

SUMMARY OF MOTIONS
CFA ANNUAL AND EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS
OCTOBER 4/5, 2025

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Secretary's Note: The Officers and Board of Directors of the Cat Fanciers' Association, Inc. met on Saturday, October 4, 2025, via Zoom video conference. **President Richard Mastin** called the video conference meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time for the regularly scheduled Quarterly Video Conference. A roll call by **Secretary Rachel Anger** found the following members to be present:

Mr. Richard Mastin (President)
Mr. Russell Webb (Vice-President)
Ms. Rachel Anger (Secretary)
Mrs. Doreann Nasin (NAR Director)
Vicki A. Jensen, Esq. (NWR Director)
Ms. Carissa Altschul (GSR Director)
Mr. John Colilla (GLR Director)
Mr. Howard Webster (SWR Director) X
Ms. Janet Moyer (MWR Director)
Mr. Kenny Currle (SOR Director)
Ms. Aki Tamura (Japan Regional Director)
Ms. Pam DelaBar (Europe Regional Director)
Mrs. Jacqui Bennett (Director-at-Large)
Dr. Marilee Griswold (Director-at-Large)+
Mr. Pauli Huhtaniemi (Director-at-Large)
Mrs. Carol Krzanowski (Director-at-Large)
Ms. Victoria Nye (Director-at-Large)

Also Present:

Edward L. Raymond, Jr., Esq., CFA Legal Counsel
Ms. Allene Tartaglia, Executive Director
Mr. James Simbro, IT Systems Analyst

Absent:

Ms. Kathy Calhoun (Treasurer)

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

(1) MEETING CALLED TO ORDER/APPROVE ORDERS OF THE DAY.

Upon motion by **Dr. Griswold**, seconded by **Ms. DelaBar**, the Orders of the Day, as amended, were accepted without objection and became the Orders of Business.

Reports of Officers, Boards, and Standing Committees

(2) SECRETARY'S REPORT: ADDITIONS/CORRECTIONS TO THE MINUTES; RATIFICATION OF ON-LINE MOTIONS.

(a) Additions/Corrections to the Minutes.

None.

(b) Ratification of August 5, 2025 Zoom Video Conference Board Meeting Minutes.

Ms. Anger moved to approve the August 5, 2025 Zoom video conference board meeting minutes, as published. Seconded by **Dr. Griswold**, the motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

(c) Ratification of Online Motions.

	Moved/ Seconded	Motion	Vote																	
1.	Calhoun Anger 08.25.2025	Approve an expenditure of up to \$10,000 to replace the HVAC unit at the Central Office building with a new unit.	Motion Carried.																	
2.	Anger Huhtaniemi 08.17.2025	For Temiro Cat Fanciers club's 8 ring show on November 22-23, 2025 in Istanbul, Turkey, grant an exception to Show Rule 4.06.b. and Appendix A - Minimum Number of Specialty Rings Required, and allow the club to have all allbreed rings.	Motion Failed. Altschul voting no.																	
3.	Executive Committee 08.17.2025	For the Rebel Rousers Cat Club show on August 16/17, 2025 in Lawrenceville, Georgia (Region 7), grant the club an exception to Show Rule 8.03 to allow the club to use an alternate merit award designation until the Household Pet merit awards arrive at the show hall.	Motion Carried (subject to ratification).																	
4.	Executive Committee 08.20.2025	Grant an exception to Show Rule 6.36.a. and allow Sacred Cat of Burma Fanciers to accept the one entry submitted on Tuesday, August 19 before 11:59 p.m., the closing date and time on the show flyer appearing online.	Motion Failed. Anger and Mastin voting no.																	
5.	Anger Bennett 09.06.2025	For the Royal Cat Club's show on October 4, 2026 in Kyiv, Ukraine (Region 9), grant an exception to Show Rule 4.04 to allow a show format change from a 6 ring one-day show on October 4, 2025 to an 8 ring two-day show on October 4/5, 2025, and add Olga Korotonozhkina and Olga Grebneva to judge the show, on the condition that the club will issue an updated flyer, publicize the change, and send notifications to Central Office, all entered exhibitors, the judges and the Regional Director.	Motion Carried.																	
6.	Moyer Altschul 09.15.2025	<div>[For the 2025 CFA International Show] Implement a tiered scoring percentage based on total entry counts per class. This keeps scoring proportional to the size of the event but rewards exhibitors for supporting the show when numbers are lower. Suggested Structure:</div> <table><tr><th>Class</th><th>Entry Count</th><th>Scoring %</th></tr><tr><td rowspan="4">Kittens & Championship</td><td>≤ 100</td><td>100%</td></tr><tr><td>101–125</td><td>90%</td></tr><tr><td>126–150</td><td>80%</td></tr><tr><td>151+</td><td>75%</td></tr><tr><td rowspan="2">Premiership</td><td>≤ 50</td><td>100%</td></tr><tr><td>51–65</td><td>90%</td></tr></table>	Class	Entry Count	Scoring %	Kittens & Championship	≤ 100	100%	101–125	90%	126–150	80%	151+	75%	Premiership	≤ 50	100%	51–65	90%	
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	Moved/ Seconded	Motion			Vote
		Household Pets	66–80 81+ ≤ 30 31–40 41–50 51+	80% 75% 100% 90% 80% 75%	
	Amendment: Moyer Altschul	Class Kittens & Championship Premiership Household Pets	Entry Count ≤ 150 151–180 181+ ≤ 75 76–90 91+ ≤ 40 41–55 56+	Scoring % 100% 90% 75% 100% 90% 75% 100% 90% 75%	Motion Failed. Altschul voted yes. Bennett, Griswold, Anger, Webb and Nye abstained due to conflict. Moyer abstained.

Ms. Anger moved to ratify online Motion #3, as published. Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski**, the motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

(3) CENTRAL OFFICE OPERATIONS.

Executive Director Ms. Tartaglia and **IT Director Mr. Simbro** had no action items.

(4) CLUB APPLICATIONS.

Chair Mrs. Krzanowski moved to approve the reinstatement request by the Foot of The Rockies Cat Club, effective immediately. Seconded by **Ms. Anger**, the motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

Mrs. Krzanowski moved to approve the new club application for Queen City Cat Club (Region 4). Seconded by **Mr. Huhtaniemi**, **Motion Carried**. Colilla and Anger abstained.

(5) CFA LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

Chair Ms. Shafnisky had no action items.

(6) INTERNATIONAL DIVISION.

Dr. Griswold moved on standing motion to reconsider the August 17, 2025 online motion: *For Temiro Cat Fanciers club's 8 ring show on November 22-23, 2025 in Istanbul, Turkey, grant an exception to Show Rule 4.06.b. and Appendix A - Minimum Number of Specialty Rings Required, and allow the club to have all allbreed rings.* Seconded by **Mr. Webb**, **Motion Carried**. Nye, Altschul and Jensen voting no.

(7) JUDGING PROGRAM.

Co-Chair Ms. Nye moved on standing motion to adopt the following Judging Program rule changes, effective immediately. Upon standing second by **Co-Chair Mr. Webb**, the motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

Judging Program Rule Changes

Section 8	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
8.3 Supervised Color Classes For Trainees <p>e. Immediately following completion of training at the show, the Trainee must give the duplicate copy of the color class sheets, breed sheets and final sheet to the Training Judge.</p>	8.3 Supervised Color Classes For Trainees <p>e. Immediately following completion of training at the show, the Trainee must give the duplicate copy of <u>scan</u> the color class sheets, breed sheets and final sheet <u>and email them</u> to the Training Judge <u>and the appropriate File Administrator</u>.</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

Section 8 Trainees	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
8.4 Trainee Paperwork <p>a. Within two (2) days after the show, the Trainee will scan the original color class sheets, breed sheets, final page and catalog marked with the Training Judge's decisions, as well as Trainee's decisions and email to the File Administrator.</p>	8.4 Trainee Paperwork <p>a. Within two (2) days after the show, the Trainee will scan the original color class sheets, breed sheets, final page and catalog <u>pages</u> marked with the Training Judge's decisions, as well as Trainee's decisions, <u>and also any corrections found during this two (2) day review</u>, and email <u>them</u> to the <u>appropriate</u> File Administrator.</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

Section 8 Trainees	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
8.5 Solo Color Classes For Trainees <p>e. Immediately following completion of training at the show the Trainee must give the duplicate copy of the color class sheets, breed sheets and final sheet to the Training Judge.</p>	8.5 Solo Color Classes For Trainees <p>e. Immediately following completion of training at the show the Trainee must give the duplicate copy of <u>scan</u> the color class sheets, breed sheets and final sheet <u>and email them</u> to the Training Judge <u>and the appropriate File Administrator</u>.</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

APPLICATIONS:

Applicant – from Associate Judge Program:

Accept as Trainee – 1st Specialty:

Tuija Aaltonen – Kerava, Finland (Region 9) 17 yes
Shorthair 1st Specialty

Applicant – Regular Judging Program:

Accept as Trainee – 1st Specialty:

Noelle Giddings – Coeur D’Alene, Idaho (Region 2) 17 yes
Longhair 1st Specialty
Carrie Feng – Tianjin, China (ID-China) 3 yes (Tamura,
Shorthair 1st Specialty Currle, Webster),
14 no

Advancements – Regular Judging Program:

Advance from Apprentice to Approval Pending Specialty:

Agnes Sun – Shanghai, China (ID-China) 17 yes
Longhair 1st Specialty

Advance from Approval Pending Allbreed to Approved Allbreed:

Gavin Cao – Chengdu, China (ID-China) 17 yes

(8) PRESERVATION BREED HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE.

Chair Mrs. Bennett had no action items.

(9) HOUSEHOLD PET COMMITTEE.

Liaison Mrs. Bennett moved to investigate and create a process for countries with limits associated with spay/neuter due to legal or religious limitations to apply for a season-by-season country-specific exemption from spay/neuter requirement and submit for board approval or consideration at the annual meeting. Seconded by Mrs. Krzanowski, Motion Carried. Altschul voting no.

(10) EXPERIMENTAL FORMATS.

Chair Ms. Anger moved to grant an exception to Show Rule 7.01 and 11.35 and allow the Global Egyptian Mau Society to hold breed specialty rings for Egyptian Maus in the allbreed rings at their back to back show on July 25-26, 2026 In Chantilly, Virginia (Region 7) in the following manner: all classes (Kittens, Championship and Premiership) will be judged consecutively with the option for breed specific bay judging depending on entry and awarded in the usual manner, which will include top three breed awards; then, a breed specialty final for each breed will be held across all classes (i.e., including Kittens, Championship and Premiership competing together in a breed specialty final). Awards will be given based on the total Breed entry for each breed as follows: up to 14 entries = top 3; 15 to 24 entries = top 4; 25 or more

entries = top 5. No points will be associated with these awards. Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski**, the motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

(11) PROTESTS.

Protest Committee Chair Richard Kallmeyer gave the Protest Committee report containing recommendations for disposition of pending matters (see Agenda Item #25). **Motion Carried [vote sealed]**.

Reports of Special (Select or Ad Hoc) Committees

None.

Reports of Affiliates

None.

Unfinished Business and General Orders

(12) OTHER COMMITTEES.

None.

(13) OLD BUSINESS.

None.

(14) NEW BUSINESS.

(a) Traditional Date Weekend Issues (Altschul)

Ms. Altschul moved that, if a club's traditional show weekend is not explicitly documented on the CFA Traditional Show Schedule as a floating date (e.g., "last full weekend of the month"), then Central Office shall only license that club's show on the specific weekend listed on the schedule. Any request to hold the show on a different weekend – whether due to how the weekends fall that year or a club's interpretation of their tradition – must go through the standard process for requesting a change to a traditional date. Furthermore, clubs wishing to have a floating weekend definition officially recognized must submit this to the Show Scheduling Committee and have it clearly annotated on the Traditional Show Schedule going forward. Seconded by **Ms. DelaBar**, **Tabled**.

