



Working Presa Canario Association

Presa Guard Test / Canine Guard Test

The Following exercises are to be performed by all dogs wishing to obtain a protection type title.

Only dogs which have passed the Stable Working Presa/Canine test & the Breed Suitability Test/Canine Suitability 1, may take part in the guard dog test.

Dogs who fail this test due to training or control problems (ex: refusing to out) may repeat the test the following day of the event weekend. There is no limit on retesting on an event weekend, but dogs are not allowed to repeat test the same day.

The dog equipment will be inspected and deemed suitable by WPCA official prior to beginning testing.

The helper may be outfitted with a sleeve or suit, depending on the individual dog's training.

* Handler/Dog will be known as TEAM

** All test maybe performed by Intact and Sterilized Dogs

*** Presa Only – if you do not have a registered Presa with an organization approved by WPCA, you are able to trail in the event, but you are NOT allowed to receive Presa Canario titles, the titles will be the Canine titles only.

Equipment Used Only

Flat Collar

Agitation Harness

3 to 6 ft leash

PGT I / CGT I (ALL ON LEASH PROTECTION PORTION)

**** Minimum age 15 months ****

PART A

Defender Instinct & Agitation will be down on a Back Tie ONLY

Angry Helper

Team are at assigned area, while the helper will walk up very angry yelling at the team. The Helper will work the dog (without bite for 30 seconds) the dog MUST stay forward on the line in front of the handler, defending him/her, dogs who go back to owner immediately will NOT PASS, but the helper will instantly go into Play mode trying to bring the dog back to the end of line to make sure the dog is not in fear. END OF SCENARIO

PART B

Aggression with Bite

Team at assigned area, Helper will be behind the blind, the Helper will suddenly come out from blind & attack the dog, yelling while delivering the grip on sleeve, suit (handler must request suit, prior to test starting) The dog must defend & engage the Helper stay on the attack, and the Helper upon the signal to "FREEZE" the Helper will cease fighting and the handler will be asked to command the dog to release (with or without physical manipulation) When the dog releases the grip. Handler then can attach leash. END OF SCENARIO

Protection Scenario (50 points max, passing score 40)

Defends at end of the back tie - 15

Instinct to Defend - 10

Aggression Instincts - 10

Grip - 15

PGT II / CGT II (ON LEASH PROTECTION PORTION)

**** Minimum age 18 months ****

* Handler and dog will walk to starting mark, Handler will take off leash.

- 1st Bag Escape

Handler will sit in bench while dog is either in a sit or down on left side & a bag will be on the right side that the handler will put there on designated location. Helper will calmly walk up to the bench & bag picks it up. The Helper will then start to escape with the bag. Dog should engage, hold the bite will ONLY be on the left arm of the helper or on suit must indicate where dog bites. As soon as the dog has a grip on the body of Helper, the Helper continues to fight while dog is on bite. Upon Signal "freeze" and the handler shall command the dog to out and recall dog to handler. End of Scenario

- 2nd Attack from Behind

Handler and dog will walk up to the hidden area (for helper) where the helper is behind, the handler and dog will continue to walk past the hidden decoy, the helper will come out of hidden area where the helper will walk up to talk to the handler, then try to attack the handler, dog should engage a bite to either the right or left arm of the helper or on suit must indicate where dog bites. As soon as the dog has a grip on the body of Helper, the Helper continues to fight while dog is on bite. Upon Signal "freeze" and the handler shall command the dog to out and recall dog to handler. End of Scenario

- 3rd Window Attack

Handler and dog will enter the vehicle, helper will come up to the passenger side window, & he will come up yelling to agitate the dog. Dog should engage with a bite while paws are in the vehicle. Dog will be on a harness or agitation collar & leash so dog is unable to get out of window. As soon as the dog has a grip on the body of Helper, the Helper continues to fight while dog is on bite. Upon Signal "freeze" and the handler shall command the dog to out. (SLEEVE ONLY) End of Scenario

- 4th Vehicle Attack

The dog will be put into the vehicle. Window will be rolled down, but handler can choose to close the door or leave it open (owners chose so they do not hurt the dogs hips/legs). The owner will then walk to the back of the vehicle as if to do something, helper will start up a conversation with handler, then helper will attack handler, dog must come out of vehicle and engage helper. As soon as the dog has a grip on the body of Helper, the Helper continues to fight while dog is on bite. Upon Signal "freeze" and the handler shall command the dog to out and recall dog to handler. The handler may attach the leash on the dog. End of Scenario

Protection Scenarios: 100 points (passing minimum 70)

Defense - 15

Guarding Object – 15

Close Contact - 10

Window Guard - 10

Defending Owner - 15

Grip - 15

Release – 10

Recall - 10

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