

# Application to Allow One Judge at a Tracking Trial

(Reference to Section 1.26 of the Tracking Regulations)

In some special instances, and with permission from the ASCA Business Office, one Judge may act in lieu of two Judge requirement (Section 1.22 Judging Assignments) at a Sanctioned Tracking Trial, with limitations.

Permission will be decided on a case-by-case basis and is for Affiliates who would not otherwise be able to hold Tracking Trial without this permission, or Affiliates who demonstrate plausible need, including but not limited to financial, site, Judge Availability, or other constraints.

## LIMITATIONS:

1. The Application applies to the following Tests only: Tracking Dog (TD), and Tracking Dog Urban (TDU).
2. The Tracking Trial may consist of one or both Tests, but the maximum number of dogs to be judged by a single Judge at one Trial is a total of six (6) or fewer, including Alternate tracks used for titling.
3. Application must be made for EACH Tracking Trial for which special permission is sought.
4. Provisional Tracking Judges (TD/TDU) may NOT judge as a single Judge at any Tracking Trial.

The Application should be submitted to the ASCA Business Office together with the Tracking Test Sanctioning and the Premium.

## List of some of the practical and budgetary reasons to allow one Judge:

- There are not enough Tracking Judges available.
- Tracking Judges that are available are often brought at a great expense.
- Not all Tracking Judges are willing to work with other Tracking Judges.
- Two Judges are double the expenses for lodging, travel and food.
- Affiliates might expect to break even on a smaller Trial instead of always losing money.
- New (to Tracking) Affiliates will be encouraged to try a smaller Tracking Trial for their first time at a reasonable cost.
- Affiliates who have given in Tracking Trials die to expense will be encouraged to host them once again.
- One Judge is more practical to import to areas such as Europe (that has no Tracking Judges).
- Canadian Affiliates can use the one Judge system they already have in place for tracking.
- Affiliates will be able to make use of smaller, more obtainable sites.

<b>Name of AFFILIATE CLUB:</b>	
<b>Date &amp; Location of Trial:</b>	

Type of Test(s) offered:       TD                       TDU                      Total number of Tracks: \_\_\_\_\_  
(The Tracking Trial may consist of one or both Tests, but the maximum number of dogs to be judged by a single Judge at one Trial is a total of six (6) or fewer, including Alternate tracks used for titling.)

I hereby apply for permission to allow one Judge to Judge at the above Tracking Trial. This Application is being made for the following reason(s):

I confirm that the Judge named on the Sanctioning Request understands and accepts that she/he will be the sole Judge at this Trial.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of TEST SECRETARY

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_