(b) Minutes Retention (Bennett)

Mrs. Bennett moved that, beginning with the October 4-5, 2025 Board Meeting, this organization adopt a policy of releasing only approved meeting minutes. In furtherance of this policy, the retention of verbatim transcripts of board and committee meetings, whether open session or closed session, will be limited to no more than six months following the official release of approved meeting minutes, after which such transcripts shall be securely deleted or destroyed. Verbatim transcripts will no longer be shared with members of the Board. Seconded by **Ms. DelaBar**, **Motion Carried**. Altschul, Nye, Krzanowski, Jensen, Tamura, Huhtaniemi and DelaBar voting no. Anger abstained for cause.

(c) Disbanding of Inactive Committees (Bennett)

Mrs. Bennett moved that any committee which fails to have a report within a 1 year period be considered for disbanding or transfer to another chair, effective one year from the committee appointments the Sunday after the annual elections. Seconded by **Mr. Webb**, **Motion Failed**. Bennett, Altschul, Webb and Moyer voting yes.

(d) Cattery of Distinction Program (DelaBar)

Ms. DelaBar moved to accept the policy on combining catteries for award of the Cattery of Distinction title, as published in the minutes. Seconded by **Ms. Anger**, **Motion Carried**. Jensen voting no. Altschul abstained.

Ms. DelaBar moved to approve the policy for the transfer and ownership of cattery names, as published in the minutes. Seconded by **Ms. Anger**, **Motion Carried**. Jensen voting no. Altschul abstained. Bennett did not vote.

(15) UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

None.

(16) MEETING CALLED TO ORDER/APPROVE ORDERS OF THE DAY.

Upon motion by **Mrs. Krzanowski**, seconded by **Dr. Griswold**, the Orders of the Day, as amended, were accepted without objection and became the Orders of Business.

(17) MARKETING.

Following an executive session discussion, **Ms. DelaBar** moved to include the motion and voting results into open session with no debate or discussion. Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski**, the motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

Mr. Currie moved to hire a Marketing Director, within the current budgeted salary, to include responsibilities as outlined in the job description. Seconded by **Mrs. Krzanowski**, **Motion Carried** [vote sealed].

(18) SHOW RULES.

Liaison Mrs. Krzanowski moved on standing motion, with **Dr. Griswold** making a standing second, for the adoption of the following Show Rule change proposals:

Changes effective for shows after October 18, 2025

1. *Add Show Rule 7.22 to provide when the electronic show catalog can be released to exhibitors.*

Article VII: Pre-Show Document Preparation -- Add 7.22	Show Technology Committee/Entry Clerk Program Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
None		<u>7.22 For all shows providing an electronic show catalog to exhibitors, the entry clerk must not release the electronic catalog more than 36-48 hours or less than 24 hours prior to the scheduled</u>

	<u>beginning of judging at the show or at the first of two shows held on the same weekend at the same location.</u>
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Motion Carried. Jensen, Nasin and Colilla voting no.

2. *Amend Show Rule 6.09 to require that cats owned by an Associate judge or Single Specialty judge who officiates and shows on the same weekend to be X'd out in the catalog for all rings on the day they judge.*

Article VI: Entering a Show -- Amend 6.09	Central Office/Scoring
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>6.09 When an officiating judge, including a Best of the Bests judge or officiating judge serving as a training judge, is the breeder of a cat or kitten, or the judge's cattery prefix/suffix is on the cat or kitten, such cat or kitten is not eligible to be shown in that judge's ring. This includes being handled by a trainee when the officiating judge is serving as a training judge.</p> <p>a. This rule does not apply to shows in Hawaii or when a substitute judge officiates in a Best of the Bests competition.</p> <p>b. Trainee judges in the process of Color Class training may not handle any exhibit owned or bred by them or that bears the Trainee's cattery prefix or suffix.</p> <p>c. A cat or kitten not entered in a ring because the advertised judge is the breeder may be judged by a substitute judge in that ring; that is, if the advertised judge is unable to judge at that show, the judge that replaces them at the show may now judge cats that otherwise would have been excluded because the advertised judge was the breeder of that cat or kitten.</p> <p>d. In the event an exhibitor shows a cat in a show where the presiding judge is the breeder of a cat or kitten, or the judge's cattery prefix/suffix is on the cat or kitten, or the cat or kitten is owned or bred by a member of his/her immediate family or household, which includes father, mother, brother, sister, son, daughter, step-children, stepparents, or in-laws, the cat will be mandatorily "x'd" out of that judge's ring.</p>	<p>6.09 When an officiating judge, including a Best of the Bests judge or officiating judge serving as a training judge, is the breeder of a cat or kitten, or the judge's cattery prefix/suffix is on the cat or kitten, such cat or kitten is not eligible to be shown in that judge's ring. This includes being handled by a trainee when the officiating judge is serving as a training judge.</p> <p>a. This rule does not apply to shows in Hawaii or when a substitute judge officiates in a Best of the Bests competition.</p> <p>b. Trainee judges in the process of Color Class training may not handle any exhibit owned or bred by them or that bears the Trainee's cattery prefix or suffix.</p> <p>c. A cat or kitten not entered in a ring because the advertised judge is the breeder may be judged by a substitute judge in that ring; that is, if the advertised judge is unable to judge at that show, the judge that replaces them at the show may now judge cats that otherwise would have been excluded because the advertised judge was the breeder of that cat or kitten.</p> <p>d. In the event an exhibitor shows a cat in a show where the presiding judge is the breeder of a cat or kitten, or the judge's cattery prefix/suffix is on the cat or kitten, or the cat or kitten is owned or bred by a member of his/her immediate family or household, which includes father, mother, brother, sister, son, daughter, step-children, stepparents, or in-laws, the cat will be mandatorily "x'd" out of that judge's ring.</p> <p><u>e. In the event an Associate judge or Single</u></p>

	<u>Specialty judge officiates and shows in the same weekend (see 21.02.c.) the cat(s) owned by said judge should be “x’d” out in all rings on the day they are judging.</u>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

3. *Amend Show Rule 28.02 to clarify how cats owned by an Associate judge or Single Specialty judge who officiates and shows on the same weekend will be counted for when computing Champions/Premiers present.*

Article XXVIII: Obtaining Titles – Grands -- Amend 28.02	Central Office/Scoring
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>28.02</p> <p>...</p> <p>Cats not present in the number of Rings specified in the table based on the number of Rings held at any show held in the International Division will not be counted as competing at the show for determining the official champion/premier count, however, any grand points won by these cats in any ring will still be credited to that cat’s record.</p> <p>...</p>	<p>28.02</p> <p>...</p> <p>Cats not present in the number of Rings specified in the table based on the number of Rings held at any show held in the International Division will not be counted as competing at the show for determining the official champion/premier count. <u>In the event an Associate judge or Single Specialty judge officiates and shows in the same weekend (see 21.02.c.) the cat(s) owned by said judge will be counted in the official count if they are present in 70 percent of the rings in which they are eligible to be shown.</u> ; hHowever, any grand points won by these cats in any ring will still be credited to that cat’s record.</p> <p>...</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

4. *Amend Article XXXVI to clarify how cats owned by an Associate judge or Single Specialty judge who officiates and shows on the same weekend will be counted when computing cats present.*

Article XXXVI: National/Regional/Divisional Awards Program – Show Points -- Amend Official Show Count	Central Office/Scoring
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>...</p> <p>3.A cat/kitten/household pet handled by a judge in one ring is counted as competing in all Rings for shows held outside of the International Division.</p>	<p>...</p> <p>3.A cat/kitten/household pet handled by a judge in one ring is counted as competing in all Rings for shows held outside of the International Division. For</p>

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1 Ring held	1 Ring	1 Ring held	1 Ring
2 Rings held	2 Rings	2 Rings held	2 Rings
3 Rings held	3 Rings	3 Rings held	3 Rings
4 Rings held	3 Rings	4 Rings held	3 Rings
5 Rings held	4 Rings	5 Rings held	4 Rings
6 Rings held	5 Rings	6 Rings held	5 Rings
7 Rings held	5 Rings	7 Rings held	5 Rings
8 Rings held	6 Rings	8 Rings held	6 Rings
9 Rings held	7 Rings	9 Rings held	7 Rings
10 Rings held	7 Rings	10 Rings held	7 Rings
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

A. Resolution Prenoticed to the 2025 Annual Meeting and Passed by 2/3 (effective May 1, 2026)

5. Ratify the change to Show Rule 20.01 providing for increases in clerk and master clerk fees which was approved by more than 2/3 of the delegates at the Annual Meeting.

Article XX: Responsibilities of Show Treasurer – Show Fee Payments -- Amend 20.01	Sternwheel Cat Fanciers, United Singapura Society	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
20.01 a. The CFA licensed certified clerk performing the function of master clerk shall be compensated at the rate of eight (8) cents for each		20.01 a. The CFA licensed certified clerk performing the function of master clerk shall be compensated at the rate of eight (8) <u>ten (10)</u> cents

<p>catalog entry in each judging ring. A CFA master clerk shall be compensated at ten (10) cents for each catalog entry in each judging ring. It is strongly recommended that for a six ring, one day show a club engage either two licensed master clerks or one licensed master clerk and one certified clerk who is working towards their master clerk license, assisting the licensed master clerk in charge. The minimum compensation for each person working as a master clerk shall be sixty (60) dollars per weekend or forty (40) dollars for a one day show. (A Best of the Bests ring is not considered as an additional ring requiring compensation.) Payment schedule shall be based on the status of the clerk on the date a contract is signed. If no contract exists, payment schedule shall be based on the status of the clerk on the first day of the show. CFA licensed certified clerks performing the chief ring clerk function shall be compensated according to entries as follows, or in lieu of compensation, the clerk may be provided a complimentary entry in the show:</p> <table> <tr> <td>Under 150 entries</td><td>\$30.00 per weekend</td></tr> <tr> <td>151-250 entries</td><td>\$45.00 per weekend</td></tr> <tr> <td>251-350 entries</td><td>\$60.00 per weekend</td></tr> <tr> <td>351-450 entries</td><td>\$75.00 per weekend</td></tr> <tr> <td>1 day shows with 1, 2, 3, 4 rings</td><td>\$35.00</td></tr> <tr> <td>225 back to back Shows</td><td>\$40.00 per day</td></tr> <tr> <td>1 day, 6 ring shows</td><td>\$45.00</td></tr> </table> <p>NOTE: These are minimal compensations; more can be given per negotiated rate with clerk.</p> <p>CONTRACTS ARE RECOMMENDED</p> <p>b. Clerking fees must be paid before the clerk leaves the show hall at the completion of his or her assignment. Payment must be in U.S. currency, unless otherwise agreed in advance.</p> <p>c. If payment in a foreign currency is involved, a prior agreement and contract between the club and the clerk is recommended.</p>	Under 150 entries	\$30.00 per weekend	151-250 entries	\$45.00 per weekend	251-350 entries	\$60.00 per weekend	351-450 entries	\$75.00 per weekend	1 day shows with 1, 2, 3, 4 rings	\$35.00	225 back to back Shows	\$40.00 per day	1 day, 6 ring shows	\$45.00	<p>for each catalog entry in each judging ring. A CFA master clerk shall be compensated at ten (10) <u>twelve (12)</u> cents for each catalog entry in each judging ring. <u>A CFA master clerk instructor shall be compensated at fourteen (14) cents for each catalog entry in each judging ring.</u> It is strongly recommended that for a six ring, one day show a club engage either two licensed master clerks or one licensed master clerk and one certified clerk who is working towards their master clerk license, assisting the licensed master clerk in charge. The minimum compensation for each person working as a master clerk shall be sixty (60) <u>sixty-five (65)</u> dollars per weekend or forty (40) <u>fifty-five (55)</u> dollars for a one day show. (A Best of the Bests ring is not considered as an additional ring requiring compensation.)</p> <p><u>b.</u> Payment schedule shall be based on the status of the clerk on the date a contract is signed. If no contract exists, payment schedule shall be based on the status of the clerk on the first day of the show. CFA licensed certified clerks performing the chief ring clerk function shall be compensated according to entries as follows, or in lieu of compensation, the clerk may be provided a complimentary entry in the show:</p> <table> <tr> <td>Under 150 entries</td><td>\$30<u>35</u>.00 per weekend</td></tr> <tr> <td>151-250 entries</td><td>\$45<u>50</u>.00 per weekend</td></tr> <tr> <td>251-350 entries</td><td>\$60<u>65</u>.00 per weekend</td></tr> <tr> <td>351-450 entries</td><td>\$75<u>80</u>.00 per weekend</td></tr> <tr> <td>1 day shows with 1, 2, 3, 4 rings</td><td>\$35<u>40</u>.00</td></tr> <tr> <td>225 <u>limit</u> back to back Shows</td><td>\$40<u>50</u>.00 per day</td></tr> <tr> <td>1 day, 6 ring shows</td><td>\$45<u>50</u>.00</td></tr> </table> <p>NOTE: These are minimal compensations; more can be given per negotiated rate with clerk <u>at club's discretion. If the Ring Clerks received additional pay, the same additional pay must also be given to Master Clerk.</u></p> <p>CONTRACTS ARE RECOMMENDED</p> <p><u>b</u>c. Clerking fees must be paid before the clerk leaves the show hall at the completion of his or her assignment. Payment must be in U.S. currency,</p>	Under 150 entries	\$30 <u>35</u> .00 per weekend	151-250 entries	\$45 <u>50</u> .00 per weekend	251-350 entries	\$60 <u>65</u> .00 per weekend	351-450 entries	\$75 <u>80</u> .00 per weekend	1 day shows with 1, 2, 3, 4 rings	\$35 <u>40</u> .00	225 <u>limit</u> back to back Shows	\$40 <u>50</u> .00 per day	1 day, 6 ring shows	\$45 <u>50</u> .00
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

