

Mandatory Standards for Dog Breeding, Housing, Husbandry, Transport and Sale

16. Should people who breed dogs have to comply with minimum standards for the health and welfare of their dogs?

Yes

Unsure

No

17. Should there be any restrictions on who can register as a dog breeder? If so, what should these be?

If any background checks come up with a questionable past in the treatment of animals; if the place where the breeding animals are housed is not up to standard for the welfare and health of the dogs.

18. Should the number of litters that a bitch can produce be restricted by law?

Yes

Unsure

No

19. Should people who breed dogs for commercial gain be required to meet additional Mandatory Dog Breeding Standards?

I think so. Most registered pedigree dog breeders who I have dealt with would not find any additional Dog Breeding Standards a particular bother; again, I would ask that these standards are reasonable and logical.A

20. If you said 'yes' to question 19, should this be based on:

- a) keeping a defined number of breeding dogs?
- b) if so, what number?
- c) any other criteria?