

FEDCO 12-2023 ITEM 15.4.1. Fedco Directive of all Dogsport Schedules to include the TEO Manual as part of the examination Study material.

Proposed amendments to the following Dogsport Schedules:

Insertions in **underlined bold type** and deletions in ~~[struck through square brackets]~~

SCHEDULE 05A – REGULATIONS FOR OBEDIENCE CLASSES

1.6.2.1 The Aspiring Judge shall pass a written, closed-book examination on:-

- 1) The Rules and Regulations contained in schedule 05A pertaining to the judging of Beginners and Novice classes. This test will be set by the National Obedience Sub-Committee and the pass mark at present is 80%.
- 2) The recommended marks to be deducted as given in the relevant Provincial Guide for Judges pertaining to Beginners and Novice classes. This test will be set by the National Obedience Sub-Committee and the pass mark at present is 80%. This examination must be written regardless of whether or not the Aspiring Judge has written the examination previously.
- 3) A sixty-mark examination on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B. The pass mark is 80% and this examination will be set by the Judges Education Council (JEC).

1.6.2.5 The Provincial Council may require that an Aspiring Judge attend a course which shall cover those portions of Schedule 05A and the provincial guide for judges which cover judging of Beginners and Novice classes plus the relevant sections of Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09**, Appendix B. They shall then sit a written, closed-book examination on the Schedules as described in 1.6.2.1 and 1.6.2.2 above. The Provincial Council Obedience Sub-Committee shall then arrange for the Aspiring Judge to do a practical test on judging Beginners and Novice Classes.

1.7.3 **Inactive Judge**

A Judge, whether Learner or Licensed, who has not carried out a judging appointment for a period of three (3) years or more and wishes to resume judging must pass a written, closed-book examination on Schedule 05A Regulations (set by the National Obedience Sub-Committee) and an examination on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09**, Appendix B (set by the JEC). The Judge may not accept an Obedience judging appointment until they have passed these examinations. KUSA shall be so informed and they in turn shall inform the Judge in writing (copied to the Provincial Council) that they have passed the tests and may now accept judging appointments up to the highest level that he was previously entitled to judge.

SCHEDULE 05B (01) – REGULATIONS FOR WORKING TRIALS (CLASSIC)

1.6.1.1 Before a Learner Judge can accept any CD judging appointment he must:

1. Pass a written, closed-book test on Schedule 05B(01) and a sixty-mark (60) test on Schedule 03 and 9 Appendix B, regardless of whether or not this test has been written before. The examination on Schedule 05B(01) will be set by the National Working Trials (Classic) Sub-Committee while the examination on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B will be set by the Judges Education Council (JEC). If passed he will be issued with a Judges Record Card. The sub-committee will then allocate the Learner Judge to a particular Judge (maximum of 2 (two) Learner Judges per class).

1.6.2.3 In the event of any judge (excluding Senior Licensed PD & TD3) not carrying out a judging appointment for a period of three (3) years or more they must undertake a Learner Judges appointment under a licensed Judge for the highest grade they are qualified to judge. The Learner Judge must also write a written examination on Schedule 05B(01) and a sixty-mark (60) test on Schedule 03, **the Temporary**

Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual and **Schedule 09** Appendix B. The presiding Judge will advise KUSA as to whether or not they should be reinstated.

- 1.6.2.3.1 In the event of licensed PD & TD3 judges not carrying out a judging appointment for a period of three (3) years a (1) questionnaire made up of questions pertaining to Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09 Appendix B and Schedule 05B(1) be completed and submitted to the local governing body. The questionnaire must be updated from time to time, to ensure all new rules and regulations are included.

SCHEDULE 05B (02) – KUSA REGULATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL WORKING DOG TRIALS AND INTERNATIONAL TRACKING DOG TRIALS (FCI-IGP)

- 3.6.2.5 Pass a written examination with a pass mark of 80%, consisting of: A. A sixty (60) mark paper on both Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B , to be provided by the Judges Education Council

3.6.17 Qualification of Judges for all versions of BH and Endurance Test

- 3.6.17.1 Candidate Judges for BH must follow the same acceptance procedure as for all FCI-IGP judges.
- 3.6.17.2 Once satisfying the acceptance procedure and having passed the learner judge close book theory exam, consisting of a) Sixty (60) marks on both Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B questions will be provided by the Judges Education Council; b) Forty 40-mark questions on Schedule 05B(02) and Utility Dog Regulations as far as BH, AD, Article Indication are concerned; and c) Ten (10) questions on Anatomy, Conformation and motion (dynamics) of dogs (Note: B and C shall be set by the National IGP Convener to meet FCI Requirements), the candidate must act as a learner judge twice in any of the BH versions permitted, with a licensed KUSA FCI-IGP 3 judge.