6. *Ratify the change to Show Rule 20.05 requiring judges' accommodations to have locking doors and private bathrooms which was approved by more than 2/3 of the delegates at the Annual Meeting.*

Article XX: Responsibilities of Show Treasurer – Show Fee Payments -- Amend 20.05	JA Club
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
20.05 Clubs are required to provide individual hotel accommodations for each judge for the night before the beginning of a judge's judging, the night after the completion of a judge's judging, and for each night in between, if any. Meals are to be provided within this same time frame; meals and beverages must also be made available at the show. Clubs shall not ask judges to share rooms (although judges may volunteer to do so). ...	20.05 Clubs are required to provide individual hotel accommodations for each judge for the night before the beginning of a judge's judging, the night after the completion of a judge's judging, and for each night in between, if any. <u>Accommodations provided must include a door that locks and a private bathroom.</u> Meals are to be provided within this same time frame; meals and beverages must also be made available at the show. Clubs shall not ask judges to share rooms (although judges may volunteer to do so). ...

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

B. *Show Rule Resolutions Prenoticed to the 2025 Annual Meeting Which Passed by More Than 50%. Advisory Only (effective May 1, 2026)*

7. *Approve the amendment to the Household Pet Class definition in Show Rule 2.23.f. which received a favorable vote from more than 50% of the delegates at the Annual Meeting.*

Article II: Definitions -- Amend 2.23.f.	Ocicats International
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
2.23 NON-CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES ... f. The HOUSEHOLD PET (HHP) CLASS is for any domestic kitten (altered/unaltered) or altered	2.23 NON-CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES ... f. The HOUSEHOLD PET (HHP) CLASS is for any domestic kitten (altered/unaltered) or altered cat

<p>cat entry. Household pets, or Companion Cats, are eligible only for awards in the Household Pet Class. Pedigreed cats with a CFA registration number can be scored as Household Pets if the registration prefix is changed to the Household Pet color class prefix (0892H/0893H). This color class transfer is a one-way transfer; reversal is subject to approval by the CFA Executive Board. Within these rules, the terms Companion Cat and Household Pet may be used interchangeably as they refer to the same class. Household pets are to be judged separately from all other cats, solely on beauty and condition. Wild cats or wild cat-domestic cat hybrid crosses are not eligible for entry. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must have a registration number. (See Article VI – Entering the Show).</p> <p>...</p>	<p>entry. Household pets, or Companion Cats, are eligible only for awards in the Household Pet Class. Pedigreed cats with a CFA registration number can be scored as Household Pets if the registration prefix is changed to the Household Pet color class prefix (0892H/0893H). This color class transfer is a one-way transfer; reversal is subject to approval by the CFA Executive Board. Within these rules, the terms Companion Cat and Household Pet may be used interchangeably as they refer to the same class. Household pets are to be judged separately from all other cats, solely on beauty and condition. Wild cats or wild cat-domestic cat hybrid crosses are not eligible for entry. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals <u>known wild cat-domestic cat hybrid crosses</u> to enter this class, they must have a registration number. (See Article VI – Entering the Show) <u>or be at a minimum of 5 generations from wild cat cross.</u></p> <p>...</p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

C. Other Show Rule Changes (effective May 1, 2026)

8. *Add Show Rule 2.03 to define the Agility Ringmaster Scoring Sheet.*

Article II: Definitions – Add 2.03 and renumber subsequent rules in Article II	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
None	<u>2.03 The AGILITY RINGMASTER SCORING SHEET is the official form the Certified Ring Master uses to record the Feline Agility competition results for submission to Central Office and contains an entry’s name, registration number, region of residence, owner’s name, breed, time, number of obstacles, and total score.</u>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

9. *Amend Show Rule 2.04 to update the definition of Bay Check In.*

Article II: Definitions –	Judging Program Committee
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Amend 2.16	
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>2.04 BAY Check-In involves the verification by attendance at the close of check-in that all cats of a particular color-class within all categories of a breed (i.e., kittens, championship, and premiership combined) are present for judging and possess no obvious characteristics that would warrant them not being showable, e.g. out of condition, color not recognized for competition, obvious illness. This process may be implemented at shows in the International Division where a color class has more entries than the total number of judging cages to be used in the smallest judging ring at that show (12 or 16). Cats required to participate in this check-in are not eligible for late arrival and once marked absent, will be considered absent for the duration of the entire show, including both days of a two day show. For example, if color class 2500/2501, solid color British Shorthairs has seven kittens, nine championship, and one premiership cat entered with the smallest ring comprising 16 cages, that color class would qualify for bay check-in as the total number entered in that color class is 17.</p>	<p>2.04 BAY Check-In involves the verification by attendance at the close of check-in that all cats of a particular color-class within all categories of a breed (i.e., kittens, championship, and premiership combined) are present for judging and possess no obvious characteristics that would warrant them not being showable, e.g. out of condition, color not recognized for competition, obvious illness. This process may be implemented at shows in the International Division where a color class has more entries than the total number of judging cages to be used in the smallest judging ring at that show (12 or 16). Cats required to participate in this check-in are not eligible for late arrival and once marked absent, will be considered absent for the duration of the entire show, including both days of a two day show. For example, if color class 2500/2501, solid color British Shorthairs has seven kittens, nine championship, and one premiership cat entered with the smallest ring comprising 16 cages, that color class would qualify for bay check-in as the total number entered in that color class is 17.</p> <p><u>2.04 BAY CHECK-IN: At the discretion of the International Division Chair, may be required in shows in the International Division when entries of a specific color of a breed in all categories (Kittens, Championship and Premiership) exceed the number of cats that can be benched in a ring. Verification will be done at the close of check-in by judges designated by the International Division Chair. Cats not present for bay check-in will not be allowed to be presented in any ring at any time for the duration of the show.</u></p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

10. *Amend Show Rule 2.07 to remove the reference to Bengals.*

Article II: Definitions -- Amend 2.07	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>2.07 A CAT is used in these rules to mean a domestic feline of the age of 8 calendar months or more of either sex, whole, neutered or spayed.</p>	<p>2.07 A CAT is used in these rules to mean a domestic feline of the age of 8 calendar months or more of either sex, whole, neutered or spayed.</p>

A DOMESTIC feline is a subspecies, known as a Felis catus, within the Felis genus, or any Bengal approved for registration in CFA's Rules of Registration.	A DOMESTIC feline is a subspecies, known as a Felis catus, within the Felis genus, or any Bengal approved for registration in CFA's Rules of Registration.
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

11. *Amend Show Rule 2.08 to streamline the definition of Certified Ringmaster.*

Article II: Definitions – Amend 2.08	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
2.08 CERTIFIED RINGMASTER is one who has trained and has passed the test provided by the coordinator of ringmasters for the conduct of agility rings. Responsibilities include the placement of obstacles, timing of competitive agility runs, and signing off on agility title claim forms.	2.08 CERTIFIED RINGMASTER is one who has trained and has passed the test provided by the coordinator of ringmasters <u>Agility Chair</u> for the conduct of agility rings. Responsibilities include the placement of obstacles, timing of competitive agility runs, and signing off on agility title claim forms.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

12. *Amend Show Rule 2.16 to remove references to entries by mail.*

Article II: Definitions – Amend 2.16	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
2.16 An ENTRY is a cat or kitten for which an entry form or facsimile thereof has been submitted to the show entry clerk online or by mail and accepted for competition. An entry is also a cat or kitten entered in the Miscellaneous (Non-Competitive) Class. Also, as used in these rules, an ENTRY is the process of submitting an entry form to the entry clerk.	2.16 An ENTRY is a cat or kitten for which <u>information has been submitted via the CFA online entry form</u> an entry form or facsimile thereof has been submitted to the show entry clerk online or by mail and accepted for competition. An entry is also a cat or kitten entered in the Miscellaneous (Non-Competitive) Class. Also, as used in these rules, an ENTRY is the process of submitting an entry form to the entry clerk.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

13. *Amend Show Rule 2.21 to remove the reference to Bengals.*

Article II: Definitions -- Amend 2.21	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
2.21 LISTING is the practice of allowing	2.21 LISTING is the practice of allowing

unregistered cats to be entered for competition. Listed cats are permitted at all licensed shows. Per show rules, a Bengal cannot be a listed cat as it requires a registration number to verify it qualifies as a domestic cat.	unregistered cats to be entered for competition. Listed cats are permitted at all licensed shows. Per show rules, a Bengal cannot be a listed cat as it requires a registration number to verify it qualifies as a domestic cat.
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

14. *Amend Show Rule 2.23f, g, h to remove the reference to Bengals.*

Article II: Definitions -- Amend 2.23	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>2.23 NON-CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES</p> <p>...</p> <p>f. The HOUSEHOLD PET (HHP) CLASS is for any domestic kitten (altered/unaltered) or altered cat entry. Household pets, or Companion Cats, are eligible only for awards in the Household Pet Class. Pedigreed cats with a CFA registration number can be scored as Household Pets if the registration prefix is changed to the Household Pet color class prefix (0892H/0893H). This color class transfer is a one-way transfer; reversal is subject to approval by the CFA Executive Board. Within these rules, the terms Companion Cat and Household Pet may be used interchangeably as they refer to the same class. Household pets are to be judged separately from all other cats, solely on beauty and condition. Wild cats or wild cat-domestic cat hybrid crosses are not eligible for entry. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must have a registration number. (See Article VI – Entering the Show).</p> <p>g. The EXHIBITION ONLY CLASS is for any cat or kitten for which an entry form has been received, and for which a listing appears in the show catalog, but which is not scheduled for handling in any ring. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must have a</p>	<p>2.23 NON-CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES</p> <p>...</p> <p>f. The HOUSEHOLD PET (HHP) CLASS is for any domestic kitten (altered/unaltered) or altered cat entry. Household pets, or Companion Cats, are eligible only for awards in the Household Pet Class. Pedigreed cats with a CFA registration number can be scored as Household Pets if the registration prefix is changed to the Household Pet color class prefix (0892H/0893H). This color class transfer is a one-way transfer; reversal is subject to approval by the CFA Executive Board. Within these rules, the terms Companion Cat and Household Pet may be used interchangeably as they refer to the same class. Household pets are to be judged separately from all other cats, solely on beauty and condition. Wild cats or wild cat-domestic cat hybrid crosses are not eligible for entry. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must have a registration number. (See Article VI – Entering the Show).</p> <p>g. The EXHIBITION ONLY CLASS is for any cat or kitten for which an entry form has been received, and for which a listing appears in the show catalog, but which is not scheduled for handling in any ring. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must have a</p>

