

Framework breeding order

Breeding regulations for pedigree dogs and entry conditions Office for breeding book of IHR e.V.

1. General information

Die breeding and entry regulations of the IHR e.V. are binding for all its members, as well as for the members of that-attached associations. As guideline they serve for all special member associations, which have the right to create one particularly for their race suitable breeding order. This must be appreciative however of IHR e.V. This breeding order may not moderate, but in the interest of the respective pedigree dog breed to be more strictly drawn up. From special member associations drawn up breeding orders are to be submitted for approval to the executive committee IHR e.V. No special breeding order forwards, then comes into force automatically the framework breeding order of the IHR e.V.

The executive committee IHR e.V. to mainbreedingwait and the breeding control room are for the adherence to the framework breeding order responsible.

These breeding regulations are to contribute to reach as basis an improvement of the standard. The goal for the breeder is to bring from good parent animals a better offspring out. In order to reach this, is special breeding selection to attach with consideration of suitable estate carriers, particular importance. The highest principle is to be: Improvement of the races, not however: Increase of pedigree dogs.

Likewise the bases of the German animal protection act must find strict application. In addition belongs among other things also, that breeders, who more than three breedingable dogs possess or with more than three litters per year, gets at his responsible veterinary center the so called § 11 b (animal protection act) - note, and a copy of the same request sendig without being asked to the office for breeding book IHR e.V.

2. Breeding conditions

a) First time breeders should get in kontakt with for it the responsible breedingwaited (to inquire in the association office) before the intended sexualintercourse and comprehensively of this advised leave themselves.

Dog attitude and - feeding must be species-appropriate. For breeding dogs and puppies must at least be a very good kennel attitude given. For this free-wheel and human allowance are basic condition.

b) With in-breeding and incest breed must before the sexualintercourse the written approval of the IHR breeding committee are caught up. Such sexualintercourse must be justified. The approval is to submit litter entry also to send to the office for breeding book. If an approval was given, then has the mainbreedingwait or one of him representative breedingwait, and/or the veterinary surgeon to supervise the litter and its development. Monitoring by the veterinary surgeon is during submission of the litter registration form to attach appropriate protocol.

c) It is only allowed to breed with healthy, nature-firm dogs, in one of IHR e.V. recognized Breeding book or registers is registered. In addition both parent animals must have received before the sexualintercourse those written breeding permission, in one of IHR e.V. recognized way. One Exhibition evaluation (judge report) is **not** recognized as breeding evaluation. Breeding animals must be free by diseases and parasite infestation and itself in a very good General state.

d) Breeding age pp.:

Small races (to 45 cm withers height)

The minimum breeding age for the sire shall not fall below 12 months.

The minimum breeding age for the dam shall not fall below 15 months. Also not, if with 12 months the second heat begins. In this case is to be waited up to the next heat

Patella Luxationen (PL) starting from degrees of 2 are breedingexcluding errors.

An investigation on PL is **urgently** recommended at all small races.

Large races (over 45 cm withers height)

The minimum breeding age for the sire and dam shall not fall below 18 months.

For sire and dam of large races an HD-evaluation **must** be present. The HD-investigation should in the age from at the earliest 18 months to be accomplished. The identity of the dog must by the veterinary surgeon free of doubts to be proven (chip control).

Only with the findings HD-free (0, A1, A2) and HD-suspicion (nearly normal, 1, B1, B2) breeding is allowed.

With HD-easy (c1, C2), HD-middle (D1, D2) and HD-heavily (E1, E2) shall **not** be bred!

With the findings HD-suspicion (nearly normal, 1, B1, B2) must the breeding partner in any case have the findings HD free.

Generally is valid:

The breeding age for sires is not limited, should become fair however for the general state of the dog.

Dams may deliver their last litter with 8 years.

If a dog is occupied twice one behind the other, it must in the heat following on it absolutely remain empty.

A dog may not raise up any more puppies, than it permits its condition (if necessary raising of wet nurse etc.)

With a dam may not be bred in principle in two or several associations.

The breeders are obligated to announce each litter within 24 hours to the office for breeding book.

As can be prove dogs passing on bad gen matirial can later be withdrawed the breeding permission.

2.1 special breeding conditions for the race Chihuahua

a) The dogs of the race Chihuahua (short and long hair) must be examined on (PL) Patella Luxation. To breed certified are only dogs with the degrees of 0 and 1, whereby dogs with PL degree of 1 must be bred with breeding partners with PL degree of 0. It hands the palpatorische investigation.

This investigation is during breeding suited posting without being asked to prove by one appropriate entry in the geneological table, and/or by template of the appropriate investigation sheet.

b) The breed with Chihuahuas, which exhibit or carry the merle gen, is **not** permitted. These dogs received also no breeding permission over IHR e.V. or the NCV e.V.

