

**SUMMARY OF MOTIONS**

**CFA EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING  
FEBRUARY 8/9, 2015**

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**Secretary’s Note:** The Officers and Board of Directors of the Cat Fanciers’ Association, Inc. met on Saturday, February 8, 2015, in the CFA Foundation Museum, 260 East Main Street, Alliance, Ohio. President **Mark Hannon** called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. EDT with the following members present:

- Mr. Mark Hannon (President)**
- Mr. Richard Kallmeyer (Vice President)**
- Barbara J. Schreck, J.D., C.P.A. (Treasurer)**
- Ms. Rachel Anger (Secretary)**
- Mrs. Geri Fellerman (NAR Director)**
- Mrs. Pam Moser (NWR Director)**
- Steve McCullough, D.C. (GSR Director)**
- Mr. John Colilla (GLR Director)**
- Ms. Lisa Marie Kuta (SWR Director)**
- Ms. Kathy Calhoun (MWR Director)**
- Mrs. Jean Dugger (SOR Director)**
- Mr. Edward Maeda (Japan Regional Director)**
- Mrs. Pam DelaBar (Europe Regional Director)**
- Roger Brown, DVM (Director-at-Large)**
- George Eigenhauser, Esq. (Director-at-Large)**
- Dennis Ganoe (Director-at-Large)**
- Mrs. Carol Krzanowski (Director-at-Large)**
- Mr. Richard Mastin (Director-at-Large)**
- Ginger Meeker, Ph.D. (Director-at-Large)**
- Mrs. Annette Wilson (Director-at-Large)**

**Also Present:**

- Edward L. Raymond, Jr., Esq., CFA Legal Counsel**
- Teresa Barry, Executive Director**
- Verna Dobbins, Director of CFA Services**
- Jodell Raymond, Communication/Special Events**
- Brian Buetel, Central Office**
- Shino Wiley, Japanese Interpreter**

**Secretary’s Note:** For the ease of the reader, some items were discussed at different times but were included with their particular agenda item.

**(1) ADDITIONS/CORRECTIONS; RATIFICATION OF ON-LINE MOTIONS.**

**RATIFICATION OF ON-LINE MOTIONS**

	<b>Moved/ Seconded</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Vote</b>
<b>1.</b>	Anger Meeker 10/31/2014	Due to the health situation of one of its contracted judges causing her to cancel the show, grant the Taiwan Cat Fanciers emergency permission to change the judging assignment from Yayoi Satoh to Wakako Nagayama at its one-day four ring show (125 entry limit) in Taichung Taiwan	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Moser and Maeda did not vote.

	<b>Moved/ Seconded</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Vote</b>
		on November 9, 2014 (International Division).	
<b>2.</b>	Anger Kallmeyer 11/05/14	Grant an exception to Show Rule 12.04 and allow the Ice City Cat Fans Club to change the judging assignment from Yayoi Satoh to Annette Wilson, and to amend its show license to add a Shorthair specialty ring, from 7 Allbreed/1 Longhair to 7 Allbreed/1 Double Specialty at its two-day, 225 entry limit back-to-back show in Shenyang China on December 6/7, 2014 (International Division).	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Schreck did not vote.
<b>3.</b>	Anger Meeker 11/11/14	Grant an exception to Show Rule 25.13 for the Club Felino Espanol (Region 9) to be held in Madrid, Spain, on December 13/14, 2014 to allow the use of an additional guest judge.	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Kuta abstained. Schreck and Calhoun did not vote.
<b>4.</b>	Calhoun Meeker 01/01/15	Grant an exception to Show Rule 12.04 and allow the Crab and Mallet Cat Club to change its show license to add two Super Specialty rings for each class (Kittens, Championship, Premiership) to its show on March 14/15, 2015 in Pikesville, Maryland (Region 7), making the format 1 AB, 2 AB/Super Specialty Kittens, 2 AB/Super Specialty Championship, 2 AB/Super Specialty Premiership, and 1 Double Specialty.	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Fellerman, Moser and Ganoe voting no.
<b>5.</b>	Executive Committee 01/06/15	Due to the retirement of Rhett Bockman from the CFA Judging Program, in accordance with Show Rule 12.04, allow the Cat Club of the Palm Beaches to replace him with Liz Watson at their January 17/18, 2015 show in Ormond Beach, Florida (Region 7).	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>6.</b>	Executive Committee 01/07/15	Due to a medical emergency, in accordance with Show Rule 12.04, allow the Japan Regional Show to replace Yayoi Satoh with Aki Tamura at their January 10/11, 2015 show in Tokyo, Japan (Region 8).	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>7.</b>	Executive Committee 01/07/15	Due to a medical emergency, in accordance with Show Rule 12.04, allow the Cleveland Persian Society to replace Donna Jean Thompson with Chuck Gradowski at their January 17/18, 2015 show in Cleveland, Ohio (Region 4).	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>8.</b>	Anger Wilson 01/08/15	Due to a medical emergency, in accordance with Show Rule 12.04, allow the Takarazuka Cat Fanciers to replace Yayoi Sato with Kenji Takano, and to switch Yaeko Takano (currently judging on Saturday, January 24) with Kayoko Koizumi (currently judging on Sunday, January 25) at its 6x6 show on January 24/25, 2015, in Hyogo, Japan (Region 8).	<b>Motion Carried.</b>

	<b>Moved/ Seconded</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Vote</b>
<b>9.</b>	Executive Committee 01/12/15	Due to a medical emergency, in accordance with Show Rule 12.04, allow the Ice City Cat Fans to replace Yayoi Satoh with Rachel Anger at their January 31/February 1, 2015 show in Shen Yang, China (International Division).	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>10.</b>	Executive Committee 01/22/15	Grant an exception to Show Rule 12.04 and allow K-Kats to change its show license from a 125 entry limit to a 150 entry limit at its 8 AB, 2 SP/AB show to be held on February 6/7, 2015 in Kuwait City, Kuwait (International Division).	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>11.</b>	Anger Meeker 02/04/15	Grant the Edelweiss Cat Club an exception to Show Rule 22.02.b. and allow them to award and have scored best through 5th best champion in its 3 MAINE COON breed specialty rings, and best through 5th best champion in its 3 SCOTTISH FOLD LH & SH breed specialty rings at its one day, 6 ring show in Moscow, Russia, on February 15, 2015 (Region 9).	<b>Motion Failed.</b>

#### **RATIFICATION OF TELECONFERENCE MOTIONS**

	<b>Moved/ Seconded</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Vote</b>
<b>• From December 9, 2014 Teleconference •</b>			
<b>1.</b>	Eigenhauser	Accept the Committee's recommendations on the protests not in dispute.	<b>Motion Carried.</b> (vote sealed)
<b>2.</b>	Wilson Eigenhauser	Accept the resignation request of Carolyn Lyons-Prisser, effective December 31, 2014.	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>3.</b>	Wilson Krzanowski	Accept the retirement request of Yoko Imai, effective December 31, 2014.	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>4.</b>	Wilson Krzanowski	Accept the request for an extension to leave of absence until January 1, 2015 from Patty Jacobberger.	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>5.</b>	Wilson McCullough	That Show Rule 3.02d (Old Rule 25.02d) be effective January 1, 2015. Guest Judges already under contract for shows through April 30, 2014 will have those shows grandfathered, but no new permissions will be given for the current show season.	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
<b>6.</b>	Wilson McCullough	Adopt Show Rule 3.02d, as amended.	<b>Motion Carried.</b>

	<b>Moved/ Seconded</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Vote</b>
7.	Wilson McCullough	That Show Rule 3.02d be effective January 1, 2015.	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Anger, DelaBar, Kuta, Eigenhauser, Meeker and Schreck voting no.
8.	Wilson Anger	Advance Amanda Cheng to approval pending Longhair (1 <sup>st</sup> specialty).	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Fellerman abstained.
9.	Wilson Anger	Advance Suki Lee to approval pending Longhair (1 <sup>st</sup> specialty).	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Fellerman and Moser abstained.
10.	Anger Eigenhauser	Accept the resignations of Gulf Shore Siamese (Region 3) and Tejas Siamese Fanciers (Region 3).	<b>Motion Carried.</b> McCullough voting no.
11.	Anger Eigenhauser	Grant an exception to Show Rule 25.13 to allow the Warwick Valley Feline Fanciers and Cat's Incredible to switch Jeri Zottoli (currently judging on Saturday, March 21) with Walter Hutzler (currently judging on Sunday, March 22) at its 6x6 show on March 21/22, 2015 in Matamoras, Pennsylvania (Region 1).	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
12.	Anger Eigenhauser	Grant an exception to Show Rule 25.13 to allow the Cat Fanciers Club of Thailand to change from a 2 day show scheduled for March 7/8, 2015 to 2 shows in 3 days on March 6/7/8, 2014. One show would be 4 rings (a 1 day show); then 8 rings back to back for the other 2 days.	<b>Withdrawn.</b>
13.	Krzanowski Kallmeyer	Accept the application of the China East Cat Fanciers, International Division – Asia (Changchun, China).	<b>Motion Failed.</b> McCullough voting yes.
14.	Krzanowski Kallmeyer	Accept the application of the China Cat Party Club, International Division – Asia (Shenyang, China).	<b>Motion Carried.</b> McCullough and Moser voting no.
15.	Krzanowski Eigenhauser	Approve the following rule proposals that had been referenced at the October Board meeting as rules that the Board needed to “go back” and fix: 5.01f; 5.02h; 7.09d.	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
16.	Krzanowski Eigenhauser	Approve a clarification of Show Rule 4.07.a3 – requires two specialty rings in shows licensed as back-to-back regardless of number of rings requested.	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Schreck voting no.

	<b>Moved/ Seconded</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Vote</b>
17.	Moser McCullough	Amend Show Rule 4.07.a3 by removing the last sentence: <i>For shows licensed in the International Division this restriction does not apply.</i>	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
18.	Schreck DelaBar	That contractual discussions be moved to executive session.	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Moser voting no. McCullough abstained.
19.	Ganoe DelaBar	Change the Breeding of Domestic and Non-Domestic Cats policy as follows (deleted text in strikeout):  <i>“The Cat Fanciers’ Association, Inc., does not encourage or promote the breeding of non-domestic (wild) cats of any species to any domesticated Cats. <del>The Cat Fanciers’ Association, Inc. will not consider for registration the offspring of such a breeding</del>“</i>	<b>Motion Failed.</b> Anger, Fellerman, Moser, Colilla, Kuta, DelaBar, Ganoe and Mastin voting yes.
20.	DelaBar Ganoe	Discuss the above issue at the February board meeting.	<b>Motion Carried.</b> Wilson, Brown and McCullough abstained.
21.	Kuta Eigenhauser	Change the wording on the CFA website regarding spay/neuter information in the following areas under “Cat Care”:  1. Spay Neuter FAQs that should be changed/updated. (This is also the wording in the CFA pamphlet - "Neuter and Spay - It's the Humane Way" and should be changed as well.) <a href="http://www.cfa.org/CatCare/SpayNeuter/SpayNeuterFAQs.aspx">http://www.cfa.org/CatCare/SpayNeuter/SpayNeuterFAQs.aspx</a>	<b>Motion Carried.</b>
22.	Kuta Eigenhauser	Change the wording on the CFA website regarding spay/neuter information in the following areas under “Cat Care”:  2. Spay/Neuter Programs – should be changed/updated. <a href="http://www.cfa.org/CatCare/SpayNeuter/SpayNeuterPrograms.aspx">http://www.cfa.org/CatCare/SpayNeuter/SpayNeuterPrograms.aspx</a>	<b>Motion Carried.</b>

**Ms. Anger** moved on standing motion to ratify the online motions. Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski, Motion Carried.**

**Ms. Anger** moved on standing motion to accept the October 2014 minutes, as published. Seconded by **Mr. Eigenhauser, Motion Carried.**

**(2) JUDGING PROGRAM.**

**Chair Mrs. Wilson** moved to grant an extension to the medical leave of absence to Donna Jean Thompson until May 1, 2015. Seconded by **Ms. Anger, Motion Carried.**

**Mrs. Wilson** moved to accept the following retirement requests:

- Rhett Bockman, effective immediately. Seconded by **Ms. Anger, Motion Carried** with regret.
- Paul Patton, effective August 3, 2015. Seconded by **Ms. DelaBar, Motion Carried** with regret.

