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## Android app release joins Apple and web versions in major development for eTrac

SYDNEY: The Greyhound Welfare & Integrity Commission [GWIC] has released an Android version of its muchanticipated eTrac app, providing participants across NSW with instant access to information and to facilitate seamless transactions.

The industry's world-first eTrac digital portal provides quick, easy and secure online transactions 24/7 and gives participants direct access to your greyhound information online, including health records.

The Commission has embarked on an ambitious registration drive over the last six months to encourage as many participants as possible to register on the new portal before the 1 November 2023 switchover date, after which existing systems will be retired.

"We know that greyhound participants use their smartphones at the track and while they are on the move, and that Android is the predominant platform used, so today's announcement is a further development in the Commission's goal to provide services that are tailored for participants," said Mr Steve Griffin, Chief Executive Officer, GWIC.

"While registrations have been steadily increasing as we look towards 1 November 2023, I encourage Android and Apple users who haven't already registered for eTrac to simply download the eTrac app from the app store or scan the relevant QR code," added Mr Griffin.

The Commission has been visiting racetracks across NSW throughout October and earlier this month reached a major milestone with more than 50 per cent of participants registered on eTrac.

"After 1 November 2023, GWIC will retire existing systems and migrate all participants to eTrac, so it's important to register for eTrac via the smartphone apps or GWIC website as soon as possible," concluded Mr Griffin.

Further information about eTrac can be found <a href="here">here</a>, including endorsement by prominent participants <a href="here">here</a>.

#### Note to the editor:

Participants may download the eTrac smartphone app using these QR codes:



## **Greyhound Welfare & Integrity Commission**

The Greyhound Welfare & Integrity Commission is the independent regulator for the greyhound industry in NSW. The Commission was established to promote and protect the welfare of greyhounds, safeguard the integrity of greyhound racing and maintain public confidence in the greyhound racing industry.

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