



**FINNISH CHAMPION TITLE  
REGULATIONS 2018**

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Valid as of 1.1.2018

## REQUIREMENTS APPLIED TO ALL BREEDS

### Show Champion (FI MVA)

At least three certificates obtained in Finnish dog shows under three different judges. At least one of these certificates must be obtained at the minimum age of 24 months. Possible breed-specific requirements regarding trial results will also have to be met. The change enters into force on 1.6.2011. (*Council 29.5.11*) The requirements regarding trial results are minimum requirements.

For a dog that has a Finnish owner / holder, results in breed-specific trials gained in Nordic countries count towards the Finnish Show Champion title. (*Council 24/11/2007*)

### Agility Champion (FI AVA)

A dog is awarded the Finnish Agility Champion title once it has been awarded three Agility Certificates at the highest level in Agility, under three different judges. At least one (1) year and one (1) day must separate the first and the last certificate. The dog must also have been awarded at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months.

A foreign dog is awarded the Finnish Agility Champion title once it has obtained the national Agility Champion title of its country and has been awarded one Agility Certificate at the highest level in Agility in Finland.

Regulation for the transition period: When awarding an Agility Champion title, two wins obtained before 1.6.2009 on the highest level in Agility on an Agility course, under one or two different judges, with the result 0 (max. 0,99) are considered equivalent to Agility Certificates.

### Jump Champion (FI AVA-H)

A dog is awarded the Finnish Jump Champion title once it has been awarded three Jump Certificates at the highest level in Agility, under three different judges. At least one (1) year and one (1) day must separate the first and last certificate. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months.

A foreign dog is awarded the Finnish Jump Champion title once it has obtained the national Jump Champion title of its country and has been awarded one Jump Certificate at the highest level in Agility in Finland.

When awarding an Agility Champion title, two wins obtained before 1.6.2009 on the highest level in Agility on a Jump course, under one or two different judges, with the result 0 (max. 0,99) are considered equivalent to Jump Certificates. (*Council 22/11/2009*)

### Tracking Champion (FI JVA)

A dog is awarded the Finnish Tracking Champion title once it has been awarded the 1<sup>st</sup> Prize in Blood Tracking Trial for Hunting Dogs three times, under at least two different judges. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. (*Council 31/05/2008*)

### Dog Dance Champion (FI KTV and FI KTV-V)

### HTM Champion (Heelwork to Music, FI KTV)

A dog is awarded the Finnish HTM Champion title (FI KTV) once it has been awarded three Dog Dance Certificates in Heelwork to Music competitions. At least one (1) year and one (1) day must separate the first and last certificate. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. (Council 29/05/2011)

#### **Freestyle Champion (FI KTV-V)**

A dog is awarded the Finnish Freestyle Champion title (FI KTV-V) once it has been awarded three Dog Dance Certificates in Freestyle. At least one (1) year and one (1) day must separate the first and last certificate. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. (Council 29/05/2011)

#### **Working Champion (FI KVA)**

The dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. Breed-specific trial result requirements will also have to be met. Trial results that count towards the Finnish Working Champion title, granted by the Finnish Kennel Club, must all be gained in Finland. (Council 27/05/2012)

#### **Working Champion title in Working Trials**

(Breeds entitled to compete in Working Trials are marked with \*)

3 x 1<sup>st</sup> prize in the highest class in the same Working or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial or at least the grading *very good*, which is at least 90 % of the maximum score, gained over at least two calendar years and under at least two different judges. (Council 23/11/2003)

#### **Working Champion (Injured Elk Tracking Trial, FI KVA-J)**

2 x qualifying result in Injured Elk Tracking Trial and one qualifying result in Tracking Trial for Elkhounds. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. A dog may no longer participate in a trial once it has gained the trial results required for the Champion title. (Council 26/11/2006)

#### **Hunting Champion (FI KVA-L and FI KVA-M)**

A dog is awarded the Finnish Hunting Champion title (FI KVA-M) once it has gained two qualifying results in Natural Underground Trial for Earthdogs under two different judges; the achieved title is marked FI KVA-M. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. A dog may no longer participate in Natural Underground Trial for Earthdogs once it has gained the trial results required for the FI KVA-M title. If a dog obtains the Earthdog Champion title, the title is marked FI KVA-L. Thus, the titles for a dog that has obtained both the Earthdog Champion and the Hunting Champion titles are marked FI KVA-L FI KVA-M. (Council 05/05/2005)

#### **Herding Champion (FI PVA)**

A dog is awarded the Finnish Herding Champion title once it has been awarded the 1<sup>st</sup> Prize in Herding Trial in the highest class three times, under two different judges. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. (Council 30/11/2008)

#### **Rally Obedience Champion (FI RTVA)**

A dog is awarded the Finnish Rally Obedience Champion title once it has gained a minimum score of 95 points in Master Class three times, under at least two different judges. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. (Council 23/11/2014)

### **Obedience Champion (FI TVA)**

A dog is awarded the Finnish Obedience Champion title once it has been awarded the 1<sup>st</sup> Prize in Obedience in Elite Class three times, under at least two different judges. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months.

