



## Illawarra Bird Sanctuary & Rescue Surrender Form

### Avian Surrender Form Declaration

I hereby confirm that I am the rightful owner, keeper, caretaker, or custodian of the bird(s) referenced in this Avian Surrender Form. I affirm that no other individual holds property rights to the bird(s), which will be referred to hereafter as "the bird(s)."

I hereby relinquish all rights to the bird(s). Effective immediately, I entrust SOS Illawarra Bird Sanctuary & Rescue — an organisation with extensive experience in parrot adoption and care — to make informed decisions regarding the welfare of the bird(s). I acknowledge that once I surrender the bird(s), they cannot be returned.

The prospective adopter is likely to be a member of Atlantis Pets' extensive customer base, comprising individuals who have demonstrated a commitment to being responsible guardians for companion parrots. Additionally, it may include individuals who have reached out to SOS Illawarra Bird Sanctuary & Rescue, expressing their desire to offer a nurturing home to birds in need.

SOS Illawarra Bird Sanctuary & Rescue retains the authority to make decisions regarding the future of each bird, taking into account its history and observable behavior. It is important to note that certain birds may not be suitable for re-homing and may instead be placed in a colony.

Regrettably, we are unable to provide visitation rights or updates to the previous owners of the bird(s).

I hereby certify that I have read and understand the terms of this Avian Surrender Form, and I have provided all relevant information regarding the bird(s) being surrendered to the best of my ability.

Owners Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

SOS Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for dedicating your time to complete this section of the form. Kindly ensure that all fields are filled out as accurately and thoroughly as possible to assist us in making an informed decision regarding rehoming or placement in a colony. The more detailed information you provide, the greater our ability to promptly secure a suitable new home.

Bird's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Bird's Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Bird's Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Species: \_\_\_\_\_

Colour: \_\_\_\_\_

Does/do your bird(s) require immediate medical attention?

No

Yes. Please provide details \_\_\_\_\_

Has/have your bird(s) been vet checked?

Never vet checked

Yes. When was the animal's last veterinarian health check performed?

Is/are your bird(s) microchipped?

Yes. Microchip Number: \_\_\_\_\_

No.

Has/Have your bird(s) sustained any physical injuries?

No.

Yes. Please provide a description: \_\_\_\_\_

Has/have your bird(s) been or is/are your animal(s) currently being treated for any medical conditions?

No.

Yes. Please provide a description: \_\_\_\_\_

Why have you opted to part with this/these bird(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

How long has this/these bird(s) been in your care? \_\_\_\_\_

Has this/these bird(s) been re-homed before? If so, please provide details. (How many times, circumstances, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
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Does/do your bird(s) talk? If so what do they say? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Is there anything else you feel we should know about your bird(s)?

No

Yes. Please provide further information \_\_\_\_\_  
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#### **SOS ILLAWARRA BIRD SANCTUARY & RESCUE POLICY REGARDING PSITTACINE BEAK AND FEATHER DISEASE**

It is a requirement of SOS Illawarra Bird Sanctuary & Rescue that a Psittacine Beak and Feather Disease (PBFD) test be conducted on susceptible birds at our discretion prior to their acceptance into our sanctuary. PBFD is a highly contagious viral disease that primarily impacts Australian parrots, leading to abnormal growth of feathers and beaks, and it is often fatal or requires the bird to be euthanised.

A veterinarian's certificate confirming that the bird is free from Psittacine Beak and Feather Disease (PBFD) is necessary for SOS Illawarra Bird Sanctuary & Rescue to accept the bird into our care. Alternatively, we can arrange the testing on your behalf. The current cost for testing is \$69.99 per bird, which encompasses the test itself as well as the cleaning and sterilisation of the testing area afterward. Please be advised that we will be required to take both blood and feather samples from the bird.

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#### **FOR SOS ILLAWARRA BIRD SANCTUARY & RESCUE USE ONLY**

- Bird requires testing for PBFD
- Requires immediate medical attention
- Re-homing potential
- Colony suitable