

1. BREED

- (a) Each dog must be registered on the KUSA Breed Register or on a National Canine Organisation Breed Register recognised by KUSA, having gained a **minimum** of five (5) Championship points.

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42.1.1 (Eff. 01.01.2019)*

- (b) All Challenge Certificates submitted to support the application must be signed by different Judges.
- (c) A Minimum of one (1) point must have been gained **after the dog was eighteen (18) months of age.**
- (d) The balance of the points were awarded **after the dog was nine (9) months of age.**

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED - CHAMPION

Extra Qualifications required for:

1.1 ROTTWEILERS

- (a) Only one Challenge Certificate gained before the age of eighteen (18) months to count and the remaining points to be gained after the age of eighteen (18) months.
- (b) Achieved at least two (2) gradings of "V" (Excellent) from a Specialist Rottweiler Judge. The "V" gradings must be obtained under two (2) different Specialist Rottweiler Judges. At least one (1) "V" Grading should be obtained after the age of twenty-four (24) months.
- (c) Applicant is able to produce acceptable documentation, including evidence of positive identification (Micro-chip No), attesting that the dog has been X-rayed for Hip Dysplasia and Elbow Dysplasia at the minimum age of eighteen (18) months and the hips were found to be within the range of HD A1 to C2.
- (d) The dog has been Assessed by a qualified Breed Surveyor (Note - the Breed Assessment does not include a fighting spirit and courage test).

1.2 GERMAN SHEPHERD DOGS

- (a) Only one (1) Challenge Certificate gained before the age of eighteen (18) months to count and the remaining points to be gained after the age of eighteen (18) months.
- (b) Achieved a grading of "V" (Excellent) awarded at a KUSA Licensed Breed Show or at a KUSA Licensed FCI Show.
- (c) Applicant is able to produce acceptable documentation, including evidence of

positive identification attesting that the dog has been x-rayed for Hip Dysplasia at the minimum age of twelve (12) months and the hips were found to be within the range of HD A1 to C2.

1.3 BOERBOEL

Applicant is able to produce documentation that the dog has successfully completed a Breed and Character (Temperament) Assessment by a qualified Assessor with an "Excellent" 85%+ rating

2. OBEDIENCE

Has been awarded three (3) Obedience Qualifying Certificates under three (3) different Judges.

3. TRACKER DOG

Has been awarded three (3) Qualifying Certificates under different judges with at least one (1) graded Excellent, in the grade Tracker Dog III.

4. POLICE DOG

Has been awarded three (3) Qualifying Certificates, under a different Judge, in the grade Police Dog.

5. IGP (SA)

Has qualified in IGP III under at least two (2) different Judges and has attained an average mark of 250/300, not less than 80% in Tracking and Obedience and 90% for defence work on at least three (3) occasions.

6. TRACKER TRIAL (TT) (SA)

Has been awarded three (3) Qualifications in Grade TT5, one of which must be at a Championship Show each under a different Judge with a grading of "Very Good"

7. WORKING DOG (SA)

Has been awarded both of the following titles:
Tracker Dog Champion **AND** Police Dog Champion

8. WORKING UTILITY DOG (WUD)

Has been awarded five (5) Qualifying Certificates at Championship Shows provided that no more than two (2) Qualifying Certificates are signed by any one judge and at least three (3) are graded "Excellent".

9. RESCUE DOG

Has been awarded qualifications in all five (5) grades by at least two (2) different Judges, one of which must be at a Championship Show with a minimum grading of "Very Good".

10. DOG JUMPING

Has been awarded three (3) Dog Jumping Qualifying Certificates under three (3) different Judges.

11. CARTING

Has been awarded three (3) Carting Qualifying Certificates under three (3) different Judges.

12. FIELD TRIALS

12.1 Pointers & Setters

Has won a Pointer & Setter
Championship Stake

12.2 Retrievers

Has won a Retriever Champion Stake **OR**
has won two (2) first prizes at two (2)
Field Trials in Open Stakes for Retrievers

12.3 Spaniels

Has won a Spaniel Champion Stake **OR**
has won two (2) first prizes at two (2)
Field Trials in Open Stakes for Spaniels

12.4 Breeds which Hunt, Point & Retrieve

Has won a Championship Stake for
Breeds which Hunt, Point and Retrieve
OR has won two (2) first prizes at two
(2) Field Trials in Open Stakes for all
breeds that Hunt, Point and Retrieve.

13. AGILITY CONTACT

Has been awarded three (3) Agility -
Contact Qualifying Certificates at
Championship Shows each by a different
Judge.

14. AGILITY NON-CONTACT

Has been awarded three (3) Agility Non-
Contact Qualifying Certificates at
Championship Shows under three (3)
different Judges.

15. FLYBALL

Has gained three hundred (300) points
or more in any combination, of which a
maximum of one third i.e. (100) points
may be obtained at Non-Championship
Shows.

15.1 TH ONE AND ONLY

Has gained fifteen hundred (1500)
points or more in any combination at
Championship or Non-Championship
Shows.
Title was named after the first dog that
reached the one thousand five hundred
(1500) points

16. DOG DANCING

Has achieved Advanced level and has
been awarded three (3) Qualifying
Certificates under three (3) different
Judges in any one of the following
categories: Singles, Pairs, Brace, Group,
Veteran and Handy Dandy.
All three (3) Qualifying Certificates must
be earned and Advanced Level achieved,
in the same category and the category
will be stated in brackets after the title of
Dog Dancing Champion.

17. BREEDERS DIPLOMA

Upon written application a Breeders
Diploma shall be issued to the breeder of
each dog awarded its title of Champion,
provided the dog is registered in the
KUSA Breed Register.

PLEASE NOTE

1. Schedule 3 Reg.42.1.5:-
"Any dog which has achieved any type of
Championship Status as described in this
Regulation 42, or under any Schedule
forming part of this Constitution, shall not
be described as such until the Federal
Council or Executive Committee has
confirmed the appropriate award and the
relevant Championship Certificate has
been issued, notice of which shall
thereafter be published in the Official
Kennel Union Journal. (www.kusa.co.za)
You may only call your dog "Champion"
once you have received either the
relevant Championship Certificate or an
official letter from the Kennel Union
informing you that your dog has been
made up as a Champion.

The date your dog achieved
Championship Status is the date on the
Champion Certificate and not the month
of publication in the Official Kennel Union
Journal. (www.kusa.co.za)

In case of dogs registered by another
registration organisation, whether foreign
or local, a certified copy of the
Registration Certificate must accompany
all applications.

2. **All applications for Championship Status must be supported by PHOTOCOPIES (not originals) of all Challenge or Qualifying Certificates.**
3. The highest Working and/or Field Trial Qualification gained may be included on the Champion Certificate provided adequate proof is submitted at the time of application for Championship Status.