2.1 special breeding conditions for the race Shetland Sheepdog (Sheltie)

The dogs of the race Shetland Sheepdog (Sheltie) must show the following investigations, to become certified to the breed :

* CEA, PRA & tomcat act - > freely

* MDR 1 is only permitted in the combinations +/+ and +/- as well as +/- and +/-

All other combinations are not allowed.

* Patella Luxation (PL) is permitted in the degrees 0 and 1, whereby a dog with PL degree of 1 must be bred with a breeding partner, which PL has degrees of 0. It hands the palpatorische investigation.

* HD (X-ray investigation): Only with the findings HD-free (0, A1, A2) and HD-suspicion (nearly normal, 1, B1, B2) breeding is allowed.

With HD-easy (c1, C2), HD-middle (D1, D2) and HD-heavily (E1, E2) shall **not** be bred!

With the findings HD-suspicion (nearly normal, 1, B1, B2) must the breeding partner in any case have the findings HD free.

All test results are during breeding suited posting without being asked to prove through appropriate entries into the geneological table, and/or by template of the appropriate evaluations and Investigation sheets.

The sexualintercourse of Shelties with the colors and/or the design merle x merle or merle x zobel is **not** permitted.

3. Kennel name pp.

If a breeder lets the first litter register, it must at the latest then request with the office for breeding book IHR e.V. a Kennel name.

The kennel name will and can only be protected by IHR e.V.

If a breeder has several races, then the kennel name is valid for all races bred by him.

The call names of the puppies of a litter begin with the same initial letter. With the breed with several breeding animals and races keeps the alphabet running in the kennel. The first litter in a kennel begins with that Letter „A“ for the first names of the puppies of this litter. With the second litter in a kennel those first name of the puppies begin with „B“, and so on.

With property change of the pregnant dog the breeder can not announce these puppies on his kennel name no more.

4. Cover fees

The cover fees are to be paid usually immediately after the cover act to the owner of the sire. They should after sporty discretion to be specified. With no pregnancy (not however with rejecting) stands for the breeder after old sport and breeding rules still another cover act for the same dog.

5. Litter decrease

- a) Mixture litters are not registered into the office for breeding book.
- b) From the breedingwait (or veterinary surgeon) with the litter decrease determined lack are to note on the litter registration form.
- c) Breedingwait is entitled, to visit a litter within the first 8 weeks unasked (up to the final inspection).
- d) The breeders may sell only healthy, regularly worm controlled and inoculated puppies.
- e) The legal regulations (e.g. Kupierverbot) must be corresponded.
- f) Puppies of small races should not be given away before the age of 10 weeks, of large races not before the age of 8 weeks.
- g) The litters must be announced completely to the office for breeding book IHR e.V.
- h) No puppies may be given away before the litter decrease, because otherwise the breeder receives no papers for the entire litter.
- i) **It is forbidden to the breeder to sell knowingly puppies at dog resellers and to experimental purposes.**
- j) The protective inoculations as well as the implantation of the transponder chip may only be accomplished of a veterinary surgeon.
- k) The breedingwait has to receive with the litter decrease insight into the inoculation passports and all further litter documents.
- l) The costs of the litter decrease etc. have to be replaced to the office for breeding book. These costs and the further regulates fees the contribution and financial order IHR e.V.
- m) All puppies of a litter must with the litter decrease get by the veterinary surgeon a transponder chip implanted. Tattooing of the puppies is no more permitted according to German animal protection act.
- n) With the litter decrease the dam is absolutely to be demonstrated.
- o) For the litter decrease following documents are recommended:
Litter registration form
Coverform
Geneological table of the dm in original
Geneological table of the sire in copy
Breeding book registration of both parent animals
Investigation and analysis sheets of the parent animals in copy,
Title proof in copies, if available.
- p) The stickers with the transponder chip numbers must the office for breeding book once in the original (on that litter registration form or the extra for it intended plant sheet) to be made available.
- q) With the personal signature of the breeder this draws obligatory for all information on that litter registration form and cover form. Litter registration form and cover form must completely filled out and clearly readably. For possible errors because of inarticulate writing the breeder is responsible.

6. Other

Offenses against the framework breeding order, like e.g. untrue information on covering or litter registration form, not complete information of the puppy number, dubious sales methods or similar misdemeanors become as follows

punished:

- a) by written caution or
- b) by occasional breeding barrier (approx. 1 - 2 years) or
- c) by total breeding barrier or
- d) by exclusion of the breeder from IHR e.V. and its member associations.

The IHR e.V. are justified to let kennel plants visit at any time e.g. by one of its breedingwait.

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