

SUMMARY OF THE DOGS AUSTRALIA SPECIAL BOARD MEETING HELD VIA ZOOM ON 20 JUNE 2026
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At the June 2026 Dogs Australia Special Board meeting, Directors resolved/considered the following:

1. Conformation Judges Training

It was RESOLVED that the Conformation National Judges Training committee meet in person over a weekend in South Australia before the end of August 2026 to decide on a compulsory National Conformation Judges training scheme for all member bodies to adhere to and present to the October meeting.

2. * Regulations Part 5, Conformation Show Clause 9.7.1.b – Amendment (details in Appendix A on website)

3. * Regulations Part 6 – The Register & Registration Section 8.18, Litter Registration Limitations – Amendment (details in Appendix A on website)

4. * Regulations 5, Conformation Show, Sections 10.7 through to 10.10.2 - Amendment (details in Appendix A on website)

5. Champion Class

It was AGREED that the Champion Class working party put together a communication package to the Board for approval before sending out to Member bodies.

6. * Regulations Part 6 – The Register & Registration, Clause 6.9 – Amendment (details in Appendix A on website)

7. * Regulations Part 8 – Member Bodies & Membership, Clause 6.2 – Amendment (details in Appendix A on website)

8. The American Kennel Club

It was AGREED that the offer of a Mutual Cooperation Agreement from the American Kennel Club be accepted.

9. Public Awareness Campaign

It was agreed that Dogs Australia develop and implement a national public awareness campaign comparable to the Fédération Cynologique Internationale 'Imagine Life Without Them' initiative and similar campaigns conducted by the American Kennel Club, together with an ongoing web-based campaign.

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ADMINISTRATOR