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**APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF
 AN AFFIX (KENNEL NAME)**

(Effective January 1st 2005)

REGISTRATION FEES: RM100.00 (Member Only)

Please provide three (3) alternatives name. The kennel name is limited to 15 letters and may be a maximum of two words. The only permitted punctuation is a hyphen.

Note: Kindly read and understand the Rules governing the registration of an Affix behind this page.

No	Names Applied For As Affix (In order of preference)	State below reasons which you feel entitles you to a prior claim to register the selected name.	FOR MKA USE ONLY
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DETAILS OF APPLICANT(S)

NAME(S)	MKA MEMBERSHIP NO.
ADDRESS	TEL: (H)
	TEL: (O)
	FAX:

I/We, the undersigned, wish to apply for an Affix under the name given above. I/We understand and agree that the selection of name is subject to the approval of the Central Committee of the Malaysian Kennel Association.

Date:

Signature(s):.....

FOR MKA USE ONLY	Application Fees	RM 100.00	MKA Official Receipt No.	
	Date Received		Date Approve	

RULES GOVERNING THE REGISTRATION OF AN AFFIX (KENNEL NAME)

1. The object of registration of an Affix is to secure the exclusive right to the use of a word which will facilitate the selection of names acceptable for registration purposes and serve to distinguish animals which have been bred and owned by a particular individual or kennel.
2. Used of an Affix:
 - (a) May only be used as a Prefix, that is to say, as the first word in the name of dog where the Grantee of the Affix is the breeder of the dog.
 - (b) May only be used as a Suffix, that is to say, as the last word in the name of a dog (including, at the discretion of the Grantee, the use of the words 'OF', 'BY', or 'AT' immediately before such Suffix), where:
 - (i) The Grantee of the Affix imported the dog and the dog is registered within the jurisdiction for the first time.
 - (ii) In the case of the Grantee being the owner of the Stud Dog taking the "Pick of the Litter" and upon obtaining a written consent from the breeder of the litter.
 - (iii) The Grantee of the Affix is the breeder of both parents of the dog and the dog is the first transferred to such Grantee.
 - (c) Such usage as in the preceding paragraphs may only be allowed insofar as the name of the dog does not exceed 30 letters.
3. Affixes may be registered in the names of two or more persons. A Grant subsisting in the name of a single owner can be transferred into the name of partnership. A Grant subsisting in the name of partnership can, with the consent of all the partners, be transferred in the sole ownership of any one of its partners. Save in exceptional circumstances, an existing Affix cannot be transferred into the name of a new owner until the time limit in Rule 4 has elapsed. In cases of death, or of the desire of the owner to transfer an affix into the name of a close relative, consideration will always be given to a request to transfer if the reasons for the request are fully explained to the association.
4. The grant of an Affix is for life, providing the owner does not allow any period of five consecutive years to elapse during which time no registration involving the use of the Affix is made. An Affix which has elapsed may be re-registered by the original owner on payment of a fee of RM300.00 at any time up to 15 years from the first date of registration. Affix which has lapsed for more than 15 years from the first date of registration will be cancelled.
5. Affixes form part of a name cannot be used for registration purposes by any person other than the person for the time being entitled under the subsisting grant from the Association.
6. No Affix registered with the Kennel Club, London or with other Kennel clubs or Association with whom the MKA has reciprocal arrangements will be granted unless the applicant can prove by the production of written evidence that such Affix is already registered in his or her name with the overseas Club in question.
7. An Affix is limited to 15 letters and may be a maximum of two words. The only permitted punctuation is a hyphen.
8. Affixes should preferably be 'made up' words, but may be name of houses, landed property, or villages belonging to or connected with the applicant. The names of Countries, States, Towns or other well known places or persons, titles, single letters or numbers (in figures or in words) objectives or nouns appropriate to the name of a dog will not be granted nor will words with eccentric spelling designed to be pronounced in a manner likely to convey the meaning of words falling into the prohibited categories be accepted.
9. Necessitating such cancellations, the committee is in no way bound to disclose them and its decision regarding the granting of Affix are final.