SCHEDULE 05B(03) – REGULATIONS FOR TRACKING TRIALS (TT)

- 4.1.1.2.5 Pass a written test on Schedule 05B (03) and a written test on both Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B comprising of 60-marks. Such tests shall be a closed-book exam. The pass mark for both papers will be 80%.
- 4.1.1.3 For standardisation, this examination is to be set by the National Tracking Trials Sub-Committee and the Judges Education Council will set the exam for Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B. (Where no National Sub-Committee exists, the provinces with representation must jointly agree on a paper).
- 4.1.1.4 Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B must be written for each new Dogsport the applicant wishes to judge.
- 4.1.1.5 The Provincial TT Sub-committee, or KUSA, will then allocate the Learner Judge to a Licenced Judge (TT). No more than two (2) people may be Learner Judges in any one (1) Grade at any single event.
- 4.1.1.18 A Judge becomes inactive if they have not judged any Tracking Trials grade for more than a period of two (2) years. In order to be reinstated, the judge must successfully complete a refresher course and write an exam on Schedule 5B(03) and Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B.

Schedule 05B (04) – REGULATIONS FOR WORKING UTILITY DOG

- 1.1.1 Before a Learner Judge can accept any WUD judging appointment he must:
- a) Be a qualified TDII Judge in Working Trials (Classic) and have judged at least four (4) shows at TDII level; and,

- b) Undertake and successfully complete 2 (two) training sessions, each presented by a different licensed Working Trials (Classic) Judge. There shall be no less than two (2) dogs at each training session. These training sessions do not have to take place at a licensed show.
- c) Pass a written, closed-book test on Schedule 05B(04) and a sixty-mark (60) test on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B, regardless of whether or not this test has been written before. The examination on Schedule 05B(04) will be set by the National Working Trials (Classic) Sub-Committee while the examination on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B will be set by the Judges Education Council (JEC). If passed he will be issued with a Judges Record Card. The sub-committee will then allocate the Learner Judge to a particular Judge (maximum of two (2) Learner Judges per class).

1.1.2 In the event of any Judge not carrying out a judging appointment for a period of three (3) years or more they must undertake a Learner Judges appointment under a licensed Judge. The Judge must also pass a written, closed-book test on Schedule 05B(04) and a sixty-mark (60) test on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B, regardless of whether or not this test has been written before. The presiding Judge will advise KUSA as to whether or not they should be reinstated.

SCHEDULE 05C(1) – REGULATIONS FOR RETRIEVER FIELD TRIALS

- A.8.1.5.4.1 The New/Aspirant Judge must pass a written examination on Schedule 05C(1), comprising of 100 marks. The pass mark for this examination will be 70%. He must also pass a written examination on both Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, comprising of 60-marks. The pass mark for this examination will be 80%. Both examinations shall be closed-book examinations.
- A.8.1.5.4.2 For standardisation, the examination for Schedule 05C(1) is to be set by the Field Trial Liaison Council and the Judges Education Council will set the examination for Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B.
- A.8.1.5.4.4 Judges that have been inactive in judging and/or running a dog in field trials for a period of 5 years, will be required to rewrite the examinations on both Schedule 05C(1), and Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, before being re-instated.

SCHEDULE 05C(3) – REGULATIONS FOR HPR FIELD TRIALS (BREEDS THAT HUNT, POINT AND RETRIEVE)

- 1.4.3.1 The New/Aspirant Judge must pass a written examination on Schedule 05C(3) and a written examination on both Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, comprising of 60-marks. Such examinations shall be closed-book examinations. The pass mark for the Schedule 05C(3) exam shall be 70% and for the Schedules 3, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09**, Appendix B will be 80%.

For standardisation, this examination is to be set by the Field Trial Liaison Council and the Judges Education Council will set the examination for Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule **Schedule 09**, Appendix B.
- 1.4.3.2 Judges-who wish to Judge more than one field trial discipline will need to write the examination relevant to the respective discipline.

