

Dairy Farmer Licence Application Steps

To obtain a Dairy Farmer Licence from the TDIA you will need to meet the following requirements:

Requirements	New Licence	Licence Transfers	Date received TDIA	Assigned To	Date Complete
1. Submit Dairy Farmer Licence Application/Transfer		✓			
form to TDIA and pay the prescribed fee.					
2. Submit Referral to Function Control Authority form	✓	×			
to TDIA for "Special Use Building"		(subject to premises			
Form 10 (Building Surveyor)		alterations)			
3. Develop or obtain, and complete, a TDIA-approved	✓	√			
Food Safety Program					
4. Develop, review and/or update your dairy farm	✓	✓			
premises Effluent Management Plan and submit					
documentation to TDIA for approval *					
*Effluent systems are to be assessed and designed by					
suitably qualified persons and meet the design criteria					
set out in the National Effluent and Manure Database					
5. Effluent Management System Assessment by	✓	At discretion of TDIA			
appropriately qualified persons*					
*Assessments may be required for, but not limited to,					
system failures against the Farm Dairy Premises					
Effluent Management Code of Practice, increased herd					
size, historical recommendations from previous					
effluent reports, outstanding non-conformance					
6. Verification from the appropriately qualified	✓	At discretion of TDIA			
designer(s) that the effluent system has been built in					
accordance with the submitted effluent management					
plan					
7. Obtain and submit a Certificate of Occupancy to the	✓	×			
TDIA		(subject to premises			
Form 13 (Building Surveyor) "Occupancy Permit"		alterations)			
8. Obtain and submit a Certificate of Completion	✓	×			
(plumbing permit to the TDIA) - Issued by Council		(subject to premises			
		alterations)			
9. Submit a Notice of Intention to Complete Dam	✓	Yes, if changes or			
Works to DPIPWE Water Branch	(as	significant repairs			
	applica	are made to existing			
	ble)	effluent dams			
10. Register new or existing effluent dams with	✓	√			
DPIPWE Water Branch (must be registered as effluent		(as applicable)			
NOT freshwater or irrigation)					
11. Submit a Notice of Completion of Dam Works with	✓	✓			
proof of "Works as Executed" (WAE) to DPIPWE Water		(subject to premises			
Department and the TDIA		alterations)			
12. On-farm site inspection by TDIA	✓	At discretion of TDIA			

approval process – please make sure the TDIA are aware of your plans well before you wish to commence milking.

Comments/Notes:

necessary requirements as you may require planning approvals for new or modified premises. It can take up to 60 days for the application review and licence