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**SINGLE ASSESSOR - OPEN SHOW ASSESSMENT FORM**

Candidate Name		Date	
Name of Assessor		Date	
Club		Group (or Breed)	
<p><b>As an Accredited Assessor, you are asked to comply with the following:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Introduce yourself to the Trainee Judge.</li> <li>2. Explain that Open Show Assessments should be viewed as a positive learning experience and as practice for Hands-on Examination.</li> <li>3. Ensure that the Trainee Judge has signed the "Declaration of Confidentiality" (see below).</li> <li>4. Assess the Trainee Judge during breed judging and ensure you watch the Trainee Judge when judging the Group Specials.</li> <li>5. If at any stage you consider the Trainee Judge is making handling errors, you may address this throughout the Assessment, at the completion of a breed.</li> <li>6. At all stages, make sure that any discussion taking place between you and the Trainee Judge is conducted away from any other person, ring official or exhibitor.</li> </ol>			
<p><b>The Trainee Judge is to answer the following questions:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Has the purpose of the assessment been explained to you?</li> <li>• Do you understand the assessment procedure?</li> <li>• Have you prepared for the assessment?</li> <li>• Are you willing and ready to be assessed?</li> <li>• Do you have any objections to or concerns about the proposed assessor or assessment?</li> </ul>			
<p><b><i>Declaration of Confidentiality</i></b></p> <p>I, _____ acknowledge that this procedure is part of the Judge's Training Program and that all discussion which takes place between me and the appointed Assessor(s) is confidential. There will be no further discussion with any other Trainee or Assessor after the Open Show Assessment has taken place.</p>			
<p><b>Signatures</b></p>			
Candidate's Signature		Date	

Assessment ( <i>S = Satisfactory or N = Needs More Work</i> )		S	N
1.	The Trainee Judge appropriately approaches and examines the different breeds in this Group and demonstrates an understanding, when necessary, of how to change their examination procedure according to breed specific requirements		
2.	The Trainee Judge identifies breed hallmarks when examining each breed (e.g. spanning a Jack Russell Terrier)		
3.	The Trainee Judge correctly examines the bites, specific to each breed		
4.	The Trainee Judge evaluates and recognizes correct balance, construction and movement for each breed and understands how this relates to form and function		
5.	Throughout the breed judging, the Trainee Judge demonstrates a sufficient understanding of breed type, when making their decisions		
6.	The Trainee Judge interprets a breed standard by correctly describing breed hallmarks and by using appropriate terminology when questioned		
7.	When decisions made by the Trainee Judge substantially differ to those of their Assessor, the Trainee Judge can adequately and appropriately justify their decision based upon breed specific characteristics and hallmarks		
8.	Overall, the Trainee Judge focuses on the assets of the exhibits, not the faults		
9.	The Trainee Judge is time efficient and purposeful when examining each exhibit. There is no unnecessary handling and re-examining of the dogs		
10.	The Trainee Judge controls, organizes and uses the judging ring effectively throughout the <b>breed judging</b>		
11.	The Trainee Judge controls, organizes and uses the judging ring effectively during the judging of the <b>Group Specials</b>		
12.	The Trainee Judge makes decisions in an effective way and in a timely manner throughout the <b>breed judging</b>		
13.	The Trainee Judge makes decisions in an effective way and in a timely manner during the judging of the <b>Group Specials</b>		
14.	The Trainee Judge dressed appropriately for a judging assignment		
15.	The Trainee Judge conducted themselves in an acceptable manner		
<b>Comments on Above Criteria</b>			
Assessor's Comments:			

Assessment Result	
The Candidate has demonstrated the competency and overall assessment objectives required to proceed to a Hands-on Examination. OR	<input type="checkbox"/>
The Trainee Judge has not yet demonstrated the overall level of competency required to proceed to a Hands-on Elevation Examination at this time. Further mentoring, practical experience and consolidation of breed knowledge is recommended.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Assessor's Comments:	

Signature			
	Name	Signature	Date
<b>Assessor</b>			

Candidate's Acknowledgment			
Assessment Result Discussed	Y	N	
Candidate's Comments (if required):			
Signature		Date	