**INFORMATION SHEET**

**KUSA SPECIALIST CLUB SPECIMEN CONSTITUTION**

**PLEASE SUPPLY THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO ASSIST IN DRAWING YOUR CLUB CONSTITUTION:**

**1.1. Name:**

 Decide on the full name and acronym for your Club (i.e. FeatherHills All Breeds Club (FABC))

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**2.1 Affiliation to the Kennel Union of Southern Africa:**

 Supply the name of the Provincial Council under whose jurisdiction the new Club will fall.

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**3.1 Headquarters and Address of the Club:**

 Supply the geographic area in which the new Club will have its headquarters and hold shows.

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**4.2.1 Full name of the breed:**

 If your Specialist Club represents more than one variety of a breed please list full names of all varieties.

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**4.2.2. Breed Assessments:**

 Will your Club be doing Breed Assessments? ………………………………………….

**5.1 Objectives of the Club:**

 Supply any additional objects of the new Club if they differ form those set out in the KUSA Specialist Club Specimen Constitution.

 Please attach a separate information page setting out the additional objectives.

**7.2 Trading and Income:**

 Decide whether the Club is going to register as a Public Benefit Organisation under the South African Tax Act 1962

 or

 whether the Club is going to carry on its activities in a not-for-profit manner – tick the appropriate box below

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| Register as a Public Benefit Organisation |  | Carry on businessActivities in a not-for-Profit manner |

**10.2. Membership:**

 Decide on the categories of membership which the Committee will offer – tick the relevant boxes

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Honorary Life Members |  | Honorary Term Members |  |
| Life Members |  | Term Members |  |
| Ordinary Members |  | Junior Members |  |
| Family Members |  | Litter Members |  |

**10.2.4 Term Members**

 Do you wish Term Members:

 A. to be entitled to vote as Ordinary Members immediately upon having paid the relevant joining fee?

 or

 B to be entitled to vote as Ordinary Members after a period of (1) full year of membership?

 Tick the relevant box below

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| --- | --- | --- |
| A |  | B |

**10.2.5 Ordinary Members**

 Do you wish Ordinary Members:

 A. to be entitled to vote as Ordinary Members immediately upon having paid the relevant joining fee?

 or

 B to be entitled to vote as Ordinary Members after a period of (1) full year of membership?

 Tick the relevant box below

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| A |  | B |

**10.2.7 Family Members**

 Do you wish the adult partners:

 A. to be entitled to vote as Ordinary Members immediately upon having paid the relevant joining fee?

 or

 B to be entitled to vote as Ordinary Members after a period of (1) full year of membership?

 Tick the relevant box below

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| --- | --- | --- |
| A |  | B |

**11.1 Application for Membership:**

 Is the Club going to allow members voting rights as soon as they have received written confirmation of their membership?

 or

 is the Club going to allow members voting rights after a full year’s membership?

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**14**. **Subscriptions:**

 Please decide whether you want subscriptions payable:

 A. on the 1st of January each year and subscription fees be halved for members joining on or after the 1st of July each year

 or

 B. on the 1st day of each anniversary of the month in which the applicant’s membership was approved.

 Tick the relevant box below

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| A |  | B |

**19.1** Please choose the Club’s financial year end ………………………………………….

 or

 advise if the members will approve the financial year end at the General Meeting of the Club where the Club’s Constitution was adopted.

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**24.3.1** In the event of the dissolution of the Club please choose either paragraph A or paragraph B:

 A. A similar Public Benefit Organisation approved in terms of section 30 of the South African Income Tax Act; an institution, board or body which is exempt from tax under the provisions of section 10(1)(cA)(i), which has as its sole or principal object the carrying on of any public benefit activity; or any department of state or administration in the national or provincial sphere of Government of the Republic contemplated in section 10(1)(a) and (b) of the said Act; and provided further that

 B. A similar Public Benefit Organisation; and provided further that

 Tick the relevant box below

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| --- | --- | --- |
| A |  | B |