

JUDGES LICENSING REPORT – October 2020

This report is submitted by the Chair of Judges Licensing and is current as of 11/25/2020

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Notes from Judges Licensing:

Beginning in January, Field Trial Secretaries will not have to send the judges sheets to Records. More individuals will probably be requesting to see the judges sheets at the trial prior to conclusion.

It will become more important that every judge correctly marks the reason for any excusal, dismissal or disqualification. If a judge dismisses a dog but marks as “hound coursed other hound” as the reason, it will be proper that the exhibitor challenges the dismissal.

Since the FTS has to retain the sheets for one year, I would suggest that each judge uses the back of the judges sheet to in few words explain what part of the course or why they dismissed or disqualified the hound.

Remember, the judge has to notify the Huntmaster who then notifies the exhibitor/handler of any excusal, dismissal or disqualification of any hound in a course. The handler may request the judge explain but cannot go to the judge and question it until the judge has completed their assigned hounds and is off the field. It is allowable for the judge to initiate a conversation with an exhibitor/handler if they want to clarify or explain their decision immediately after the call.

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The following individual(s) has been granted a Provisional License.

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The following are additions/updates/corrections to the current judges list.

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Mike Ferris has resigned his judging license effective immediately.

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