

CHARTER AND BYLAWS of THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB, Inc.

ARTICLE IV, Section 1

(To be read at the September 15, 2020 Delegates Meeting)

The AKC Board of Directors approves this amendment

Rule (Bylaw or Regulation)
(Line Out)

Proposed
(Line In)

Comments

ARTICLE IV

SECTION 1. All Clubs or Associations which have held at least three Dog Shows, Obedience Trials, Field Trials, or Agility Trials in consecutive years under rules of the AKC and all Specialty Clubs which have been or shall be formed for the improvement of any breed of purebred dogs shall be eligible to become members of the AKC.

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This amendment was proposed by the Delegate Parent Club Committee and brought forward by Staff to the Board of Directors.

This amendment would prohibit a local Specialty Club from applying to AKC for Member Club status in accordance with Article IV of the Bylaws.