



HERDING INSTINCT EVALUATION

Dog's Registered Name: _____ Farm Name: _____
Dog's Call Name: _____ Farm Location: _____
Dog's Age: _____ Evaluator: _____
Dog's Sex: _____ Judge #/Organization: _____
Stock Experience: _____ Stock: _____
Owner(s): _____ Number Per Run: _____
Address: _____ Stock Type: _____
City, State, Zip _____ Date of Test: _____
(dog broke, light, heavy, etc.)

CDCA Leg: 1st Leg HC Herding Certified 2nd leg 3rd leg HCX Herding Certified Excellent

STYLE

- fetching
- driving
- no preference

APPROACH

- wide
- moderate
- close

EYE

- loose
- medium
- strong

WEARING

- natural
- some
- none

BARK

- silent
- force bark
- excessive

POWER

- sufficient
- excessive
- lacking

INTEREST

- sustained
- distracted
- none

BALANCE

- adjusts
- some
- none

RESPONSIVENESS

- responsive to direction
- inhibited
- unresponsive

TEMPERAMENT

- adjusts to situation
- easily distracted
- frightened of situation

GRIP

- mild
- excessive
- none

PASSED: Yes No

Comments: _____

Evaluator Signature: _____

*Note: If this dog passes the Herding Instinct Evaluation, it will be awarded the CDCA-HC (Herding Certified) title. Make three (3) copies of the completed form. Send two (2) copies to: Denise Gordon, CDCA Herding Chair; 2614 Gracewood Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45239, (one copy will be forwarded to the Awards Chair) and save one (1) copy for your records. For further information, see Herding Certification Program at www.cdca.org.