### **Water Rescue Champion (FI VPVA)**

A dog is awarded the Finnish Water Rescue Champion title once it has been awarded the 1<sup>st</sup> Prize in Water Rescue Trial in Winner's Class three times, under at least two different chief judges. In addition, the dog must have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 24 months.

### **Skijoring Champion (FI VVA)**

A dog is awarded the Finnish Skijoring Champion title once it has won at least 3 times a 10 km men's or women's race in Skijoring or achieved a time in the class in question which is at most 10 % slower than the winner's result. At least 4 participants must take part in the class. The results must be gained over at least two competition seasons. In addition, the dog must have passed the Companion Dog Test (PAKK) as well as have been awarded with at least the quality grade *good* at a dog show at the minimum age of 15 months. *(Council 25/05/2014)*

### **Nordic Working Champion (POHJ KVA)**

A dog that has obtained national trial champion titles from three Nordic countries (Finland, Sweden, Norway, Iceland or Denmark) will be awarded the Nordic Working Champion title in the trial or competition form in question. One can apply for the Nordic Working Champion title starting from 1.1.2010. Champion titles obtained before that are considered as merits for the dog. *(Council 21/05/09, 27/05/12)*

### **Nordic Show Champion (POHJ MVA)**

A dog that has obtained national show champion titles from three Nordic countries (Finland, Sweden, Norway, Iceland or Denmark) will be awarded the Nordic Show Champion title. Champion titles obtained before 1.1.2008 are considered as merits for the dog. *(Council 17/05/2007)*

**Trial results required for the Show Champion title may also be gained in other Nordic countries. Whether a trial result gained in another country qualifies towards the Show Champion title is confirmed by the Finnish Kennel Club upon a proposal made by the party that administers the trial form in question. Show results required for other champion titles can be obtained abroad at dog shows approved by the kennel club of an FCI-approved country. *(Council 29/05/2016)***

**If a dog has obtained a Show Champion title at the minimum age of 24 months in some other country, only one certificate from Finland as well as possible additional requirements are required for the Finnish Show Champion title. A certificate the dog has obtained in Finland under the age of 24 months counts towards the Finnish Show Champion title. The change enters into force on 1.1.2011. *(Council 29/05/2011)***

**A trial result obtained overseas, by a dog that has a foreign owner / holder, counts towards the Finnish Show Champion title only if the trial result is obtained in a trial that corresponds with the breed-specific trial required of the breed in Finland and is approved by an FCI-approved kennel organisation. An FCI-approved Working Class Certificate (WCC) regarding the trial result must be sent to the Finnish Kennel Club when applying for the Champion title. *(Council 24/11/2007)***

**If a dog has obtained a trial or competition Champion title in some other country, only one result from Finland in the highest class in the trial form or competition in question is required, as well as possible additional requirements. *(Council 27/11/2004, 27/05/12)***

**Applications for Finnish and International Champion titles are made in writing to the Finnish Kennel Club. Applications for foreign Champion titles are made to the kennel organisation in the country in question. The change enters into force on 1.1.2005. *(Council 27/11/2004)***

