

Doplňující dotazy:

How will ÖKV solve the hairlessness of the breeds which are standardly hairless (§5(1)e)? Are these breeds forbidden to be shown in Austria?

Odpověď ÖKV: Absolute hairlessness is sometimes associated with extensive tooth loss. This can also lead to disturbances in natural food intake and thus the loss of physiological life functions. Showing of such dogs is forbidden bei the "Animal Protection Law" and they could be banned from exhibition by the official veterinarians.

What about the breeds with shaved faces - will it be any problem during EDS for them or for their owners?

Odpověď ÖKV: Shaving of the mouth is not regulated by the Animal Protection Law and even not in the comment of the law written by the DDr. Binder. There have been critics because of shaving by the official veterinarians at IDS Graz 2019, but even there and until today no dog was banned from an exhibition in Austria, but they all could be shown and participate the competitions.