

THE KENNEL UNION OF SOUTHERN AFRICA
MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF KUSA HELD AT 13H00 ON TUESDAY,
18 AUGUST 2026, VIA MS TEAMS

1	ATTENDANCE, APOLOGIES & ANNOUNCEMENTS
	Mr V (Michael) Alberts (MA), (Chairman), Mrs YC Jefferies (YJ) (Vice-Chairman), Mrs MJ Hancock (MH), Mrs GB Rossi (GBR), Mr N Perkins (NP) & Ms P Byleveld (PB). Staff in Attendance: Mrs PLE Midgley (PM) (General Manager), Mr BG Robinson (GR) (KUSA Secretary), Mr B Delily (BD) (Finance & HR), Mrs Z Petersen (ZP) (Administrator), Mrs N Shortland (NS) (Shows & Judges), Mrs C Patterson-Abrolat (CPA) (Communications & PR Lead). Apologies: Nil. The following deaths were noted with sadness: Mrs YE Bouls (WC) Mrs JH Fincham (EC) (UK)
2	MINUTES
2.1	The Minutes of the meeting held on 21.07.2026 were formally adopted.
3	MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES
3.1	Exco-imposed Fines
	33. FINE AND PENALTIES 33.1 If a dog is entered in a class for which it is ineligible and it is not withdrawn from competition therein, or rectified by the Show Office before such class is judged, such dog shall be disqualified and the exhibitor may be fined at the discretion of the Executive Committee. 33.2 The Executive Committee shall have power to impose a fine upon any exhibitor who makes an error in his entry form or infringes any provision of these Regulations and withdraw any prizes awarded on the day. 33.3 In the event of any fine not being paid within the time stipulated by the Executive Committee, the exhibitor may, at the discretion of the Executive Committee, be dealt with as if a complaint brought under Kennel Union Disciplinary Rules, Rule 4 (Schedule 1), had been lodged against him and proved to the satisfaction of the Executive Committee. R500 Exco fine imposed 06-2026. Paid on 24.07.2026. R500 Exco fine imposed 07-2026. Paid on 23.07.2026. R500 Exco fine imposed 07-2026. Paid on 22.07.2026. R500 Exco fine imposed 07-2026. Paid on 23.07.2026. R500 Exco fine imposed 07-2026, Paid on 24.07.2026. R500 Exco fine imposed 07-2026. Paid on 18.08.2026. Noted.
3.2	Guidelines to improve the financial reporting of Clubs
	Proposed guidelines attached. YJ requested that the members of Exco consider the list of proposed guidelines to improve financial reporting and revert with comments by the next Exco meeting. Carried forward to the next Agenda. YJ called for verbal feedback as she had not received written feedback. MA suggested that a List of Assets be added to the list of proposed guidelines. MA and YJ agreed to discuss the matter further at the Exco informal meeting to be held 27.01.2026. Noted. Report-back. YJ reported that the guidelines are still a work in progress. Work in progress with possible report-back.