**Mrs. Wilson** moved to adopt the following Judging Program Rule, effective with the next reprinting:

Rule #	SECTION XI – INTERNATIONAL DIVISION, Paragraph 3.	
	Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
	<p><b>3. REQUIREMENTS FOR GUEST JUDGES TO THE CFA JUDGING PROGRAM</b></p> <p>a. Invitations from CFA clubs for non-CFA Judges are subject to the approval of the CFA Judging Program Committee and may be considered only by Approved Allbreed, Approval Pending Allbreed or Approved Specialty Judges whose license from an accepted association is on file with the Judging Program Committee and who have been actively judging with their parent association for a minimum of five (5) years. Individuals may guest judge for CFA a maximum of five (5) times per show season and a maximum of two (2) times per club, per show season. A Judge may only judge the level at which they are licensed.</p> <p>b. CFA Judging contracts will be used on all authorized CFA shows. CFA Show Rules and CFA Breed Standards are to be followed by ALL judges authorized to officiate as guest Judges at CFA shows.</p> <p>c. A Guest Judge Evaluation Form will be completed by the club and mailed to the Judging Program Committee within thirty (30) days of the show.</p>	<p><b>3. REQUIREMENTS FOR GUEST JUDGES TO THE CFA JUDGING PROGRAM</b></p> <p>a. Invitations from CFA clubs for non-CFA Judges are subject to the approval of the CFA Judging Program Committee and may be considered only by Approved Allbreed, Approval Pending Allbreed or Approved Specialty Judges whose license from an accepted association is on file with the Judging Program Committee and who have been actively judging with their parent association for a minimum of five (5) years. <u>Individuals must be able to read and speak English sufficiently to understand the CFA Standards and Show Rules and present a final.</u> Individuals may guest judge for CFA a maximum of five (5) times per show season and a maximum of two (2) times per club, per show season. A Judge may only judge the level at which they are licensed.</p> <p>b. CFA Judging contracts will be used on all authorized CFA shows. CFA Show Rules and CFA Breed Standards are to be followed by ALL judges authorized to officiate as guest Judges at CFA shows.</p> <p>c. A Guest Judge Evaluation Form will be completed by the club and mailed to the Judging Program Committee within thirty (30) days of the show.</p>
<p><b>RATIONALE:</b> This request was brought to the JPC as a result of a Region 9 meeting. While the JPC feels that evaluating proficiency in English would be impossible, we can certainly note at the time a club or guest judge requests permission that it is required that the guest judge be able to read (to understand the standards) and speak (sufficient to discuss the cats in finals) English.</p>		

Seconded by **Ms. DelaBar, Motion Carried.** Eigenhauser, Fellerman, Moser, McCullough, Meeker, Kuta, Krzanowski and Mastin voting no.

**Mrs. Wilson** moved to accept the following acceptances and advancements:

**Accept as Trainee:**

<i>Danny Tai</i>	<i>(Longhair – 1<sup>st</sup> specialty)</i>	<i>Hong Kong</i>	<i>20 yes</i>
<i>Fung Chun Kit (Kit)</i>	<i>(Shorthair – 1<sup>st</sup> specialty)</i>	<i>Hong Kong</i>	<i>20 yes</i>
<i>Wendy Heidt</i>	<i>(Longhair – 1<sup>st</sup> specialty)</i>	<i>Vancouver, WA</i>	<i>20 yes</i>

**Advance to Approval Pending:**

<i>John Adelhoch</i>	<i>(LH – 1<sup>st</sup> Specialty)</i>		<i>20 yes</i>
<i>Marilee Griswold</i>	<i>(SH – 1<sup>st</sup> Specialty)</i>		<i>20 yes</i>
<i>Etsuko Hamayasu</i>	<i>(SH – 2<sup>nd</sup> Specialty)</i>		<i>20 yes</i>
<i>Toshihiko Tsuchiya</i>	<i>(SH – 1<sup>st</sup> Specialty)</i>		<i>20 yes</i>

**Mrs. Wilson** moved to approve the annual relicensing of all approved and approval pending Judges who are in good standing, except as follows. Seconded by **Ms. Anger, Motion Carried.**

**Relicense:**

<i>Hutzler, Walter</i>	<i>8 yes (Colilla, Calhoun, Maeda, Brown, Eigenhauser, Meeker, Krzanowski, Ganoë); 12 no</i>
<i>Pantigny, Guy</i>	<i>3 yes (Kallmeyer, Brown, Eigenhauser); 15 no; 2 abstain (Anger, DelaBar)</i>
<i>Sumner, Barbara</i>	<i>5 yes (Fellerman, Brown, Eigenhauser, Meeker, Ganoë)</i>

**(3) PROTEST COMMITTEE.**

**Chair Mr. Eigenhauser** moved to accept the Committee's recommendation on the protests not in dispute. **Motion Carried [vote sealed].**

**(4) APPEAL HEARING.**

See item #40.

**(5) CENTRAL OFFICE OPERATIONS.**

**Ms. Anger** moved to grant the following show format requests:

- Grant an exception to Show Rule 25.13 for the Cat Fanciers of Brazil (International Division – South America) for its 4-ring shows to be held in Brazil on May 30/31, 2015 and September [TBA], 2015, to allow for the use of an additional guest judge. Seconded by **Mr. Kallmeyer, Motion Carried.**
- Grant an exception to Show Rule 12.04 and allow Cats N Cats to change its show license from 1 SP/4 AB/3 AB-Super Specialty to 1 SP/5 AB/3 AB-Super Specialty at its 225 entry limit show to be held on April 11/12, 2015 in Aumale, France (Region 9). The additional AB ring will be judged by a guest judge, which is within the guest judge limit. Seconded by **Dr. McCullough, Motion Failed.** DelaBar, Brown, Kallmeyer, Mastin, Eigenhauser voting yes. Ganoë abstained.

**(6) TREASURER’S REPORT.**

**Treasurer Mrs. Schreck** moved that after May 1, 2015, the previously allowed free TRN for kittens for U.S. shows will no longer be available. Seconded by **Mrs. Meeker, Motion Carried.** DelaBar abstained.

**Mr. Kallmeyer** moved that the surcharge for China be raised to \$2 for the ID. Seconded by **Dr. McCullough, Motion Carried.**

**(7) BUDGET COMMITTEE.**

**Mr. Eigenhauser** moved to grant CFA Secretary Rachel Anger a bonus. Seconded by **Ms. DelaBar, Motion Carried.**

**(8) AUDIT COMMITTEE.**

[No Report]

**(9) FINANCE COMMITTEE.**

**Chair Mr. Mastin** had no action items.

**(10) WORLD SHOW FINANCIAL WRAP-UP.**

**Chair Mr. Mastin** had no action items.

**(11) CLUB SPONSORSHIP.**

**Chair Mr. Mastin** had no action items.

**(12) REGIONAL AWARDS SHOW SPONSORSHIP.**

**Regional Director Representative Ms. Calhoun** had no action items.

**(13) SHOW RULES.**

**Liaison Mrs. Krzanowski** moved on standing motion to modify Show Rule 4.07 (OLD RULE 12.07) to meet request of Board at December Board meeting.

Rule 4.07	December 2014 Board Request
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>The CFA Central Office will issue a license for the following types of shows:</p> <p>a. A one day show which permits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. one, two, three or four judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings. Shows with four or fewer judging rings are not required to contain a specialty ring, but may offer them if they so choose.</li><li>2. a one-day show format consisting of up to</li></ol>	<p>The CFA Central Office will issue a license for the following types of shows:</p> <p>a. A one day show which permits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. one, two, three or four judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings. Shows with four or fewer judging rings are not required to contain a specialty ring, but may offer them if they so choose.</li><li>2. a one-day show format consisting of up to six</li></ol>

<p>six rings with an entry limit of 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings for shows licensed in Region 9 or the International Division. For shows licensed in Regions 1-8, the combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings must include at least one Specialty ring for both longhair and shorthair specialties.</p> <p>3. Two six ring, one day shows in the same location (6x6) consisting of six rings held on the first day and six rings held on the second day with an entry limit of 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry each day, but to be licensed in Regions 1-8, each of the 6-ring shows must include at least two longhair and shorthair Specialty rings. For shows licensed in Region 9, each of the 6-ring shows must include one longhair and shorthair Specialty ring. For shows licensed in the International Division this restriction does not apply.</p> <p>b. A two day show which permits up to ten judgments per entry over the two days of the show and a maximum of six judgments per entry per day. It is recommended that a judge shall not be scheduled to judge more than 250 cats on either day. For shows in Regions 1-8 utilizing a total of 7 or 8 rings, at least two of these rings must be both shorthair and longhair specialty rings. For shows utilizing a total of 9 or 10 rings at least three of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings. For shows licensed In Region 9, utilizing a total of 7, 8, or 9 rings, at least one of these rings must be both shorthair and longhair specialty ring. For shows in Region 9 utilizing 10 rings, two these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings. This restriction does not apply to shows licensed in the International Division. Two day shows offer a variety of formats:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. one day Specialty shows where Longhairs are present one day and Shorthairs are present the other day;</li> <li>2. a show where non-championship and premierships classes are present one day and championship classes are present the other day;</li> <li>3. a format where the entries, 225 limit, are</li> </ol>	<p>rings with an entry limit of 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings for shows licensed in Region 9 <del>or the International Division</del>. For shows licensed in Regions 1-8 <u>or the International Division</u>, the combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings must include at least one Specialty ring for both longhair and shorthair specialties <u>in kittens, championship, and premierships; however, separate judges may be used for each of these competitive categories if the club so chooses.</u></p> <p>3. Two six ring, one day shows in the same location (6x6) consisting of six rings held on the first day and six rings held on the second day with an entry limit of 225 cats. This format will permit <del>up to</del> six judgments per entry each day, but to be licensed in Regions 1-8 <u>or the International Division</u>, each of the shows must include at least two longhair and <u>two</u> shorthair Specialty rings <u>in kittens, championship, and premierships; however, separate judges may be used for each of these competitive categories if the club so chooses.</u> For shows licensed in Region 9, each of the shows must include one longhair and shorthair Specialty ring <u>in kittens, championship, and premierships; however, separate judges may be used for each of these competitive categories if the club so chooses.</u> NOTE: There are no provisions to license two shows at the same location that do not contain exactly six rings.</p> <p>b. A two day show which permits up to ten judgments per entry over the two days of the show and a maximum of six judgments per entry per day. It is recommended that a judge shall not be scheduled to judge more than 250 cats on either day. For shows in Regions 1-8 <u>or the International Division</u> utilizing a total of <u>5 or 6 rings</u>, at least one of these rings must be a <u>shorthair and longhair specialty ring in kittens, championship, and premierships</u>. For shows in <u>Regions 1-8 and the International Division</u> utilizing a total of <u>7 or 8 rings</u>, at least two of these rings must be both shorthair and longhair specialty rings <u>in kittens, championship, and premierships</u>. For shows utilizing a total of 9 or 10 rings, at least three of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings <u>in kittens, championship, and premierships</u>. For</p>
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<p>present for two days and the judge is present only for one day and is succeeded in the ring by another judge the second day (back-to-back show);</p> <p>4. a show where the judge is present for two days and the entries are also present for two days.</p> <p>5. The above #2, #3 and #4 described shows may have any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings.</p> <p>c. A Best of the Best ring may be added to any format show described above. Participation in the Best of the Best competition shall not be considered a violation of the provisions in rule 4.05 and paragraphs 4.07.a. and b.</p> <p>d. The Central Office will also license breed/color specialty rings which limit entries to a certain breed(s)/division(s)/color(s) as either stand alone or concurrent with other Allbreed and/or Longhair/Shorthair Specialty rings.</p>	<p>shows licensed In Region 9, utilizing a total of 7, 8, or 9 rings, at least one of these rings must be both <u>a shorthair and longhair specialty ring in kittens, championship, and premiership</u>. For shows in Region 9 utilizing 10 rings, two of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings <u>in kittens, championship, and premiership</u>. <del>This restriction does not apply to shows licensed in the International Division. In the case of all required specialty rings, separate judges may be used for each of the competitive categories (kittens, championship, premiership) if the club so chooses.</del> Two day shows offer a variety of formats:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. one day Specialty shows where Longhairs are present one day and Shorthairs are present the other day;</li> <li>2. a show where non-championship and premiership classes are present one day and championship classes are present the other day;</li> <li>3. a format where the entries, 225 limit, are present for two days and the judge is present only for one day and is succeeded in the ring by another judge the second day (back-to-back show);</li> <li>4. a show where the judge is present for two days and the entries are also present for two days.</li> <li>5. The above #2, #3 and #4 described shows may have any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings.</li> </ol> <p>c. A Best of the Best ring may be added to any format show described above. Participation in the Best of the Best competition shall not be considered a violation of the provisions in rule 4.05 and paragraphs 4.07.a. and b.</p> <p>d. The Central Office will also license breed/color specialty rings which limit entries to a certain breed(s)/division(s)/color(s) as either stand alone or concurrent with other Allbreed and/or Longhair/Shorthair Specialty rings.</p>
<p><b>RATIONALE:</b> At the December 2014 board meeting, the SRC was directed to re-write show rule 4.07 to put the same specialty ring requirements on the International Division that were placed on clubs in Regions 1-8, and to clarify the wording regarding specialty ring requirements so that it was clear one judge did not have to judge the entire specialty ring required for each competitive category (i.e., the specialty rings in the three categories - kitten, championship, and premiership - do not have to be judged</p>	