<p>registration number.</p> <p>h. The AGILITY COMPETITION category is for any cat or kitten for which an Agility Entry has been submitted per show rule 6.24. At shows that are held over a two-day period, each day shall be considered a separate show for agility competition, and scored separately. Agility cats/kittens are scored per show rule 26.04 for each show to determine placements. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must also provide to the Agility Ringmaster their registration number as part of the entry process.</p>	<p>registration number.</p> <p>h. The AGILITY COMPETITION category is for any cat or kitten for which an Agility Entry has been submitted per show rule 6.24. At shows that are held over a two-day period, each day shall be considered a separate show for agility competition, and scored separately. Agility cats/kittens are scored per show rule 26.04 for each show to determine placements. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must also provide to the Agility Ringmaster their registration number as part of the entry process</p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

15. *Amend Show Rule 2.23.h. to clarify that Agility is not a judged class and standardize the language with that of the Household Pet Class and Exhibition Only class.*

Article II: Definitions – Amend 2.23.h.	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>2.23 NON-CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES</p> <p>...</p> <p>h. The AGILITY COMPETITION category is for any cat or kitten for which an Agility Entry has been submitted per show rule 6.24. At shows that are held over a two-day period, each day shall be considered a separate show for agility competition, and scored separately. Agility cats/kittens are scored per show rule 26.04 for each show to determine placements. Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must also provide to the Agility Ringmaster their registration number as part of the entry process.</p>	<p>2.23 NON-CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES</p> <p>...</p> <p>h. The AGILITY COMPETITION category is for any cat or kitten for which an Agility Entry has been submitted per show rule 6.24. At shows that are held over a two-day period, each day shall be considered a separate show for agility competition, and scored separately. Agility cats/kittens are scored per show rule 26.04 for each show to determine placements. <u>Wild cats or wild-cat domestic cat hybrid crosses are not eligible for entry.</u> Cats that by their appearance are the result of combining two or more structural mutations, or any coat mutation (hairlessness, waviness, wiring, etc. but not including coat length) with one or more structural mutations, are not eligible for entry. For Bengals to enter this class, they must also provide to the Agility Ringmaster their registration number as part of the entry process. <u>Agility competition does not require handling in any judging ring. For known wild cat-domestic cat hybrid crosses to enter this class, they must also provide to the Agility</u></p>

	<u>Ringmaster their registration number as part of the entry process or be at a minimum 5 generations from wild cat cross.</u>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

16. *Amend Show Rule 2.33e to allow a Show Producing Service to retain the Certified Ringmaster.*

Article II: Definitions – Amend 2.33.e.	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>2.33 SHOW PRODUCING SERVICE: shall mean any individual, group of individuals, partnership or corporation, whether doing business under the name of any individual or a fictitious firm name, which performs or offers to perform, for any fee or other compensation, any one or more of the following services for any CFA member club:</p> <p>...</p> <p>e. Assume any management, control or direction, however slight, over the selection or contracting of any CFA licensed judge, any show hall, any cage rental service or any independent retail vendor to be hired for or used in connection with any CFA licensed show.</p> <p>...</p>	<p>2.33 SHOW PRODUCING SERVICE: shall mean any individual, group of individuals, partnership or corporation, whether doing business under the name of any individual or a fictitious firm name, which performs or offers to perform, for any fee or other compensation, any one or more of the following services for any CFA member club:</p> <p>...</p> <p>e. Assume any management, control or direction, however slight, over the selection or contracting of any CFA licensed judge, <u>any Certified Ringmaster,</u> any show hall, any cage rental service or any independent retail vendor to be hired for or used in connection with any CFA licensed show.</p> <p>...</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

17. *Amend Show Rule 2.34 to clarify the definition of CFA SHOW SEASON.*

Article II: Definitions -- Amend 2.24	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>2.34 The CFA SHOW SEASON starts with the first weekend in May and ends with the last full weekend in April per show rule 2.38.</p>	<p>2.34 The CFA SHOW SEASON starts with the first <u>Monday after weekend in May</u> and ends with the last full weekend in April <u>and ends the last full weekend in April</u> per show rule 2.38.</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

18. *Amend Show Rule 3.12 to provide that a judge who judges a show on a day other than a “weekend” has the option of treating that assignment as taking place on either the previous weekend or the following weekend.*

Article III: Invitations To and Acceptances by Judges – Amend 3.12	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>3.12 A judge may not accept two CFA shows at different locations in any one weekend nor may they officiate at both shows consisting of two one-day shows in the same location. This does not preclude CFA judges accepting guest judge assignments for approved associations when contracted for a CFA show that the CFA Board of Directors has approved in conjunction with a show held by one or more foreign associations.</p>	<p>3.12 A judge may not accept two CFA shows at different locations in any one weekend nor may they officiate at both shows consisting of two one-day shows in the same location. This does not preclude CFA judges accepting guest judge assignments for approved associations when contracted for a CFA show that the CFA Board of Directors has approved in conjunction with a show held by one or more foreign associations. <u>A judge who judges a CFA show on a day other than a “weekend” (see rule 2.38) has the option of treating that assignment as taking place on either the previous weekend or the following weekend.</u></p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

19. *Amend Show Rule 3.13 to remove the exclusion of Associate Judges from the definition of a “CFA judge/CFAJ.”*

Article III: Invitations To and Acceptances by Judges – Amend 3.13	Pam DelaBar
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>3.13 For kitten, championship, premiership and veteran classes, a CFA judge (at least Apprentice) Associate judge or Guest judge must be used. For Household Pet classes it is permissible for a club to use a Trainee. The term “CFA judge/CFAJ” does not include Associate judge or Guest judge. A ring is defined as either an Allbreed ring or a Longhair/LH + Shorthair/SH ring. LH + SH specialties may be judged by 2 different judges but still constitute a single ring. Depending on the show location, the number of rings that must be judged by CFA/CFAJ judges at the show are as follows:</p> <p>...</p> <p>As used above, 11 or 12 rings constitutes two 5 or more ring shows at the same location on the same weekend, sponsored by one or more clubs. A ring is considered judged by a CFA judge if both longhair and shorthair specialties are judged by a CFA judge. In cases where a CFA judge only judges one</p>	<p>3.13 For kitten, championship, premiership and veteran classes, a CFA judge (at least Apprentice), Associate judge or Guest judge must be used. For Household Pet classes it is permissible for a club to use a Trainee. The term “CFA judge/CFAJ” does not include Associate judge or a Guest judge. A ring is defined as either an Allbreed ring or a Longhair/LH + Shorthair/SH ring. LH + SH specialties may be judged by 2 different judges but still constitute a single ring. Depending on the show location, the number of rings that must be judged by CFA/CFAJ judges at the show are as follows:</p> <p>...</p> <p>As used above, 11 or 12 rings constitutes two 5 or more ring shows at the same location on the same weekend, sponsored by one or more clubs. A ring is considered judged by a CFA judge if both longhair and shorthair specialties are judged by a CFA judge. In cases where a CFA judge only judges one</p>

specialty, and an Associate judge or Guest judge judges the other specialty, the ring is not considered to have been judged by a CFA judge. Any combination of Guest judges and Associate judges may be utilized once the minimum number of rings to be judged by CFA judges has been achieved.	specialty, and an Associate judge or a Guest judge judges the other specialty, the ring is not considered to have been judged by a CFA judge. Any combination of Guest judges and Associate judges may be utilized once the minimum number of rings to be judged by CFA judges has been achieved.
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Motion Carried. Webb, Altschul, Griswold, Krzanowski and Nye voting no.

20. *Amend Show Rule 4.03.c., d. and g. to clarify that shows held on a weekend or in a different city that the prior year are subject to the 500-mile rule.*

Article IV: Licensing the Show -- Amend 4.03c, d & g	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>4.03 No show license shall be denied because the same date has been scheduled by one or more other clubs with the following exceptions:</p> <p>...</p> <p>c. Any show held on a weekend or in a city different from the previous year must have written permission from the Show Scheduling Committee (regions 1-7), the Regional Director for the region in which the show is planned to be held (regions 8 and 9) or the appropriate Inter national Division Chair (International Division shows). Before granting permission, the Show Scheduling Committee shall notify the appropriate Regional Director and all subscribers of the CFA News announcements or a similar CFA-managed email list of such a license request. Regional Directors and clubs wishing to provide comment may do so to the Show Scheduling Committee within 7 days of the announcement. While the Show Scheduling Committee will consider all input, they are not bound by it. This is in addition to any other policy used by the CFA Executive Board to manage the show schedule. This does not apply to shows licensed within the State of Hawaii.</p> <p>d. Show Scheduling Committee approval is required for any club in regions 1-7 to obtain a show license with one exception. Only Regional Director approval is required for clubs in regions 8 or 9, and only the appropriate Inter national Division Chair approval is required for clubs in the International Division. The exception is for clubs holding a show on their traditional date. They do</p>	<p>4.03 No show license shall be denied because the same date has been scheduled by one or more other clubs with the following exceptions:</p> <p>...</p> <p>c. Any show held on a weekend or in a city different from the previous year must have written permission from the Show Scheduling Committee (regions 1-7), the Regional Director for the region in which the show is planned to be held (regions 8 and 9) or the appropriate Inter national Division Chair (International Division shows). Before granting permission, the Show Scheduling Committee shall notify the appropriate Regional Director and all subscribers of the CFA News announcements or a similar CFA-managed email list of such a license request. Regional Directors and clubs wishing to provide comment may do so to the Show Scheduling Committee within 7 days of the announcement. While the Show Scheduling Committee will consider all input, they are not bound by it. <u>A show moving to a different weekend or different city is subject to the 500-mile limitation set forth in 4.03g.</u> This is in addition to any other policy used by the CFA Executive Board to manage the show schedule. This does not apply to shows licensed within the State of Hawaii.</p> <p>d. Show Scheduling Committee approval is required for any club in regions 1-7 to obtain a show license with one exception. Only Regional Director approval is required for clubs in regions 8 or 9, and only the appropriate Inter national Division Chair approval is required for clubs in the International</p>

<p>not require Show Scheduling Committee approval to hold a show on that date in any subsequent year. In cases where a floating traditional date lands on the weekend of a fixed traditional date in the same region, Show Scheduling Committee approval is required to license either or both shows. CFA's Central Office shall maintain a page on the CFA website listing all traditional dates, including at a minimum the name of the club holding the traditional date and the city and state (and where applicable, country) of the last show.</p> <p>...</p> <p>g. No show, including two one-day shows held in the same location on the same weekend, shall be licensed in regions 1-7 on the same weekend within 500 miles (approximately 805 kilometers) of another such show without the approval of the Show Scheduling Committee.</p>	<p>Division. The exception is for clubs holding a show on their traditional date. They do not require Show Scheduling Committee approval to hold a show on that date in any subsequent year <u>unless the show is being held in a different city than the previous year. Such a show is subject to the 500-mile limitation set forth in 4.03g.</u> In cases where a floating traditional date lands on the weekend of a fixed traditional date in the same region, Show Scheduling Committee approval is required to license either or both shows. CFA's Central Office shall maintain a page on the CFA website listing all traditional dates, including at a minimum the name of the club holding the traditional date and the city and state (and where applicable, country) of the last show.</p> <p>...</p> <p>g. No show, including two one-day shows held in the same location on the same weekend, shall be licensed in regions 1-7 on the same weekend within 500 miles (approximately 805 kilometers) of another such show without the approval of the Show Scheduling Committee. <u>This limitation applies to shows being held on a traditional date but in a different city than the previous year.</u></p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

