

CHANGES AGREED TO SCHEDULE SCHEDULE 5B(01) AS PER MINUTES OF 14 JULY 2017

SCHEDULE 5B(01) – WORKING TRIALS CLASSIC

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4.3. Tracker Dog I

4.3.10 Leash Track

90 marks for Track

5 marks for recognition of each article (2) by dog. (Total 10 marks)

Total 100 marks

The dog MUST to find one (1) article to qualify.

The track is to be approximately 600m long and approximately thirty (30) minutes old. A marker at the tracklayer's scent pad will indicate the start of the track and another marker will be placed by the tracklayer 30m from the start to indicate the direction of the first leg. The track shall include a maximum of four (4) turns and not more than one (1) turn shall be less than 90 degrees. Two articles shall be placed on the track, The first article shall not be placed on a corner, or on the last leg. The last article will be placed at the end of the track. ~~(A single article will be placed at the end of the track.)~~ If a dog, having begun to track, loses the track the Judge, at his discretion, may direct the handler to return the dog to a specific point on the track where the dog has already been on track and to recommence tracking from that point. A dog shall not be given the second attempt if it has reached the last turn or beyond when it loses the track and it shall not be given such an attempt more than once on a track.

When the Judge directs a second attempt at a track he shall penalise the dog five (5) marks for every leg of the track which the dog had not completed when the second attempt was ordered.

MOTIVATION

600 metres(paces), is a long way to go without the "reward" of finding an article on track to motivate the dog to track further.

1.4 CHAMPIONS

1.4.5 The title Tracker Dog Grand Champion shall be awarded to a dog that has been awarded fifteen (15) Tracker Dog qualifying certificates. Providing at least three (3) gained under different judges. There is no maximum number required under any one judge. ~~(This is providing that no more than four (4) such qualifying certificates are signed by any one judge. Qualifying certificates awarded to a dog prior to the implementation date of this amendment shall be included in the fifteen (15).)~~ No dog may become a Grand Champion unless it has received the title Tracker Dog Champion.

1.4.6 The title Police Dog Grand Champion shall be awarded to a dog that has been awarded nine (9) Police Dog qualifying certificates. ~~(This is providing that no more than three (3) such qualifying certificates are signed by any one judge. Qualifying certificates awarded to a dog prior to the implementation date of this amendment shall be included in the nine (9).)~~ Providing at least three (3) gained under different judges. There is no maximum number required under any one judge. No dog may become a Grand Champion unless it has received the title Police Dog Champion.

MOTIVATION

With the high costs of travelling to shows, less and less folk are able to do this and we believe that the criteria is almost impossible to meet due to the limited number of Championship shows held per annum in some of the provinces.

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2. Management of Trials

2.1.4 Other Matters

Any matter not provided for in the KUSA Regulations for Working Dog Trials shall be decided by a majority of Manager and the Judge(s) at the Trials and their decision shall be final. In the event of a majority not being obtained, the most senior licensed judge ~~(KUSA representative shall appoint a referee to make a majority-)~~ shall have the final decision.

MOTIVATION

Changes above are related to.....

Schedule 3 – Regulations for Championship Shows – effective 31.03.2016 (as per FEDCO Minutes 12-15 issued 22.01.2016

4. The Federal Council, the Executive Committee, the Secretary of the Kennel Union, or any Provincial or Liaison Council or Breed Council Executive may appoint a person to be the Kennel Union Representative who, at the time of his undertaking an appointment, shall be a member of the Kennel Union in good standing to attend any Championship Show, whose function shall be to observe that the Show is conducted properly in terms of these Regulations.
- 4.1 Any show holding Club may also request that a Kennel Union Representative be appointed by submitting a request in writing to their Provincial Council.
- 4.2 Every Kennel Union Representative shall be required to submit a written report to the Kennel Union within fourteen (14) days of the close of the Show he attended in such capacity, reporting on the procedure, conduct and management of such Show, with special reference to observance of Regulations for Championship Shows. A KUSA Representative may not enter, exhibit or handle a dog registered in his name at any KUSA licensed event held at the same venue on the day that he is officiating, nor in the same discipline held under the same licence on any day.

2.13 Competition by Officials at Shows

- 2.13.1 A Judge at a Show may not enter or handle a dog in the same discipline (Breed, Obedience, Working Trials, IPO, Dog Jumping and Agility, Carting etc.) as that in which he is officiating. A Judge at a Show may not handle a dog in any Discipline on the day(s) that he is officiating. This restriction does not apply in respect of another show held on the same day under a different licence; OR, if the show is split over two days/weekends under the same licence.
- 2.13.2 A KUSA Representative may not enter, exhibit or handle a dog registered in his name at any KUSA licensed event held at the same venue on the day that he is officiating, nor in the same Discipline held under the same licence on any day; OR, if the show is split over two days/weekends under the same licence AND a different KUSA Representative has been appointed on the second day or second weekend.

MOTIVATION....

During recent times, it has become very clear that entries as well as the “shows” in the sport of Working Trials Classic and Working Utility Dog are ever increasing. Local judges are in such current demand due to the high costs of flying in out of province judges and as a result, judges are unable to enter their own dogs in events at the show in which they are judging. When entries are so great, that the land available cannot support the whole show on one day, or on one weekend, Judges should be allowed to enter their dogs on the day in which they are not judging, even if it is on the same license as this would not be a conflict of interest and Judges would agree to judge more often knowing they are not being prejudiced.