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# **REGULATIONS**

## **PART 3L**

# **REGULATIONS FOR THE CONDUCT OF LURE COURSING JUDGES TRAINING & ASSESSMENT PROGRAM**

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1 January 2023**

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October 2022

## DOGS AUSTRALIA

Australian Judges recognised by Dogs Australia as eligible Lure Coursing Judges may be approved to judge at any sanctioned Lure Coursing Event and must be members in good standing with the Member Body.

Overseas Judges may be contracted to judge at sanctioned Lure Coursing Events in Australia, provided that they are in good standing and registered with a Dogs Australia recognised overseas organisation.

A registry of Australian Lure Coursing Judges will be kept and maintained by Dogs Australia.

### **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR LURE COURSING JUDGES**

To be eligible to apply to enter a lure coursing judges' aspirant training program a prospective candidate must –

- 1 Be a member of a Dogs Australia Member Body for at least 3 years prior to the application; be a current financial member of a Dogs Australia Member Body; and, be in good standing.
- 2 Be 18 years of age or older.
- 3 Make written application to the Dogs Australia Member Body of their desire to be an approved Judge.
- 4 Prior to 1 January 2030, have coursed and titled a dog to Junior Courser (JC), and in the opinion of the Dogs Australia Member Body have completed necessary participation in the running of Dogs Australia sanctioned events. From 1 January 2030 must have personally coursed and titled a dog to a Senior Courser (SC) or a Coursing Ability (CA) title.

To be eligible to be added to the register of lure coursing judges a candidate must:

- 1 Undertake and pass a course of study as directed by mentor Judge(s) appointed by the Dogs Australia Member Body.
- 2 Have a good knowledge of the coursing abilities of purebred Sighthounds and other breeds recognised by Dogs Australia.
- 3 Be conversant with the Lure Coursing rules and field procedures and be able to apply them in a practical judging context.