21. *Add Show Rule 4.03.h. regarding shows on days other than a "Weekend."*

Article IV: Licensing the Show -- Add 4.03.h.	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>4.03 No show license shall be denied because the same date has been scheduled by one or more other clubs with the following exceptions:</p> <p>...</p>	<p>4.03 No show license shall be denied because the same date has been scheduled by one or more other clubs with the following exceptions:</p> <p>...</p> <p><u>h. No show shall be licensed on a day of the week other than a "weekend," as defined in rule 2.38, without the prior approval of the Executive Board.</u></p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

22. *Amend Show Rule 4.04 to allow Agility to be added after the show is licensed.*

Article IV: Licensing the Show – Amend 4.04	Agility Committee
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Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>4.04 Application for license should be received in the Central Office at least 90 days prior to the opening day of the show on the official form that may be obtained from the Central Office. Applications received with a date less than 90 days from the opening day of the show will incur late filing fees, in addition to the regular show processing and show insurance fees, as specified in the CFA’s current price list.</p> <p>...</p> <p>A change from a two-day show where all judges and entries are present both days to a back-to-back show or the addition of Household Pet and/or Veterans judging are not considered format changes (see rule 4.06); however, Central Office and all contracted judges must be notified of the change by the club.</p> <p>...</p>	<p>4.04 Application for license should be received in the Central Office at least 90 days prior to the opening day of the show on the official form that may be obtained from the Central Office. Applications received with a date less than 90 days from the opening day of the show will incur late filing fees, in addition to the regular show processing and show insurance fees, as specified in the CFA’s current price list.</p> <p>...</p> <p>A change from a two-day show where all judges and entries are present both days to a back-to-back show or the addition of Household Pet <u>judging</u>, and/or Veterans judging <u>and/or Agility competition</u> are not considered format changes (see rule 4.06); however, Central Office and all contracted judges must be notified of the change by the club.</p> <p>...</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

23. *Amend Show Rule 4.04 to make China, Hong Kong, and Macau subject to the same show licensing deadlines as the rest of the world.*

Article IV: Licensing the Show – Amend 4.04	International Division Committee	
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording	
<p>4.04 Application for license should be received in the Central Office at least 90 days prior to the opening day of the show on the official form that may be obtained from the Central Office. Applications received with a date less than 90 days from the opening day of the show will incur late filing fees, in addition to the regular show processing and show insurance fees, as specified in the CFA’s current price list.</p> <p>No license will be granted for shows whose complete and accurate application, including judging program committee approvals for any proposed guest judges in the application, for a show license received in the Central Office with less than 30 days remaining prior to the opening day of the show.</p> <p>Notwithstanding the foregoing, an application for</p>	<p>4.04 Application for license should be received in the Central Office at least 90 days prior to the opening day of the show on the official form that may be obtained from the Central Office. Applications received with a date less than 90 days from the opening day of the show will incur late filing fees, in addition to the regular show processing and show insurance fees, as specified in the CFA’s current price list.</p> <p>No license will be granted for shows whose complete and accurate application, including judging program committee approvals for any proposed guest judges in the application, for a show license received in the Central Office with less than 30 days remaining prior to the opening day of the show.</p> <p>Notwithstanding the foregoing, an application for</p>	

license for a show in Mainland China, Hong Kong or Macau must be received in the Central Office at least 21 days prior to the opening day of the show and will not incur late filing fees. An application for a license for such a show received less than 21 days prior to the opening day of the show will not be accepted without approval from the Executive Board. ...	license for a show in Mainland China, Hong Kong or Macau must be received in the Central Office at least 21 days prior to the opening day of the show and will not incur late filing fees. An application for a license for such a show received less than 21 days prior to the opening day of the show will not be accepted without approval from the Executive Board. ...
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

24. *Amend Show Rule 4.06 and Appendix A to require the same number of specialty rings at shows in Regions 1-9.*

Article IV: Licensing the Show – Amend 4.06 and Appendix A	Carissa Altschul
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>4.06 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"> one, two, three or four judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed, Super Specialty, 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. Such shows have an entry limit of up to 225 cats. a one-day show format consisting of up to six rings with an entry limit of up to 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed, Super Specialty, or Specialty rings for shows licensed in Regions 8, 9, or the International Division (excluding China). For shows licensed in Regions 1-7 or China, the combination of Allbreed, Super Specialty, or Specialty rings must include at least one Specialty ring for both longhair and shorthair specialties in kittens, championship, and premiership. The use of a Super Specialty ring will not meet this requirement. <p>...</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</p>	<p>4.06 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"> one, two, three or four judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed, Super Specialty, 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. Such shows have an entry limit of up to 225 cats. a one-day show format consisting of up to six rings with an entry limit of up to 225 cats. This format will permit up to six judgments per entry in any combination of Allbreed, Super Specialty, or Specialty rings for shows licensed in Regions 8, 9, <u>Regions 8, 9,</u> or the International Division (excluding China). For shows licensed in Regions 1-97 or China, the combination of Allbreed, Super Specialty, or Specialty rings must include at least one Specialty ring for both longhair and shorthair specialties in kittens, championship, and premiership. The use of a Super Specialty ring will not meet this requirement. <p>...</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</p>

<p>to judge more than 250 cats on either day. For shows in Regions 1-7 or China utilizing a total of 5, 6, 7, or 8 rings, at least one of these rings must be a shorthair and longhair Specialty ring in kittens, championship, and premiership. For shows in Regions 1-7 or China utilizing a total of 9 or 10 rings, at least two of these rings must be both shorthair and longhair Specialty rings in kittens, championship, and premiership. For shows licensed in Regions 8, 9, or the rest of the International Division (excluding Hong Kong, Macau, Kuwait), utilizing a total of 7, 8, or 9 rings, at least one of these rings must be both a shorthair and longhair Specialty ring in kittens, championship, and premiership. For shows in Regions 8, 9, or the rest of the International Division (excluding Hong Kong, Macau, Kuwait), utilizing 10 rings, two of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings in kittens, championship, and premiership. The use of Super Specialty rings will not meet the requirement for specialty rings. There are no specialty ring requirements for shows licensed in Hong Kong, Macau or Kuwait. Two day shows offer a variety of formats:</p> <p>...</p>	<p>judge more than 250 cats on either day. For shows in Regions 1-97 or China utilizing a total of 5, 6, 7, or 8 rings, at least one of these rings must be a shorthair and longhair Specialty ring in kittens, championship, and premiership. For shows in Regions 1-97 or China utilizing a total of 9 or 10 rings, at least two of these rings must be both shorthair and longhair Specialty rings in kittens, championship, and premiership. For shows licensed in Regions 8, 9, or the rest of the International Division (excluding Hong Kong, Macau, Kuwait), utilizing a total of 7, 8, or 9 rings, at least one of these rings must be both a shorthair and longhair Specialty ring in kittens, championship, and premiership. For shows in Regions 8, 9, or the rest of the International Division (excluding Hong Kong, Macau, Kuwait), utilizing 10 rings, two of these rings must be both longhair and shorthair specialty rings in kittens, championship, and premiership. The use of Super Specialty rings will not meet the requirement for specialty rings. There are no specialty ring requirements for shows licensed in Hong Kong, Macau or Kuwait. Two day shows offer a variety of formats:</p> <p>...</p>																																																																																																																														
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Motion Carried. DelaBar, Huhtaniemi, Tamura and Nasin voting no.

25. *Amend Show Rule 4.07 to provide that shows may be licensed with Agility competition.*

Article IV: Licensing the Show – Amend 4.07	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
4.07 Each Championship or Premiership show must have classes available for each breed and color in Championship or Premiership recognized for the show licensed, subject to the limitation in rule 4.06. In addition, classes may be provided for Kittens, AOVs, Veteran, Household Pets, Provisional Breeds, Miscellaneous (noncompetitive) and cats placed on exhibition.	4.07 Each Championship or Premiership show must have classes available for each breed and color in Championship or Premiership recognized for the show licensed, subject to the limitation in rule 4.06. In addition, classes may be provided for Kittens, AOVs, Veteran, Household Pets, Provisional Breeds, Miscellaneous (noncompetitive), <u>Agility</u> and cats placed on exhibition.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

26. *Amend Show Rule 5.01.b. to require that the flyer list which day(s) each judge is judging on.*

Article V: Announcing the Show/Show Flyer – Amend 5.01.b.	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
5.01 There must be a printed show flyer published on the CFA website no less than 30 days prior to the show. Additionally, a show flyer in English must be submitted and published if the original show flyer is in a language other than English. The show flyer must include the following: ... b. The names of all judges and their assignments (e.g. allbreed or specialty).	5.01 There must be a printed show flyer published on the CFA website no less than 30 days prior to the show. Additionally, a show flyer in English must be submitted and published if the original show flyer is in a language other than English. The show flyer must include the following: ... b. The names of all judges, and their assignments (e.g. allbreed or specialty), <u>and the day(s) on which they are judging.</u>

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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

27. *Amend Show Rule 5.01.n. to remove references to fax or email entries.*

Article V: Announcing the Show/Show Flyer – Amend 5.01.n.	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>5.01 There must be a printed show flyer published on the CFA website no less than 30 days prior to the show. Additionally, a show flyer in English must be submitted and published if the original show flyer is in a language other than English. The show flyer must include the following:</p> <p>...</p> <p>n. If applicable, special fee or cash-only requirements for fax or email entries, paying at the door, uncollectable checks, etc. (see rule 6.21).</p> <p>...</p>	<p>5.01 There must be a printed show flyer published on the CFA website no less than 30 days prior to the show. Additionally, a show flyer in English must be submitted and published if the original show flyer is in a language other than English. The show flyer must include the following:</p> <p>...</p> <p>n. If applicable, special fee or cash-only requirements for fax or email entries, paying at the door, uncollectable checks, etc. (see rule 6.21).</p> <p>...</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

28. *Amend Show Rule 5.01.p. to remove references to Regions 1-7 and add 5.01.r. requiring a statement on the show flyer regarding OCP rings.*

Article V: Announcing the Show/Show Flyer – Amend 5.01.p. and add 5.01.r.	Show Rule Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>5.01</p> <p>...</p> <p>p. For all shows in Regions 1-7, a statement that entries may only be received through the CFA online entry form on the CFA website.</p> <p>q. Clubs providing electronic catalogs to exhibitors must include a statement on their flyer and indicate if an additional fee will be charged for a printed version and how to request the printed version.</p>	<p>5.01</p> <p>...</p> <p>p. For all shows in Regions 1-7, a statement that entries may only be received through the CFA online entry form on the CFA website.</p> <p>q. Clubs providing electronic catalogs to exhibitors must include a statement on their flyer and indicate what additional fee will be charged for a printed version and how to request the printed version.</p> <p><u>r. A statement that an OCP Ring will not be held if the required number of Opens and Champions or Opens and Premiers are not entered. (See 2.24 for</u></p>

	<u>required number of entries.)</u>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

29. *Amend Show Rule 5.07 to clarify which documents take precedence when conflicts of information exist.*

Article V: Announcing the Show/Show Flyer -- Amend 5.07	Janet Moyer
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
5.07 When there is a conflict between information set forth on the show license and information set forth on the show flyer, the information set forth on the show license will govern.	5.07 When there is a conflict between information set forth on the show license <u>regarding ring format</u> and information set forth on the show flyer, the information set forth on the show license will govern. <u>When there is a conflict between the information set forth on an entry confirmation and the show flyer, the information on the show flyer will govern.</u>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

