



GRAND CHAMPION & GRAND CHAMPION EXCELLENT TITLES

Effective January 1, 2013, the Conformation Show Rules and Regulations, Chapter 15, Section 15.2 be replaced with:

Chapter 15, Section 15.2:

- 15.2.1 The title of Grand Champion may only be earned after the completion of the CKC Conformation Championship.
- 15.2.2 Points for this title are only accumulated after the completion of the Conformation Championship and do not include the points earned in attaining the Conformation Championship. All required points are to be earned at the breed level.
- 15.2.3 To be awarded a Grand Champion title, a dog must attain a minimum of 20 points which must include one Best of Breed and a minimum of two wins of at least two points each.

(a) Grand Champion Point System

Points towards the Grand Champion title are awarded to the Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex, Select Dog and Select Bitch. Points are calculated based on the number of animals defeated at the breed level for the Best of Breed Winner and the number of similar sex dogs defeated for the other three (Best of Opposite, Select Dog, Select Bitch). The following schedule shall be employed in the determination of points awarded as follows:

Dogs Defeated	1	2	3-5	6-9	10-12	13+
Points Allocated	0	1	2	3	4	5

- 15.2.4 The title of Grand Champion shall not be awarded retroactively and all points towards this title must be achieved after the date of January 1, 2013.
- 15.2.5 Points earned toward the Grand Champion title are to be recorded by the owner/handler on the form obtained from the Canadian Kennel Club. Once the owner/handler believes that their exhibit has attained the requirements for the Grand Champion title, the form may be submitted to the Canadian Kennel Club for verification and awarding of the title."

Effective January 1, 2013, the Conformation Show Rules and Regulations, Chapter 15, Section 15.3 be amended by adding a new Section 15.3 to read as follows:

15.3 Grand Champion Excellent (GChEx)

- 15.3.1 The title of Grand Champion Excellent may only be earned after the completion of the CKC Grand Championship title.
- 15.3.2 Points for this title may be accumulated at any time after the completion of the CKC Conformation Championship and do not include the points earned in attaining the Conformation Championship

15.3.3 A minimum of 100 points which must include one Best in Show or a Best of Breed at a Breed National Specialty (where a minimum of ten dogs have competed) or a Best in Multiple Breed Specialty with at least five breeds represented plus three group firsts or three Breed Specialty wins must be earned at Conformation shows.

a) Grand Champion Excellent point system

1 st in Group or Best in Specialty Show	5 Points
2 nd in Group or Best of Opposite Single breed Specialty Show	4 Points
3 rd in Group	3 Points
4 th in Group	2 Points

(Note: no points are acquired if no other dog is present in the group)

Best of Breed	1 Point
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(To earn the breed point, at least 5 dogs must be shown at breed level)

Best in Show or Best in National Specialty Show or Best in Multi Breed Specialty Show	10 Points
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15.3.4 Only the highest points earned at a single show are carried forward. For example, a dog that wins First in Group and then wins Best in Show, earns 10 points, not 15.

15.3.5 Additional Requirements

The dog must have been awarded a Grand Champion title before being awarded a Grand Champion Excellent title.

15.3.6 Additional Requirements

To attain a Grand Champion Excellent title a dog must have been awarded a CKC performance title from any CKC event. A CGN or Herding Instinct Certificate are not considered performance titles for the awarding of this title.

15.3.7 The title of Grand Champion Excellent shall not be awarded retroactively. However, dogs that have been awarded the Grand Champion title prior to January 1, 2013 will be awarded the Grand Champion Excellent Title on application to the CKC."