- 1.4.3.3 Judges that have been inactive Judges for a period of 5 years, will rewrite the examinations on both the relevant Schedule 05C(3), and Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, before being re-instated

SCHEDULE 05C(4) – REGULATIONS FOR SHOOTING RATINGS

- 3.1 The Aspirant Judge must pass a written examination on Schedule 05C(4) and a written examination on both Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, comprising of 60-marks. Such examinations shall be closed-book examinations. The pass mark for both papers will be 80%.
- 3.2 For standardisation, this examination is to be set by the Field Trial Liaison Council and the Judges Education Council will set the examination for Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B.

Schedule 05C(5) – Regulations for Gundog Hunting Tests (2020) (Deutsch Drahthaar / German Wire-haired Pointer)

- A.1.1.1.1.1 The New/Aspirant Judge must pass a written test examination on Schedule 05C(5) and a written examination on both Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, comprising of 60-marks. Such examination shall be closed-book examinations. The pass mark for both papers will be 80%.
- For standardisation, this examination is to be set by the Filed Trial Liaison Council and the Judges Education Council will set the examination for Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B.
- A.1.1.1.1.2 Judges who wish to Judge more than one field trial discipline will need to write the examination relevant to the respective discipline.
- A.1.1.1.1.3 Judges that have been inactive Judges for a period of five (5) years, will be required to rewrite the examinations on both the relevant Schedule 05C(5), and Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, before being re-instated.

Schedule 05C(6) – Regulations for Versatile Tests - Pointing Breeds

- A.9.1.6.4.1. The New/Aspirant Judge must pass a written examination on Schedule 05C(6) and a written examination on both Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, comprising of 60-marks. Such examinations shall be closed-book examinations. The pass mark for the Schedule 05C(6) exam shall be 70% and for the Schedules 3, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09**, Appendix B will be 80%.
- For standardisation, this examination is to be set by the Field Trial Liaison Council and the Judges Education Council will set the examination for Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B.
- A.9.1.6.4.2. Judges-who wish to Judge more than one field trial discipline will need to write the examinations relevant to the respective discipline.
- A.9.1.6.4.3. Judges that have been inactive in judging in field trials for a period of 5 years, will rewrite the examinations on both Schedule 05C(6) , and Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B, before being reinstated.

SCHEDULE 05D – REGULATIONS FOR DOG JUMPING GRADES

- 1.6.1 A written examination on KUSA Rules and Regulations, Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09, Appendix B must be passed with at least 80%.

SCHEDULE 05G – REGULATIONS FOR DOG CARTING

- 6.1 Before a Learner Judge may accept any Carting appointment, they must have passed a written examination on Schedule 05G, a sixty-mark examination on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and 09, Appendix B, have attended and have attended and passed a Carting Judges Training Course presented by an approved Convener and acted as a Ring Steward at two (2) Non-Championship Carting Shows. Thereafter, they will be issued with a Judge's Record Card. In terms of this Regulation, a 'Learner Judge' means one who is not yet qualified to judge at a Championship Show.
- 6.2 The examination on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and 09, Appendix B, must be written by all Learner Carting Judges regardless of whether they have written this examination previously.
- 6.7 **Inactive Judge**
A Judge whether Learner or Licensed, who has not carried out a judging appointment for a period of three (3) years or more and wishes to resume judging must pass a written examination on Schedule 05G Regulations, as well as a sixty-mark examination on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and 09, Appendix B. This examination shall be as determined from time to time by the National Carting Sub-Committee. KUSA shall be so informed and they in turn shall inform the Judge in writing (copied to the National Sub-Committee) that they passed the examination and may now accept judging appointments up to the highest level that they were previously entitled to judge.

SCHEDULE 05(L) Appendix E – REGULATIONS FOR AGILITY JUDGES

- 3.2.3 A written examination on KUSA Rules and Regulations as per Schedules 3, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 04** as well as Schedule 09 Appendix B must be passed with at least 80%.

