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My submission:

IF new laws for pet owners to not to be discriminated against are to work fairly i believe it is necessary to remove all the questions about pets from the application forms.

Real estate agent application forms ask if an applicant has pets, what type of pet, what breed, council registration details and even what age.

1, This can cause discrimination due to the type of pet or its breed.

2. Agents can screen out pet owners but use another reason as an excuse to not allow them to rent the property.

I believe new laws need to be written so they are very clear for everyone to fully understand their rights.

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