

MINUTES of a meeting of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS held ELECTRONICALLY on **Friday 29 November 2024**

PARTICIPATION: L Brand K Charnock

S Oliver G Vernon
J Bryson A McIrath
G Spagnolo A Moy
L Brown N Curwen
C Rafton V Harris

K Hedberg BVSc

NO RESPONSE: S Hannigan, S McFadden

1. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

MOVED A McIlrath SECONDED S Oliver **THAT** the Minutes of the following meetings of the Board of Directors be confirmed:-

1.1 Face to Face Meeting - 13/11/2024

CARRIED

S Oliver ABSTAINED

2. GENERAL BUSINESS TO BE DEALT WITH IN CAMERA

- 2.1 Executive Committee Decisions NIL
- 2.2 Company Secretary's Report

MOVED S Oliver SECONDED A Moy

THAT the Company Secretary's Report be **received**.

CARRIED

3. MONTHLY REPORTS

- 3.1 Agility Committee 21/10/2024
 - 3.1.1 Recommendation 1 Item 7: Approval of Trial Dates

MOVED K Charnock SECONDED A McIlrath **THAT** Recommendation 1, which reads as follows, be approved:-**THAT** the Committee's decisions in relation to Trial Dates be approved.

CARRIED

MOVED K Charnock SECONDED A McIlrath

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THAT the Minutes of the Agility Committee meeting held on 21 October 2024 be **received**. **CARRIED**

3.2 Agility Judges Committee

The Board noted that this Committee did not meet.

3.3 Breed Standards Committee

The Board noted that this Committee did not meet.

3.4 Conformation Judges Training Committee

The Board noted that the Minutes of the following Conformation Judges Training Committee meetings have not yet been received in the Office:-

- 3.4.1 **Meeting 16/10/2024**
- 3.4.2 **Meeting 20/11/2024**

3.5 **CJEP Examinations Committee**

The Board noted that this Committee did not meet.

3.6 Constitution & Regulations Review Working Party

The Board noted that this Working Party did not meet.

3.7 Grounds Development Committee

The Board noted that this Committee did not meet.

3.8 Library & Archives Committee

3.8.1 **Meeting - 9/10/2024**

MOVED S Oliver SECONDED A Moy

THAT the Minutes of the Library & Archives Committee meeting held on 9 October 2024 be **received**.

CARRIED

3.8.2 **Meeting 13/11/2024**

MOVED S Oliver SECONDED A Moy

THAT the Minutes of the Library & Archives Committee meeting held on 13

November 2024 be received.

CARRIED

3.9 Media & Government Legislation Committee

The Board noted that this Committee did not meet.

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3.10 Obedience Tracking & Performance Disciplines Committee - 4/11/2024

3.10.1 Recommendation 1 - Item 7: Approval of Trial Dates

MOVED K Charnock SECONDED A McIlrath **THAT** Recommendation 1, which reads as follows, be approved:-**THAT** the Committee's decisions in relation to Trial Dates be approved.

CARRIED

MOVED K Charnock

SECONDED A McIlrath

THAT the Minutes of the Obedience Tracking & Performance Disciplines Committee meeting held on 4 November 2024 be **received**.

CARRIED

3.11 Obedience Tracking & Performance Disciplines Judges Committee

3.11.1 **Meeting – 12/11/2024**

3.11.1.1 Recommendation 1 – Item 1: Practical Examination Results

MOVED A McIlrath SECONDED K Charnock

THAT Recommendation 1, which reads as follows, be approved:-**THAT** the following people be placed on the appropriate Judges List:-

Mrs Samantha Ibbott- Cordi CCD
Mrs Christiane Diebler CCD
Mr Theirry Bennani CCD
Ms Joan Stewart UDX

CARRIED

MOVED A McIlrath

SECONDED K Charnock

THAT the Minutes of the Obedience Tracking & Performance Disciplines Judges Committee meeting held on 12 November 2024 be **received**.