30. *Amend Show Rule 6.04 to provide that kittens/cats with certain disqualifying traits may still be shown in Agility.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.04	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>6.04 a. Any cat or kitten of sound health not less than 4 calendar months old on the opening day of the show and which has not been previously disqualified (see 6.04b) under the provisions of show rule 6.12 is eligible (subject to the exceptions herein) for exhibition at shows sanctioned by CFA and may compete for and be entitled to win, under the rules herein, any ribbon or prize offered (See rule 10.28).</p> <p>b. 6.04.a. notwithstanding, male cats previously disqualified for not having two descended testicles may be altered and shown in the premiership class.</p>	<p>6.04 a. Any cat or kitten of sound health not less than 4 calendar months old on the opening day of the show and which has not been previously disqualified (see 6.04b-6.04d) under the provisions of show rule 6.12 is eligible (subject to the exceptions herein) for exhibition at shows sanctioned by CFA and may compete for and be entitled to win, under the rules herein, any ribbon or prize offered (See rule 10.28).</p> <p>b. 6.04.a. notwithstanding, male cats previously disqualified for not having two descended testicles may be altered and shown in the premiership class <u>and/or compete in Agility competition.</u></p> <p><u>c. 6.04a not withstanding, cats previously disqualified for a defect listed in the “Disqualify” section of the show standards for a particular breed or color may be shown in Agility competition.</u></p> <p><u>d. 6.04a not withstanding, cats previously</u></p>

	<u>disqualified as being unable to be judged, who behave in a recalcitrant manner, exhibit threatening behavior or which bite while being handled in a conformation or HHP class may be shown in Agility competition. A Certified Ringmaster may disqualify an aggressive cat at their discretion from the Agility ring at the competition where the aggressive behavior is displayed.</u>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

31. *Amend Show Rule 6.12 to clarify that cats with physical disabilities are welcome in Agility competition.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.12	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>6.12 A cat or kitten not having all its physical properties – eyes, ears, legs, tail, claws, both descended testicles (adult cat only) – or has had surgery which changes a cat’s natural functions (e.g. tendonectomy), is not eligible for entry. The previous notwithstanding, cats missing certain physical properties, as listed below, are eligible for entry in the category (class) indicated:</p> <p>a. Altered cats in the Premiership classes;</p> <p>b. Altered cats and kittens in the Household Pet classes;</p> <p>c. Altered kittens in the Kitten classes;</p> <p>d. Kittens without descended testicles in Kitten classes;</p> <p>e. Recognized naturally tailless or naturally partially tailless breeds in Kitten, Championship or Premiership classes;</p> <p>f. Cats having had a perineal urethrostomy operation in the Premiership Classes.</p> <p>g. Household pets in the Household Pet Class not having those physical properties - eyes, ears, legs or tail. Household pets may not be shown who have surgically absent claws or whose feet have undergone tendonectomy surgery. Cats must be able to sit or stand.</p> <p>h. Cats or kittens competing in Agility.</p>	<p>6.12 A cat or kitten not having all its physical properties – eyes, ears, legs, tail, claws, both descended testicles (adult cat only) – or has had surgery which changes a cat’s natural functions (e.g. tendonectomy), is not eligible for entry. The previous notwithstanding, cats missing certain physical properties, as listed below, are eligible for entry in the category (class) indicated:</p> <p>a. Altered cats in the Premiership classes <u>and Agility competition</u>;</p> <p>b. Altered cats and kittens in the Household Pet classes <u>and Agility competition</u>;</p> <p>c. Altered kittens in the Kitten classes <u>and Agility competition</u>;</p> <p>d. Kittens without descended testicles in Kitten classes <u>and Agility competition</u>;</p> <p>e. Recognized naturally tailless or naturally partially tailless breeds in Kitten, Championship or Premiership classes <u>and Agility competition</u>;</p> <p>f. Cats having had a perineal urethrostomy operation in the Premiership Classes <u>and Agility competition</u>.</p> <p>g. <u>Cats or kittens competing Household pets</u> in the Household Pet Class <u>or Agility competition</u> not having those physical properties - eyes, ears, legs or tail. <u>Household pets Cats</u> may not be shown who have surgically absent claws or whose feet have undergone tendonectomy surgery. Cats must be able</p>

	to sit or stand. h. Cats or kittens competing in Agility.
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

32. *Amend Show Rule 6.14.a. to increase the maximum entry fee allowed per ring.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.14.a.	International Division Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>6.14 a. The show management shall determine the amount of the entry fee, which must be at least \$1.00 per ring, and must not exceed \$30.00 per ring for any one cat. Any available discount shall be listed in the show flyer. A club shall not refuse an entry fee(s) paid in the “coin of the realm.”</p> <p>...</p>	<p>6.14 a. The show management shall determine the amount of the entry fee, which must be at least \$1.00 per ring, and must not exceed \$30.00 <u>\$45.00</u> <u>\$40.00</u> per ring for any one cat. Any available discount shall be listed in the show flyer. A club shall not refuse an entry fee(s) paid in the “coin of the realm.”</p> <p>...</p>

Motion Carried. Currle, Huhtaniemi, Altschul and Moyer voting no.

33. *Amend Show Rule 6.16 to clarify the responsibilities of the entry clerk regarding TRNs.*

Article VI: Entering the Show - - Amend 6.16	Entry Clerking Program
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>6.16 The temporary registration number (TRN) is obtained for the exhibitor from the CFA Central Office via the Entry Clerk. Temporary Registration numbers will be issued by the entry clerk upon receipt of application form, and a four-generation pedigree (or whatever is required for registration of that breed if fewer than four generations are required, or a five generation pedigree if the cat/kitten is a Bengal) issued either by CFA or a cat registering body recognized by CFA, with all cats on the pedigree being acceptable for that breed per current registration requirements. This would include longhair Exotics shown as Persians (see rule 6.08). If both parents of the entry are registered with CFA, the CFA registration numbers of the parents are acceptable in place of a pedigree. The fee, application form, and pedigree (or CFA registration numbers, if applicable) must be provided to the master clerk no later than the close of check-in for the show and these will be provided</p>	<p>6.16 The temporary registration number (TRN) is obtained <u>automatically by requesting it through the on-line form when entering a show.</u> for the exhibitor from the CFA Central Office via the Entry Clerk. <u>Temporary Registration numbers will be issued by the</u> An entry clerk upon receipt of the temporary registration number will request an application form, and a four-generation pedigree (or whatever is required for registration of that breed if fewer than four generations are required, or a five generation pedigree if the cat/kitten is a Bengal) issued either by CFA or a cat registering body recognized by CFA, with all cats on the pedigree being acceptable for that breed per current registration requirements. This would include longhair Exotics shown as Persians (see rule 6.08). If both parents of the entry are registered with CFA, the CFA registration numbers of the parents are acceptable in place of a pedigree. The fee, application form, and pedigree (or CFA registration</p>

<p>to Central Office in the show package. The Entry Clerk will not issue a TRN until they are in receipt of the application AND pedigree (or CFA registration numbers, if applicable). The TRN registration number will either remain valid for 30 days from the first day of the show, or be voided if CFA registration requirements are not met for the breed being registered. Central Office will notify any exhibitor whose temporary registration number is voided with the basis for such decision. Note: wins will be voided if a cat competes in a competitive category not otherwise eligible based on its permanent registration, e.g., offspring of a “not-for-breeding” cat competing in Championship. Temporary registration numbers will be printed in the catalog as if they were permanent. Cats may compete and continue to earn points for 30 days from the first day of the first show where they have obtained a TRN. That number should be used on all subsequent entries after the first show for the 30-day period or until the cat obtains a permanent registration number within that 30-day period. At the end of this 30-day period, the cat may not be shown without a permanent registration number. For cats to receive credit for Regional, Divisional or National points earned during a specific show season with a TRN, the exhibitor must supply the associated permanent registration number to Central Office by the Monday following the completion of that show season.</p>	<p>numbers, if applicable) must be provided to the master clerk no later than the close of check-in for the show and these will be provided to Central Office in the show package. The Entry Clerk will not issue a TRN until they are in receipt of the application AND pedigree (or CFA registration numbers, if applicable). The TRN registration number will either remain valid for 30 days from the first day of the show, or be voided if CFA registration requirements are not met for the breed being registered. Central Office will notify any exhibitor whose temporary registration number is voided with the basis for such decision. Note: wins will be voided if a cat competes in a competitive category not otherwise eligible based on its permanent registration, e.g., offspring of a “not-for-breeding” cat competing in Championship. Temporary registration numbers will be printed in the catalog as if they were permanent. Cats may compete and continue to earn points for 30 days from the first day of the first show where they have obtained a TRN. That number should be used on all subsequent entries after the first show for the 30-day period or until the cat obtains a permanent registration number within that 30-day period. At the end of this 30-day period, the cat may not be shown without a permanent registration number. For cats to receive credit for Regional, Divisional or National points earned during a specific show season with a TRN, the exhibitor must supply the associated permanent registration number to Central Office by the Monday following the completion of that show season.</p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

34. *Amend Show Rule 6.18 to require exhibitors to include the correct date of birth on their cat's show entry.*

Article VI: Entering the Show - - Amend 6.18	Central Office/Scoring
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>6.18 It is the responsibility of the owner to enter a cat or kitten correctly under its exact registered name, registered ownership, region/area of residence, exact color/tabby pattern (except Sphynx, which are shown with no color or pattern description listed), color class, and when required, registration number. (See rules 6.15 and 10.23)</p>	<p>6.18 It is the responsibility of the owner to enter a cat or kitten correctly under its exact registered name, <u>date of birth</u>, registered ownership, region/area of residence, exact color/tabby pattern (except Sphynx, which are shown with no color or pattern description listed), color class, and when required, registration number. (See rules 6.15 and</p>

Exhibitors that request a temporary registration number will also include a pedigree (or CFA registration number of parents if allowed by rule 6.16) as specified in rule 6.16.	10.23) Exhibitors that request a temporary registration number will also include a pedigree (or CFA registration number of parents if allowed by rule 6.16) as specified in rule 6.16.
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

35. *Amend Show Rule 6.20 to clarify entry requirements.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.20	Show Rules Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
<p>6.20 For each entry, the exhibitor must submit a properly completed, official CFA entry form, a facsimile thereof, or an entry sent by e-mail following the form of an official CFA entry form to the entry clerk no later than the close of entries. All information required on the entry form, with the exception of the owner's signature, must be typed or printed. For email entries, the email address may be accepted in lieu of a signature. If a club accepts prepaid entries, the accepted guideline for the entry clerks will be to accept completed entry forms before an incomplete prepaid entry. In the event the show fills prior to completion of the information for the prepaid entry, the club shall return the check/fee for the prepaid entry to the exhibitor.</p>		<p>6.20 For each entry, the exhibitor must submit a properly completed, official CFA <u>online</u> entry form via the CFA website, a facsimile thereof, or an entry sent by e-mail following the form of an official CFA entry form to the entry clerk no later than the close of entries. All information required on the entry form, with the exception of the owner's signature, must be typed or printed. <u>An</u> For email entries, the email address may <u>will</u> be accepted in lieu of a signature. If a club accepts prepaid entries, the accepted guideline for the entry clerks will be to accept completed entry forms before an incomplete prepaid entry. In the event the show fills prior to completion of the information for the prepaid entry, the club shall return the check/fee for the prepaid entry to the exhibitor.</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

36. *Amend Show Rule 6.21 to clarify entry and payment requirements.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.21	Show Rules Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
<p>6.21 Each entry must be accompanied by the stipulated entry fee. Unless the show rules provide otherwise (see 6.35 and 6.36), FAX or email entries may be accepted at the discretion of the sponsoring club. If the club opts to accept FAX or e-mail entries, the club shall accept them from any exhibitor submitting such entry regardless of location of residence. All online, FAX or email entries must be paid in full within 10 days of receipt or prior to the start of the show, whichever is first. Once a cat is entered, entry cancellations or refunds</p>		<p>6.21 Each entry must be accompanied by the stipulated entry fee. Unless the show rules provide otherwise (see 6.35 and 6.36), FAX or email entries may be accepted at the discretion of the sponsoring club. If the club opts to accept FAX or e-mail entries, the club shall accept them from any exhibitor submitting such entry regardless of location of residence. All online, FAX or email entries must be paid in full within 10 days of receipt or prior to the start of the show, whichever is first. Once a cat is entered, entry cancellations or refunds</p>

of fees due or paid is at the option of the sponsoring club. If a show fills prior to the closing date specified in the show flyer, entry fees will be refunded for those cats whose entry has been replaced by a replacement entry. It is the option of the club as to whether to accept replacement entries or not. No entry fee may be paid by a check drawn on a CFA cat club account. Entries accompanied by such a check must be refused and returned. No entry fee will be returned because of failure to bench except as provided in Paragraph 10.01.d and rules 6.28 and 11.03.	of fees due or paid is at the option of the sponsoring club. If a show fills prior to the closing date specified in the show flyer, entry fees will be refunded for those cats whose entry has been replaced by a replacement entry. It is the option of the club as to whether to accept replacement entries or not. No entry fee may be paid by a check drawn on a CFA cat club account. Entries accompanied by such a check must be refused and returned. No entry fee will be returned because of failure to bench except as provided in Paragraph 10.01.d and rules 6.28 and 11.03.
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