by the same judge). This proposal does that. It also clarifies that two one-day shows at the same location will not normally be licensed unless they are each 6-ring shows.

Seconded by **Ms. DelaBar, Motion Failed.**

**Ms. DelaBar** moved to change the exclusion of the International Division to inclusion. Seconded by **Mr. Ganoe, Motion Carried.**

*Provide a sense of the board (or actually pass the proposal) on eliminating dual licensing for 6x6 shows*

Rule 4.07	December 2014 Board Request	
	Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>The CFA Central Office will issue a license for the following types of shows:</p> <p>a. A one day show which permits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. one, two, three or four judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings. Shows with four or fewer judging rings are not required to contain a specialty ring, but may offer them if they so choose.</li> <li>2. a one-day show format consisting of up to six rings with an entry limit of 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings for shows licensed in Region9 or the International Division. For shows licensed in Regions 1-8, the combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings must include at least one Specialty ring for both longhair and shorthair specialties.</li> <li>3. Two six ring, one day shows in the same location (6x6) consisting of six rings held on the first day and six rings held on the second day with an entry limit of 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry each day, but to be licensed in Regions 1-8, each of the 6-ring shows must include at least two longhair and shorthair Specialty rings. For shows licensed in Region 9, each of the 6-ring shows must include one longhair and shorthair Specialty ring. For shows licensed in the International Division this restriction does not apply.</li> </ol> <p>b. A two day show which permits up to ten judgments per entry over the two days of the show and a maximum of six judgments per entry</p>		<p>The CFA Central Office will issue a license for the following types of shows:</p> <p>a. A one day show which permits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. one, two, three or four judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings. Shows with four or fewer judging rings are not required to contain a specialty ring, but may offer them if they so choose.</li> <li>2. a one-day show format consisting of up to six rings with an entry limit of 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings for shows licensed in Region 9 <del>or the International Division</del>. For shows licensed in Regions 1-8 <u>or the International Division</u>, the combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings must include at least one Specialty ring for both longhair and shorthair specialties <u>in kittens, championship, and premiership; however, separate judges may be used for each of these competitive categories if the club so chooses.</u></li> <li><del>3. Two six ring, one day shows in the same location (6x6) consisting of six rings held on the first day and six rings held on the second day with an entry limit of 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry each day, but to be licensed in Regions 1-8, each of the shows must include at least two longhair and shorthair Specialty rings. For shows licensed in Region 9, each of the shows must include one longhair and shorthair Specialty ring.</del></li> </ol> <p>b. A two day show which permits up to <u>twelve</u> <del>ten</del> judgments per entry over the two days of the</p>

<p>per day. It is recommended that a judge shall not be scheduled to judge more than 250 cats on either day. For shows in Regions 1-8 utilizing a total of 7 or 8 rings, at least two of these rings must be both shorthair and longhair specialty rings. For shows utilizing a total of 9 or 10 rings at least three of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings. For shows licensed In Region 9, utilizing a total of 7, 8, or 9 rings, at least one of these rings must be both shorthair and longhair specialty ring. For shows in Region 9 utilizing 10 rings, two these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings. This restriction does not apply to shows licensed in the International Division. Two day shows offer a variety of formats:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. one day Specialty shows where Longhairs are present one day and Shorthairs are present the other day;</li> <li>2. a show where non-championship and premiership classes are present one day and championship classes are present the other day;</li> <li>3. a format where the entries, 225 limit, are present for two days and the judge is present only for one day and is succeeded in the ring by another judge the second day (back-to-back show);</li> <li>4. a show where the judge is present for two days and the entries are also present for two days.</li> <li>5. The above #2, #3 and #4 described shows may have any combination of Allbreed or Specialty rings.</li> </ol> <p>c. A Best of the Best ring may be added to any format show described above. Participation in the Best of the Best competition shall not be considered a violation of the provisions in rule 4.05 and paragraphs 4.07.a. and b.</p> <p>d. The Central Office will also license breed/color specialty rings which limit entries to a certain breed(s)/division(s)/color(s) as either stand alone or concurrent with other Allbreed and/or Longhair/Shorthair Specialty rings.</p>	<p>show and a maximum of six judgments per entry per day. It is recommended that a judge shall not be scheduled to judge more than 250 cats on either day. For shows in Regions 1-8 <u>or the International Division</u> utilizing a total of <u>5 or 6 rings</u>, at least one of these rings must be a <u>shorthair and longhair specialty ring in kittens, championship, and premiership</u>. For shows in <u>Regions 1-8 and the International Division</u> utilizing a total of 7 or 8 rings, at least two of these rings must be both shorthair and longhair specialty rings <u>in kittens, championship, and premiership</u>. For shows utilizing a total of 9 or 10 rings, at least three of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings <u>in kittens, championship, and premiership</u>. For shows utilizing a total of 11 or 12 rings, at least <u>four of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings</u>. For shows licensed In Region 9, utilizing a total of 7, 8, or 9 rings, at least one of these rings must be both <u>a shorthair and longhair specialty ring in kittens, championship, and premiership</u>. For shows in Region 9 utilizing 10, 11, or 12 rings, two of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings <u>in kittens, championship, and premiership</u>. <del>This restriction does not apply to shows licensed in the International Division.</del><u>In the case of all required specialty rings, separate judges may be used for each of the competitive categories (kittens, championship, premiership) if the club so chooses.</u> Two day shows offer a variety of formats:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. one day Specialty shows where Longhairs are present one day and Shorthairs are present the other day;</li> <li>2. a show where non-championship and premiership classes are present one day and championship classes are present the other day;</li> <li>3. a format where the entries, 225 limit, are present for two days and the judge is present only for one day and is succeeded in the ring by another judge the second day (back-to-back show);</li> <li>4. a show where the judge is present for two days and the entries are also present for two days.</li> <li>5. The above #2, #3 and #4 described shows</li> </ol>
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**RATIONALE:** At the request of several clubs, the Show Rules Committee was requested to propose a revision that would allow clubs to license 6X6 shows as one show, rather than two, in an effort to save money. When the 6X6 proposal was initially proposed and passed, part of the rationale was that it would allow clubs to save money by having two clubs put on their show the same weekend at the same location. It was primarily designed for clubs in remote areas to concentrate the shows on one weekend. That went out the door after the first season this rule was put in effect. Since then, most 6X6 are really sponsored by one club, not two. For example, so far during the 2014-2015 season, there have been 19 licenses issued for 6x6 shows worldwide, and in 13 cases it was the same club licensing both shows. There is a significant cost for this approach. Under the current rules, which only allows 12 rings on a weekend by licensing two shows, the club must obtain two show licenses and pay two show surcharge fees for the set of shows. This proposal would significantly reduce that cost by only requiring one license and one surcharge fee. While this does save the clubs considerably, it is a cost to CFA as a whole. Two clubs could still put on two separate shows by going with a back-to-back format for the one license, and being co-sponsors of the show. This would save both of those clubs money as they would only be looking at one set of license fees/surcharge. On the other hand, this prevents exhibitors from "choosing" which show they wish to enter. In just about every case of 6x6 shows licensed to date, the entry for the first show is not identical to the entry of the second show.

While this is written as a show rules proposal, what we are really looking for here is a sense of whether the board would be amendable to such a proposal. Passing this would indicate that you are amendable, and we would then proceed for the October meeting to put it through as a "real" rules proposal along with the accompanying rule(s) needed to actually implement this approach (for example, there is a rule that currently prevents a cat/kitten from being entered in more than 10 rings at one show). NOTE: This rule and the actual proposed rule change at the start of this report do the exact same thing regarding mandatory specialty rings (the two sets of rules are identical - just a different approach to handling 6x6 shows - one show versus two).

**No Action.**

**(14) CLUB APPLICATIONS.**

The following club applications were presented for acceptance on standing motion by **Mrs. Krzanowski**:

- **CORNER PET CAT FANCIERS CLUB, International Division (China). Seconded by Mr. Kallmeyer, Motion Carried.**

- CHINA CENTRAL CAT FANCIERS, International Division (China). Seconded by **Mr. Kallmeyer, Motion Carried.**
- CAT ADVOCATES & TROUPERS SOCIETY, International Division (Malaysia). Seconded by **Mr. Kallmeyer, Motion Carried.**
- CATS' EMPIRE, Region 9 (Russia). Seconded by **Mr. Kallmeyer, Motion Carried.**

(15) **CFA LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.**

**Chair Mr. Eigenhauser** had no action items.

(16) **WINN FOUNDATION.**

**Liaison Mr. Eigenhauser** had no action items.

(17) **ANNUAL MEETING – 2015.**

**Great Lakes Regional Director Mr. Colilla** had not action items.

(18) **SHOW SCHEDULING ISSUE.**

**North Atlantic Regional Director Mrs. Fellerman** moved that MoKan's request to move their show from the second weekend in August to the third weekend in July be denied. Seconded by **Mrs. Moser, Motion Failed.** Fellerman voting yes. Ganoe abstained.

