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# AMENDMENT TO THE CONFORMATION SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

## Effective: IMMEDIATELY

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### 2. GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

- 2.1 Eligibility of Clubs to Hold a Conformation Show
- 2.1.4 A club that has not held a conformation event under CKC rules within three (3) years will be required to hold at least three (3) sanction matches within three (3) years. Each match must be held a minimum of 90 days apart with all aspects of same under observation of the local CKC Board Member or representative before consideration will be given for the club to hold a championship event. Further sanction matches may be required if deemed necessary. If the club is a national breed club, and it has not held a national specialty in that three-year period, it will automatically lose its club recognition at the end of the three-year period **when challenged by another club who wishes to become a national club.**
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### 2. GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

- 2.3 Making Application
- 2.3.5 Permission may be granted to hold simultaneous all-breed and/or specialty shows less than 350 miles (562 km) apart, at the discretion of the CKC and after consultation with the local Board Member.
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### 8. ENTRIES & END OF SHOW

- 8.9 Moving a Dog to Specials
- 8.9.1 A dog that is registered in the records of the CKC or that has a Miscellaneous Certification Number (MCN) and has completed the requirements for a championship in accordance with these rules but at the time of the closing of entries for show has not received confirmation of the title, may be transferred from one of the regular classes to Specials Only providing the transfer is submitted to the Show
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Secretary in writing by the owner or handler at least one hour prior to ~~the opening of the show~~ **breed judging.**

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### 12. BREEDS, CLASSES, AWARDS & SWEEPSTAKES

- 12.3 Awards
- 12.3.1 The following official awards may be made at the discretion of the officiating judges following the judging of the regular breed classes. No dog eligible to compete for any of these awards may be withheld from competition except if excused by the Show Superintendent. Any exhibitor withholding a dog in contravention of this rule shall be subject to disciplinary action. Only those dogs that are undefeated directly or indirectly are eligible to compete for the awards listed below:
- (m) For Top Dog points, Reserve Best in Show total points earned will be the total number of dogs minus the number of dogs ~~defeated~~ in the group from which the Best in Show winner was awarded.
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### 15. CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS & CANCELLATIONS

- 15.2 Grand Champion (GCh)

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- 15.2.4 The title of Grand Champion shall not be awarded retroactively and all points towards this title must be achieved after the date of January 1, 2013
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### 15. CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS & CANCELLATIONS

- 15.3 Grand Champion Excellent (GChEx)
- 15.3.3 A minimum of 100 points must include one (1) Best in Show or a Best of Breed at a breed national specialty (where a minimum of 10 dogs have competed) ~~or a Best in Multiple Breed Specialty with~~
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at least three (3) breed represented plus three (3) Group 1st or three (3) breed specialty wins.

## APPENDIX A

### Listed Breeds

Listed breeds are breeds that are included in the Miscellaneous List that are authorized to participate in CKC events in accordance with the rules and regulations governing those events.

Each of these breeds shall be exhibited in the group indicated after each breed providing that a Miscellaneous Certificate Number is obtained prior to entering the event.

## ADD

Russell Terrier ..... Group 4  
Russkiy Toy ..... Group 5

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## 17. PROTEST

17.1 A protest against a dog may be made by an exhibitor, handler, any member of the CKC or a member of the club holding the event in the following manner:

- (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 by the Show Superintendent pursuant to section ~~5.1.4~~ 14.2.3, 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.

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## APPENDIX J ROLE, DUTY & POWERS OF THE SHOW SUPERINTENDENT

7. **Any person acting as a Show Superintendent must not hold any other official position or act as ring steward at the same event(s).**

8. Specific references from Conformation Show Rules & Regulations (CSR):

- enforcement of all rules and regulations. Must have up-to-date rule book on site (CSR Sec 5.1.4)
- removal of dog that bites or attempts to bite (CSR Sec 14.2.3)
- may excuse dog or exhibitor prior to official time of closing (CSR Sec 14.2.4)
- endorse a veterinary permit for the removal of a dog due to illness (CSR Sec 14.2.6)