37. *Amend Show Rule 6.24 regarding Agility entries.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.24		Agility Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording	
<p>6.24 Agility Entry.</p> <p>a. Entry fees will be determined by show management.</p> <p>b. Cats may be pre-entered with the show entry clerk using the CFA feline agility competition form. If the cat is not entered in any other class, it must be pre-entered and a benching space provided.</p> <p>c. Cats entered during the show by coming to the ring must fill out and sign an Agility entry form and give it and the entry fee to the Ringmaster. The cat's correct full registered name and registration number must be entered on the Agility entry form.</p> <p>d. All entries must be benched. The agility cat may accompany a cat entered in the regular judging and thus be considered benched.</p> <p>e. Entries may include pedigreed cats, HHP, and shelter cats.</p>		<p>6.24 Agility Entry.</p> <p>a. Entry fees will be determined by show management.</p> <p>b. Cats may be pre-entered with the show entry clerk using the CFA feline agility competition <u>online entry</u> form. If the cat is not entered in any other class, it must be pre-entered and a benching space provided.</p> <p>c. Cats entered during the show by coming to the <u>Agility</u> ring must fill out and sign an Agility entry form and give it and the entry fee to the Ringmaster. The cat's correct full registered name and registration number must be entered on the Agility entry form <u>in order to earn titles or to be scored for National/Regional Awards. Unregistered cats may compete in Agility competition and will be scored and able to earn titles only if a registration number and fee is provided within one week after the last show weekend of the season in order for regional/national points to be credited to the cat's record for that season.</u></p> <p>d. All entries must be benched. The agility cat may accompany a cat entered in the regular judging and thus be considered benched. <u>In all instances, show rule 10.05 must be adhered to.</u></p> <p>e. Entries may include pedigreed cats, HHP, and shelter cats. <u>Under no circumstances may a cat</u></p>	

	which a judge, or Certified Ringmaster in the event of Agility, has determined has two or more structural/coat mutations compete in Agility.
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

38. *Amend Show Rule 6.26 to clarify that late entries cannot be accepted.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.26	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
6.26 The show committee may refuse to accept an entry received after the specified hour on the advertised date for the closing of entries, or after the advertised limit of entries has been reached.	6.26 The show committee may <u>cannot</u> refuse to accept an entry received after the specified hour on the advertised date for the closing of entries, <u>which can be no later than the deadlines set forth in SR 6.35 and 6.36.</u> or The show committee may refuse to accept replacement entries after the advertised limit of entries has been reached.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

39. *Amend Show Rule 6.28 to provide a mechanism for an exhibitor to request that their entry not be handled by a trainee.*

Article VI – Entering the Show – Amend 6.28	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
6.28 In the event that a previously scheduled show is cancelled, a trainee judge is added to the show, or a contracted judge is unable to officiate and is replaced before the official closing day of a show, the club shall notify all exhibitors whose entries were confirmed prior to the change of the change or addition. The club shall include notification of the substitution or addition, if the show will still be held, on confirmations sent out after the change. An exhibitor may receive a refund of entry fees provided that a written request is sent postmarked on or before the official closing date. In the event that a judge is replaced or a trainee judge is added to the show after the official closing date of the show or an exhibitor does not send a written request for a refund postmarked on or before the official closing date, the club is not responsible for providing a refund of entry fees. In the event the show is cancelled, all entered exhibitors will receive a refund of entry fees paid.	6.28 In the event that a previously scheduled show is cancelled, a trainee judge is added to the show, or a contracted judge is unable to officiate and is replaced before the official closing day of a show, the club shall notify all exhibitors whose entries were confirmed prior to the change of the change or addition. The club shall include notification of the substitution or addition, if the show will still be held, on confirmations sent out after the change. An exhibitor may receive a refund of entry fees provided that a written request is sent postmarked on or before the official closing date. In the event that a judge is replaced or a trainee judge is added to the show after the official closing date of the show or an exhibitor does not send a written request for a refund postmarked on or before the official closing date, the club is not responsible for providing a refund of entry fees. In the event the show is cancelled, all entered exhibitors will receive a refund of entry fees paid.

	<p><u>6.28 Changes Affecting Shows:</u></p> <p><u>a. If a previously scheduled show is cancelled, the club shall notify all entered exhibitors and refund all paid entries.</u></p> <p><u>b. If a judge is added to a show or a contracted judge is unable to officiate and is replaced before the official closing day of a show, the club shall notify all exhibitors whose entries were confirmed prior to the change. An exhibitor may receive a refund of entry fees upon written request submitted prior to official closing date of the show. If a judge is added or replaced after the official closing date of the show, the club is not responsible for providing a refund of entry fees.</u></p> <p><u>c. If there is an addition of a trainee judge, the club shall notify all previously entered exhibitors and include the notice on any new entry confirmations. If an exhibitor does not wish to have their exhibit(s) handled by the trainee, they shall notify the entry clerk, who will mark “XXX” in the award column of the trainee judge’s book. The exhibitor may also make this request to the ring clerk prior to the start of the show.</u></p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

40. *Amend Show Rule 6.29.a. to clarify that Agility entries do not count against the show entry limit.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.29.a.	Agility Committee	
	Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
	<p>6.29 Number of entries permissible:</p> <p>a. No club shall accept more than 450 entries to be judged by any one judge over a full two-day period. For shows where the judge will not have a ring or the entries available for more than one day, no club shall accept more than 225 entries. No allowance shall be made for absentees. Since entries in the EXHIBITION ONLY class are not scheduled for handling by a judge (See 2.23 g), those entries do not count against the aforementioned entry limits. All one-day Sunday shows MUST start at 9:00 a.m. or earlier if over 200 entries are entered. (Note that if separate shows are held for Non-Championship and Non-Premiership classes in order to comply with this rule, additional judging rings must be</p>	<p>6.29 Number of entries permissible:</p> <p>a. No club shall accept more than 450 entries to be judged by any one judge over a full two-day period. For shows where the judge will not have a ring or the entries available for more than one day, no club shall accept more than 225 entries. No allowance shall be made for absentees. Since entries in the EXHIBITION ONLY class <u>and Agility</u> are not scheduled for handling by a judge (See 2.23 <u>g and 2.23 h</u>), those entries do not count against the aforementioned entry limits. All one-day Sunday shows MUST start at 9:00 a.m. or earlier if over 200 entries are entered. (Note that if separate shows are held for Non-Championship and Non-Premiership classes in order to comply with this</p>

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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

41. *Amend Show Rule 6.30 to clarify the roles of entry clerks and master clerks.*

Article VI: Entering the Show - - Amend 6.30		Entry Clerking Program	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording	
<p>6.30 The entry clerk shall be responsible for reviewing each entry form received to verify that all necessary information is included.</p> <p>The entry clerk is prohibited from accepting Kitten, Championship (unless the entry is for a Novice), Premiership (unless the entry is for a Novice), Provisional (kittens or adults), Miscellaneous (kittens or adults), Veterans, and AOV entries (kittens or adults) whose entry form does not contain a registration number. In the case of kittens or cats requesting a temporary registration number, the entry clerk will assign the number from the list provided by Central Office for inclusion in the show catalog and complete, if not already completed by the owner, an application for temporary registration number that will be attached to the pedigree or documentation of CFA registration numbers of parents, if allowed by rule 6.16, and associated fee payment. The kitten's or cat's pedigree (or CFA registration numbers if allowed by rule 6.16), application form, and associated registration fee OR a catalog correction form containing the cat's permanent registration number must be provided no later than the close of check-in for the show. Failure to do so will result in an adult cat being entered as a novice and a kitten being removed from the show as Ineligible for Entry. If a fully completed TRN package or catalog correction form with permanent registration number is received by the entry clerk between entry closing and the close of check-in, the entry clerk will put the number in the Master Clerk catalog and transfer the adult cat out of Novice in that catalog and the judges' books. If such transfer is via a catalog correction form with permanent registration number, the entry clerk will also provide that catalog correction form to the master clerk so that the master clerk catalog can be updated. It is</p>		<p>6.30 The entry clerk shall be responsible for reviewing each entry form received to verify that all necessary information is included.</p> <p>The entry clerk is prohibited from accepting Kitten, Championship (unless the entry is for a Novice), Premiership (unless the entry is for a Novice), Provisional (kittens or adults), Miscellaneous (kittens or adults), Veterans, and AOV entries (kittens or adults) whose entry form does not contain a registration number <u>or temporary registration number (TRN)</u>. If a TRN has been <u>assigned it is the exhibitor's responsibility to complete</u> In the case of kittens or cats requesting a temporary registration number, the entry clerk will assign the number from the list provided by Central Office for inclusion in the show catalog and complete, if not already completed by the owner, an application for temporary registration number that will be attached to the pedigree or documentation of CFA registration numbers of parents, if allowed by rule 6.16, and associated fee payment. The kitten's or cat's pedigree (or CFA registration numbers if allowed by rule 6.16), application form, and associated registration fee OR a catalog correction form containing the cat's permanent registration number must be provided no later than the close of check-in for the show. Failure to do so will result in an adult cat being entered as a novice and a kitten being removed from the show as Ineligible for Entry. If a fully completed TRN package or catalog correction form with permanent registration number is received by the entry clerk between entry closing and the close of check-in, <u>the entry clerk will provide the information to put the number in the Mmaster Cclerk. The master clerk will</u> catalog and transfer the adult cat out of Novice in that catalog and the judges' books. If such transfer is via a catalog correction form with permanent registration</p>	

acceptable to use the absentee/transfer form to transfer the cat in the judges' books.	number, the master entry clerk will also provide that catalog correction form to the master clerk so that the update the master clerk catalog accordingly can be updated. It is acceptable to use the absentee/transfer form to transfer the cat in the judges' books.
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

42. *Amend Show Rules 6.35.b. and 6.36.c. to change the closing deadline for shows in the International Division to no later than Tuesday at 11:59 p.m. China time.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Amend 6.35.b. and 6.36.c.	International Division Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
<p>6.35 Every China show after October 2, 2017 will use one of the Central Entry Clerks designated by CFA.</p> <p>...</p> <p>b. The entry clerk will close the show to additional entries when the entry limit is reached or 9:00 p.m., China time, on the Wednesday before the show, whichever is first.</p> <p>...</p>		<p>6.35 Every China show after October 2, 2017 will use one of the Central Entry Clerks designated by CFA.</p> <p>...</p> <p>b. The entry clerk will close the show to additional entries when the entry limit is reached or 9:00 <u>no later than 11:59</u> p.m., China time, on the Wednesday <u>Tuesday</u> before the show, whichever is first. <u>Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</u></p> <p>...</p>
<p>6.36</p> <p>...</p> <p>c. All shows in the International Division outside of China must close to entries no later than 9:00 p.m. China time on the Wednesday before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</p> <p>...</p>		<p>6.36</p> <p>...</p> <p>c. All shows in the International Division outside of China must close to entries no later than 9:00 <u>11:59</u> p.m., China time, on the Wednesday <u>Tuesday</u> before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</p> <p>...</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

