## **Procedure for Breach of Code of Conduct**

- 1. Handler/person(s) involved in the incident asked to leave the class immediately.
- 2. Handler/person(s) spoken to after the class by the instructor taking the class in which the incident occurred and one other independent person.
- 3. Written accounts of the incident are obtained (preferably at the time) from:
  The person(s) involved
  - The instructor of the class
  - Any witnesses to the incident
  - Forms for this purpose will be kept in a folder available at the training venue.
- 4. The Chairman and Secretary of the Club to be informed as soon as possible of the incident and all written statements forwarded to the Secretary.
- 5. Letter sent to person(s) involved within 14 days of the incident informing them of the date of the next Committee meeting when the incident will be discussed.
- 6. Following the Committee meeting a letter is sent to person(s) involved within 14 days detailing the Committee's decision and any further recommendations.
- 7. The person(s) involved then have 14 days from receipt of the letter to appeal the decision.
- 8. The person(s) allowed to continue to train their dog(s) as normal unless otherwise advised.
- 9. If an Instructor breaches the Code of Conduct the Committee will conduct the investigation.