**Abbreviations:**

AJOK	=	Hunting Trial for Hounds – Hare
ALO	=	Novice Class (Class 1)
AVO	=	Open Class (Class 2)
BEAJ	=	Hunting Trial for Beagle – Hare
DRAJ	=	Hunting Trial for Drever – Hare
DKAJ	=	Hunting Trial for Drever – Fox
EVL	=	Elite Class
HIJÄ	=	Human Scent Trial for Bloodhounds
HIRV	=	Hunting Trial for Elkhounds
HIRV-J	=	Tracking Trial for Elkhounds
KAER	=	Hunting Trial for Continental Pointing Dogs
KEAJ	=	Hunting Trial for Hounds – Fox
L	=	Snowy ground
LUME	=	Natural Underground Trial for Earthdogs
LUTA	=	Ability Test for Earthdogs, Grade A
LUTB	=	Ability Test for Earthdogs, Grade B
LUTC	=	Ability Test for Earthdogs, Grade C
LUO1	=	Natural Den Inspection, passed
LINT	=	Hunting Trial for Spitz – Bird
NKM1	=	Hunting Trial for Retrievers, passed
NOU1	=	Working Ability Test for Retrievers, passed
MEJÄ	=	Blood Tracking Trial for Hunting Dogs
MÄAJ	=	Working Trial for Dachshunds
P	=	Bare ground
PIKA	=	Multiple Trial for Miniature and Rabbit Dachshunds
SPA1	=	Working Ability Test for Spaniels, passed
SPME	=	Hunting Trial for Spaniels
SPME-V	=	Hunting Trial for Spaniels – Waterfowl
TOKO	=	Obedience trial
VAHI	=	Injured Elk Tracking Trial
VERI	=	Terrier and Dachshund Watergame Trial
VOI	=	Winner's Class (Class 3)
WACH	=	Hunting Test for German Spaniels
WACH-M	=	Hunting Test for German Spaniels in Forest

**Any working dog breed can complete a Finnish Champion title with the following Swedish or Norwegian trial result: "GK lkl, uppfl. hkl" or "tjänstehundcert", "gk bruksprov- kvalifikation vid draghundsprov", "gk vallhundsprov vid lokalprov". Other accepted trial results: IPO trial or SchH trial.**

## FCI 1

### **Australian Cattle Dog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Training qualification in Class 1 or Class A of Working or Rescue Dog Trial (IPOR) or pass in Mental Test. (Council 17/11/2001)

### **Australian Kelpie\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in Herding Working Test (Collecting Style) or training qualification in Class 1 of Working or Rescue (IPOR) Dog Trial or pass in Mental Test. (Council 18/11/2000)

Finnish Herding Champion (FI PVA)

3 x 1<sup>st</sup> prize in the highest class of Sheepdog Trial – Collecting Style, under two different judges. (Council 30/11/2008)

### **Australian Shepherd\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in Herding Working Test – Traditional Style (PAIM-E), or training qualification in one of the lowest classes of Working Trial (not Companion Dog Test) or pass in the lowest class of Rescue Dog Trial (not Suitability Test), or pass in Mental Test. (Council 26/11/2017)

### **Bearded Collie\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

### **Beauceron\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

A qualifying score in one of the lowest classes of Working or Rescue Dog Trial (not Companion Dog Test or Suitability Test). A result in the lowest class of Herding Trial – Traditional Style (not Working Test) that entitles for change of class and, in addition, pass in Mental Test. (Council 31/05/2015)

### **Belgian Shepherds\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in one of the lowest classes of Working or Rescue Dog Trial that includes a gunshot test. Pass in Special Tracking Trial or the lowest class of Herding Trial – Traditional Style (not Herding Working Test – Traditional Style) and, in addition, pass in Mental Test. (Council 29/11/2015)

### **Border Collie\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in the Standard Course of Sheepdog Trial – Collecting Style, or training qualification in Class 1 of Working or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial, or pass in Mental Test. (Council 18/11/2000)

Finnish Herding Champion (FI PVA)

3 x 1<sup>st</sup> prize in the highest class of Sheepdog Trial – Collecting Style, under two different judges. (Council 30/11/2008)

### **Bouvier\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Training qualification in Class 2 of Working or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial. (Council 18/11/2000)

### **Briard\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Training qualification in one of the lowest classes of Working Trial (not Companion Dog Test) or pass in one of the lowest classes of Rescue Dog Trial or pass in Class 1 of Herding trial – Traditional Style. (Council 23/11/2013)

### **Catalan Sheepdog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

**Ceskoslovensky vlcak\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

**Chodsky Pes\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Training qualification in one of the lowest classes of Working Trial (not Companion Dog Test), or pass in the lowest class of Rescue Dog Trial (not Suitability Test), or a result in Herding Trial – Traditional Style (not Herding Working Test) that qualifies for change of class, or pass in Mental Test. (Council 29/05/2016)

**Collies\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Pass in Mental Test or pass in one of the lowest classes of Working or Rescue Dog Trial (not Companion Dog Test or Suitability Test), or the result PAIM-1. (Council 29/11/2015)

**Dutch Shepherd Dogs\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Pass in Mental Test or training qualification in Class 1 of Working or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial. (Council 18/11/2000)

**German Shepherd\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Training qualification in Class 2 of Working Trial in Tracking, Seeking, Messenger, Searching or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial, or training qualification in Class 1 of IPO, SchH or VPG trial. (Council 30/11/2008)