CARRIED

3.11.2 Meeting - 14/11/2024

3.11.2.1 Recommendation 1 – Item 5: New SprintDog™ Judge – Ms Belinda Mitchell

MOVED A McIlrath SECONDED K Charnock

THAT Recommendation 1, which reads as follows, be approved: **THAT** As Ms Belinda Mitchell has fulfilled the requirements for a SprintDog Judge, she be approved and placed on the list for SprintDog $^{\text{TM}}$ Judges.

CARRIED

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MOVED A McIlrath

SECONDED K Charnock

THAT the Minutes of the Obedience Tracking & Performance Disciplines Judges Committee meeting held on 14 November 2024 be **received**.

CARRIED

3.12 Public Relations Committee - 19/11/2024

The Board noted that the Minutes of the Public Relations Committee meeting held on 19 November 2024 have been referred to the F2F meeting scheduled for Wednesday 11 December 2024.

3.13 PR Events Committee

The Board noted that this Committee did not meet.

3.14 Retrieving & Field Trials Committee - 17/10/2024

3.14.1 Recommendation 1 – Item 7: Approval of Trial Dates

MOVED K Charnock

SECONDED S Oliver

THAT Recommendation 1, which reads as follows, be approved:-

THAT the Committee's decisions in relation to Trial Dates be approved.

CARRIED

MOVED S Oliver

SECONDED K Charnock

THAT the Minutes of the Retrieving & Field Trials Committee meeting held on 17 October 2024 be **received**.

CARRIED

3.15 RNSWCC Health & Welfare Charity Limited

MOVED S Oliver

SECONDED A McIlrath

THAT the following Minutes of the RNSWCC Health & Welfare Charity Limited meetings be **received:**-

- 3.15.1 **Meeting 15/10/2024**
- 3.15.2 **Meeting 4/11/2024**
- 3.15.3 **Meeting 11/11/2024**

CARRIED

L Brown ABSTAINED

3.16 Show Committee - 20/11/2024

The Board noted that the Minutes of the Show Committee meeting held on 20 November 2024 have been referred to the face to face Board Meeting scheduled for Wednesday 11 December 2024.

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3.17 Sporting Committee - 19/11/2024

3.17.1 Recommendation 1 – Item 7: Approval of Trial Dates

MOVED S Oliver

SECONDED A McIlrath

THAT Recommendation 1, which reads as follows, be approved:-

THAT the Committee's decisions in relation to Trial Dates be approved.

CARRIED

G Vernon ABSTAINED

3.17.2 Recommendation 2 – Item 8.13.1: Grooming Competition – Sydney Royal 2025

MOVED S Oliver

SECONDED A McIlrath

THAT Recommendation 2, which reads as follows, be approved:-

THAT the Dogs Australia Canine Grooming Competition be approved for 22

April 2025 at the Sydney Royal.

CARRIED

MOVED A Moy

SECONDED S Oliver

THAT the Minutes of the Sporting Committee meeting held on 19 November 2024 be received.

CARRIED

3.18 Spring Fair Dog Show Committee

The Board noted that this Committee did not meet.

4. MOTIONS ON NOTICE - NIL

5. **DOGS AUSTRALIA MATTERS**

5.1 Electronic Motion #213-National Code of Practice of Responsible Dog Ownership – Clause 14 – AMENDMENT

MOVED S Oliver

SECONDED A McIlrath

THAT the DOGS NSW supports Electronic Motion #213 – National Code of Practice of Responsible Dog Ownership – Clause 14 – AMENDMENT – as submitted by DOGS NSW.

CARRIED

L Brown ABSTAINED

5.2 Dogs Australia AGM & Board Meeting - October 2024 - **AMENDED** Summary

MOVED A Moy

SECONDED K Charnock

THAT the DOGS NSW notes the Dogs Australia AGM & Board Meeting – October 2024 - **AMENDED** Summary.

CARRIED

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- 6. **CORRESPONDENCE** NIL
- 7. BUSINESS ADJOURNED FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS NIL
- 8. **GENERAL BUSINESS** NIL

MEETING CLOSED

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