	YJ reported that the guidelines were still a work in progress and requested the item to be carried forward to Exco 05-2026. To be carried forward to the next meeting. YJ advised that a draft template of the guidelines had been forwarded to MA which, once finalised, would be forwarded to all the members of Exco. To be carried forward to Exco 06-2026. Work in progress. Draft template attached for consideration. MA thanked YJ for the considerable time and effort she had expended in compiling the draft template. In his opinion, the document might benefit from some judicious simplification, after which it should be suitable for incorporation into a set of general guidelines for Club Secretaries and Treasurers on best practices for the Club administration. YJ appealed to the members of Exco to scrutinise the draft and provide her with the necessary feedback to enable her to further adapt and refine the document and get it fit for purpose. Carried forward to Exco 07-2026 Report-back. MA requested feedback from the Exco Members who unanimously confirmed their agreement with the draft template prepared by YJ. MA repeated his intention to incorporate what he considered to be minimum accounting standards in a guideline document for Club Treasurers. MA advised that he was in the process of finalising the guideline document for Club Treasurers, which he intended to circulate for comment once completed. Work in Progress.
3.3	Non-payment of Show Entry Fees
	GR informed Exco that he had written to two exhibitors who, in contravention of KUSA Regulations, had failed to pay their Show Entry Fees for different Shows held over the KUSA Classic Weekend. One exhibitor heeded the KUSA Office's request for payment and expeditiously settled the outstanding amount, whereas the other ignored the appeal. MA proposed that the defaulting exhibitor be sent a further reminder and, if still unheeded, the matter be tabled for further discussion at Exco 07-2026. Letter sent by the KUSA Secretary on 22.06.2026 (attached), but with no response. It was noted that new Regulations has been approved at Fedco 06-2026 to permit Exco to take certain punitive steps in cases of discreditable conduct of the nature perpetrated by the exhibitor in question. These Regulations have an effective date of 01.10.2026, but was permitted by Fedco to be implemented on publication of the Minutes (11.07.2026). There was uncertainty about the retrospective application of the new Regulations and GR was requested to check the possibility of this with the KUSA Legal Adviser. Carried forward to Exco 08-2026. Advice sought from the KUSA Legal Adviser and relayed to the Chairman. For decision. MA informed the members of Exco that, given the new Regulations introduced to enable Exco to deal decisively with complaints of this nature on a punitive level, incidences of non-payment of Entry Fees were likely to decline markedly in future. Noted.
4	KUSA OFFICE
4.1	Office Report
	Office Report attached to Agenda.

	Noted.
4.2	Finance and Stats
	<i>Reports for July 2026 attached to Agenda.</i> After discussion, the Financial Reports for July 2026 were approved.
4.3	KUSA Online Portal
	<i>Report to be presented.</i> MA advised that after meeting with the Developers on 20.08.2026 to attain the latest status, he would finalise the August report for posting on the website. Noted. [Note: PM informed Exco that it was the intention of the KUSA Office to report monthly on the progress of the KUSA Website Build Project. To facilitate this, PM suggested that this report be accommodated as a new standing Item 4.4 on future Exco Agendas.]
5	ELECTION OF KENNEL UNION MEMBERS IN 4 be added to TERMS OF ARTICLE 10(1)
5.1	<i>32 new Members and 25 lapsed Members elected</i>
6	FCI
6.1	Communication sent to Fedco Members
	29.07.2026 FCI-IGP Judges Seminar 2026. 29.07.2026 FCI Utility Dogs Commission: Invitation for Online Meeting to be held 14.09.2026. 31.07.2026 FCI Dog Dancing Commission: Minutes of the Meeting held 13.06.2026. 31.07.2026 Federación Cinológica Argentina: Exclusion from Breeding and Showing - Srta. Camila Granata Rosental. 06.08.2026 European SAR Dog Open Championship: 5–8.11.2026 – Information 06.08.2026 30th FCI European Cup for Hounds on Hare - Program and Entry Form. 07.08.2026 FCI European OPEN SAR 2026 in Italy: Pre-application form. 14.08.2026 FCI Agility Commission: Meeting Invitation – 28.09.2026
7	SCHEDULE 01 MATTERS
7.1	Disciplinary Sub-committee
7.1.1	Case 2026-02 – Friedmann vs Codebue GR reported that a Disciplinary Sub-committee (DSC) has been appointed by the Chairman of Exco to hear the case but, as yet, no hearing date has been advised. Noted. Awaiting notification of the hearing date. MA reported that his preliminary meeting with the DSC was imminent and that a date for the hearing would be set at this meeting. [Note: Subsequent to the meeting, MA advised the KUSA Secretary that the hearing had been scheduled for Wednesday, 26 August 2026, on MS Teams, which date would obviously need to be postponed should either the Complainant, or the Respondent, elect to appear in person before the DSC.] [Note: On 25.08.2026, the KUSA Secretary advised MA that neither the Complainant, nor the Respondent, had applied to appear in person.]
8	SCHEDULE 02 MATTERS
8.1	Schedule 02 Reg. 4.6 & 4.7 – Dispensation for Registration of a litter after 12 months of the date of birth of the litter
8.1.1	German Short-haired Pointer: Dam – Kyon Ariadne of Kynigos – Reg No. ZA011413B15 – DoB 07.04.2015. <i>Litter of one (1) puppy – DoB 08.02.2022.</i> <i>Litters whelped: 30.12.2020 – 08.02.2022.</i> <i>Sire: Obodo Vom Hege-Haus – Reg No.: CM000467.</i> <i>Breeder – Mr TD Ververis,.</i>