**Mudi\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

**Picardy Sheepdog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Pass in Mental Test or training qualification in Class 1 of Working or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial. (Council 18/11/2000)

**Pyrenean Sheepdog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

**Schapendoes\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

**South-Russian Ovtcharka**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Completed Mental Test or completed MH Mental Description. An interrupted Mental Test or an interrupted Mental Description is not accepted. (Council 26/05/2013)

**White Swiss Shepherd Dog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Training qualification in Class 1 of Working Trial, or pass in Rescue Dog (IPOR-A) Trial, or pass in Mental Test. (Council 26/11/2006)

## **FCI 2**

### **Appenzell Cattle Dog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

### **Bernese Mountain Dog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

### **Black Russian Terrier\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements. (*Council 22/11/2009*)

### **Boxer\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Training qualification in Class 1 of Working Trial in Tracking, Seeking, Messenger, Searching, IPO, Protection (VPG, SchH), Special Tracking (FH) or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial (*Council 18/11/2000*)

### **Cane corso\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

### **Caucasian Shepherd Dog**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Completed Mental Test or completed MH Mental Description. An interrupted Mental Test or an interrupted Mental Description is not accepted. (*Council 23/11/2014*)

### **Central Asian Ovtcharka** from 1<sup>st</sup> June 2017

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Completed Mental Test or completed MH Mental Description. An interrupted Mental Test or an interrupted Mental Description is not accepted. (*Council 28/05/2017*)

### **Dobermann\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Training qualification in Class 2 of Working Trial in Tracking, Seeking, Messenger or Searching, or training qualification in Class 1 of IPO trial, Protection Trial (SchH), Special Tracking Trial (FH) or Rescue Dog (IPOR-A) Trial. (*Council 23/11/2003*)

### **Dogo argentino\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

### **Entlebuch Cattle Dog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

### **Giant Schnauzer\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Training qualification in Class 1 of Working Trial or pass in Rescue Dog (IPOR-A) Trial. (*Council 23/11/2003*)

### **Hovawart\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Training qualification in Class 2 of Working or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial. (*Council 18/11/2000*)

### **Rottweiler\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
Training qualification in Class 2 of Working or Rescue (IPOR) Dog Trial. (*Council 18/11/2000*)

### **Sarplaninac**



Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in Mental Test or training qualification in Class 1 of Working or Rescue Dog (IPOR) Trial.  
(Council 18/11/2000)

#### **Schnauzer\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

### **FCI 3**

#### **Airedale Terrier\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in Mental Test or training qualification in Class 1 of Working or Rescue Dog (IPOR) trial. (Council 18/11/2000)

#### **American Staffordshire Terrier\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

#### **Border Terrier**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (cave) (FI KVA-L)

2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO 1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one of these results must be gained in a common trial.

Finnish Working Champion (hunting) (FI KVA-M)

2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland. (Council 05/05/2005)

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)

3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

#### **Brazilian Terrier**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)

3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

#### **Cairn Terrier**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (cave) (FI KVA-L)

2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO 1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one of these results must be gained in a common trial.

Finnish Working Champion (hunting) (FI KVA-M)

2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland. (Council 05/05/2005)

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)

3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

#### **Cesky Terrier**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (cave) (FI KVA-L)

2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO 1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one of these results must be achieved in a common trial.

Finnish Working Champion (hunting) (FI KVA-M)  
2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland. (Council 05/05/2005)

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)  
3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

### **German Hunting Terrier**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
1 x LUME 1 or 2 x LUTB under at least two different chief judges or 1 x LUTB and VERI 1 or MEJÄ-AVO 1 or VAHI 1 (Council 23/11/2014)

Finnish Working Champion (cave) (FI KVA-L)  
2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO 1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one of these results must be gained in a common trial.

Finnish Working Champion (hunting) (FI KVA-M)  
2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland.

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)  
3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

### **Jack Russell Terrier**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements. (Council 09/05/2002)

Finnish Working Champion (cave) (FI KVA-L)  
2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO 1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one of these results must be gained in a common trial. (Council 09/05/2002)

Finnish Working Champion (hunting) (FI KVA-M)  
2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland. (Council 21/11/1998)

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)  
3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

### **Fox Terrier, Wire & Smooth**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (cave) (FI KVA-L)  
2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO 1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one of these results must be gained in a common trial.

Finnish Working Champion (hunting) (FI KVA-M)  
2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland. (Council 05/05/2005)

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)  
3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

### **Lakeland Terrier**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (cave) (FI KVA-L)  
2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO 1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one of these results must be gained in a common trial.