SCHEDULE 05M – REGULATIONS FOR FLYBALL

- 8.1.4 Candidate Judge shall attend a course, which shall cover the Rules and Regulations, Schedule 05M, judging techniques and course layout design, as well as Schedules 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09**, Appendix B.
This course shall be run by two (2) Championship show Flyball judges. On completion of the course, the Candidate Judge shall then take an Examination and a Practical test, which shall consist of the following:
- 8.1.5 A written closed-book, sixty-mark examination on KUSA Rules and Regulations, Schedules 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** Appendix B. This exam will be set by the Judges Education Council (JEC).
- 8.1.11 In the event of a Judge not judging for a period of two (2) calendar years or more such a Judge may not judge a Championship Show but shall first pass a written exam on Schedule 05M and Schedules 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09**, Appendix B (as set by the JEC) and judge a Non-Championship Show.

SCHEDULE 05T – REGULATIONS FOR RALLY DOG

- 8.1.2 Pass a written closed book exam on the following KUSA Schedules, both with a pass mark of 80% (eighty percent):
 - 8.1.2.1 A paper on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09 Appendix B, set by the Judges Education Council (JEC) of KUSA; and
 - 8.1.2.2 A paper on Schedule 05T, set by the National Rally Dog Sub-Committee.
- 8.2.2 Pass a written closed book exam on the following KUSA Schedules, both with a pass mark of 80% (eighty percent):
 - 8.2.2.1 A paper on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09 Appendix B, set by the Judges Education Council (JEC) of KUSA; and
 - 8.2.2.2 A paper on Schedule 05T, set by the National Rally Dog Sub-Committee.
- 8.6.2 Rewrite and pass a written closed book exam on the following KUSA Schedules, both with a pass mark of 80% (eighty percent):
 - 8.6.2.1 A paper on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and Schedule 09 Appendix B, set by the Judges Education Council (JEC) of KUSA; and
 - 8.6.2.2 A paper on Schedule 05T, set by the National Rally Dog Sub-Committee.

SCHEDULE 11(A) – REGULATIONS FOR CANINE GOOD CITIZEN

- 3.8.2 All Evaluators need to do a refresher course at least once every four (4) years. These courses will be run by the Task Team until such time as a National Sub-committee or other relevant body is appointed. Evaluators who have not undertaken a refresher course within a four (4) year period will be required to attend a refresher course and write a test on Schedule 11(A), Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual**, Schedule 09 Appendix B and Schedule 1.
- 3.8.3 Any person wishing to become an Evaluator must:
 - 3.8.3.1 Make application to their Provincial Council. The aspiring Evaluator must submit a short motivation on why they wish to become an Evaluator and list any relevant skills they may have, e.g. run a puppy school, are a behaviourist, are a multi-discipline judge, a guide-dog trainer etc.
 - 3.8.3.2 Attend a training workshop and write a test on Schedule 11(A), Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual**, Schedule 09 Appendix B and Schedule 1.
 - 3.8.3.3 Upon successful completion of the workshop and having passed the written tests, the Learner Evaluator will need to undertake one (1) learner appointment and be signed off by one (1) Evaluator on the day. The presiding Evaluator must submit a letter to KUSA saying that they found the Learner Evaluator 'competent' or 'not yet ready'. If the Learner Evaluator is found not yet ready they may repeat the process.
 - 3.8.3.4 The Learner Evaluator must undertake their first solo evaluation appointment within two (2) years of successful completion of 3.8.3.3.
- 3.8.4 An Evaluator who has not undertaken an evaluation appointment within three (3) years, will be required to attend a refresher course and write a test on Schedule 11(A), Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual**, Schedule 09 Appendix B and Schedule 1. Upon successful completion of the refresher course and having passed the written tests, the Evaluator will need to undertake one (1) learner appointment and be signed off by one (1) Evaluator on the day.

SCHEDULE 11 [C] – REGULATIONS FOR TRICK DOG TESTS

NOTE: Other amendments will be submitted for Trick Dog

- 7.3 Any other person wishing to become a Trick Dog Evaluator, should apply in writing to the KUSA office. At a mutually agreeable time, two qualified evaluators will arrange a training programme for the aspirant evaluators. Training programmes may be offered in-person or via an online platform. The training course shall culminate

in a written examination on Schedule 11(C) and an evaluation of online videos developed for the purpose of the course. Evaluators will also be required to complete written examination on Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09**, Appendix B comprising 60-marks.

- 7.6 Evaluators who have not carried out evaluations for a period of three (3) years will be required to write a written examination on Schedule 11(C) and Schedule 03, **the Temporary Exclusion Order (TEO) Manual** and **Schedule 09** before undertaking an evaluation again. They will serve as Junior Evaluators for one (1) appointment covering Champion submissions.