

Breed survey from abroad – Information for the national club

Dear Sir or Madam,

Breed surveys done in your club under an SV-judge (SV-breed surveyor) are SV-recognized.

To equalize the breed surveys done abroad with those absolved in Germany the SV-board of directors and the breeding committee decided to harmonize the registration procedure for breed surveys absolved abroad, judged by an SV-breed surveyor.

This means for you:

1. At least 10 days before the event the national club informs the SV main office about the participating dogs by data transmission. For this, the clubs receive a reminding notice to submit the entries together with a download link (at the earliest 4 weeks before the event).
Only the dogs which have been reported to the SV main office can start at the breed survey.
2. The participating dogs will be published from the registration office on SV-DoxS. The national club and the SV-judge will be informed about which items still have to be cleared.

We kindly ask you to please pay attention to the new regulation.

Please be informed that repeatedly, and very much to our regret, the processing of breed survey documents from abroad is delayed because the documents provided are not complete and thus entail correspondence which otherwise could have been avoided.

In order to facilitate the administrative handling of breed surveys from abroad we shall proceed as follows from now on:

1. The complete documents shall be passed on to the SV by the national club where the breed survey took place. We will then assume that the documents presented were verified by the hosting club and will consider the official presentation by the club as a confirmation of the examinations and breed shows from the respective countries.
2. Working titles and conformation show ratings which have been earned in other countries must be confirmed by the hosting club where the result was achieved. Shouldn't this confirmation be submitted the working titles and conformation show ratings can't be processed by the SV.
3. In order to ensure a trouble-free process, the following complete documents shall be submitted for each participating dog:
 - Original Pedigree
 - BH title
 - Subject-specific working title (e.g. IGP1)
 - Recognized show rating (youth class, young dog class, working dog class)
Verifications of a show rating in the „open classes“ (older than 24 months without working title) can only be recognized by the SV if obtained under an SV judge. CACIB shows hosted abroad in terms of the intermediate classes cannot be recognized breed survey.
 - Recognized HD and ED rating respectively stamp on the pedigree
 - Verification of a recognized character test for dogs born as of July 01st, 2020.

Please submit only copies of the documents (working title, conformation show rating, character test)
However, the original pedigree must be submitted as before.

Please make sure the copies are complete and legible.

4. Unfortunately, we have found repeatedly that documents are missing and therefore, extensive correspondence, which could have been avoided, was necessary. We are unable to continue this extensive correspondence, which also ties human resources, in this form. We would like to point out that, when additional efforts are made, we have to charge a **correspondence fee** per dog.
5. Documents that we receive from third parties shall immediately be returned to the club in charge without prior verification.

6. The complete processing of the breed survey is done by the responsible club. This means that the correspondence, the invoices for the breed survey certificate fee and the delivery of the documents are done directly via the club.

Please inform your members, owners and dog handlers, that from our side no more individual inquiries about breed surveys from abroad are responded. Inquiries can only be submitted through the responsible club.

In the interest of a smooth and timely processing of breed survey documents we would like to thank you in advance for your kind attention and for your support in terms of the above-mentioned items.

Thank you very much for understanding. In case of doubt please contact us at any time.

Best regards

SV-Hauptgeschäftsstelle