

**MEETING OF THE FIELD TRIALS LIAISON COUNCIL TO BE HELD ON
TUESDAY 16 MAY 2023 AT 10.30 AM IN THE BOARDROOM, THE KENNEL
CLUB, CLARGES STREET**

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ITEM 4. PROPOSALS FROM SOCIETIES

- k. Dukeries [Notts] Gundog Club Mrs M Asbury
Proposed amendment to Regulation J(D)2

The society wishes to propose the following amendment to decrease the minimum number of runners permitted in a Novice or All Aged Stake:

Regulation J(D)2.

TO:

Number of runners

To qualify for entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book, the number of runners permitted in stakes is:

- a. Open stakes: maximum 40, minimum 16.
- b. Novice/All Aged Stakes: maximum 45, minimum ~~42~~ **10**.
- c. Puppy Stakes: maximum 45, minimum 8.

Where an open and any other type of stake are to run on the same day, the maximum number of runners over the whole day is 45.

(Deletions in bold. Insertions struck through)

Rationale

The Society feel that the number of entries are reducing, due to various reasons including withdrawals on the day which could lead to trials becoming a non-qualifier.

NOTES:

1. The Kennel Club will reimburse standard rail fares to all representatives attending the meeting, from their addresses as recorded at The Kennel Club. Claim forms will be available at the meeting.
2. Those resident in Northern Ireland or Scotland may apply in advance for authority to substitute shuttle air travel for standard rail fare, although it is requested that tickets are booked well in advance to take advantage of any reduction in fares.
3. Please give advance notice of matters to be raised under Any Other Business. This assists the Office if research is required. These items are discussed at the discretion of the Council Chairman.
4. Kennel Club Liaison Council Regulations state that The Kennel Club will bear the cost of all reasonable and externally incurred costs connected with a Council, if agreed in advance. Therefore, representatives should apply to The Kennel Club for approval of any costs they may wish to claim prior to the expense being incurred.



THE KENNEL CLUB'S STRATEGIC AIMS

- *Champion the wellbeing of dogs*
- *Safeguard and enhance the future of pedigree dogs, addressing breed-associated health issues*
- *Protect the future of dog activities together with our grassroots network*
- *Become relevant to more dog owners to increase our impact*
- *Deliver an excellent member experience and widen our community*
- *Ensure we are financially secure and sustainable*