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Take 1: Pretend you are mid-course and do a good lead- out towards 2. Try blind crossing between 2 and 3 for a better approach to 4, then a front cross between 7 and 8. Note that 6 to 7 is basically a 270-degree approach, so you may want to use your backside cue.

Take 2: For skill strengthening, try it with 3 rear crosses. Use whatever tunnel bypass cue you have along with a rear cross before 4, then rear cross between 5 and 6, and again before 8.

Take 3: Get ahead and stay ahead. Try the long lead-out to between 2 and 3. Can you trust your dog's commitment to keep coming straight while you front cross and show the line to 4? Getting out in front will also take the tunnel out of the picture from 8 to 9.