(19) **SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE.**

**Chair Dr. Brown** had no action items.

(20) **BREEDS AND STANDARDS.**

**Mrs. DelaBar** moved that next year's American Curl breed council ballot include a housekeeping change to the American Curl breed standard to indicate that ticked tabby should be included in all tabby color descriptions: (*classic, mackerel or ticked*). Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski, Motion Carried.**

**Mrs. DelaBar** moved to remove the Chinese Li Hua from Miscellaneous status, effective 1 May 2015. Seconded by **Mrs. Meeker, Motion Carried.**

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**CHINESE LI HUA**

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- 1. PROPOSED:** Modify existing Chinese Li Hua Standard to drive consistency of terms between this and other standards. This will allow judges a better understanding of the intent of the standard without changing the look of the cat.

**POINT SCORE**

HEAD .....	25
(including shape, eye shape & size, ear shape & placement)	
BODY .....	25
(including torso, neck, legs and tail)	
COAT.....	15
COLOR (20)	
Color.....	10
Pattern.....	10
PAWS .....	5
EYE COLOR .....	5
BALANCE.....	5-10

**GENERAL:** the Li Hua cat is one of the earliest known breeds of domestic cats native to China. They have lived in a wide area of China for centuries and they are known as good hunters. They are a sturdy, well-proportioned, natural breed with gentle, even dispositions. They are relatively slow to mature, taking as long as three years. Females are generally smaller than males and allowances should be considered when comparing females and young cats to the standard. No outcrosses are required or permitted.

**HEAD:**

**Shape:** ~~like a hexagonal diamond;~~ broad modified wedge, longer than it is wide; size in proportion to the body, and rounded between the ears. The nose is the same width for its entire length.

**Profile:** ~~the nose is long and straight; there is a slight dip at the bridge of the nose, but a visible, but gentle, rise from the bridge of the nose to the brow with no obvious forehead break. The chin is firm with a good bite, but the~~ The lower jaw is slightly shorter than the upper jaw but a proper bite is evident.

**Eyes:** large, bright, alert, and almond shaped with the outer corner higher than the inner corner.

**Ears:** ~~medium in size and wide at the base. The distance between the ears should be one and one half to two times the width of one eye. They should face to the front and tilt no more than 15 degrees to either side. Ear tips are sharp and ear tufts are permitted., alert and moderately pointed, continuing the planes of the head. Broad at base. Slightly flared with ample width between the ears. Hair on ears short and close lying. May be tufted.~~

**BODY: Torso:** wide, strong, rectangular shape, with a wide chest and well developed muscles. The length should be longer than the height; viewed from the side, the back should be almost flat. The difference in size between adult males and adult females is significant; ~~males are more than 11 pounds and females should be no less than 8 3/4 pounds. There should be no evidence of obesity, paunchiness, weakness, or apathy.~~ Allowance to be made for muscular necks and shoulders in adult males.

**Neck:** the neck is short and strong making a smooth transition between the head and body.

**Legs and Feet:** medium in size, in proportion to the body. ~~They~~ Legs are straight, well-muscled and strong. The front legs are the same length or slightly lower than the back legs. ~~When viewed from behind, the distance between the straight legs should be small.~~ Paws are broad, large and oval shape with five toes in front and four behind.

**Tail:** slightly shorter than the length of the body, with no sudden tapering at the tip.

**COAT:** ~~short and thick, lying close to the body. There is no thick undercoat so they do not have very great resistance to cold. The hair on the chest is short, flat and close to the skin. The male coat is thick and tough, while the female is softer in comparison.~~ Short to medium in length. Soft, silky and dense with a downy texture to the roots with no trace of undercoat

**TICKING:** all hairs except the tip of the tail are banded. Within the markings, hairs are tipped with a darker color, while hairs in the ground color are tipped with a lighter color.

**COLOR:** hairs on the body are ticked, except for the beige hair on the belly and chin. The lower part of the belly should be brown yellow, with at least two vertical and four horizontal leopard spots. White lips and chin are permitted. The ground color has a black root, the middle is a light yellowish color and the tip is brown – sometimes referred to as “mouse coat.” The black pattern color has a lighter root, a dark brown middle and a black tip.

**Nose leather:** brick red, dark brown or black.

**Rims of the eyes:** outlined with lighter, primrose yellow.

**Pattern:** spectacular contrast and clarity of the brown mackerel tabby pattern. There are lines on the forehead, becoming darker between the ears to the back of the head. ~~There are black lines beginning at the outer corner of the eyes and the bottom of the cheeks that continue back to the neck. Mascara markings are found around the eyes and on cheeks. These are known as the “tears of the dragon”.~~ There is a small black spot at the upper rear corner of mouth that produces a smiling expression. Starting from the neck, at least one clear black line separates the ground color, equally dividing the markings on both sides of the body. There must be at least one unbroken necklace on the chest. The body and flanks are covered by several complete or incomplete vertical lines. The legs are covered by ~~black rings above the wrist and below the wrist the paws are brown.~~ bracelets.

**Paw pads:** black and the hair between the toes is black – the darker the better. The tail is clearly marked with rings and the tip is black.

**PAWS:** broad, large and oval shape with five toes in front and four behind.

**EYE COLOR:** green, yellow or brown; green preferred.

**PENALIZE:** fat body; ear size not in proportion with the head; too wide or too narrow forehead; outer corner of eyes not higher than inner corner; mixed colors in the coat,

detracting from clarity contrast of the pattern, evidence of obesity, paunchiness, weakness, or apathy.

DISQUALIFY: improper bite ~~or tip of canine teeth outside the mouth~~; eye color other than green, yellow or brown; incorrect number of toes; kinked or otherwise deformed abnormal tail; long hair ~~on the body or curly hair on the chest~~; lack of at least one complete necklace on the chest; white paws; ~~white muzzle~~; white locket or spotting, or white anywhere other than around eyes, nostrils, chin, and upper throat; tip of tail not black; nose is flesh colored, white or other light colors; any color/pattern other than brown mackerel tabby.

*The following information is for reference purposes only  
and not an official part of the CFA Show Standard.*

**Chinese Li Hua Color Class Number**

<b>Brown Mackerel Tabby</b> .....	0510	0511
<b>AOV</b> .....	None	None

**Chinese Li Hua allowable outcross breeds: none.**

**No Action.**

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[NOTE: “No action taken” indicates that a breed standard proposal did not meet or exceed a 60% favorable vote from the voting members (i.e., no rounding down).]

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**ABYSSINIAN**

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**1. PROPOSED:** Modify the Coat description to better define ticking.

COAT: soft, silky, fine in texture, but dense and resilient to the touch with a lustrous sheen. Medium in length but long enough to accommodate two or three bands of ~~ticking~~ dark and light color (ticking).

**No Action.**

**2. PROPOSED:** Modify the Coat Color description to better define ticking.

**Coat color:** warm and glowing. **Ticking:** distinct and even, with dark colored bands contrasting with lighter colored bands ~~contrasting with light colored bands on the hair shafts~~ of undercoat color on each hair shaft. The Band at the tip of the hair shaft must be the darker color followed by the undercoat color. Two to three sets of alternating color should end with the undercoat color next to the skin. Undercoat color clear and bright to the skin. Deeper color shades desired, however, intensity of ticking not to be sacrificed for depth of color. Darker shading along the spine allowed ~~if fully ticked~~ continuing through the tip of the tail. Preference given to cats UNMARKED on the undersides, chest, and legs; tail without rings. Darker shading up the hocks preferred. **Facial Markings:**.....

**No Action.**

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## AMERICAN SHORTHAIR

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1. **PROPOSED:** Change the eye color description for the Brown Tabby, Brown Tabby & White and Brown Patched Tabby & White from brilliant gold to gold or hazel, shades of gold preferred. The standard would read as follows:

**BROWN TABBY:** ... **Eye color:** ~~brilliant gold~~ gold or hazel, shades of gold preferred.

**BROWN TABBY AND WHITE:** ... **Eye color:** ~~brilliant gold~~ gold or hazel, shades of gold preferred.

**BROWN PATCHED TABBY AND WHITE:** ... **Eye color:** ~~brilliant gold~~ gold or hazel, shades of gold preferred.

**RATIONALE:** As one of CFA’s natural breeds, intermixing of coat colors, patterns and eye colors promotes diversity and naturally produces ranges of eye color in cats of these three color patterns, which should not be penalized. While the existing standard of “brilliant gold” for these three colors sounds and indeed looks wonderful, it simply is rare, if ever seen.

**Motion Failed.** Fellerman, Meeker, Krzanowski, Mastin, McCullough and Kallmeyer voting yes. Moser abstained.

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## BRITISH SHORTHAIR

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**Mrs. Meeker** moved that the British Shorthair standard, as voted on by the British breed council in this last balloting, be upheld by the board. Seconded by **Mr. Ganoe**, **Motion Carried**.

1. **PROPOSED:** Revise the Breed Rules for Registration to accept chocolate and lilac, and establish these as AOV Colors for registration. Add cinnamon and fawn as unacceptable colors. Require genetic testing to exclude the pointed pattern and the colors cinnamon and fawn.

**DO NOT ACCEPT (cat to be registered or cats in background):**

Pointed	<del>Chocolate</del>	<del>Lilac</del>	Longhair
Ticked tabby	<del>Cinnamon</del>	<del>Fawn</del>	

**AND**

**REGISTER AS AOV:**

No AOV colors/patterns <u>Date: Effective May 1, 2015</u>	<u>AOV Colors:</u> <u>Lilac</u> <u>Lilac-Cream</u> <u>Lilac Calico</u> <u>Lilac Tabby</u> <u>Lilac Patched Tabby</u> <u>Lilac Smoke</u> <u>Lilac Cream Smoke</u> <u>Lilac Calico Smoke</u> <u>Chocolate</u> <u>Chocolate Tortoiseshell</u>
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	<u>Chocolate Calico</u> <u>Chocolate Tabby</u> <u>Chocolate Patched Tabby</u> <u>Chocolate Smoke</u> <u>Chocolate Tortoiseshell Smoke</u> <u>Chocolate Calico Smoke</u> <u>Any of these colors in combination with white</u>
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**AND**

**PEDIGREE REQUIREMENTS (last date showing is current):**

Date: Unknown	5 generations*	Date:	
Date:		Date:	

\*Any registration submitted via pedigree must be accompanied by a DNA test showing that the cat to be registered does not carry the pointed (Himalayan) pattern or the color cinnamon or fawn.

**No Action.**

- 2. PROPOSED:** Remove the language from the DISQUALIFY section of the standard prohibiting hybrid colors from being shown.

DISQUALIFY: incorrect eye color, green rims in adults. Tail defects. Long or fluffy coat. Incorrect number of toes. Locket or button. Improper color or pigment in nose leather and/or paw pads in part or total. Any evidence of illness or poor health. Any evidence of wryness of jaw, poor dentition (arrangement of teeth), or malocclusion. Evidence of hybridization resulting in the colors cinnamon, fawn chocolate, lavender, the Himalayan pattern or these combinations with white.\*

\*The previously listed penalties and disqualifications apply to all British Shorthair cats. Additional penalties and disqualifications are listed under colors.

**No Action.**

- 3. PROPOSED:** Establish the AOV color class and placement of the accepted colors within the standard. Central Office will define the registration color numbers within the already established numeric series.