	<i>Affidavit, Confirmation of Insemination and DNA Parentage Verification in respect of the Dam, attached.</i> Approved.
8.2	Schedule 02 Reg. 4.10 – Dispensation for Registration of an Extraordinary Nature
8.2.1	Nil.
8.3	Schedule 02 Reg. 9 – Amendments to Register
8.3.1`	Nil.
8.4	Schedule 02 Reg.12 (12.2 to 12.5) – Adjudication for Registration
8.4.1	Regulation 12.2 – Litter whelped within 12 months of the date of birth of the Dam Bull Terrier: Dam – Herdre Diamond Eclipse – Reg No. ZA008855B25 – DoB 18.06.2025. Litter of four (4) puppies – DoB: 28.04.2026 Breeder – Mr HC de Witt. Affidavit and Vet report received. Approved, with mandatory twelve (12) month restriction on breeding with this Dam. [Note: Code 4.12 of Schedule 09 – Code of Ethics for Members of KUSA – provides as follows: [Members who breed dogs shall] in the interest of genetic diversity, generally avoid “first generation” matings, i.e. father-daughter, brother sister or mother-son matings;] Exco recommended that Code 4.12 be brought to the Member’s attention and that he be firmly discouraged from mating siblings in future.]
8.4.2	Regulation 12.3 – Third litter whelped within 18 months Welsh Corgi (Pembroke): Dam – Hazelmere Majestic Charm of Pemberdiamond – Reg. No. ZA008070B23 – DoB 14.04.2023. Litter of eleven (11) puppies. Litters whelped: 15.05.2024 – 07.06.2025 – 31.12.2025 – 05.07.2026. Breeder – Miss MM van der Poel. Affidavit received. Approved. Letter: 3 litters within 18 months Dam status: Exco – 3 litters (1st)
	French Bulldog: Dam – Jesiaville Lilly Mae – Reg. No. ZA010933B22 – DoB 29.06.2022. Litter of six (6) puppies. Litters whelped: 04.11.2023 – 15.07.2024 – 04.05.2025 – 11.01.2026. Breeder – Mr F Beaton. Affidavit received. Approved. Letter: 3 litters within 18 months Dam status: Exco – 3 litters (1st)
	Rottweiler: Dam – Sissi Vom Bruchgraben of Alaydenheim – Reg. No. ZA001029C25 – DoB 20.03.2022. Litter of ten (10) puppies. Litters whelped: 21.11.2024 – 19.10.2025 – 12.05.2026 Breeder – Mr D Vosloo. Affidavit received. Approved. Letter: 3 litters within 18 months Dam status: Exco – 3 litters (1st)