Finnish Working Champion (hunting) (FI KVA-M)  
2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland. (Council 05/05/2005)

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)  
3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

#### **Parson Russell Terrier**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements. (Council 08/05/1997)

Finnish Working Champion (cave) (FI KVA-L)  
2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO 1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one of these results must be gained in a common trial. (Council 08/05/1997)

Finnish Working Champion (hunting) (FI KVA-M)  
2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland.

Finnish Working Champion (water game) (FI KVA-V)  
3 x VERI 1, under two different chief judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

### **FCI 4**

#### **Dachshunds (standard)**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

- a) 1 x LUTB or 2 x LUTC
- b) 1 x MÄAJ-1 or 2 x MÄAJ-2
- c) 1 x MEJÄ-AVO 1 or 2 x MEJÄ-AVO 2
- d) 1 x LUME1 (Council 17/05/2007)
- e) 1 x VERI 1 or 2 x VERI 2, results gained after 1.1.2009 (Council 30/11/2008)
- f) 1 x VAHI (Council 30/11/2008)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

- a) FI KVA-L 2 x LUTB + 1 x LUTA + LUO1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland and at least one of these results in a common trial.
- b) FI KVA-A 3 x MÄAJ-1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland and at least one of these in a common trial.
- c) FI KVA-M 2 x LUME 1, under two different judges in Finland. (Council 05/05/2005)
- d) FI KVA-V 3 x VERI 1, under at least two different judges in Finland. (Council 22/11/2009)

#### **Rabbit and Miniature Dachshunds**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

- a) 1 x MEJÄ-AVO 1 or 2 x MEJÄ-AVO 2
- b) 1 x MÄAJ-1 or 2 x MÄAJ-2
- c) 1 x VAHI (Council 30/11/2008)
- d) 1 x PIKA 1, results gained after 1.6.2009 (Council 30/11/2008)

Finnish Working Champion (Working Trial for Dachshunds) (FI KVA-A)

3 x MÄAJ-1 under at least two different chief judges in Finland and at least one of these gained in a common trial.

## **FCI 5**

### **American Akita**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Completed Mental Test or completed MH Mental Description. An interrupted Mental Test or an interrupted Mental Description is not accepted. (*Council 26/05/2013*)

### **Basenji**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (Lure Coursing) (FI KVA - M)

5 x Lure Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (*Council 23/11/2013*)

Finnish Working Champion (Racing) (FI KVA - R)

5 x Racing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons and on at least two different race tracks. (*Council 09/05/2002*)

Finnish Working Champion (Pack Coursing) (FI KVA - A)

5 x Pack Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (*Council 23/11/2013*)

### **Cirneco dell'Etna**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (Lure Coursing) (FI KVA - M)

5 x Lure Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (*Council 23/11/2013*)

Finnish Working Champion (Racing) (FI KVA - R)

5 x Racing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons and on at least two different race tracks. (*Council 09/05/2002*)

Finnish Working Champion (Pack Coursing) (FI KVA - A)

5 x Pack Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (*Council 23/11/2013*)

### **Finnish Lapphund\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements. (*Council 21/11/1998*)

### **Finnish Spitz, Karelian Bear Dog and Norrbottenspitz**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

1 x LINT 1 or 2 x LINT 2 or 1 x HIRV1

The result LINT AVO 1 or 2 the dog has gained before 1.8.2018 is equivalent to a LINT 1 or 2 result.

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

4 x LINT 1. Results must be gained under at least two different chief judges and over at least two different trial seasons. At least one of these results must be gained in a common trial. No more than two results can be gained in a trial that lasts an entire trial season. A trial season corresponds to a hunting year, 1.8–31.7. The results LINT AVO 1 and LINT VOI 1 the dog has gained before 1.8.2018 are equivalent to LINT 1 results, or

4 x HIRV1. Results must be gained under at least two different chief judges. No more than two results can be gained in a trial that lasts an entire trial season. (*Council 26/11/2017*)

### **Ibizan Hounds**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (Lure Coursing) (FI KVA - M)

5 x Lure Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (*Council 23/11/2013*)

Finnish Working Champion (Racing) (FI KVA - R)

5 x Racing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons and on at least two different race tracks. (Council 09/05/2002)

Finnish Working Champion (Pack Coursing) (FI KVA - A)

5 x Pack Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (Council 23/11/2013)

