

CHANGES AGREED TO SCHEDULE SCHEDULE 5B(04) AS PER MINUTES OF 14 JULY 2017

SCHEDULE 5B(04) – WORKING UTILITY DOG

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1.5 Registering and Eligibility of Dogs for Competition

- 1.5.1 A dog which is not registered with the Kennel Union of Southern Africa in either Breed Register, Development Register or in the Obedience and Trial Dogs' Record shall not be entered for, or compete in any trial. No Dog's Qualifying Record Card shall be issued or be valid for any dog not so registered. Any alteration whatsoever to the dog's Qualifying Card may only be made with the authority of the issuing officer or Secretary of the Provincial Council. Any alterations must be signed and the authority of the signatory stated.
- 1.5.2 No dog can be entered in a trial "Registration Applied For" (R.A.F.), or "Transfer Applied For" (T.A.F.) and the terms of Schedule 3, Regulation 7 apply, where applicable.
- 1.5.3 No dog may compete in Working Utility Dog unless it has been awarded a Qualifying mark of 90% or more at a Non Championship Show or a Qualifying Certificate with an Excellent grading in Companion Dog, or a qualification in a higher level of Working Trials (Classic).
- 1.5.4 When applying for a dog's record card, proof of the dog having obtained a qualifying mark of 90% or more at a Non Championship show or Companion Dog Excellent or a qualification in a higher level of Working Trials Classic, must be provided.

MOTIVATION

With more Non-Championship shows being held in all the other provinces, it is believed that this is a more practical way of advancing dogs to this Championship stake. All provinces were in agreement with this.

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2. Management of Trials

2.4 Other Matters

Any matter not provided for in the KUSA Regulations for Working Utility 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 WUD 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.

2.20 Competition by Officials at Shows

- 2.20.1 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.**
- 2.20.2 This restriction does not apply in respect of another show held on the same day under a different licence.
- 2.20.3 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.