8.4.3	Regulation 12.4 – More than 5 litters whelped Preapproval request Rottweiler: Dam: Craffenheim K-Unja – Reg. No. ZA002929B19 – DoB 26.10.2018. Litters whelped: 12.06.2021 – 16.06.2022 – 09.08.2023 – 10.08.2024 – 30.12.2025 – TBC. Request permission to breed and register a 6 th litter. Breeder – Mrs ML Crafford. Affidavit and Vet report received. Approved. No further dispensation will be granted. Letter: 6th litter whelped from a Dam. Dam Status: Exco Restriction
8.4.4	Regulation 12.5 – Dam older than 8 years of age Belgian Shepherd (Malinois): Dam: Carogan Mona Lisa of Von HofJazzeo – Reg. No. ZA006326B18 – DoB 26.11.2017. Litters whelped: 09.04.2021 – 15.12.2021 – 26.11.2022 – 13.06.2026. Request permission to register a 6 th litter from a Dam older than 8. Breeder – Mr TM Smit. Vet Report received. Approved. No further dispensation will be granted. Letter: Litter whelped from a Dam older than 8 years. Dam Status: Exco Restriction
	Staffordshire Bull Terrier: Dam: Lewon Gypsey – Reg. No. ZA001902B18 – DoB 30.06.2017. Litters whelped: 18.05.2019 – 15.02.2021 – 31.01.2023 – 09.03.2026. Request permission to register a 6 th litter from a Dam older than 8. Breeder – Mr SF Els. Vet Report received. Approved. No further dispensation will be granted. Letter: Litter whelped from a Dam older than 8 years. Dam Status: Exco Restriction
9	SCHEDULE 03 MATTERS
9.1	TEO Processes
9.1.1	Temporary Exclusion Orders (Schedule 03 Reg. 14 & Reg. 19.8)
9.1.1.1	Temporary Exclusion Order – SA Mastiff – Adelaide Nguvu – Reg. No. ZA001007E24 The Office has received a report regarding an incident of aggression that took place at the Northern Tshwane Kennel Club Championship Show on 17.05.2026. All relevant documentation was attached but a response has not yet been received from the Registered Owner. Preliminary TEO issued 22.06.2026. Preliminary TEO to stand. Carried forward to Exco 08-2026 No response received from Registered Owner. TEO to stand.
9.2	Referral of TEO dogs to Fedco for Permanent Barring Extract from the TEO Manual: 14.5 The Owner of any Implicated Dog, which has been issued with a confirmed TEO, has a maximum period of 12 (twelve) months from the date of the TEO (the date the TEO was confirmed by the Executive Committee) to successfully complete the requirements as provided for in Step 1, 2 and 3 of this Manual, failing which, the Executive Committee will apply to the Federal Council to have the Implicated Dog permanently barred from entry to and exhibition at

	any future KUSA-licensed Shows/Events subject to compliance with the procedure as provided for in Clause 11.11 hereof. 11.11 The Owner of the Implicated Dog must be informed by the Secretary of KUSA that the matter has been forwarded to the Federal Council and that he/she has the right to make written representations to the Federal Council as to why the Implicated dog should not be permanently barred from entering and exhibition at KUSA Shows/Events. Provisional list of dogs for Fedco 12-2026: The following dog(s) will be submitted to Fedco 12-2026 for permanent barring: Nil.
9.2.1	Exco TEO Task Team Exco-appointed Task Team: Mr V (Michael) Alberts, Ms P Byleveld, Mrs MJ Hancock, & Mrs C Patterson-Abrolat. The Task Team met on 02.06.2026 to discuss the role of CGC as a requirement for lifting a TEO. Various stakeholders have been contacted for input as to how they see the CGC test being adapted to emulate the competition environment under which the dog had been issued the TEO. Responses are awaited, with the deadline for feedback set at 03.07.2026. Response to the amended CGC test have been slow in coming in and those who did respond are thanked for their efforts and contributions. A meeting of the Task Team is due to be scheduled for later this month. Work ongoing.
9.3	Proposed Amendment to Schedule 03 Regulation 21.5 – Declaration on CC and RCC Certificates – and the revision of the Declarations on other Award Certificates Approved by Exco for advancement to the Agenda of Fedco 06-2026. MA and NS to liaise on the design of the digital versions of the Certificates. To be carried forward to Exco 05-2026. MA advised that he would be in contact with NS to discuss the design of the digital versions of the Certificates. To be carried forward to Exco 06-2026. Fedco's approval of the proposed declaration to appear on the CC and RCC Certificates in future to be obtained at Fedco 06-2026. Noted. Fedco approved the amendments to the CC and RCC Award Certificates. Report-back on progress with Certificates. MA advised that he would avail time to scrutinise and implement the required amendments to the wording to all the Award Certificates. Carried forward to Exco 08-2026. Work in progress. MA advised that the Award Certificates have been amended and the Online Entry System updated. Noted.
9.4	Schedule 03 Regulations 38.3.2 and 38.4 Veterinary Certificates Nil.
10	CLUB AND SHOW MATTERS
10.1.1	Applications for Second Championship Show Article 29 – Championship Shows – Frequency 29.1 No Club shall hold more than one (1) Championship Show in any calendar year, unless dispensation is granted by the Executive Committee. Nil.