### **Iceland Sheepdog**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Completed Mental Test or completed MH Mental Description, an interrupted Mental Test or an interrupted Mental Description is not accepted; or at least training qualification TK1 (3 x TOKO ALO1) in Novice Class in Obedience, or pass in Companion Dog Test. (Council 29/11/2015)

### **Laika Dogs**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

1 x LINT-AVO1 or 2 x LINT AVO2 or 1 x HIRV1 or 2 X HIRV2 or passed Bear Hunting Ability Test in Finland or 1 x LINT-AVO2 and 1 x HIRV2. (Council 27/05/2012)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

4 x HIRV1. Results must be gained under at least two different chief judges. No more than two results can be gained in a trial that lasts an entire trial season, or 3 x LINT-VO1. Results must be gained under at least two different chief judges. (Council 27/05/2012)

### **Lapponian Herder\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements. (Council 21/11/1998)

### **Norwegian Elkhound Grey, Norwegian Elkhound Black, Swedish White Elkhound, Hälleforshund and Swedish Elkhound**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

2 x HIRV1 (Council 27/05/2012)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

4 x HIRV1. Results under at least two different chief judges. No more than two results can be gained in a trial that lasts an entire trial season. (Council 27/05/2012)

### **Pharaoh Hound**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (Lure Coursing) (FI KVA - M)

5 x Lure Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (Council 23/11/2013)

Finnish Working Champion (Racing) (FI KVA - R)

5 x Racing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons and on at least two different race tracks. (Council 09/05/2002)

Finnish Working Champion (Pack Coursing) (FI KVA - A)

5 x Pack Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (Council 23/11/2013)

### **Podengo Portuguese**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (Lure Coursing) (FI KVA - M)

5 x Lure Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (Council 23.11.13)

Finnish Working Champion (Racing) (FI KVA - R)

5 x Racing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons and on at least two different race tracks. (Council 09/05/2002)

Finnish Working Champion (Pack Coursing) (FI KVA - A)  
5 x Pack Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (Council 23/11/2013)

### **Samoyed**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)  
2 x pass in Racing Test for Sled Dogs at the minimum age of 15 months as well as 1 x Excellent in Working Test for Sled Dogs in lead dog position or 2 x Excellent in Working Test for Sled Dogs in other position.  
(Council 15/11/1997)

### **Siberian Husky**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
The result Excellent in Racing Test for Sled Dogs, or 1 x the result Excellent in Working Test for Sled Dogs and 1 x the result Accepted in Racing Test for Sled Dogs, or 2 x the result Good in Working Test for Sled Dogs and 1 x the result Accepted in Racing Test for Sled Dogs. (Council 27/11/2005)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)  
1 x Excellent in Racing Test for Sled Dogs and 1 x Excellent in Working Test for Sled Dogs in lead dog position.

## **FCI 6**

### **Alpenländische Dachsbracke**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
1 x MEJÄ-AVO 1 or 1 x VAHI 1 or DRAJ-AVO 1 or DKAJ-AVO 1 (Council 25.11.12)

### **Beagle**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
1 x BEAJ 1 P or 1 x BEAJ 1 L + 1 x BEAJ 3 P (Council 08/05/1997)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)  
3 x BEAJ 1 in Finland, gained over at least two different trial seasons. A trial season corresponds to a hunting year, 1.8–31.7.  
At least one BEAJ 1 result must be gained on bare ground and at least one result in a common trial. No more than one result can be gained in a trial that lasts an entire trial season, or, if gained before 1.8.2017, in a two-week trial. (Council 26/11/2017)

Finnish Working Champion (fox) (FI KVA-K)  
3 x KEAJ-1 in Finland, gained over two different trial seasons. One of the results must be gained in a common trial. A trial season corresponds to a hunting year, 1.8–31.7. No more than one KEAJ-1 result gained in a trial that lasts an entire trial season, or, if gained before 1.8.2017, gained in a two-week trial, counts towards the title Finnish Working Champion (fox). The Hunting Trial for Hounds – Fox is not considered to be a breed-specific trial for the Beagle, and a result gained in it does not entitle the dog for a Champion title. (Council 26/11/2017)

### **Bassets**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)  
No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)  
3 x DRAJ-VOI 1 in Finland, at least one of which is gained in a common trial and at least one on bare ground. (Council 31/05/2008)

Finnish Working Champion (fox) (FI KVA-K)  
3 x DKAJ-AVO 1 in Finland, of which at least one result is gained in a common trial. (Council 31/05/2008)

**Basset fauve de Bretagne** from 1st August 2017

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

1 x MEJÄ-AVO 3 or 1 x DRAJ-AVO 3 or 1 x DKAJ-AVO 3 or 1 x AJOK 3. (*Council 28/05/2017*)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

