

Greyhound Welfare & Integrity Commission

| <b>Statistics (retirement, euthanasia and death) – 1 July 2018 to 19 March 2019</b><br>[Released in response to access application under the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009] |  |  |  |
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| Description   |  | Reported to the Commission since 1 July 2018   | Source documents   |
| <b>1. The total number of greyhounds that have been retired:</b>  |  | <b>1,113</b>   | GWIC Notification of Retirement or Export Form and the Greyhound Re-Homing Efforts Certificate   |
| Subtotals   | a) The number of greyhounds that have been retired as a pet / through owner:   | 363 retired as a pet to self (participant)<br>223 retired by the participant to a private person (non-participant)   |  |
|   | b) The number of greyhounds that have been retired as a pet through Greyhounds as Pets (GRNSW):  | 175  |  |
|   | c) The number of greyhounds that have been exported, including the name of the countries and the number of greyhounds to each country; | 44* to New Zealand<br>1 to Hawaii<br><i>*retired for racing or breeding</i>  |  |
|   | d) The number of greyhounds that have been surrendered to another agency, such as RSPCA NSW or a Council facility:                     | 307  |  |
| <b>2. The total number of greyhounds that have been humanely euthanased by a registered vet:</b>  |  | <b>390</b>   | GWIC Notification of Intent to Euthanase Greyhound Form, the Notification of Emergency Euthanasia Form and the Euthanasia of Greyhound Notification Form |
| Subtotals   | a) The number of greyhounds that have been humanely euthanased by a registered vet due to medical reason / injury / illness / age:     | 390 'medical euthanasias' in total, including 75 euthanased on-track from an injury  |  |
|   | b) The number of greyhounds that have been humanely euthanased by a registered vet that were classified as an emergency euthanasia:    | N/A* (falls within reported 'medical euthanasias')<br><br><i>*An 'emergency euthanasia' is defined under clause 4.4 of the Commission's Greyhound Re-homing Policy. For these 'emergency euthanasias', the Commission reports '0'.</i> |  |
| <b>3. The total number if greyhounds that have been humanely euthanased by a registered vet due to not being rehomed:</b>   |  | <b>110</b>   | GWIC Greyhound Re-Homing Unsuitability Certificate and the Greyhound Re-Homing Efforts Certificate   |
| Subtotals   | a) The number of greyhounds that have been humanely euthanased by a registered vet due to Not Suitable for Re-homing:                  | 81   |  |
|   | b) The number of greyhounds that have been humanely euthanased by a registered vet due to Unsuccessful Re-homing:                      | 29   |  |
| <b>4. The total number if greyhounds that have been deceased:</b>   |  | <b>160</b>   | GWIC Notification Form of Greyhound Death  |
| Subtotals   | a) The number of greyhounds that have been deceased from illness / age / natural causes / accident / injuries:                         | 157  |  |
|   | b) The number of greyhounds that have been deceased from track injuries (reported by GWIC as 'sudden deaths'):                         | 3  |  |