Add, after the Currently Accepted British Shorthair Color Descriptions in the current Standards:

AOV Colors:

Lilac

Lilac-Cream

Lilac Calico

Lilac Tabby

Lilac Patched Tabby

Lilac Smoke

Lilac Cream Smoke

Lilac Calico Smoke

Chocolate  
Chocolate Tortoiseshell  
Chocolate Calico  
Chocolate Tabby  
Chocolate Patched Tabby  
Chocolate Smoke  
Chocolate Tortoiseshell Smoke  
Chocolate Calico Smoke  
Any of these colors in combination with white

**No Action.**

4. **PROPOSED:** Define AOV color descriptions for the solid and solid bi-color colors to be added in accordance with the order presented in proposal #3:

**CHOCOLATE:** Rich dark brown, level in color, sound to the roots. No tabby markings or white anywhere. **Nose leather:** To be same color as coat. **Paw pads:** Cinnamon-pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**LILAC:** Rich, warm lavender with a pinkish tone, level in color, sound to the roots. No tabby markings or white anywhere. **Nose leather and paw pads:** lavender-pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**OTHER BI-COLOR: Chocolate and white and lilac and white.** As a preferred minimum, the cat should have some white on the feet, legs, undersides, chest and muzzle. Less white than this should be penalized proportionately. Symmetry of these markings, no matter the amount of color vs. white is desired. White blaze desirable. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Penalize:** Brindling or tabby markings. **Nose leather and paw pads:** To conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink.

**OTHER VAN BI-COLOR: Chocolate and white and lilac and white.** White cat with color confined to the extremities; head, tail and legs. One or two small colored patches on body allowable. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Nose leather and paw pads:** To conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink.

**No Action.**

5. **PROPOSED:** This item defines AOV color descriptions for the smoke colors to be added in accordance with the order presented in proposal #3:

**OTHER SMOKE:** A genetically silver, non-agouti tabby variety of British Shorthair. The top coat may be of any recognized solid color, tortoiseshell or lilac cream colors or bi-colors. The undercoat to be white or pale silver, showing maximum contrast. **Nose leather and paw pads:** To correspond with coat color. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**CHOCOLATE SMOKE:** Undercoat white, deeply tipped with chocolate. Cat in repose appears chocolate. Face, legs and tail, chocolate with a narrow band of white at base of hair next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. **Nose leather:** Brown. **Paw pads:** cinnamon-pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL SMOKE:** Undercoat white, deeply tipped with chocolate, red and shades of red. Cat in repose appears chocolate tortoiseshell. Face, legs and

tail, chocolate tortoiseshell pattern with narrow band of white at base of hair next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. **Nose leather:** Brown, brick red and/or pink. **Paw pads:** Brick red, cinnamon-pink and/or pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**LILAC SMOKE:** Undercoat white, deeply tipped with lilac. Cat in repose appears lilac. Face, legs and tail, lilac with a narrow band of white at base of hair next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. **Nose leather:** Lavender. **Paw pads:** lavender-pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**LILAC CREAM SMOKE:** Undercoat white, deeply tipped with lilac and cream. Cat in repose appears lilac cream. Face, legs and tail, lilac cream pattern with narrow band of white at base of hair next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. **Nose leather:** Lavender, lavender-pink and/or pink. **Paw pads:** Lavender-pink and/or pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**CHOCOLATE CALICO SMOKE:** White with unbrindled patches of chocolate and red with a white undercoat. Patches to be clear and defined. As a preferred minimum, the cat should have white on the feet, legs, undersides, chest and muzzle. White blaze desirable. Some evidence of tabby markings are allowed in the red patches. **Nose leather and paw pads:** To conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Penalize:** Brindling.

**LILAC CALICO SMOKE:** White with unbrindled patches of lilac and cream with a white undercoat. Patches to be clear and defined. As a preferred minimum, the cat should have white on the feet, legs, undersides, chest and muzzle. White blaze desirable. Some evidence of tabby markings are allowed in the cream patches. **Nose leather and paw pads:** to conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Penalize:** Brindling.

**CHOCOLATE CALICO SMOKE VAN:** White with unbrindled patches of chocolate and red with white undercoat, confined to the extremities; head, tail and legs. One or two small colored patches on body allowable. **Eye color:** gold or copper. **Nose leather and paw pads:** to conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink.

**LILAC CALICO SMOKE VAN:** White with unbrindled patches of lilac and cream with white undercoat, confined to the extremities; head, tail and legs. One or two small colored patches on body allowable. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Nose leather and paw pads:** to conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink.

#### **No Action.**

- 6. PROPOSED:** Defines AOV color descriptions for the tabby and tabby and white colors to be added in accordance with the order presented in proposal #3.

**CHOCOLATE TABBY** (classic, mackerel, spotted): Ground color milk chocolate. Markings a deep, dark brown affording sufficient contrast with ground color. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. **Nose leather:** brown and/or brick red. **Paw pads:** brick red to cinnamon-pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**CHOCOLATE PATCHED TABBY** (classic, mackerel, spotted): Milk chocolate ground color marked with darker chocolate tabby markings and patches or softly intermingled areas of red. Lips and chin the same shade as rings around the eyes. **Nose leather:** Brown, brick red and/or cinnamon-pink. **Paw pads:** Brick red, cinnamon-pink and or coral pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**LILAC TABBY** (classic, mackerel, spotted): Ground color pale, frosty lavender with a pinkish patina, marked with darker lavender tabby markings affording sufficient contrast with ground color. **Nose leather:** lavender-pink. **Paw pads:** lavender-pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**LILAC PATCHED TABBY** (classic, mackerel, spotted): Ground color pale frosty lavender with pinkish patina, marked with darker lavender tabby markings and patches or softly intermingled areas of cream. Lips and chin the same shade as rings around the eyes. **Nose leather:** Lavender and/or pink. **Paw pads:** lavender pink and/or pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**OTHER TABBY AND WHITE:** (Classic, mackerel and spotted): Chocolate Tabby, Chocolate Patched Tabby, Lilac Tabby, or Lilac Patched Tabby. Where the tabby pattern is expressed the pattern should conform to the already established tabby pattern requirements, with allowances for the expression of white. As a preferred minimum, there should be some white on the feet, legs, undersides, chest and muzzle. Less white than this should be penalized proportionately. Symmetry of these markings, no matter the amount of color vs. white, is desired. White blaze desirable. **Nose leather and paw pads, eye color:** to conform to the already established tabby requirements: nose leather and paw pads may also be pink.

**CHOCOLATE TABBY AND WHITE** (Classic, mackerel, spotted): Same as for chocolate tabby with the addition of white. Blaze desirable. **Nose leather:** Brick red and/or pink. **Paw pads:** Black, brick red and/or pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**CHOCOLATE PATCHED TABBY AND WHITE** (classic, mackerel, spotted): Same as for chocolate patched tabby with the addition of white. Blaze desirable. **Nose leather:** Brick red and/or pink. **Paw pads:** Black, brick red and/or pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**LILAC TABBY AND WHITE** (classic, mackerel, spotted): Same as for lilac tabby with the addition of white. Blaze desirable. **Nose leather:** Lavender and/or pink. **Paw pads:** lavender pink and/or pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**LILAC PATCHED TABBY AND WHITE** (classic, mackerel, spotted): Same as for lilac patched tabby with the addition of white. Blaze desirable. **Nose leather:** Lavender and/or pink. **Paw pads:** lavender pink and/or pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper.

**OTHER VAN TABBY AND WHITE:** (Classic, mackerel, spotted) **Chocolate tabby and white van, lilac tabby and white van, chocolate patched tabby and white van or lilac patched tabby and white van.** White cat with colored portions confined to the extremities: head tail and legs. The colored portions conform to the currently established classic, mackerel, spotted and patched tabby color definitions. One or two colored patches on body allowable. **Nose leather and paw pads, eye color:** to conform to the already established tabby requirements: nose leather and paw pads may also be pink.

**No Action.**

7. **PROPOSED:** Define AOV color descriptions for the parti-color colors to be added in accordance with the order presented in proposal #3.

**CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL:** Chocolate and rich red to be softly mingled not patched. **Nose leather and paw pads:** Pink and/or cinnamon-pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Penalize:** Tabby markings in the chocolate, unbroken color on the paws. Large solid patches of color. **Disqualify:** White anywhere.

**LILAC CREAM:** Lilac and cream to be softly mingled not patched. **Nose leather and paw pads:** Pink and/or lavender-pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Penalize:** Tabby markings in the lilac, unbroken color on the paws. Large solid patches of color. **Disqualify:** White anywhere.

**CHOCOLATE CALICO:** White with unbrindled patches of chocolate and red. Patches to be clear and defined. As a preferred minimum, the cat should have white on the feet, legs, undersides, chest and muzzle. White blaze desirable. Some evidence of tabby markings are allowed in the red patches. **Nose leather and paw pads:** To conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Penalize:** Brindling.

**LILAC CALICO:** White with unbrindled patches of lilac and cream. Patches to be clear and defined. As a preferred minimum, the cat should have white on the feet, legs, undersides, chest and muzzle. White blaze desirable. Some evidence of tabby markings are allowed in the cream patches. **Nose leather and paw pads:** to conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Penalize:** Brindling.

**CHOCOLATE CALICO VAN:** White with unbrindled patches of chocolate and red confined to the extremities; head, tail and legs. One or two small colored patches on body allowable. **Eye color:** gold or copper. **Nose leather and paw pads:** to conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink.

**LILAC CALICO VAN:** White with unbrindled patches of lilac and cream confined to the extremities; head, tail and legs. One or two small colored patches on body allowable. **Eye color:** Gold or copper. **Nose leather and paw pads:** to conform to the already established solid requirements; nose leather and paw pads may also be pink.

#### **No Action.**

8. **PROPOSED:** Define the AOV color class within the British Shorthair standard. Note: The registration of these colors will conform to the already established registration numbering system for solid, tabby, parti-color, bi-color and other British Shorthair colors. As these colors achieve the necessary levels of advancement for championship status, applications for advancement will be sent through the designated processes for review and acceptance. After acceptance for championship status the color will be moved from AOV to the correct color classification for showing purposes. The AOV class numbers will only be used to classify these colors for judging purposes when exhibiting.

*The following information is for reference purposes only  
and not an official part of the CFA Show Standard.*

**British Shorthair Color Class Numbers**

<b>OBSHC</b> (Other British Shorthair Colors) .....	2596	2597
...		
<b>AOV</b> .....	2598	2599
<i>(Chocolate, Lilac, Chocolate Calico Smoke, Lilac Calico Smoke, Chocolate Smoke, Lilac Smoke, Chocolate Tortoiseshell Smoke, Lilac Cream Smoke, Chocolate Tabby, Chocolate Patched Tabby, Lilac Tabby, Lilac Patched Tabby, Chocolate Tortoiseshell, Lilac Cream, Chocolate Calico, Lilac Calico, and any of these colors or patterns in combination with white).</i>		

**No Action.**

- 9. The Selkirk Rex Breed Council has a proposal to indefinitely extend the Selkirk Rex allowable outcrosses to British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic.

[See Selkirk Rex ballot]

**The following proposal is to be considered if #9 does not pass:**

- 10. If Proposal #9 fails, the Selkirk Rex Breed Council has a proposal to extend the Selkirk Rex outcrosses to British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic to January 1, 2025.

