



THE KENNEL UNION OF SOUTHERN AFRICA REGULATIONS FOR THE DOG JUMPING CHAMPIONSHIP OF SOUTHERN AFRICA (1989) (Effective 01.04.2014)

SCHEDULE 5E(04)

1. LICENSING & SHOW REGULATIONS

- 1.1 The Regulations relating to licensing and other matters to do with Shows, as set out in Schedule 3 Regulations for Championship Shows and Schedule 4 Regulations for Non-Championship Shows of the Constitution of The Kennel Union of Southern Africa shall apply to this Competition so far as they can be relevant to the Dog Jumping Championship of Southern Africa Competition and so far as they do not conflict with the specific terms of this Schedule 5E(4).
- 1.2 The Regulations, as set in Schedule 5D for Dog Jumping of The Kennel Union Constitution, shall apply to this Competition *mutatis mutandis*.

2. SCOPE OF THE LICENCE

- 2.1 A Club which is qualified to hold a Championship Show in the year in which it is intended to hold the Dog Jumping Championship of Southern Africa, may hold the event named in this Schedule in conjunction with such Championship Show or separate therefrom.
- 2.2 Each Club participating in any part of this Competition shall submit a Draft Schedule under the terms of Schedule 3 Regulation 5.

3. ELIGIBILITY FOR COMPETITION

- 3.1 Any dog may compete which is :
 - 3.1.1 registered with the Kennel Union of Southern Africa in the Breed Register, in the Dogsport Record or in the Breed Appendix Registers;
 - 3.1.2 owned by any department or service of the Government of the Republic of South Africa or any other State;
 - 3.1.3 owned by a Public Corporation and whose eligibility is not in conflict with the Regulations hereunder described or who has not been disqualified or suspended from competition by The Kennel Union of Southern Africa.
- 3.2 Any reference to dogs in the Regulations hereunder shall be taken to include bitches.
- 3.3 Dogs which are not registered with The Kennel Union of Southern Africa on the day on which entries close are not eligible to compete in this Competition.

4. HOST CLUBS

Until or unless this Schedule 5E(4) is amended or altered, the Host Clubs for this event are designated as :

4.1 Semi finals and Finals

Any affiliated Club in any participating Province which is qualified to host any of the events covered by this Schedule.

- 4.2 Notification of the S.A. Champs must be in six (6) months before the date of the competition so that proposals from the Provinces wishing to host the S.A. Champs, can be considered by the National Dog Jumping Committee.

5. QUALIFICATIONS FOR ENTRY

- 5.1 Each Province, (Gauteng, Kwazulu Natal, Free State, Eastern Province, Border, Southern Cape, Boland and Western Province) to organize their own Qualifying rounds. The amount

of dogs invited per Province to be determined by the Province holding the Semi-Finals and the Finals.

5.2 Entry to this competition only open to Grade-1, Grade-3 and Grade-5 dogs.

5.3 Semi-Finals

The Semi-Finals, which shall consist of two (2) rounds for each dog, will be awarded points as laid down in Regulation 6 of this Schedule. The first round to be Table "A" and the second round to be Table "B".

5.4 Finals

The top twelve (12) Standard dogs, the top 6 Mini dogs and the top 6 Midi dogs from each of the two (2) Semi-Finals shall compete in the Finals of the Dog Jumping Championship of Southern Africa and be awarded points as laid down in Regulation 6 of this Schedule. If a dog has already qualified in the first Semi-Final round and qualified again in the second Semi-Final round then the dog next in line will be invited to the Finals

5.5 Each dog shall be handled by the same handler in any part of this Competition.

5.6 No substitutions are allowed for any handler or dog. Should a handler and dog fail to be present at any part of the Competition, the Sponsor/Sub-Committee reserves the right to invite the handler and dog with the next highest qualification to take its place.

6. **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

6.1 Entry closing date for the Semi Final Rounds shall be published by the individual Club to whom a licence is issued by the Provincial or Liaison Council of the Kennel Union of Southern Africa.

6.2 Entry fees, which shall cover the Semi-Final Rounds, shall be charged by the Club holding the event.

6.3 Entry to the Semi-Finals of the Dog Jumping Championship of Southern Africa will be by invitation to those handlers and dogs which have qualified in terms of Regulation 5.3 of this Schedule.

6.4 As the Dog Jumping Championship of the Year is a prestige event, all competitors at the Semi-Finals and Finals will be required to dress as follows :

6.4.1 Competitors, who do not normally wear a uniform, will be required to wear a T-shirt, (when the event is sponsored, and if required by the Sponsor, a T-shirt supplied by him shall be worn), and either fitted slacks or track suit pants of their own in good order.

6.4.2 Persons, who normally wear a uniform, are required to wear the Dress Uniform of the Branch of the Armed Forces, Police or other such body to which they belong.

6.5 It is a condition of entry that competitors may not use their dogs for advertising without the prior permission of the Sponsor in writing.

7. **JUDGING**

7.1 The events will be judged by Judges who are qualified to judge Dog Jumping in terms of the Regulations of the Kennel Union of Southern Africa and whose names shall be published in the Schedules of the Clubs holding Semi Final Rounds.

7.2 The name of the Judge or Judges for the Semi-Finals and Finals of the Dog Jumping Championship of Southern Africa shall be published in a Schedule to be printed in the Official Kennel Union Journal on behalf of the Sponsor/s.

7.3 Points, in all sections of this event, shall be awarded as follows: First Semi-Final, Table "A": Only the runoff to count towards points. Second Semi-Final, Table "B": First round to count towards points.

Dog coming:

1st 24 (twenty four) points

2nd 23 (twenty three) points

3rd 22 (twenty two) points

Etc. down to 24th Place 1 (one) point.

7.4 The judging of the Semi-Finals shall take place at a nominated venue at the time and on a day/days as determined by the Sponsor/s.

7.5 The Finals of the Dog Jumping Championship of Southern Africa shall take place following the day/days on which the Semi-Finals are held.

8. **PRIZES AND AWARDS**

8.1 In all sections of this Competition the Sponsor/s will provide prizes, as determined by themselves and not in contravention of Schedule 3 Regulation 29.1 of the Constitution of the Kennel Union of Southern Africa, and details of such prizes shall be published in the Schedule relating to each event.

- 8.2 Trophies may be awarded for any of the Semi-Final Rounds but it should not be taken that any such trophies will be offered or awarded.
- 8.2.1 The Dog Jumping Championship of Southern Africa will be awarded to the winners of the Championship Competitions of Grade 1, 3 and 5 at a selected venue or event.
- 8.2.2 The Dog Jumping Championship of Southern Africa Trophies are perpetual Challenge Trophies and may never be won outright. A miniature of the Trophy in each Grade will be presented to the winner to retain in their own possession.

9. **SPONSORSHIP**

The event may be sponsored permanently or on an annual basis by any organisation acceptable to both the Federal Council of the Kennel Union of Southern Africa and the Host Club. In years when the event is sponsored, the title may be preceded by the name of the Sponsor. Should either Club or Sponsor wish to disassociate themselves with the event, this may not be done so as to prejudice the holding of the event in that year or any succeeding years. For this reason a contract must be drawn up between the Club and any Sponsor establishing the rights and obligations of both should either or both wish to withdraw from association with this Competition.



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