3 x DRAJ-VOI 1 gained in Finland. No more than two DRAJ-VOI 1 results can be replaced with AJOK-1 results. One AJOK-1 result may be gained in a long trial. At least one result must be gained on bare ground. (*Council 28/05/2017*)

Finnish Working Champion (fox) (FI KVA-K)

3 x DKAJ-AVO 1 in Finland, of which at least one result is gained in a common trial. (*Council 28/05/2017*)

**Bloodhound**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

HIJÄ ALO-1 (*Council 31/05/2015*)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

Can only obtain the Tracking Champion title.

Finnish Tracking Champion (Human Scent Trial) FI JVA-H

3 x pass in Winner's Class in Bloodhound Tracking Trial (*Council 27.11.11*) under at least two different chief judges. (*Council 21/11/1998*)

**Bavarian Mountain Scenthound and Hanoverian Scenthound**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

1 x MEJÄ-AVO 1 or 2 x MEJÄ-AVO 2

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

Can only obtain the Tracking Champion title.

**Dalmatian\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

**Drever**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

1 x DRAJ-VOI 2 or 1 x DKAJ- AVO 1 and DKAJ-AVO 2 (*Council 25.11.12*)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

3 x DRAJ-VOI 1 gained in Finland. No more than two DRAJ-VOI 1 results can be replaced with AJOK-1 results. One AJOK-1 result may be gained in a long trial. At least one result must be gained on bare ground. (*Council 29/11/2015*)

Finnish Working Champion (fox) (FI KVA-K)

3 x DKAJ-1 or 3 x KEAJ-1 or a combination of these (*Council 26/11/2017*)

**Estonian Hound**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

1 x BEAJ 1 or 1 x KEAJ 1 or 1 x AJOK 1 (*Council 26/05/2013*)

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

4 x BEAJ 1 in Finland, gained over at least two different trial seasons. A trial season corresponds to a hunting year, 1.8–31.7. (*Council 22/11/2009*) At least one BEAJ 1 result must be gained on snowy ground and at least two on bare ground. No more than one BEAJ 1 can be gained in a two-week trial. AJOK 1 results gained before 1.8.2011 are equivalent to BEAJ 1 results. (*Council 26/05/2013*)

**Finnish Hound and other long-legged hounds**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

1 x AJOK-1 or 1 x KEAJ-1

During the transition period, an AVO-1 result gained before 1.8.2002 in Hunting Trials for Hounds on either

Hare or Fox counts towards the Champion title.

**Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)**

4 x AJOK-1, gained over at least two different trial seasons. A trial season corresponds to a hunting year, 1.8–31.7. At least two results counting towards the Working Champion title must be gained on bare ground and one on snowy ground.

One AJOK-1 result gained in a trial that lasts an entire trial season, or, if gained before 1.8.2016, in a two-week trial, counts towards the Working Champion title. *(Council 29/05/2016)*

**Finnish Working Champion (fox) (FI KVA-K)**

4 x KEAJ-1, gained over at least two different trial seasons. A trial season corresponds to a hunting year, 1.8–31.7. One KEAJ-1 result gained in a trial that lasts an entire trial season, or, if gained before 1.8.2016, in a two-week trial, counts towards the Working Champion title. *(Council 29/05/2016)*

### **Otterhound**

**Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)**

No trial result requirements.

**Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)**

3 x DRAJ-VOI 1 in Finland, at least one of which is gained in a common trial and at least one on bare ground. *(Council 31/05/2008)*

**Finnish Working Champion (fox) (FI KVA-K)**

3 x DKAJ-AVO 1 in Finland, of which at least one result is gained in a common trial. *(Council 31/05/2008)*

**Small Swiss Hounds (Bernese, Jura, Luzern and Schwyz) From 1.8.2017**

**Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)**

1 x MEJÄ-AVO 3 or 1 x DRAJ-AVO 3 or 1 x DKAJ-AVO 3 or 1 x AJOK-3 *(Council 28/05/2017)*

**Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)**

3 x DRAJ-VOI 1 gained in Finland. No more than two DRAJ-VOI 1 results can be replaced with AJOK-1 results. One AJOK-1 result may be gained in a long trial. At least one result must be gained on bare ground. *(Council 28/05/2017)*

**Finnish Working Champion (fox) (FI KVA-K)**

3 x DKAJ-AVO 1 in Finland, of which at least one result is gained in a common trial. *(Council 28/05/2017)*

### **Rhodesian Ridgeback**

**Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)**

No trial result requirements.

