



**DOGS AUSTRALIA SCENT WORK  
APPLICATION FORM  
THEORY AND PRACTICAL EXAMS for NOVICE AND ADVANCED**

Please refer to Part 16: Scent Work & Scent Work Judges Training

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| NAME:           |         |
| ADDRESS:        |         |
| ANKC MEMBER NO: | MOBILE: |

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| <b>COMPLETION OF SCENT WORK THEORY</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                            |                       |                           |
| <u>Part 16: 4.5.1 THEORY COMPONENT</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                            |                       |                           |
| <i>a. A Trainee must attend, either in person or virtually, 75 per cent of lectures and 100 per cent of online Modules conducted as part of the Scent Work Judges Training Scheme, unless otherwise approved by DOGS NSW. The online sessions may be undertaken at any time throughout the duration of the Trainee Judges Scheme, however, must be completed at the time a Trainee applies for their Theory and Practical Examinations.</i> |                            |                       |                           |
| <u>EVIDENCE REQUIRED –</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                            |                       |                           |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Online Learning - Screenshot showing 100% complete</li><li>- Lectures – coordinators attendance notes.</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                            |                       |                           |
| <b>Learning Type</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>Part 16 Requirement</b> | <b>Date Completed</b> | <b>Evidence Submitted</b> |
| <u>Compulsory Online Learning Module</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 100%                       |                       | Yes/no                    |
| <u>Theory Lectures: In person or online</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 75%                        |                       |                           |
| 1. 3 May 2026 – USA Symposium                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                            |                       |                           |
| 2. 10 June 2026 – Vehicles Lecture                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                            |                       |                           |
| 3. 24 June 2026 - Scent Work Regulations                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                            |                       |                           |
| 4. 5 August 2026 – Collaboration Session and odour                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                            |                       |                           |
| 5. Late August 2026 – Hide setting                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                            |                       |                           |

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**COMPLETION OF STEWARDING APPOINTMENTS**

STAGE 1: STEWARDING

*a. A Trainee must undertake the following official duties at a DOGS Australia Member Body sanctioned trial at least six (6) times while in the Scent Work Judges Training Scheme for a total of ten (10) accrued hours. The stewarding must be undertaken from elements within the class levels for which the Trainee is enrolled:-*

*i. Search Area Steward*

*ii. Timekeeper/Scribe*

EVIDENCE REQUIRED: Signed off Log Book

| Date | Affiliates | Supervising Judge |
|------|------------|-------------------|
| 1.   |            |                   |
| 2.   |            |                   |
| 3.   |            |                   |
| 4.   |            |                   |
| 5.   |            |                   |
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**COMPLETION OF SHADOWING APPOINTMENTS**

4.5.3 STAGE 2 SHADOW JUDGING

*d. A Trainee must Shadow Judge minimum of six (6) searches with the following conditions: -*

- i. Three (3) searches should be of different elements from the lower class for which they are a Trainee (eg, Novice or Excellent)*
- ii. Three (3) searches should be of different elements from the higher class for which they are a Trainee (eg, Advanced or Masters)*
- iii. One (1) of the elements must be vehicles.*
- iv. Previous Shadow Judging roles prior to moving to this Stage of the program will not be considered to accrue towards this requirement*

EVIDENCE REQUIRED: Signed off Log Book

| Date | Affiliate | Supervising Judge |
|------|-----------|-------------------|
| 1.   |           |                   |
| 2.   |           |                   |
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**COMPLETION OF SUPERVISED PRACTICAL SESSIONS**

*Part 16 4.5.4 Across the supervised Practical Training Sessions, the Trainee will need to cover all four (4) of the elements (Interiors/Exteriors/Containers and Vehicles) with:-*

- i. Four (4) searches - one (1) of each element from the Novice class*
- ii. Four (4) searches - one (1) of each element from the Advanced class*

**EVIDENCE REQUIRED:** Signed off Log Book Summary

| Element                | Date (am/pm) | Affiliate | Supervising Judges |
|------------------------|--------------|-----------|--------------------|
| 1. Novice Interiors    |              |           |                    |
| 2. Novice Vehicles     |              |           |                    |
| 3. Novice Exteriors    |              |           |                    |
| 4. Novice Containers   |              |           |                    |
| 5. Advanced Interiors  |              |           |                    |
| 6. Advanced Vehicles   |              |           |                    |
| 7. Advanced Exteriors  |              |           |                    |
| 8. Advanced Containers |              |           |                    |

**OTHER INFORMATION WHICH MAY ASSIST THE APPLICATION**

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| TRAINEE SIGNATURE: | DATE: |
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THIS FORM TOGETHER WITH ALL ACCOMPANYING PAPERWORK MUST BE RETURNED TO the JTS Coordinator in PDF format: email: [scentwork@dogsnsw.org.au](mailto:scentwork@dogsnsw.org.au)