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- that if not born in Canada, is eligible for registration in the records of the CKC.

c) that if it is a foreign born and owned dog, an Event Registration Number or CKC registration number is obtained from the CKC within 30 days of the first show entered.

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Section 8.9.1 Moving a Dog to Specials: A dog which is individually registered in the records of the CKC or that has a Miscellaneous Certification Number (MCN) and has completed the requirements for a Championship in accordance with these rules but at the time of the closing of entries for a show has not received confirmation of the title, may be transferred from one of the regular classes to Specials Only providing the transfer is submitted to the Show Secretary in writing by the owner or handler at least one hour prior to the opening of the show.

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Chapter 4 Judges Section 4.1.3 A judge officiating at a show held under these rules shall not be subjected to indignities of any kind during the progress of the show. It shall be the duty and obligation of the club holding the show to see that this rule is effectively carried out.

Section 4.1.6 No person may approach a judge either directly or otherwise, orally or in writing, to favor his entry. Disciplinary action will be taken against any person who violates this rule or against a judge who fails to report any contravention of this rule to the CKC within 14 days of the act.

Chapter 14 Disqualifying or Excusing Dogs

Section 14.1.4 Once a dog has been disqualified for any reason at a conformation show, it may not be entered or shown at another show until the dog has been reinstated by the CKC. All awards earned by a dog shown in violation of this section will be cancelled by the CKC and the owner of the dog is subject to disciplinary action. Note: for information on reinstatement, see Chapter 14 Section 14.3 of the Dog Show Rules.

Championship Points and Cancellations

Section 15.1.1 A dog awarded Winners at a conformation show shall be credited with a number of championship points (ranging from 0 to 5) and the number of championship points credited to a dog awarded Winners shall be as provided hereunder.

Section 15.1.2 The schedule to be employed in the determination of the number of points awarded Winners shall be as follows:

Dogs competing*	1	2	3-5	6-9	10-12	13 & more
Points allocated	0	1	2	3	4	5

*Includes the dog awarded Winners.

In counting the number of eligible dogs in competition, a dog that is disqualified, dismissed, excused or ordered from the ring by the judge shall **NOT** be included in the calculation for championship points.

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Clarification: Example of directly or indirectly defeating: If the Winners Bitch is awarded Best of Opposite Sex but not Best of Winners, the Best of Winners Male shall be deemed to have indirectly defeated the Specials Bitches, and is thus entitled to add them to the number of dogs and bitches defeated.

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13 or more	5	4	3	2
10 to 12	4	3	2	1
6 to 9	3	2	1	1
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- earn at least 10 championship points under at least 3 different judges; and,
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