HEELWORK TO MUSIC CHANGES – Effective 1 January 2019

Regulation L11.c. Competing.

TO:

c. After a dog has commenced competing in a Class no substitution of Handler is permitted in that Class.

(Deletion struck through) (Effective 1 January 2019)

Regulation L11.f.

TO:

Dogs may only wear a **half-check collar or a smooth** collar which may be decorated.

(Insertion in bold)

(Effective 1 January 2019)

Regulation L11.p.

TO:

If the music stops during a routine the competitor must be given an opportunity to complete the routine. The handler's back-up music, **which must be supplied prior to competing** may be used and/or alternative equipment if this was the reason for failure.

(Insertions in bold. Deletions struck through.) (Effective 1 January 2019)

Regulation L12.g.

TO:

No amendment may be made to an entry after the closing date of entries, except for music where detailed on an entry form, as requested by a competition organiser, which may be changed on the day and which must be reported to the show secretary on arrival.

(Insertion in bold)

(Effective date 1 January 2019)

Regulation L14.h.

TO:

h. The results **and individual judges' scores** for each class **all routines** must be displayed on the day and accessible to all competitors.'

(Insertion in bold. Deletions struck through)

(Effective 1 January 2019)

Regulation L14.j.

TO:

Premier competition rings shall be not less than 15m x 16m.

(Insertion in bold.)

(Effective date 1 January 2019)

Regulation L17.a. Judging Contracts.

TO:

Invitations to judge must be made by competition organisers in writing and they must ensure that written acceptances are received. Written acceptances must be followed by written confirmation of the appointment upon which a judging contract will be deemed to have been formed. Judging contracts must be in place for Premier Heelwork to Music Competitions, and details of the appointment published, at least four calendar months before the date of the competition.

(Insertion in bold) (Effective 1 January 2019)

Regulation L17.b

TO:

...You should note that we reserve the right to cancel the contract before the date of the appointment if there is a change in your circumstances, which in our reasonable opinion would adversely affect your ability to fulfil the appointment. Clubs may cancel a judging appointment where there is clear evidence that the judge's ability to fulfil the appointment has been adversely affected, or in consultation with the judge.

(Insertion in bold) (Effective 1 January 2019)

Regulation L18.c(2)

TO:

Choreography should be apparent with the story or theme being inspired from the music. The choice of moves by both handler and dog should be well represented by the chosen music. The chosen music should be well represented by the choice of moves by both handler and dog. (Deletions struck through. Insertions in bold.) (Effective date 1 January 2019)