

# Am I a Registered Breeder?

No, I am not a Registered Breeder...

I am a member of the American Netherland Dwarf Rabbit Club (ANDRC) and responsibly abide by their rules and by-laws to enhance and protect the future of the breeds

The USA and England are the leaders in the official introduction of new show colours and changes to regulations and guidelines, closely followed by Europe and then Australia

If a rabbit in Australia has been rung, the ring has been sent to an Australian club from England by the British Rabbit Council (BRC), they cannot be manufactured here

Anyone who says they are a Registered Breeder are probably just a member of a club

The following is a quote from the Secretary of the RBAV:

*"In Australia there is no such thing as a 'Registered Breeder'.*

*We do not have a national governing body here like the British Rabbit Council or American Rabbit Breeders Association and there is nothing like the Canine Council for dogs or FCC for cats. If you are a member of a club you can only say you are a Club Member, nothing more.*

*So many people join clubs, never show, and then put on their adverts they are Registered Breeders, which is in fact false.*

*Prospective buyers often ring me to ask for a recommendation for a seller who has advertised on Pet Link or the Trading Post, etc. as a Registered Breeder, and all I can say is I can't recommend them as I have never seen them."*



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