AMENDMENT TO THE LURE COURSING RULES & REGULATIONS Effective: IMMEDIATELY

7. ENTRIES & END OF TRIAL

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- 7.3 Disqualification & Reinstatement (19-03-16)
- 7.3.1 Any dog disqualified for biting or viciousness shall automatically be disqualified from entering in any other event in any other discipline until such time as the dog is officially reinstated.
- 7.3.2 A dog that bites or attempts to bite another dog or a person may e removed from the event grounds during the duration of the event by the Chair of the Field Trial Committee
- 7.3.3 At his discretion, a judge shall have the authority to excuse or disqualify a dog which menaces, threatens, attempts to bite or bites the judge, another person, or another dog in the field. When a dog is twice excused on this account, it shall have the status of a disqualified dog.
- 7.3.4 At his discretion, a judge shall have the authority to permanently disqualify a dog which bites the judge or another person in the field. Dogs disqualified under this provision will not be eligible for reinstatement. The decision to permanently disqualify a dog must be clearly indicated on the Judge's Disqualification Form.
- 7.3.5 Once a dog has been disqualified for any reason at (19-03-16) a Lure Coursing Trial, it may not be entered until the dog has been reinstated by the CKC. All awards earned by a dog in violation of this section will be cancelled by the CKC and the owner of the dog is subject to disciplinary action. A dog disqualified under section 7.3.4 is not eligible for reinstatement.
- 7.3.6 Any dog that is disqualified under section 7.3.4 (19-03-16) shall automatically be disqualified from entering in any other CKC event in any other discipline until such time as the dog is officially reinstated, if the dog is eligible for reinstatement.

7.3.7 Reinstatement (19-03-16)

(a) The owner of a dog which has been disqualified at an event held under these rules may, after 30 days from the date of said disqualification, apply in writing to the CKC for reinstatement of the dog, unless the dog is ineligible for reinstatement as per Section 7.3.4. The request for reinstatement must be accompanied by a deposit as set by the Board.

11. PROTEST

A protest against a dog may be made by an 11.1 (21-03-16) exhibitor, handler, any member of the CKC, or a member of the club or association holding the lure coursing trial. It must be in writing, on a form provided by the CKC (or facsimile thereof), and be lodged with the Field Trial Chair before the closing of the test. A hearing shall be held prior to the departure of all parties. No protest will be entertained unless accompanied by a deposit. This deposit will be returned if the protest is sustained. If the protest is not sustained, the deposit will be forwarded to the CKC with the Field Trial Committee's report. event in the following manner:

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- (21-03-16) (a) A protest should be lodged with the Event Superintendent before the closing of the event and must be in writing, on a form provided by the CKC (or facsimile thereof). A hearing shall be held prior to the departure of all parties. No protest will be entertained unless accompanied by a deposit. This deposit shall be returned if the protest is sustained. If the protest is not sustained, the deposit will be forwarded to the CKC with the Event Committee's report.
- (21-03-16) (b) If the protest cannot be filed at the event because of circumstances requiring medical and/or veterinary attention, or if the dog has been removed from the grounds, or if the owner and the dog leave the grounds immediately following the incident, the protest may be submitted directly to the CKC within 10 days of the event. All such protests shall constitute complaints under the CKC's By-laws and the provisions of same shall apply.

(21-03-16) (c) If the Protest is filed directly to the CKC, reasons should be provided as to why the Protest could not be filed with the Event Superintendent.

NO LIABILITY (22-03-16)

16.1 The CKC shall not be responsible to any member, person, partnership, club or corporation for any loss, damage or injuries arising at or by reason of any field trial **event** held under any rules adopted by the CKC.

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16.2 Every owner or authorized agent for the owner of any dog entered in a CKC event is required to take all reasonable steps to ensure that the dog behaves properly at the event, and in particular to prevent the dog from threatening, menacing or biting a judge, another dog, or any other person in attendance at the event. Failure to take such reasonable steps may result in disciplinary action against such owner or authorized agent under the By-laws, which may result in the imposition of any of the penalties provided for in the By-laws.