

# DPCC Application for Sire of Merit/Dam of Merit Award



The Doberman Pinscher Club of Canada (DPCC) is pleased to offer the Awards of Sire of Merit (SOM) and Dam of Merit (DOM) to successful applicants.

## Application Instructions:

1. Complete the Doberman Pinscher Club of Canada Application for Sire of Merit/Dam of Merit Award (pages 2 to 4 of this document).
2. Include a photograph and 3-generation pedigree of the candidate for the DPCC records (this photograph will be returned or scan a photograph at 300 dpi). The photograph will be displayed on the DPCC website with the listing of successful applicants.
3. Complete the listing of Offspring Qualifying Applicant for SOM / DOM Award in the table provided on page 3.
  - a. registered name
  - b. CKC/AKC registration number
  - c. name of the offspring's non-applicant sire or dam, whichever applies.
  - d. titles earned
  - e. date each title was earned
4. Provide copies of documentation verifying titles of offspring.
  - a. **CKC Titles** – please include either a copy of the certificate OR the issue, date and page where the title is published in the CKC results.
  - b. **Non-CKC titles** (AKC, UDC, DVG, etc) - please include (1) a copy of the certificate OR test sheet that includes the testers name and signature, date & location AND, (2) if a progeny is not CKC-titled, a copy of the progeny's registration certificate confirming sire and dam.
5. Application Fee
  - a. **DPCC Members** – there is no application fee for DPCC members; however, all membership fees must be paid in full at time of application.
  - b. **Non DPCC Members.** A non-refundable fee of \$25.00 must be included with the application. Cheques and/or money orders should be made payable to the Doberman Pinscher Club of Canada.
6. Send the completed application, all required documentation, fees, photo and pedigree to:

**ALL INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE RETURNED. A RE-APPLICATION FEE OF \$5.00 IS REQUIRED WITH EACH RE-SUBMISSION. PHOTOS MAY BE SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY.**

**Applicants will be notified by the Awards Committee Chair that their applicant meets the requirements. Upon receipt of this notification the title SOM/DOM may be added to the end of the dog's name.**

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Applicant's/Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal/Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Award being applied for (please circle):      Sire of Merit    or    Dam of Merit

SOM/DOM Information:

Dog's Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_

CKC Registration #: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Colour: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Death (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Breeder(s): \_\_\_\_\_

- Sire of Merit: SOM
  - Dogs qualifying for this award must have offspring who have earned a cumulative total of 64 points towards their sire receiving the SOM award. Points are accumulated as noted in Table 1.1. Points may be earned from a variety of disciplines; a minimum of 44 points must have been earned from Canadian Championship points. Each offspring may contribute a maximum of 8 qualifying points from the Conformation or Performance Venues. Offspring who obtain a LC (lived 10 years) may earn an extra 2 points (in addition to the 8 point maximum).
- Dam of Merit: DOM
  - Bitches qualifying for this award must have offspring who have earned a cumulative total of 40 points towards their dam receiving the DOM award. Points are accumulated as noted in Table 1.1 (below). Points may be earned from a variety of disciplines; a minimum of 24 points must have been earned from Canadian Championship points. Each offspring may contribute a maximum of 8 points to the dam qualifying for the award. Offspring who obtain a LC (lived 10 years) may earn an extra 2 points (in addition to the 8 point maximum).

A listing of points is provided in Table 1.1 of this document.

## Guidelines:

- Titles may be either American or Canadian. Note that duplicate titles earned in both countries count only once (e.g., if an offspring receives both an American and a Canadian CD, the CD counts only once, not twice).
- Deceased and/or living dogs are eligible for the award.
- The applicant is responsible for providing all documentation to back up the applicant's claim to titles earned by offspring contributing to the SOM or DOM award.
- Membership is not a requirement to receive the award, however non-members will pay a fee of \$25 for each award. Fee must be provided with the application.



**TABLE 1.1 – TABLE OF POINTS QUALIFYING FOR SOM/DOM AWARD**

Note: Each offspring may contribute a maximum of 8 points.

	Abbreviation	Points
<b>Miscellaneous Titles</b>		
• Canine Good Neighbour	CGN	1
• Temperament Test	TT	2
• Working Aptitude Evaluation	WAC	3
<b>NOTE: A maximum of one title from this category qualifies (e.g., one TT or one WAC, not both).</b>		
<b>Obedience Titles</b>		
• Rally Novice titles	RN	1
• Novice (or equivalent for Rally)	CD, RA	2
• Intermediate	CDX, RE, BH, BV	3
• Advanced	UD	4
• Masters	MOTCH	5
<b>Agility Titles</b>		
• Novice	AgN, ADC, NAC, SGDC	2
• Intermediate	AgI, AADC, OAC, AGDC	3
• Excellent	AgX, EAC, MADC, MGDC, MJDC, MSDC, MTRDC, MSCDC	4
• Masters	AgMX, NATCH ATChC,	5
<b>Tracking Titles</b>		
• Novice	TD, FH	3
• Advanced	TDX, FH2	4
<b>Schutzhund Titles / French Ring Sport</b>		
• Novice	SchH 1 / Ring 1	3
• Intermediate	SchH 2 / Ring 2	4
• Advanced	SchH 3 / Ring 3	5
<b>Conformation Titles</b>		
• Championship (Canadian)	Ch	4
• Championship (US – AKC)	Ch	5
• Best In Specialty Show	BISS	3
• Best In Show	BIS	4
<b>Longevity Certificates</b>		
• LC* note these points may count in addition to the 8 points earned	LC	2

**Examples (not a real dog):**

**Applicant:      Dam: Ch ABC First Edition (2 litters)**

Offspring	Total Possible Points	Conformation Pts. (24 required)	Performance Pts.	Bonus Points BFL	Total Points from Dog
BIS Ch ABC One	4 (BIS) + 4 (Ch)	8	0		8
BISS Ch ABC Two	3 (BISS) + 4 (Ch)	7	0		7
Ch ABC Three CGN CD	4 (Ch) + 1 (CGN) + 2 (CD)	4	3		7
Ch ABC Four CD, RA	4 (Ch) + 2 (CD) + 2 (RA)	4	4		8
Ch ABC Five LC-10	4 (Ch) + 2 (LC)	4	0	2	6
ABC Six CDX TT	3 (CDX) + 2 (TT)	0	5		5
Ch ABC Seven	4 (Ch)	4	0		4
<b>Total Qualifying Points</b>		31	12	2	45