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BRAQUE FRANÇAIS, TYPE PYRÉNÉES

(French Pointing Dog Pyrenean Type)

TRANSLATION: Mrs. Peggy Davis. Official language (FR).

ORIGIN: France.

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UTILIZATION: Pointing dog.

FCI-CLASSIFICATION: Group 7 Pointing Dogs.
Section 1.1 Continental Pointing
Dogs, type « Braque ».
With working trial.

The small size French Pointing Dogs « Pyrenean type » show, while keeping all proportions, with more reduced dimensions and lighter shapes, the same general characteristics as those of the « Gascogne type ». They only differ on the following points:

GENERAL APPEARANCE: Rustic dog, not heavy but sufficiently muscled. Skin tighter than that of the Gascogne type.

HEAD:

Nose: Chestnut-brown in colour, nostrils well opened.

Lips: The lips are less pendent or less convex than in the Gascogne type.

EARS: Leathers set on above eye line, barely folded. The tips of the leathers must end at 2 cm from the nose leather.

NECK: Slight or no dewlap.

BODY:

Underline and belly: Belly less let down than in the Gascogne type.

TAIL: Fine; can be docked or naturally short.

LIMBS

FOREQUARTERS: They are lighter than in the Gascogne type.

Shoulder: Muscular and moderately sloping.

Forefeet: Tight.

HINDQUARTERS:

Hind feet: Tight.

COAT:

Hair: Finer and shorter than that of the Gascogne Type.

SIZE: Male: **51** - 58 cm.

Female: **49** - 56 cm.

FAULTS: Any departure from the foregoing points should be considered a fault and the seriousness with which the fault should be regarded should be in exact proportion to its degree and its effect upon the health and welfare of the dog.

- Dog too heavy or hyperlight.
- Lips too droopy or too light.
- Round eyes caused by the exaggeration of the zygomatic and superciliary arches.
- Leathers set at eye level, too long (touching the nose).
- Belly too tucked up (whippety).
- Splayed feet.

DISQUALIFYING FAULTS:

- Aggressive or overly shy.
- Any dog clearly showing physical or behavioural abnormalities.
- Split nose, pronounced depigmentation of the nose leather.
- Entropion, ectropion, pink spots at the base of the eyelids.
- No tail (anury).
- Syndactyly (toes grown together), surplus toes, absence of toes.

N.B.:

- Male animals should have two apparently normal testicles fully descended into the scrotum.
- Only functionally and clinically healthy dogs, with breed typical conformation should be used for breeding.

The latest amendments are in bold characters.

SURFACE ANATOMY

