

Tibetan Spaniel

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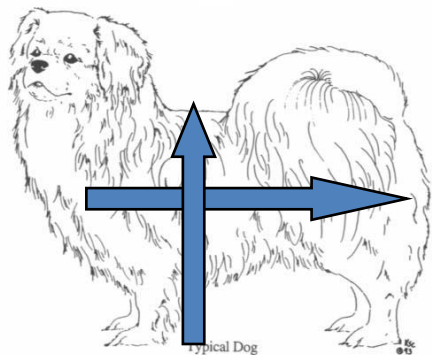
Oral Exam: Front only, Table



General Appearance

Small, active alert, Well Balanced
Slightly longer in body than height

Fault: Coarsness



Proportion

Height 10 in
Slightly longer point of shoulder to root of tail
Than height at withers

Substance

9-15 Lbs.

Faults: long in body, low to ground
Leggy or square

Head Developed by Karen Scholz 100177

Small in proportion to body



Ears

Medium size, pendant, well feathered
Set fairly high, slight lift from skull
Should not be large, heavy, lowset



Eyes

Dark brown, Oval, bright & expressive
Medium size, set well apart, apelike expression
Eye rims black
Faults: large full, light, mean, any blue



Skull

Slightly domed, moderate width & length

Faults: very domed or flat

Stop moderately defined

Muzzle: medium length, blunt w/ cushioning
Free from wrinkle

Chin should show depth & width

Faults: accentuated stop, long, plain down
face, without stop, broad flat, pointed, weak
or wrinkled



NOSE

Black

Faults: Liver or putty colored

Teeth

Slightly undershot – level permissible

Teeth should not show when mouth closed

Faults: Overshot, protruding tongue,
Undershot such that teeth exposed

Neck, Topline, Body

Neck Moderately short, strong, well set on

Topline Level

Body

Well ribbed, good depth



Forequarters

Shoulders well placed & firm

Bones of forearms slightly bowed

Moderate bone

Faults: extremely bowed or straight



Feet



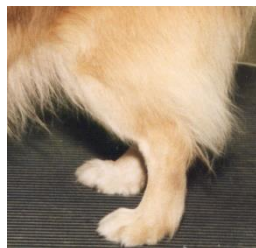
Hindquarters

Well made, strong

Hocks well let down, straight from behind

Stifles well developed, moderate angulation

Dewclaws may be removed



TAIL

Set high, richly plumed, carried in a

gay way moving

May drop when standing



Gait

Quick moving, straight, free, positive



Temperament

Gay, assertive, highly intelligent, aloof with strangers

Fault: Nervousness

Coat, Color

All colors / patterns acceptable

Double, silky texture

Smooth on face, front of legs,

Moderate length on body but laying rather flat

Ears & back of forelegs feathered

Tail & buttocks well furnished longer hair

Neck covered with Mane / Shawl more on males

Feathering on toes extend past toes, not to be cut

Not to be over coated, bitches less coat than dogs



Presentation: Unaltered!!

must have rectangle of daylight showing below

Whiskers not to be removed