10.1.2	Applications for FCI A2O Championship Shows SCHEDULE 03B: 3. LICENSING AND SHOW REGULATIONS <i>3.1 The Executive Committee shall have authority, delegated by the Federal Council, to grant licences for the holding of FCI A2O Championship Shows in accordance with Schedule 03 and the Regulations set out in this Schedule 03B.</i> <i>3.2 The Executive Committee is entitled to authorise the holding of a maximum of six (6) FCI A2O Championship Shows per annum – one per Provincial Council.</i>
10.1.2.1	West Coast Kennel Club– 16-18.04.2027. <i>The above Club is making an application to hold an FCI A2O Championship Show on the above Cluster weekend. There are currently no A2O Championship Shows in the Western Cape, and the Provincial Council has been approached for approval.</i> Motivation attached. Approved.
10.2	Applications for Club Affiliation/Notification of Closure
10.2.1	Application for Disaffiliation
10.2.1.1	Marks Park All-breeds Dog Training Club <i>The Club took the decision to disaffiliate from KUSA at their AGM held 22.02.2026, with effect 31.08.2026. All documents attached.</i> Noted. [Note: Since the Club's reasons for disaffiliation are cited in its Notice of Disaffiliation, MA requested that this letter be brought to the attention of Fedco,]
10.2.1.2	SA Alsatian All-breeds Dog Training Club <i>The Club took a decision at an SGM held 08.08.2026 to disaffiliate from KUSA with immediate effect but have paid affiliation till 31.08.2027. The Minutes and financial statements have been received.</i> <i>Exco noted that the Club had failed to provide financial records for the current year and the Attendance List for its SGM where at it was decided to disaffiliate.</i> Carried forward to Exco 09-2026
10.3	Club Constitutions
10.3.1	Irish Wolfhound Club of Gauteng <i>The new Constitution was adopted at the AGM held on 25.07.2026. Signed copy received.</i> Noted.
10.3.2	Durban & Districts Kennel Club <i>The Club voted to amend the financial year end date to 31 December at an AGM held 14.07.2026.</i> Noted.
10.3.3	Sasolburg Kennel Club <i>The new Constitution was adopted at the AGM held on 19.04.2026. See attached.</i> Noted.
10.4	Show Documentation, Licence Fees and Penalties <u>Schedule 03:</u> <i>5.18 When a Club fails to pay a penalty within sixty (60) days of the date of imposition the next application for a Licence for any Championship Show or Event submitted by that Club shall be refused until all outstanding Penalty Fees have been paid, provided that such payment is received not less than twelve (12) weeks prior to its Championship Show date.</i> <u>Schedule 04:</u> <i>6.5 When a Club fails to pay a penalty within sixty (60) days of the date of imposition, the next application for a Licence for any Non-championship Show or Event submitted</i>

	by that Club shall be refused until all outstanding Penalty Fees have been paid, provided that such payment is received not less than four (4) weeks prior to its Non-championship Show date.
	Nil.
10.5	OTHER
10.5.1	Entry in Contravention of Schedule 03 Regulations - Absentees 18. WITHDRAWAL FROM COMPETITION 18.1 Once a dog has entered the ring to be exhibited in one of the Classes for which he had been entered in advance of the Show, the dog shall be exhibited in all subsequent Classes entered and in all the Challenges and Competitions as contemplated by Regulations 21, 22 and 24 for which it has qualified at that Show. Failure to enter the ring when required to compete in subsequent Classes or Challenges and Competitions as described above shall, at the discretion of the Executive Committee, render the dog liable for disqualification and the cancellation of any awards gained, irrespective of any objection having been lodged in terms of Regulation 31. Western Gauteng Kennel Club 1 – 18.07.2026 Golden Retriever Exhibit No 33, SA Bred Bitch ZA002118B25 failed to appear in the SA Bred Group. Owner's response attached. Decision required. Since there were no extenuating circumstances, the Awards must be withdrawn. Western Gauteng Kennel Club 2 – 18.07.2026 Whippet Exhibit No 167, Veteran Bitch ZA 006172B19 failed to appear in the Best in Group and Veteran Group. The dog was awarded Bitch CC, Best of Breed & Best Veteran at this Show. Owner's response attached. Decision required. Since there were no extenuating circumstances, the Awards must be withdrawn.
10.5.2	<u>Request for Dispensation from paying a Licence Amendment Fee</u> <u>Schedule 07</u> 14.3.12 Amendment or alteration to a Non-championship Licence already issued, if due to unforeseen circumstances as adjudicated by Exco No Charge 14.3.13 Amendment or alteration to a Non-championship Licence already issued, if amendment is at the Club's discretion (not unforeseen) R 384.00 Baakens Valley Working & Herding Breeds Club – 12.07.2026 The Rally Dog portion of the above Non-championship Show was not able to be held on the above date, due to rain. The Club opted to postpone to the following weekend, 19.07.2026. Baakens Valley Working & Herding Breeds Club – 19.07.2026 The Companion Dog portion of the above Non-championship Show was not able to be held on the above date, due to the Judge not being able to get off his rural property. The Club opted to postpone to 29.07.2026. A further mail was received that the 29 July date was again postponed due to rain in PE. The new date is still outstanding. Emails attached. Decision required.