[See Selkirk Rex ballot]

**BURMESE**

**Part I – Burmese Rules of Registration Changes**

- 1. **PROPOSED:** Change rules of registration for Burmese cats from other registering organizations to allow registration of cats with red, cream, tortie, or blue cream in generations two through five, provided said cats are not eligible for registration as European Burmese

**FOREIGN-CAT REQUIREMENTS (if different from above):**

Date: (02/11) one time acceptance Mod Daeng as sable mink through CAT	All offspring registerable if DNA tested and shown to be one of acceptable Burmese colors
Date: (02/15) <u>Accept cats from other associations with five generation pedigrees as long as they are one of the currently accepted Burmese colors, do not have a parent that is Red, Cream, Tortie, or Blue Cream and are not registerable as European Burmese.</u>	

Per European Burmese rules of registration cats that are eligible to be registered as a European Burmese are those with an eight generation pedigree free of CFA Burmese and also free of Bombay or Tonkinese.

**Motion Failed.** Eigenhauser and Kuta voting yes. DelaBar abstained.

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## BURMILLA

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**Accept the Golden Colors and Patterns for Championship status.**

**1. PROPOSED:** Add the following under Burmilla Patterns:

### **BURMILLA PATTERNS**

**TIPPED/SHADED:** ...

**SILVER TIPPED:** ...

**GOLDEN TIPPED:** Coat Color: Tipping about 1/8 of the entire hair length. The tipping is to be evenly distributed to give the characteristic sparkling appearance. Face and legs are shaded, but chin, ear furnishings, belly, chest and underside of tail range from a warm ivory to golden honey. Tabby markings may be visible on the face and forehead. Face and legs may be slightly shaded with very light tipping. In general a Tipped cat appears to be much lighter than a Shaded. Descriptions are valid for all Tipped colors.

**SILVER SHADED:** ...

**GOLDEN SHADED:** Coat Color: Tipping about 1/3 of the complete hair length. The shading is to be evenly distributed to give the characteristic sparkling appearance. Face and legs are shaded with the tipping but chin, ear furnishings, belly, chest and underside of tail range from ivory beige to deep rich honey. Tabby markings are visible on the face and forehead. Broken rings on the legs are permitted. The fur on the underside of the feet is colored with the color of the tipping, on the back of the hind feet the color extends up as far as to the joint. In general a Shaded cat appears to be much darker than a Tipped. Descriptions are valid for all Shaded colors.

**AND:** Add the following under Burmilla Colors:

**BLACK TIPPED:** ...

**BLACK GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with black. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in black. **Nose Leather:** Brick red. **Paw Pads:** Black or seal brown.

**BLACK SHADED:** ...

**BLACK GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with black. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in black. **Nose Leather:** Brick red. **Paw Pads:** Black or seal brown.

**BROWN TIPPED:** ...

**BROWN GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with seal brown. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in seal brown. **Nose Leather:** Brick red. **Paw Pads:** Seal brown.

**BROWN SHADED:** ...

**BROWN GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with seal brown. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in seal brown. **Nose Leather:** Brick red. **Paw Pads:** Seal brown.

**BLUE TIPPED: ...**

**BLUE GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with blue. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in blue-grey. **Nose Leather:** Old rose. **Paw Pads:** Blue.

**BLUE SHADED: ...**

**BLUE GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with blue. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in blue-grey. **Nose Leather:** Old rose. **Paw Pads:** Blue.

**CHOCOLATE TIPPED: ...**

**CHOCOLATE GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with chocolate brown. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in chocolate brown. **Nose Leather:** Pale red/pink. **Paw Pads:** Warm chocolate brown.

**CHOCOLATE SHADED: ...**

**CHOCOLATE GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with chocolate brown. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in chocolate brown. **Nose Leather:** Pale red/pink. **Paw Pads:** Warm chocolate brown.

**LILAC TIPPED: ...**

**LILAC GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with lilac. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in lavender pink. **Nose Leather:** Pinkish red/pink. **Paw Pads:** Lavender pink.

**LILAC SHADED: ...**

**LILAC GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with lilac. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in lavender pink. **Nose Leather:** Pinkish red/pink. **Paw Pads:** Lavender pink.

**CARAMEL TIPPED: ...**

**CARAMEL SHADED: ...**

**CREAM TIPPED: ...**

**CREAM SHADED: ...**

**RED TIPPED: ...**

**RED SHADED: ...**

**BLACK TORTIE TIPPED: ...**

**BLACK TORTIE SHADED: ...**

**BROWN TORTIE TIPPED: ...**

**BROWN TORTIE SHADED: ...**

**BLUE TORTIE TIPPED: ...**

**BLUE TORTIE SHADED: ...**

**CHOCOLATE TORTIE TIPPED: ...**

**CHOCOLATE TORTIE SHADED: ...**

**LILAC TORTIE TIPPED: ...**

**LILAC TORTIE SHADED: ...**

**GOLDEN TORTIE TIPPED AND GOLDEN TORTIE SHADED:** The appropriate base color (black, brown, blue, chocolate and lilac) mottled or patched with areas of red, shades of red or cream.

**Motion Failed.** Anger, Fellerman, Moser and McCullough voting yes.

**Should proposal 1 fail, accept the golden colors and patterns for AOV status.**

**2. PROPOSED:** Add the following under Burmilla Patterns for AOV:

**LILAC TORTIE SHADED: ...**

**AOV PATTERNS:**

GOLDEN TIPPED: Coat Color: Tipping about 1/8 of the entire hair length. The tipping is to be evenly distributed to give the characteristic sparkling appearance. Face and legs are shaded, but chin, ear furnishings, belly, chest and underside of tail range from a warm ivory to golden honey. Tabby markings may be visible on the face and forehead. Face and legs may be slightly shaded with very light tipping. In general a Tipped cat appears to be much lighter than a Shaded. Descriptions are valid for all Tipped colors.

GOLDEN SHADED: Coat Color: Tipping about 1/3 of the complete hair length. The shading is to be evenly distributed to give the characteristic sparkling appearance. Face and legs are shaded with the tipping but chin, ear furnishings, belly, chest and underside of tail range from ivory beige to deep rich honey. Tabby markings are visible on the face and forehead. Broken rings on the legs are permitted. The fur on the underside of the feet is colored with the color of the tipping, on the back of the hind feet the color extends up as far as to the joint. In general a Shaded cat appears to be much darker than a Tipped. Descriptions are valid for all Shaded colors.

**AOV COLORS:**

**BLACK GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with black. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in black. **Nose Leather:** Brick red. **Paw Pads:** Black or seal brown.

**BLACK GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with black. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in black. **Nose Leather:** Brick red. **Paw Pads:** Black or seal brown.

**BROWN GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with seal brown. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in seal brown. **Nose Leather:** Brick red. **Paw Pads:** Seal brown.

**BROWN GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with seal brown. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in seal brown. **Nose Leather:** Brick red. **Paw Pads:** Seal brown.

**BLUE GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with blue. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in blue-grey. **Nose Leather:** Old rose. **Paw Pads:** Blue.

**BLUE GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with blue. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in blue-grey. **Nose Leather:** Old rose. **Paw Pads:** Blue.

**CHOCOLATE GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with chocolate brown. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in chocolate brown. **Nose Leather:** Pale red/pink. **Paw Pads:** Warm chocolate brown.

**CHOCOLATE GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with chocolate brown. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in chocolate brown. **Nose Leather:** Pale red/pink. **Paw Pads:** Warm chocolate brown.

**LILAC GOLDEN TIPPED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail tipped with lilac. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in lavender pink. **Nose Leather:** Pinkish red/pink. **Paw Pads:** Lavender pink.

**LILAC GOLDEN SHADED:** The undercoat is ivory to neutral beige; back, flanks, head, ears and tail shaded with lilac. **Eye and Nose Rims:** Outlined in lavender pink. **Nose Leather:** Pinkish red/pink. **Paw Pads:** Lavender pink.

**GOLDEN TORTIE TIPPED AND GOLDEN TORTIE SHADED:** The appropriate base color (black, brown, blue, chocolate and lilac) mottled or patched with areas of red, shades of red or cream.

**No Action.**

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## DEVON REX

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1. The Sphynx Breed Council has a proposal to allow them to remove the start date of 3/1/2014 for registering kittens from Devon Rex outcrosses and provide registration guidance for coated Sphynx.

[see Sphynx ballot]

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## EUROPEAN BURMESE

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1. The Burmese Breed Council has a proposal to allow them to register Burmese from other associations that have the colors “Red, Cream, Tortie or Blue Cream” in the pedigree as long as the parents conform to currently-accepted Burmese colors and are not registerable as European Burmese.

[see Burmese ballot]

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## EXOTIC

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**The following proposal is being presented at the request of the CFA Board of Directors:**

1. **PROPOSED:** Divide the Exotic breed into Longhair and Shorthair Divisions. Exotic Longhairs would be registered in the appropriate Exotic color class and be identified by specific registration prefix numbers/letters as Exotic Longhairs (example: 7XXXL prefix numbers, the addition of “L” would indicate “Longhair”).

Create LH/SH Divisions of Exotic. Provide coat descriptions for both the Exotic Shorthair and the Exotic Longhair. Delete any AOV reference to Longhair.

GENERAL: the ideal Exotic should present an impression of a heavily boned, well balanced cat with a sweet expression and soft, round lines. The large, round eyes set wide apart in a large round head contribute to the overall look and expression. The thick, plush coat of the Exotic Shorthair and the long thick coat of the Exotic Longhair softens soften the lines of the cat and ~~accentuates~~ accentuate the roundness in appearance.

AND

COAT: Exotic Shorthair: dense, plush, soft and full of life. Standing out from the body due to a rich, thick undercoat. Medium in length. Acceptable length depends on proper undercoat. Exotic Longhair: Long and thick, standing off from the body. Of fine texture, glossy and full of life. Long all over the body, including the shoulders. The ruff immense and continuing in a deep frill between the front legs. Ear and toe tufts long. Brush very full.

**No Action.**

2. The Persian Breed Council has a proposal to prohibit the showing of Longhair Exotics in the Persian color classes, effective May 1, 2015, but agrees to the showing of Longhair Exotics in the Exotic divisions or breed classes, as established by the Exotic breed.

[see Persian ballot]

3. The Selkirk Rex Breed Council has a proposal to indefinitely extend the Selkirk Rex allowable outcrosses to British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic.

[see Selkirk Rex ballot]

**The following proposal is to be considered if #3 does not pass:**

4. If Proposal #3 fails, the Selkirk Rex Breed Council has a proposal to extend the Selkirk Rex outcrosses to British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic to January 1, 2025.

[see Selkirk Rex ballot]

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## MANX

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### Part I – Manx Show Standard Changes

1. **PROPOSED:** In the Manx colors and patterns, replace the individual descriptions for BLACK SMOKE and BLUE SMOKE with the general description for SMOKE.

~~BLACK SMOKE: white undercoat, deeply tipped with black. Cat in repose appears black. In motion the white undercoat is clearly apparent. Points and mask black with narrow band of white at base of hairs next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Nose leather and paw pads: black.~~

~~BLUE SMOKE: white undercoat, deeply tipped with blue. Cat in repose appears blue. In motion the white undercoat is clearly apparent. Points and mask blue with narrow band of white at base of hairs next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Nose leather and paw pads: blue.~~

**SMOKE:** The smoke has a white undercoat deeply tipped with color. The smoke in repose appears solid in color. In motion the white undercoat color is clearly apparent. Extremities are solid in color, and have a narrow band of white at the base of the hairs next to the skin, which may be seen only when the fur is parted.

**Motion Carried.**

2. **PROPOSED:** Add Smoke color descriptions in the Show Standards so that all allowable Smoke colors are included.

