

SCHEDULE 05E(04)

THE REGULATIONS FOR THE KUSA SOUTH AFRICAN DOG JUMPING CHAMPIONSHIP (Effective 01.09.2024)

1. LICENSING & SHOW REGULATIONS

- 1.1 The Regulations relating to licensing and other matters to do with Shows, as set out in Schedule 3 Regulations for Championship Shows and Schedule 4 Regulations for Non-Championship Shows of the Constitution of The Kennel Union of Southern Africa (KUSA) shall apply to this Competition so far as they can be relevant to the KUSA SA Dog Jumping Championship Competition and so far as they do not conflict with the specific terms of this Schedule 5E(4).
- 1.2 The Regulations, as set in Schedule 5D Regulations for Dog Jumping Grades, shall apply to this Competition *mutatis mutandis*.

2. SCOPE OF THE LICENCE

- 2.1 A Club affiliated to KUSA which is eligible to hold a Championship Show in the year in which it is intended to hold the KUSA SA Dog Jumping Championship, may hold the event named in this Schedule in conjunction with such Championship Show or separate therefrom.
- 2.2 Each Show Holding Club participating in any part of this Competition shall submit a Schedule under the terms of Schedule 3 Regulation 5.

3. ELIGIBILITY FOR COMPETITION

- 3.1 Any dog may compete that is :
 - 3.1.1 registered or recorded with KUSA.
- 3.2 Any reference to dogs in the Regulations hereunder shall be taken to include bitches.
- 3.3 Dogs which are not registered with KUSA on the day on which entries close are not eligible to compete in this Competition.

4. HOST CLUBS

- 4.1 Until or unless this Schedule 5E(04) is amended or altered, the host Club for the Semi-Finals and Finals shall be designated as: Any affiliated Club in any participating Province or Provincial Council Dog Jumping Sub-Committee eligible to host any of the events covered by this Schedule.
- 4.2 Any Provincial Council Dog Jumping Sub-Committee wishing to host the KUSA SA Dog Jumping Championship must submit proposals to the National Dog Jumping Sub-Committee (NDJSC) at least six (6) months before the proposed date of the Championship.

5. **QUALIFICATIONS FOR ENTRY**

- 5.1 Only qualified Grade 1 dogs, in each height category, may enter this Competition. If there is a time constraint then the number of dogs invited per Province each year will be determined by the Provincial Council Dog Jumping Sub-Committee hosting the KUSA SA Dog Jumping Championship event, in conjunction with the National Dog Jumping Sub-Committee.
- 5.2 Each dog shall be handled by the same handler during any part of this Competition.
- 5.3 No substitutions are allowed for any handler or dog. Should a handler and dog fail to be present for any part of the Competition, the Provincial Dog Jumping Sub-Committee reserves the right to invite the handler and dog next on the qualification log.

6. **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

- 6.1 The closing date for the Semi Final Rounds shall be published by the Show Holding Club to whom a licence is issued by KUSA.
- 6.2 Entry fees, which shall cover the Semi-Final Rounds, shall be charged by the Show Holding Club.
- 6.3 In the event any part of this Competition is sponsored, handlers must conform to the Sponsor's requests and may not display any logos or advertising that is in conflict with that of the Sponsor.

7. **JUDGING**

- 7.1 The events will be judged by Judges who are qualified to judge Dog Jumping in terms of KUSA Regulations and whose names shall be published in the Schedules of the Clubs holding Semi Final Rounds.
- 7.2 The name of the Judge or Judges for the Semi-Finals and Finals of the KUSA SA Dog Jumping Championship shall be published in the relevant Show Schedule.

8. **FORMAT FOR COMPETITION**

8.1 Semi-Finals

- 8.1.1 The Semi-Final round shall be held at a venue and on the day/ days as determined by the hosting Provincial Council Dog Jumping Sub-Committee.
- 8.1.2 The Semi-Finals shall consist of two (2) rounds for each dog and points will be awarded as laid down in Regulation 8.3 of this Schedule. The first round must be run under Table "A" and the second round must be run under Table "B".
- 8.1.3 In the Semi-Final rounds, dogs will be awarded points for their performance in each round as per the points scoring system set out in Regulation 8.3.

8.2 Finals

- 8.2.1 The Finals of the KUSA SA Dog Jumping Championship shall take place the day after the second round of the Semi-Finals is held and will be run under Table "A".
- 8.2.2 Points gained (refer to Regulation 8.3) by each dog in each height category for each Semi-Final will be combined and the top fifty percent (50%) based on the total number of starters for the Semi-Finals will progress to the Finals.

8.2.3 When calculating the fifty percent (50%), the number will be rounded up to the nearest whole number. If there is a tie for the last place then all dogs tied will go through to the Finals.

8.2.4 The next three (3) dogs on the combined results table will be placed as reserves in the event of any possible withdrawals by handlers and dogs who qualified for the Finals as per Regulation 8.2.2.

8.3 Points Scoring System for Each Height Category

8.3.1 Points, in all sections of this event, shall be awarded as follows:

- 1st Place – Twenty-five (25) points
- 2nd Place – Twenty-two (22) points
- 3rd Place – Nineteen (19) points
- 4th Place – Seventeen (17) points
- 5th Place – Sixteen (16) points, etc...
- 20th Place – One (1) point.

9. PRIZES AND AWARDS

9.1 Prizes and/ or trophies may be awarded for all rounds of this Competition provided it is not in contravention of Schedule 3 Regulation 29.

9.2 The first placed dog in each height category in the Finals will be named the KUSA SA Dog Jumping Champion in that height category.

9.3 The winning dog in each height category will be awarded the floating “KUSA SA Dog Jumping Championship” trophy, and a miniature memento, the latter may be kept by the winner. All placed dogs in each height category to receive a KUSA medal.

10. SPONSORSHIP

The event may be sponsored permanently or on an annual basis by any organisation acceptable to both the Federal Council of KUSA and the Host Club. In years when the event is sponsored, the event name may be preceded by the name of the Sponsor. Should either Club or Sponsor wish to disassociate themselves from the event, this may not be done so as to prejudice the holding of the event in that year or any succeeding years. For this reason, a contract must be drawn up between the Club and any Sponsor establishing the rights and obligations of both should either or both wish to withdraw from association with this Competition.



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