	It was decided, by majority vote, that the Licence Amendment Fee for both events should be waived.
10.6	KUSA CLASSIC
10.6.1	KUSA Classic 2026 – Gauteng
	<i>Week 35: 29-30 August – KUSA National Retriever Trial.</i>
10.6.2	KUSA CLASSIC 2027 – Gauteng – pending exact date confirmation on receipt of the Application forms.
	<i>Week 17: 22-25 April – KUSA National Event – Dog Jumping & Agility.</i> <i>Week 17: 22-25 April – KUSA National Event – Breed.</i> <i>Week 17: 22-25 April – KUSA Championship FCI A20 CAC Show – Breed.</i> <i>Week 17: 22-25 April – KUSA FCI International C.A.C.I.B. Show – Breed.</i> <i>Week 17: 22-25 April – KUSA Winners Show – Breed.</i> <i>Week 18: 01 May – KUSA Championship Show & KUSA National Event – Dog Dancing</i> <i>Week 23: 04-06 June – KUSA National Event - Rally Dog, Obedience, Flyball, Carting, Hoopers.</i> <i>Week 23: 04-06 June – KUSA Championship Show – Obedience, Rally Dog, Flyball, Carting, Dog Jumping, Agility, Hoopers.</i> <i>Week 23: 04-06 June – KUSA FCI International C.A.C.I.A.G. Show – Agility.</i>
11	JUDGES
11.1	Judges Education Council (JEC)
	Nil
11.2	Judges who have become inactive/retired/deceased <i>Article 25.2: Judges shall maintain continuous and unbroken membership of the Kennel Union from the time their formal studies or activities towards a judging qualification commence until their voluntary retirement from judging, advised in writing to the Executive Committee, or their incapacitation (at the discretion of the Executive Committee), or their death.</i>
	<i>Mrs YE Bouls (Deceased)</i> Noted.
11.3	Judges who have passed exams/assessments
	<i>*Indicates a distinction Nil.</i>
11.4	Judges who have become licensed
	<i>Mrs K Roos (GAU) – Flyball</i> <i>Mrs M Heneke (GAU) – Rally Dog</i> <i>Mrs J Bednarek (GAU) – Hound Group</i> Noted with congratulations.
11.5	Helpers, Stewards and other Ring Officials
11.5.1	IGP Tutor Helpers accepted by the National IGP Sub-committee Nil.
12	PROVINCIAL COUNCIL MEETINGS
12.1	Districts of Gauteng & Surrounds Provincial Council
	Nil.
12.2	KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Council
12.2.1	<i>Meeting held 07.08.2026. Minutes awaited.</i> Noted.
12.3	Northern Areas Provincial Council
	Nil.
12.4	Western Cape Provincial Council
12.4.1	<i>Unconfirmed Minutes of the WCPC Ordinary Meeting held 20.07.2026.</i> <i>Circulated 17.08.2026.</i> Noted.

