

The 2017 FCI Variance extended with new restriction

Mondioring is an FCI dog sport. This means, only dogs with FCI recognized pedigrees can compete in the sport. However, due to the large number of non-pedigreed dogs owned by handlers who wanted to compete in Mondioring in the US, the FCI granted the USMRA a variance for this rule, which was for 2017 - 2021. That was intended to give handlers time to secure new pedigreed dogs for competing in 2022 and beyond. However, USMRA requested an extension of the variance in 2021.

Frans Jansen, the Secretary of the FCI Mondioring Commission relayed to USMRA, via email to David Broderick, USMRA President, that the FCI Mondioring Commission has agreed to extend the variance for another 5 years (through 2026), but with a restriction. Under the new variance for years 2022 - 2026, *dogs without a FCI recognized pedigree may only be judged by USMRA Judges*. FCI Judges *may not* judge a dog without an FCI recognized pedigree. The email, sent on March 9, 2021, to David Broderick, reads as follows:

“Dear Mr. Broderick, dear David

I hope this mail finds you in good health.

In answer to your request concerning an extension to the already earlier given approval to train and examine dog without a pedigree.

On behalf of the President of the FCI Commission for Mondioring Dogs I hereby inform you that the extension to have dogs without pedigree in training and examination in Mondioring is given for another 5 years.


The restriction for these dogs without pedigree in the USA is, that examination can only be done under USMRA Judges, International Judges of the FCI are only allowed to judge only dogs with an FCI recognized pedigree.

On behalf of the president of the FCI Commission for Mondioring Dogs.

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