

FARM DOG CERTIFICATION TEST EVALUATION FORM

Host Club/Event: _____ Location: _____ Date: _____

Dog Name: _____ AKC Registration/Listing No.: _____ Breed: _____

Owner Name: _____ Judge Name: _____

IMPORTANT: Test result form only – see FDC Test Guide for complete test requirements.

	Pass	Needs Training
1. Greet Evaluator – Initial Dog Appraisal Handler approaches evaluator, dog stops at handler's side on a <u>loose lead</u> while evaluator performs introduction.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Perform a Walk Pattern around Farm Environment and by Passive Stranger The handler walks the dog on a <u>loose lead</u> in a prescribed pattern through farm objects. A passive stranger sits quietly on course.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Jump on Hay/Straw Bale The handler instructs the dog to jump up on a bale of hay and stay on the bale for a minimum of 10 seconds while maintaining a loose lead.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Walk by Farm Animal(s) The handler walks the dog on a <u>loose lead</u> in view of penned farm animal(s) approximately 30 feet away from the fence line housing farm animal(s).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Walk Over or Through Unusual Surfaces The handler walks the dog on a <u>loose lead</u> over or through three different unusual surfaces, including a plastic tarp, safe wooded surface, and another typical farm environment surface.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Supervised Separation The handler places the dog in a freestanding kennel or dog crate and walks out of sight for 2 minutes.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Pass Through a Gate The handler and dog navigate through a gate on a <u>loose lead</u> , the dog must wait calmly as the handler opens the gate, calls dog through the gate opening and closes the gate.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Handler Feeds Livestock The handler performs a farm chore of feeding farm animals while the dog is secured a minimum of 30 feet away from the animal enclosure.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Reaction to Another Dog The handler is positioned in a designated area with the dog at side on <u>loose lead</u> . The dog may stand, down or sit. Another dog is walked by on lead approximately 10 feet away.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Reaction to Noise Distraction The handler may stand or quietly walk in a designated area with the dog at side on <u>loose lead</u> . The assistant creates two background noises typical to a working farm environment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Dog Approaches Livestock The handler, with the dog at side on a <u>loose lead</u> , enters a fenced area that contains livestock within a separate enclosure. The dog is introduced to livestock and encouraged to approach the pen, the dog is then called back to the handler and returns readily when called.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Physical Examination The handler physically examines the dog for any plant material, debris or objects that the dog may have collected while working on the farm.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
OVERALL TEST ASSESSMENT Was the dog consistently responsive to the handler and successfully exhibited self-control while exposed to a farm environment?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

* To pass the FDC Test, dogs must pass all elements of the test, including test assessment.

JUDGE'S SIGNATURE: _____