12.5	Eastern Cape & Border Provincial Council
	Nil.
12.6	Free State & Northern Cape Provincial Council
12.6.1	<i>Unconfirmed Minutes of the FS&NC Provincial Council meeting held 14.07.2026. Circulated 31.07.2026.</i> Noted. [Note: YJ informed Exco that the FS&NCPC had offered assistance to the Central Free State Bull Terrier Club in an attempt to restore the Club's constitutionality.]
13	BREED COUNCILS/LIAISON COUNCILS
13.1	Federation of Boxer Clubs of Southern Africa Breed Council
13.1.1	<i>AGM held 13.12.2025. Minutes awaited.</i> Noted.
13.2	Field Trial Liaison Council
	Nil.
13.3	German Shepherd Dog Liaison Council
	Nil.
13.4	Rottweiler Breed Council
	Nil.
14	NATIONAL SUB-COMMITTEES AND AD HOC SUB-COMMITTEES
14.1	Agility
	Nil.
14.2	Canine Good Citizen (Exco Sub-committee)
14.2.1	<i>Meeting scheduled for 17.08.2026.</i> CPA provided feedback on the meeting held and advised that one last refresher course will be held in September for existing Judges. Training for new Evaluators is planned for November. Noted.
14.3	Carting
	Nil.
14.4	Dog Dancing (Ad hoc)
	Nil.
14.5	Dog Jumping
	Nil.
14.6	FCI-IGP
	Nil.
14.7	Flyball
	Nil.
14.8	Hoopers
14.8.1	<i>Unconfirmed Minutes of the National Hooper Sub-committee Meeting held 30.07.2026. Circulated 31.07.2026.</i> Noted.
14.9	Obedience
	Nil.
14.10	Rally Dog
	Nil.
14.11	Temperament Testing – Health
	Nil.
14.12	Tracking Trials (Ad hoc)
	Nil.
14.13	Trick Dog

	Nil.
14.14	Working Trials (Classic) & Working Utility Dog
	Nil.
14.15	Other
	Nil.
14.15.1	Aptitude Testing
	Nil.
14.15.2	Mondioring
	Nil.
14.15.3	Rescue Dog
	Nil.
15	ANY OTHER MATTERS
15.1	Handler and Dog's details appearing on Dogsport "Scribe Sheets" (Judge's Sheets) MH reported that this matter had been raised by the KZN Provincial Council's Obedience Sub-committee Representative, who had pointed out that the details of the Handler and Dog appearing on the Judge's Sheets transgressed the Regulations. CPA explained that, for practical reasons, principally to avoid confusion when Handlers were competing in multiple forms of Dogsport on the day, it was preferable for Handlers and Dogs to be called by name, rather than by catalogue number, especially as some sports do not require the wearing of such for safety reasons. To remove the current non-disclosure of names on Judges' Sheets from the Regulations would require amendments to Schedule 03, as well as to various Schedules across the spectrum of Dogsport. She undertook to investigate the extent and impact of the amendments and to liaise with the respective National Sub-committees with a view to possibly drafting amendment proposals for tabling at Fedco 12-2026. Carried forward to Exco 09-2026
15.2	Compliance with Regulations pertaining to the participation in Non-championship Shows: MA raised the concern of Clubs, notably those based in Gauteng, neglecting to obtain the signatures of participants on the standard Declaration which appears on Show Entry Forms, i.e. the Declaration which indemnifies KUSA against liability for injuries to exhibitors or their dogs. GR confirmed that this was a matter of grave concern and suggested that, instead of exhibitors signing a "register" containing the Declaration (allegedly the practice at some Non-Championship Shows in Gauteng in the past), or completing the normal Show Entry Form on the day (which seems to be the custom at Shows in the Western Cape) that a truncated and simplified version of the current Show Entry Form be designed, specifically for entry at Non-championship Shows. Such a form should restrict the details to be provided by the exhibitor to the bare minimum and, of course, contain the Declaration to be signed by the exhibitor. MA undertook to investigate the design of such a simplified Entry Form which, once approved, might be considered for adding to Schedule 04.
	DATE OF NEXT MEETING
	15 September 2026 There being no further business, the Meeting closed at 14h40 with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

	[Note: <i>Unless otherwise stated, all decisions taken at this meeting are based on consensus of the members of Exco present.</i>]
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