**Finnish Working Champion (Lure Coursing) (FI KVA - M)**

5 x Lure Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons *(Council 30/05/2010)*

**Finnish Working Champion (Pack Coursing) (FI KVA - A)**

5 x Pack Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. *(Council 23/11/2013)*

## **FCI 7**

### **Pointing dogs**

**Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)**

1 x AVO 1 or 2 x AVO 2 in a Pointing Dog Trial.

**Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)**

3 x KAER-VOI 1 or 3 x certificate gained in some other pointing dog trial under at least two different chief judges in Finland. At least one result must be gained in a common trial. At least one of the KAER VOI 1 results must be gained on forest bird and at least one on field bird. Before the dog is granted the Working Champion title, it must have gained two (2) results of a level AVO 2 or better, and these results must have been gained by game being shot for the dog, recorded in the trial result with the code P.



## **FCI 8**

### **American Cocker Spaniel, Portuguese Water Dog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

3 x SPME-VOI 1 in Finland under at least two different chief judges, at least one of which is gained in a common trial and one in a water fowl trial (SPME-V).

### **American Water Spaniel, Nederlandse Kooikerhondje, Lagotto Romagnolo\*, Frisian Water Dog**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements.

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

3 x VOI 1 in Hunting Trial for Spaniels under at least two different chief judges. At least one of the results must be gained in a common trial. (*Council 27/11/2011*)

### **Barbet, Cocker Spaniel, Clumber Spaniel, Field Spaniel, Irish Water Spaniel, Sussex Spaniel**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in Working Ability Test for Spaniels SPA 1, or at least AVO 3 in Hunting Trial for Spaniels.

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

3 x VOI 1 in Hunting Trial for Spaniels under at least two different chief judges. At least one of the results must be gained in a common trial. (*Council 27/11/2011*)

### **German Spaniel**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

1 x WACH ALO2 or NUO2. (*Council 26/05/2013*) Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

1 x WACH AVO1 + 2 x WACH-M1, of which at least one result is gained on bare ground and one on snowy ground. Results must be gained under at least two different chief judges. (*Council 26/05/2013*)

### **Retrievers\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in Working Ability Test for Retrievers in Finland, or in Hunting Trial for Retrievers in Sweden or Norway.

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

3 x NOME-B VOI1, of which at least one is gained in a game trial. Results must be gained under at least two different judges. In addition, at least the result NKM1 or the result A3 in a NOME-A or NOME-KV trial. (*Council 29/11/2015*)

Finnish Working Champion (Field Trial) (FI KVA-FT)

3 x CAC (CACIT and (R)CACIT will also be accepted) in NOME-A trial in Finland or in an international trial in Finland. A Reserve CAC is automatically changed to CAC if the CAC is awarded to a dog that has already gained the results required for the title Finnish Working Champion (Field Trial), or if the trial result for the dog that was awarded with CAC is disqualified or invalidated. (*Council 29/11/2015*)

Finnish Working Champion (Working Trial) (FI KVA-WT)

3 x CAC in Finland. In addition, at least the result NKM1 or the result A3 in a NOME-A or NOME-KV trial. A Reserve CAC is automatically changed to CAC if the CAC is awarded to a dog that has already gained the results required for the title Finnish Working Champion (Working Trial), or if the trial result for the dog that was awarded with CAC is disqualified or invalidated. (*Council 29/11/2015*)

### **Spanish Water Dog\***

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Completed Mental Test or completed MH Mental Description. An interrupted Mental Test or an interrupted Mental Description is not accepted. (*Council 31/05/2015*)

### **Springer Spaniels**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

Pass in Working Ability Test for Spaniels SPA 1, or at least AVO 3 in Hunting Trial for Spaniels.

Finnish Working Champion (FI KVA)

3 x SPME-VOI 1 in Finland under at least two different chief judges, at least one of which is gained in a common trial and one in a water fowl trial (SPME-V).

## **FCI 10**

### **Sighthounds**

Finnish Show Champion (FI MVA)

No trial result requirements. (*Council 09/05/2002*)

Finnish Working Champion (Lure Coursing) (FI KVA - M)

5 x Lure Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (*Council 23/11/2013*)

Finnish Working Champion (Racing) (FI KVA - R)

5 x Racing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons and on at least two different race tracks. (*Council 09/05/2002*)

Finnish Working Champion (Pack Coursing) (FI KVA - A)

5 x Pack Coursing Certificate, gained over at least two different race seasons. (*Council 23/11/2013*)