPY PURCHASERS

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The Australian National Kennel Council Limited and its Member Bodies require their members to be fully conversant with the Code of Ethics and their responsibilities and liabilities under all legislation relating to the sale of dogs.

This includes laws which provide protection to puppy purchasers.

Such protection should include the conduct of appropriate health testing on breeding stock, vaccination and micro chipping of pups prior to sale, the provision of information for the feeding and care of pups purchased, and consideration of the provision of pet insurance or a health guarantee for the first six weeks after purchase.