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Ministry for Agriculture, Fisheries and Animal Rights

Electronic Identification of Dogs Regulations, Subsidiary Legislation 437.101

Electronic Identification and Registration of Dogs for Issue of Lifetime Licence – Component Costs

In exercise of the powers conferred by Article 5 (6) of Subsidiary Legislation 437.101, the Director (Veterinary Regulation) notifies that the rates for the registration of the electronic identification of dogs for the issue of a lifetime licence by the aforementioned Director, as per the Electronic Identification of Dogs Regulations, Subsidiary Legislation 437.101, are as follows:

Component Costs of Lifetime Licence

	<i>Neutered</i>	<i>Non-Neutered</i>
<i>Microchip and its application</i>	€5	€5
<i>Registration on database by the Veterinary Surgeon</i>	€5	€15
<i>Total Client Fee</i>	€10	€20
<i>Government Credit/Debit to Veterinary Surgeon</i>	+€5	-€5

For the registration of every microchipped, neutered dog, the Director shall credit the account of the veterinary surgeon with €5, while for the registration of every non-neutered dog, the Director shall debit the account of the veterinary surgeon with €5. The resulting balance between the credits and debits will be sent to the veterinary surgeons in the form of a request for payment quarterly. A reminder of payment shall be sent after 30 days, and a second reminder shall follow after the next 30 days. If the outstanding fees are not settled, the veterinary surgeon shall be charged a 5% interest on such fees.

Veterinary surgeons shall settle their dues as instructed by the Veterinary Regulation Directorate.

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