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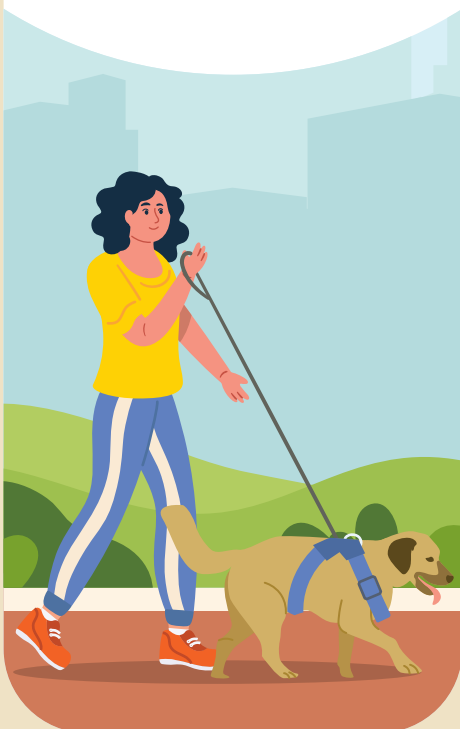
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LEASHING & MUZZLING YOUR DOG

Ensuring the safety and well-being of both our pets and the community is a key responsibility of all dog owners. Dog owners should abide by the following under the Animals And Birds (Licensing and Control of Cats and Dogs) Rules 2024:

Leashing

Leashing your dog allows you to maintain control, ensures your dog stays safe and prevents it from wandering off or causing disruptions to others. By law, dog owners are required to leash their pets in public. Failure to comply can result in a fine of up to \$5,000.



Muzzling

Dog breeds listed in the First Schedule of the Animals And Birds (Licensing and Control of Cats and Dogs) Rules 2024 must be muzzled in public. Failure to comply can result in a fine of up to \$5,000 for the first offense, and a fine of up to \$10,000 for subsequent offenses.



First Schedule

Part I: Pit Bull (American Pit Bull Terrier or American Pit Bull or Pit Bull Terrier, American Staffordshire Terrier, Staffordshire Bull Terrier, American Bull Dog), Akita, Mastiffs (Perro De Presa Canario, Neapolitan Mastiff), Tosa, Dogo Argentino, Fila Brasileiro, Boerboel and their crosses.

Part II: Bull Terrier, Doberman Pinscher, Rottweiler, German Shepherd (Belgian Shepherd, East European Shepherd), Mastiffs (Bull Mastiff, Cane Corso, Dogue De Bordeaux) and their crosses.

Information is accurate as of July 2025.



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First Schedule

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