**SHADED SILVER: ...**

**BLUE SMOKE:** undercoat white, coat is deeply tipped with blue. **Nose leather and paw pads: blue.**

**RED SMOKE (Cameo Smoke):** undercoat white, coat is deeply tipped with red. **Nose leather, rims of eyes and paw pads: rose.**

**CREAM SMOKE (Dilute Cameo Smoke):** undercoat white, coat is deeply tipped with cream. **Nose leather, rims of eyes, and paw pads: pink.**

**BLACK SMOKE:** undercoat white, coat is deeply tipped with black. **Nose leather and paw pads: black.**

**TORTOISESHELL/DILUTE TORTOISESHELL SMOKE (Blue Cream Smoke):** undercoat white, coat is deeply tipped with black for the non-dilute or blue for the dilute with

patches of red or cream or softly intermingled areas of red for the non-dilute or cream for the dilute. **Nose leather and paw pads:** may be mottled with pink.

**CALICO SMOKE (Smoke Calico, Dilute Smoke Calico):** undercoat white, coat is white with primarily unbrindled patches (minimal brindled color acceptable) of black (non-dilute) or blue (dilute) and red(non-dilute) or cream (dilute). White predominant on underparts. Includes all expressions of the white spotting gene including the van pattern. **Nose leather and paw pads:** may be mottled with pink.

**TORTOISESHELL & WHITE SMOKE (Smoke Tortoiseshell and White, Smoke Blue-Cream and White):** undercoat white, coat is black( non-dilute) or blue(dilute) and red( non-dilute) or cream(dilute) with minimal white present (white limited to one or more feet, belly, chest, face, and/or small spot of white on back, flank, or neck). Cats with no more than a locket and/or a button do not qualify for this class. Such cats shall be judged as a smoke tortoiseshell/dilute smoke tortoiseshell(blue cream) with no penalty for such locket and/or button. **Nose leather and paw pads:** may be mottled with pink.

**BI-COLOR SMOKE (Black Smoke and White, Blue Smoke and White, Red Smoke and White, Cream Smoke and White):** Includes all expressions of the white spotting gene from low-white to van patterns. Cats with no more than a locket and/or button do not qualify for this color class. Such cats shall be judged in the color class of their basic color with no penalty for such locket and/or button

**Motion Carried.**

- 3. PROPOSED:** Add a definition for the allowed Red Silver Tabby to the Show Standards where it does not currently exist.

**SILVER TABBY: ...**

**RED SILVER TABBY (Cameo Tabby)** (classic, mackerel, spotted): ground color, including lips and chin off-white, markings red, undercoat white. White trim around lip and chin allowed. **Nose leather and paw pads:** rose desirable.

**Motion Carried.**

- 4. PROPOSED:** Add a definition for the allowed Cream Silver Tabby to the Show Standards where it does not currently exist.

**CREAM SILVER TABBY (Dilute Cameo Tabby)** (classic, mackerel, spotted): ground color, including lips and chin off-white, markings cream, undercoat white. White trim around lip and chin allowed. **Nose leather and paw pads:** pink desirable.

**RED TABBY: ...**

**Motion Carried.**

- 5. PROPOSED:** Add a definition for the allowed Ticked Tabby to the Show Standards where it does not currently exist.

**MACKEREL TABBY PATTERN: ...**

**TICKED TABBY PATTERN:** body hairs to be ticked with various shades of marking color and ground color. Body when viewed from-top to be free from noticeable spots, stripes, or

blotches, except for darker dorsal shading. Lighter underside may show tabby markings. Face, legs, and tail must show distinct tabby striping. White buttons and/or lockets allowed.

**SPOTTED TABBY PATTERN: ...**

**Motion carried.**

6. **PROPOSED:** Clarify whether Smoke and Whites belong in the Bi-Color class or not by specifically naming the colors that do belong.

**BI-COLOR:** Manx solid colors (Blue, Black, Red, Cream, Blue Smoke, Black Smoke, Red Smoke (Cameo Smoke), Cream Smoke (Dilute Cameo Smoke) with the addition of white.

Includes all expressions of the white spotting gene from low-white to van patterns. Cats with no more than a locket and/or button do not qualify for this color class. Such cats shall be judged in the color class of their basic color with no penalty for such locket and/or button.

**Motion Carried.**

**IF ITEM #6 SHOULD FAIL:**

7. **PROPOSED:** Clarify whether Smoke and Whites belong in the Bi-Color class or not by specifically naming the colors that do belong.

**BI-COLOR:** Manx solid colors (Blue, Black, Red, Cream) with the addition of white.

Includes all expressions of the white spotting gene from low-white to van patterns. Cats with no more than a locket and/or button do not qualify for this color class. Such cats shall be judged in the color class of their basic color with no penalty for such locket and/or button.

**No Action.**

8. **PROPOSED:** Remove the prohibition on Ticked Tabbies from the general Colors and Markings section since it conflicts with both the definition of Other Manx Colors in the detailed Colors section and with our current Rules for Registration.

COLOR and MARKINGS: Manx colors and tabby patterns are recognized as described under colors. Color/patterns showing evidence of hybridization (chocolate/lavender/~~ticked tabby~~/pointed or these combinations with white) are not allowed. ...

**Motion Carried.**

**Part II – Manx Rules for Registration Changes**

**The following two ballot items affect only the Manx Rules for Registration.**

9. **PROPOSED:** To bring our Rules for Registration in line with our Show Standards regarding the Smoke and Whites, edit the Breed Notes in the Manx Breed Book.

If Proposal 6 passes (includes Smoke and Whites as Bi-Colors):

Smoke ~~or shaded~~ and White – Bi-Color class.

**Or:**

If Proposal 7 passes :

~~Smoke or shaded and white – bi-color class~~

**Motion Carried.**

- 10. PROPOSED:** To bring our Rules for Registration in line with our Show Standards definition of the Other Manx Colors (OMC) class, edit the Breed Notes in the Manx Breed Book.

OMC Show Class:

~~Silver tabby and white~~  
~~Any patched tabby and white~~  
~~Any smoke and white~~  
~~Any shaded and white~~

Any other color or pattern with the exception of those showing hybridization resulting in the colors chocolate, lavender, the Himalayan pattern, or those combinations with white.

**Motion Carried.**

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**PERSIAN – GENERAL**

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**Ms. DelaBar** moved to bring the Exotic and Persian question forward first. Seconded by **Mrs. Moser, Motion Carried.**

- 1. PROPOSED:** Prohibit the showing of Longhair Exotics in Persian Color Classes effective May 1, 2015. Agree to the showing of Longhair Exotics in the Exotic divisions or breed classes as established by the Exotic breed.

CFA shall make the following changes to applicable Show Rules and Persian Rules of Registration in order to remove the showing of Longhair Exotics in Persian color classes (note: changes relating to the Exotic standard, the Exotic Listing within Article XXXII, Rule 32.01 of the Show Rules, and the Exotic Rules of Registration will be addressed by the Exotic BC):

- a. Revise Show Rule 2.04 to read as follows (text to be deleted in strike out ): ~~With the exception of qualifying longhair Exotics (which may be shown in Persian classes), e~~ Each cat must be entered in the breed under which it is registered, and each kitten must be entered in the breed under which it is registered or eligible to be registered.
- b. Revise Article XXXII, Rule 32.01 of the Show Rules effective May 1, 2015 to eliminate the note at the end of the Persian listing. Revisions to the show rule are shown below (deletions are in strike out – there are no changes to the divisions and color classes included in the Persian listing).

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**(See Note at End of Persian Listing)**

**Note:** Longhair Exotics that meet Persian color descriptions are eligible to compete in Persian color classes. ~~These cats, also referred to as AOV Exotics, are identified by a registration prefix of 7798 7799, 7698 7699 and 7598 7599. A longhair division for Exotics will be created for scoring purposes only and National/regional points accumulated by longhair Exotics shown in Persian color classes will count towards longhair Exotic breed and color class wins, not towards Persian wins.~~

c. Add a note to the “Significant Acceptance Dates” section and add notes to the “Breed Notes” section of the Persian Rules of Registration indicating Longhair Exotics no longer accepted in competition in Persian classes.

**Motion Failed.**

2. **PROPOSED:** That CFA increase the requirement for registration of a Persian cat or kitten in CFA from another registering association via certified pedigree from five (5) to eight (8) generations.

**Motion Failed.** Schreck, Dugger, Krzanowski, Wilson, Calhoun and Ganoe voting yes. Kuta abstained.

3. The Exotic Breed Council has a proposal to divide the Exotic breed into longhair and shorthair divisions. Exotic Longhairs would be registered in the appropriate Exotic color class and be identified by specific registration prefix numbers/letters as Exotic Longhairs (example: 7XXXL prefix numbers, the addition of “L” would indicate “Longhair:”).

[see Exotic ballot]

4. The Selkirk Rex Breed Council has a proposal to indefinitely extend the Selkirk Rex allowable outcrosses to British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic.

[see Selkirk Rex ballot]

**The following proposal is to be considered if #4 does not pass:**

5. If Proposal #4 fails, the Selkirk Rex Breed Council has a proposal to extend the Selkirk Rex outcrosses to British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic to January 1, 2025.

[see Selkirk Rex ballot]

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## PERSIAN – TABBY DIVISION

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1. **PROPOSED:** Add the following paragraph to the start of the section Tabby Division Colors:

**Tabby Division Colors**

Color is worth 20 points for Persians. For cats in the tabby division, the quality of the pattern is an essential part of the color of the cat and is worth 10 points. The pattern should match the description for the particular tabby pattern and be well defined. The pattern should be viewed while the cat is in a natural standing position. The remaining 10 points are allotted to the correctness of the color, the extent to which it matches the particular tabby color description. Penalize cats for indistinguishable pattern or lack of pattern.

**CLASSIC TABBY PATTERN: ...**

**Motion Carried.**

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## SELKIRK REX

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1. **PROPOSED:** To indefinitely extend the Selkirk Rex allowable outcrosses to British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic.

**Selkirk Rex allowable outcross breeds:** British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic. ~~Kittens born on or after January 1, 2020 may have only Selkirk Rex parents.~~

**Motion Failed.**

**The following proposal is to be considered if #1 does not pass:**

**2. PROPOSED:** To extend the Selkirk Rex allowable outcrosses to January 1, 2025.

**Selkirk Rex allowable outcross breeds:** British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic. Kittens born on or after January 1, ~~2020~~ 2025 may have only Selkirk Rex parents.

**Motion Carried** (as to all three breeds). Kallmeyer, Schreck, Krzanowski, Dugger, Wilson, Calhoun and Meeker voting no.

**Ms. Anger** moved to reconsider the previous motion. Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski, Motion Carried.** Ganoë, Eigenhauser and McCullough voting no.

**Mrs. Meeker** moved to allow the Exotics to be an outcross for the Selkirk Rex until 2025. Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski, Motion Carried.**

**Ms. DelaBar** moved to allow the outcross for the Selkirk Rex to the British Shorthairs until 2025. Seconded by **Mrs. Meeker, Motion Carried.**

**Ms. Calhoun** moved to allow the Selkirk Rex to outcross to Persians until 2025. Seconded by **Mr. Mastin, Motion Failed.** Eigenhauser, Fellerman and McCullough voting yes. Ganoë abstained.

For clarification purposes, **Ms. DelaBar** moved that the Selkirk Rex be allowed to outcross to the Persian, as is currently written, until 2020. Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski, Motion Carried.**

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## SIBERIAN

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**1. PROPOSED:** Addition of golden and blue golden tabby pattern descriptions to the standard.

