

## **REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F (Annex B)**

1. These Regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition and/or exhibited at any Kennel Club Licensed event. Objections may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A 42.

(a) A dog found to have been in breach of these Regulations will automatically be disqualified from exhibition at the show and from any award gained there at.

(b) Unless the exhibitor provides a satisfactory explanation for the dog being exhibited in breach of these regulation then he/she may be subject to further penalties of either fine or as listed under Rule A42.

2. (a) No substance which alters the natural colour, texture or body of the coat may be present in the used in the dog's coat for any purpose at any time during the Show. No substance, which alters the natural colour of any external part of the dog may be present on the dog for any purpose at any time of exhibition.

(b) Any other substance (other than water) which may be used in the preparation of a dog for exhibition must not be allowed to remain in the coat or any other part of the dog at the time of exhibition.

3. No act or operation, which alters the natural conformation of a dog or any part thereof, may be performed except:

(a) Operations certified to the satisfaction of the General Committee.

(b) The removal of dewclaws of any breed.

(c) Operations to prevent breeding, provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.

Nor must anything be done calculated to in the opinion of the General Committee to deceive.

4. The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at any show. Any examination thus ordered, will be made by a person having executive authority who shall have written directive from the Kennel Club in their possession. Samples may be taken for further examination and analysis.

5. An individual has the right to lodge an objection to a dog only if he/she is the owner or handler of a dog competing in the same breed or class, an objection may, however be lodged by an official of the Show or by anyone so deputed by the Kennel Club. It will be the responsibility of the individual who lodges the objection or the official (as appropriate) to substantiate the grounds for the objection. The Kennel Club will substantiate the grounds for an objection made on its behalf.

6. Any objection by an individual related to an infringement of these Regulations must be made in writing to the Show Secretary at his/her office before the close of the Show and the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

## **DOGS IN CARS ON HOT DAYS**

Your Dog is vulnerable and **AT RISK** if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.

## **WELFARE OF DOGS**

Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

**Right to Refuse Entries: Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry**

## **EYE TESTING**

PROFESSOR BEDFORD WILL BE HOLDING AN EYE TESTING CLINIC AT THIS SHOW.

THE COST WILL BE £30.00 PER DOG, **PAYABLE ON THE DAY.**  
THERE WILL **NOT** BE ANY PROVISION FOR LITTER SCREENING AT THIS SHOW.

YOU WILL NEED TO BRING YOUR DOG'S ORIGINAL REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WITH YOU TO THE SHOW.  
(PHOTOCOPIES WILL **NOT** BE ACCEPTABLE.)

TO GIVE US SOME IDEA OF THE NUMBERS OF DOGS INVOLVED,  
WOULD YOU PLEASE LET THE SECRETARY KNOW HOW MANY DOGS YOU WILL BE BRINGING FOR TESTING :-

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PLEASE NOTE THAT DOGS MUST NOW BE MICROCHIPPED BEFORE BEING EYE TESTED. IF YOUR DOG IS NOT MICROCHIPPED THIS CAN BE DONE FOR YOU AT THE SHOW AT A COST OF £10.00