**CAMEO TABBY** (classic, mackerel, spotted, ticked): markings red. Undercoat white. **Nose leather and paw pads:** rose desirable.

**GOLDEN TABBY** (classic, mackerel, spotted, ticked): ground color rich golden. Undercoat pale honey to bright apricot. Markings dense black affording a good contrast with ground color. **Nose leather:** rose. **Paw pads:** black.

**BLUE GOLDEN TABBY** (classic, mackerel, spotted, ticked): ground color rich golden. Undercoat pale honey to bright apricot. Markings dense blue affording a good contrast with ground color. **Nose leather:** rose. **Paw pads:** blue or rose.

**TORTOISESHELL:** black with patches of red or softly intermingled area of red on both body and extremities. Presence of several shades of red acceptable.

**Motion Carried.**

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## SPHYNX

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1. **PROPOSED:** Remove the current start date of March 1, 2014 for registering kittens from Devon Rex outcross and provide registration guidance for coated Sphynx.

**Sphynx Allowable Outcross Breeds:** American Shorthair, Devon Rex ~~born March 1, 2014 or after~~, Domestic Shorthair/Domestic Sphynx Outcross. Sphynx born on or after December 31, 2018 may have only Sphynx parents. Coated Sphynx are registered for breeding only.

**Motion Carried.**

2. **PROPOSED:** Update Sphynx Rules of Registration to allow the registration and exhibition of Sphynx whose pedigree contains Devon Rex in any generation.

**DO NOT ACCEPT (cat to be registered or cats in background):**

<del>Devon in grandparents (2<sup>nd</sup> gen)</del>	
<del>Devon in great grandparent OK for breeding only cat (submitted after 1/1/00)</del>	

**Motion Carried.**

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(21) **2013 ANNUAL RESOLUTION 17 – WILD-DOMESTIC ISSUE.**

**Mr. Ganoë** moved to change the Breeding of Domestic and Non-Domestic Cats policy as follows (deleted text in strikeout):

*~~“The Cat Fanciers’ Association, Inc., does not encourage or promote the breeding of non-domestic (wild) cats of any species to any domesticated Cats. The Cat Fanciers’ Association, Inc. will not consider for registration the offspring of such a breeding.”~~*

Seconded by **Ms. DelaBar**, **Motion Carried.** Schreck, Brown, McCullough, Calhoun and Wilson voting no.

(22) **2015 WORLD SHOW INTERNATIONAL SHOW.**

**Mrs. Moser** moved that CFA not put on a world show in 2015. Seconded by **Dr. McCullough**, **Motion Withdrawn.**

**Ms. DelaBar** moved to change the name of the event to the CFA International Cat Show. Seconded by **Ms. Anger**, **Motion Carried.**

**Mrs. Schreck** moved to have a 16 ring show with one judge selected from each region, and the other 7 judges selected from the remaining at-large pool. Seconded by **Mr. Eigenhauser**, **Motion Carried.** Moser and McCullough voting no.

**Mr. Colilla** moved that the format for kittens will be double specialty in all rings. Seconded by **Mrs. Meeker**, **Motion Carried.**

**Mrs. Moser** moved that kittens will be top 15 in all rings, regardless of entry. Seconded by **Mr. Eigenhauser**, **Motion Carried.**

**Mrs. Moser** moved that the format for championship and premiership will be 4 allbreed/4 specialty. Seconded by **Ms. Anger, Motion Carried.**

**Dr. McCullough** moved that championship and premiership will be top 15 in all rings, regardless of entry. Seconded by **Mrs. Moser, Motion Carried.**

**Ms. Kuta** moved that household pets will be top 15 and that they will be judged in one show. Seconded by **Mr. Eigenhauser, Motion Carried.**

**(23) SUPER SPECIALTY ANALYSIS.**

**Ms. DelaBar** moved to extend the opportunity to have the Super Specialty rings under such criteria as the board may determine for the next show season. Seconded by **Ms. Calhoun, Motion Carried.** Moser voting no.

**(24) INTERNATIONAL DIVISION REPORT.**

**Chair Mr. Kallmeyer** moved to adopt the following show rule changes:

28.04b	International Division Board Liaison	
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording	
<p>Two hundred (200) points are required for Grand Championship; seventy-five (75) points for Grand Premiership in Regions 1 through 9 with the exceptions of the Maritime Provinces of Canada, Malta, the Ukraine, Hawaii, Russia (east of the Ural mountains), and the International Division. For cats residing and competing in Hawaii, Malta, Russia (east of the Ural mountains), the International Division (except Hong Kong, China, Malaysia, Thailand, Taiwan, and Indonesia), and the Maritime Provinces of Canada seventy five points (75) are required for Grand Championship; twenty-five (25) points are required for Grand Premiership. In Hong Kong, Malaysia, Thailand, Taiwan, and Indonesia one hundred twenty-five (125) points are required for Grand Championship. In the Ukraine and China, two hundred (200) points are required for Grand Championship. In Hong Kong seventy-five (75) points are required for Grand Premiership. In China, Taiwan, and Malaysia fifty (50) points are required for Grand Premiership. In Thailand; and Indonesia twenty-five (25) points are required for Grand Premiership. In Ukraine and Russia (east of the Ural mountains) twenty-five (25) points are required for Grand Premiership.</p>	<p>Two hundred (200) points are required for Grand Championship; seventy-five (75) points for Grand Premiership in Regions 1 through 9 with the exceptions of the Maritime Provinces of Canada, Malta, the Ukraine, Hawaii, Russia (east of the Ural mountains), and the International Division. For cats residing and competing in Hawaii, Malta, Russia (east of the Ural mountains), the International Division (except Hong Kong, China, Malaysia, Thailand, Taiwan, and Indonesia), and the Maritime Provinces of Canada seventy five points (75) are required for Grand Championship; twenty-five (25) points are required for Grand Premiership. <u>In Taiwan ninety (90) points are required for Grand Championship; forty (40) points are required for Grand Premiership.</u> In Hong Kong, Malaysia, Thailand, <del>Taiwan</del>, and Indonesia one hundred twenty-five (125) points are required for Grand Championship. In the Ukraine and China, two hundred (200) points are required for Grand Championship. In Hong Kong seventy-five (75) points are required for Grand Premiership. In China; <del>Taiwan</del>, and Malaysia fifty (50) points are required for Grand Premiership. In Thailand; and Indonesia twenty-five (25) points are required for Grand Premiership. In Ukraine and Russia (east of the Ural mountains) twenty-five (25) points are required for Grand Premiership.</p>	

**RATIONALE:** At the request of the International Division chair, the point requirements for granding in Taiwan have been lowered from 125 to 90 for Grand Champion and from 50 to 40 for Grand Premier. With the new computer system, we can have a more granular point structure. As it stands now, 125 points for Grand Champion and 50 points for Grand Premier are too high for Taiwan. Taiwan has the same requirements as Hong Kong and Thailand for Grand Champions with 20% of the shows and less than 8% of the cats being exhibited.

**Motion Carried.**

<b>Article XXXVI - Regional Definitions, Items 2 and 4</b>	<b>International Division Board Liaison</b>	
	<b>Existing Wording</b>	<b>Proposed Wording</b>
<p>2. All regional awards given in region 8 are based on points earned either in region 8, Taiwan, or Singapore by exhibitors residing in region 8.</p> <p>4. Awards given in the International Division are based only on points earned in the International Division with the exception that cats/kittens/household pets whose residences are in Taiwan or Singapore may earn points in Region 8 as well.</p>	<p>2. All regional awards given in region 8 are based on points earned <del>either in region 8, Taiwan, or Singapore by exhibitors residing in region 8.</del></p> <p>4. Awards given in the International Division (<u>DW</u>) are based only on points earned in the International Division with the exception that cats/kittens/household pets <del>whose residences are in Taiwan or Singapore may earn points in Region 8 as well,</del> <u>from outside of China may NOT earn points at shows in China.</u></p>	
<p><b>RATIONALE:</b> At the request of the International Division chair, the requirements for earning points toward a DW outside of China are revised to be limited to shows outside of China and within the International Division only. Cats from other countries may show in China, but the points will only go to a Global win, NOT a DW win in their country. This also eliminates the provision that had been in place that allowed cats from Region 8, Singapore, and Taiwan to earn points at shows in any of those areas and count them toward a DW or RW (Region 8).</p>		

**Motion Carried.**

**Mr. Kallmeyer** moved that, effective next show season, the Division Wins for China be increased to 25 for kittens and championship, and 15 for premiership. Seconded by **Mr. Ganoe**,  
**Motion Carried.**

**(25) YOUTH FELINE EDUCATION PROGRAM.**

**Liaison Ms. Calhoun** presented no action items.

**(26) IT REPORT.**

**Chair Mr. Ganoe** had no action items.

**(27) WEB OVERSIGHT.**

**Chair Mr. Ganoe** had no action items.

**(28) BUSINESS MANAGEMENT.**

**Chair Mrs. Meeker** had no action items.

**(29) AWARDS REVIEW COMMITTEE.**

**Mrs. Meeker** moved to approve club and breed council sponsorship of breed rosettes for the annual awards for \$50 per breed/division, to include the sponsor's name on the rosettes.

Seconded by **Mr. Ganoë, Motion Carried.**

**Mr. Eigenhauser** moved to send to the delegates the proposal to approve the multi-level grand titles to begin with points and majors earned during the 2015-2016 season, or send the proposal to the delegates for approval at the 2015 annual to begin with the 2016-2017 season. Seconded by **Mrs. Meeker, Motion Carried.**

**(30) MARKETING AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT.**

No action items were presented.

**(31) CFA AMBASSADOR PROGRAM.**

**Liaison Ms. DelaBar** presented no action items.

**(32) CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE UPDATE.**

No action items were presented.

**(33) CLERKING PROGRAM.**

No Report.

**(34) MENTOR/NEWBEE COMMITTEE.**

**Co-Chair Ms. Krzanowski** had no action items.

**(35) CFA COMMUNITY OUTREACH/EDUCATION.**

**Liaison Ms. Kuta** presented no action items.

**(36) AMBASSADOR CAT PROGRAM.**

No action items were presented.

**(37) OTHER COMMITTEES.**

No Other Committee Reports were presented.

**(38) OLD BUSINESS.**

No Old Business was presented.

**(39) NEW BUSINESS.**

No New Business was presented.

**(40) DISCIPLINARY HEARINGS AND SUSPENSIONS.**

**Appeals:** Cases that have been reviewed by the Protest Committee and for which a recommendation was presented to and heard by the Board, a tentative decision was rendered, timely notice was given to the party, an appeal and/or appeal fee was timely filed, and the appeal was heard by the Board of Directors. Therefore, final disposition is as follows:

**14-018**        **CFA v. Barsalona, Giuseppe and Rossini, Cristiano**

***Violation of CFA Constitution Article XV, Section 4 (g)  
(Any act or conduct seriously and patently detrimental to the best interest and welfare of the cat or CFA)***

***GUILTY. Sentence of restitution of €5,050.***

**Motion Carried** (vote sealed).

**Disciplinary Hearings And Suspensions:** Cases that have been reviewed by the Protest Committee and for which a recommendation was presented to the Board. The following cases were heard, tentative decisions were rendered, timely notice was given to the parties, and no appeal and/or appeal fee was filed. Therefore, final disposition is as follows:

[to be provided after 30 day appeal period expires]

Respectfully submitted,  
Rachel Anger, CFA Secretary