43. *Add Show Rule 6.35.h. to clarify that Agility entries may be accepted in China on the day of the show.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Add 6.35.h.	Agility Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording

<p>6.35 Every China show after October 2, 2017 will use one of the Central Entry Clerks designated by CFA.</p> <p>...</p>	<p>6.35 Every China show after October 2, 2017 will use one of the Central Entry Clerks designated by CFA.</p> <p>...</p> <p><u>h. The above notwithstanding. Agility entries may be accepted at the show.</u></p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

44. *Add new Show Rule 6.36.c. and renumber current 6.36.c.-e. to provide a latest closing deadline for shows in Region 9.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Add 6.36.c. and renumber current 6.36.c.-e.	Show Rules Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
<p>6.36 a. For all shows in Regions 1-7, excluding Hawaii, all shows must close to entries no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern time on the Monday before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</p> <p>b. All shows in Region 8 must close to entries no later than 11:59 p.m. Japan time on the Monday before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</p> <p>c. All shows in the International Division outside of China must close to entries no later than 9:00 p.m. China time on the Wednesday before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</p> <p>d. For all shows in Regions 1-9 and the International Division outside of China, all entries must be received through the CFA online entry form on the CFA website. All entries will be time-stamped and the online form will be disabled for each show when that show is closed to entries.</p> <p>e. For all CFA shows, entry clerks must use the CFA entry clerk program. A fee, as specified in CFA's current price list, is payable by the club to CFA if any other software is used. No further shows will be licensed for the club until this fee is paid.</p>		<p>6.36 a. For all shows in Regions 1-7, excluding Hawaii, all shows must close to entries no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern time on the Monday before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</p> <p>b. All shows in Region 8 must close to entries no later than 11:59 p.m. Japan time on the Monday before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</p> <p><u>c. All shows in Region 9 must close to entries no later than 11:59 p.m. Coordinated Universal Time (UTC) on the Monday before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</u></p> <p>ed. All shows in the International Division outside of China must close to entries no later than 9:00 p.m. China time on the Wednesday before the opening of the show. Shows may close to entries prior to that time.</p> <p>de. For all shows in Regions 1-9 and the International Division outside of China, all entries must be received through the CFA online entry form on the CFA website. All entries will be time-stamped and the online form will be disabled for each show when that show is closed to entries.</p> <p>ef. For all CFA shows, entry clerks must use the CFA entry clerk program. A fee, as specified in CFA's current price list, is payable by the club to CFA if any other software is used. No further shows</p>

	will be licensed for the club until this fee is paid.
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45. *Add Show Rule 6.36.f. to provide that Agility entries may be accepted on the day of the show in Regions 1-9 and the International Division outside of China.*

Article VI: Entering the Show – Add 6.36.f.	Agility Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
6.36 ...		6.36 ... <u>f. The above notwithstanding, Agility entries may be accepted at the show.</u>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

46. *Amend Show Rule 7.09.a.4. and 7.09.b.4. to include registered cats competing in Agility.*

Article VII: Pre-Show Document Preparation – Amend 7.09.a.4. and 7.09.b.4.	Agility Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
7.09 a. The introductory page(s) for a printed show catalog must contain the following information: ... 4. a notice that all Championship and Premiership entries, all registered Kittens, Household Pets, and all registered cats competing with Household Pet color class prefixes (whose registration numbers are printed or written in ink in the catalog) will be scored for CFA awards; and ... b. The introductory page(s) for an electronic show catalog will be included in the cover email from the entry clerk to the exhibitors and must contain the following information: ... 4. a notice that all Championship and Premiership entries, all registered Kittens, Household Pets, and all registered cats competing with Household Pet color class prefixes (whose registration numbers are printed or written in ink in the catalog) will be		7.09 a. The introductory page(s) for a printed show catalog must contain the following information: ... 4. a notice that all Championship and Premiership entries, all registered Kittens, Household Pets, and all registered cats competing with Household Pet color class prefixes (whose registration numbers are printed or written in ink in the catalog), <u>and all registered cats competing in Agility</u> will be scored for CFA awards; and ... b. The introductory page(s) for an electronic show catalog will be included in the cover email from the entry clerk to the exhibitors and must contain the following information: ... 4. a notice that all Championship and Premiership entries, all registered Kittens, Household Pets, and all registered cats competing with Household Pet color class prefixes (whose registration numbers are

scored for CFA awards; and ...	printed or written in ink in the catalog), and <u>all registered cats competing in Agility</u> will be scored for CFA awards; and ...
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

47. *Amend Show Rule 7.12. to update requirements regarding the list of exhibitors.*

Article VII : Pre-Show Document Preparation -- Amend 7.12	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
7.12 A list of exhibitors' names and addresses with entry numbers may be printed in the catalog. In the event that this cannot be done, a separate complete list of exhibitors' names and addresses with entry numbers MUST be forwarded to the Central Office. This rule does not apply to Veteran Class exhibitors. (See 13.09.d).	7.12 A list of exhibitors' names and addresses with entry numbers may shall be printed in the catalog. In the event that this cannot be done, a separate complete list of exhibitors' names and addresses with entry numbers MUST be forwarded to the Central Office. This rule does not apply to Veteran Class exhibitors. (See 13.09.d).

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

48. *Amend Show Rule 7.17 to include pre-entered Agility cats and kittens.*

Article VII: Pre-Show Document Preparation -- Amend 7.17	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>7.17 Entries in the catalog should appear in the following order:</p> <p>Non-Championship: Kittens, AOV kittens following entries for the particular breed. Provisional Breeds separated by breed and by kitten, adults and alters. Miscellaneous breeds (non-competitive) separated by breed. The first three or four digits of a Miscellaneous entry's registration number should be used as the Class number, unless class numbers are specified in Article XXXIII.</p> <p>Championship: Longhair and Shorthair. AOV entries should appear at the end of the Championship entries for the particular breed.</p> <p>Premiership: Longhair and Shorthair. AOV entries should appear at the end of the Premiership entries for the particular breed.</p>	<p>7.17 Entries in the catalog should appear in the following order:</p> <p>Non-Championship: Kittens, AOV kittens following entries for the particular breed. Provisional Breeds separated by breed and by kitten, adults and alters. Miscellaneous breeds (non-competitive) separated by breed. The first three or four digits of a Miscellaneous entry's registration number should be used as the Class number, unless class numbers are specified in Article XXXIII.</p> <p>Championship: Longhair and Shorthair. AOV entries should appear at the end of the Championship entries for the particular breed.</p> <p>Premiership: Longhair and Shorthair. AOV entries should appear at the end of the Premiership entries for the particular breed.</p>

Non-championship: Household Pets. Non-championship: Veteran. Exhibition only: Exhibition only cats and kittens should be numbered in the catalog.	Non-championship: Household Pets. Non-championship: Veteran. Exhibition only: Exhibition only cats and kittens should be numbered in the catalog. <u>Non-championship: Pre-entered Agility cats and kittens.</u>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

49. *Amend Show Rule 8.01 to replace the word “insignia” with “logo.”.*

Article VIII: Prizes, Ribbons, and Trophies – Amend: 8.01	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
8.01 Rosettes/Awards must carry the name of the club sponsoring the ring, the CFA insignia and the award; however, the name of the club sponsoring the ring may be omitted for awards 11th to 15th place, if those awards are given.	8.01 Rosettes/Awards must carry the name of the club sponsoring the ring, the CFA insignia <u>logo</u> and the award; however, the name of the club sponsoring the ring may be omitted for awards 11th to 15th place, if those awards are given.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

50. *Amend Show Rule 8.02 to replace the word “insignia” with “logo.”.*

Article VIII: Prizes, Ribbons, and Trophies – Amend: 8.02	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
8.02 On all ribbons or rosettes/awards designating prizes to be awarded in the various classes, the following words must appear: First, Second, Third, and the CFA insignia. In the case of a standard Household Pet show, the words “Household Pet Merit Award” and the CFA insignia must appear. In the case of Veterans competing in the show, the words “Veterans Merit Award” and the CFA insignia must appear.	8.02 On all ribbons or rosettes/awards designating prizes to be awarded in the various classes, the following words must appear: First, Second, Third, and the CFA <u>logo</u> insignia . In the case of a standard Household Pet show, the words “Household Pet Merit Award” and the CFA <u>logo</u> insignia must appear. In the case of Veterans competing in the show, the words “Veterans Merit Award” and the CFA <u>logo</u> insignia must appear.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

51. *Amend Show Rule 9.12 to update the requirements for the Agility Enclosure.*

Article IX: Pre-Show Procedures Prior to Benching/Check-In – Amend 9.12	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording

<p>9.12 Setup of Enclosure if Agility is offered:</p> <p>a. The size of the enclosure shall not be smaller than 20'x20' and not larger than 32'x32'. Any combination of these that total 400 to 1024 sq. ft. is allowable.</p> <p>b. The enclosure consists of panels of see through fencing or netting that shall be at least 6 feet high with a slanted top (slanted inward) or a covered top. The mesh shall be strong enough to keep cats in and still be easy to look through.</p> <p>c. Portable flooring that is non-slip must be used in the ring regardless of the existing floor.</p> <p>d. The door shall be in one of the panels of the fence and shall be placed at the most convenient place for access to the ring. The latch shall open from inside and outside the enclosure.</p>	<p>9.12 Setup of Enclosure if Agility is offered:</p> <p>a. The size of the enclosure shall not be smaller than 20'x20' and not larger than 32'x32' <u>20'x25'</u>. Any combination of these that total 400 to 1024 <u>500</u> sq. ft. is allowable.</p> <p>b. The enclosure consists of panels of see through fencing or netting that shall be at least 6 feet high with a slanted top (slanted inward) or a covered top. The mesh shall be strong enough to keep cats in and still be easy to look through.</p> <p>c. Portable flooring that is non-slip must be used in the ring regardless of <u>unless</u> the existing floor <u>is non-slip carpet.</u></p> <p>d. The door shall be in one of the panels of the fence and shall be placed at the most convenient place for access to the ring. The latch door shall open from inside and outside the enclosure.</p> <p><u>e. It is strongly suggested that a barrier such as kraft paper or a banner of 18" – 36" be placed around the lower perimeter of the enclosure to limit distractions.</u></p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

52. *Amend Show Rule 9.13 to update the specifications for obstacles.*

Article IX: Pre-Show Procedures Prior to Benching/Check-In – Amend 9.13	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>9.13 Setup of Obstacles if Agility is offered:</p> <p>a. Standard course. 10 obstacles consisting of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stairs - one set 3 steps up and 3 steps down with a non-slip surface. Minimum total height is 24". 2. Tunnels - two 4'-8' long each with a diameter of at least 12". 3. Hurdles - four with the first bar at 4", second bar at 8", third bar at 10" and 4th bar at 12" measured from floor to top of bar. 4. Weave Poles - three or four 18" apart. 5. Hoops - two 12" from floor to bottom of the hoop and approximately 18" in diameter. 	<p>9.13 Setup of <u>Specifications for</u> Obstacles if Agility is offered:</p> <p>a. Standard course. 10 obstacles consisting of:</p> <p><u>1a. Stairs - one set - Non-slip, with three steps up with a platform at the top and three steps down. All steps are measured from the floor. Each step must be 2 – 2 ½ feet wide and 9-12" deep. First step must be 10" from the floor. Second step must be 19" from the floor. The third step must be 28" from the floor and forms a 22" x 22" platform. 3 steps up and 3 steps down with a non slip surface. Minimum total height is 24".</u></p> <p><u>2b. Tunnels – two - Diameter of 18" and 4-6 ft in length. Tunnels must be solid and not see through.</u></p>

<p>b. Beginner course. Same as standard course except removing hurdles.</p>	<p>4' 8' long each with a diameter of at least 12".</p> <p>3c. Hurdles - four total, with the first bar at 4", second bar at 8", third bar at 10" and 4th bar at 12" measured from floor to top of bar.</p> <p><u>1. One (1) Bar Hurdle - one - Consists of one bar, 2 – 2 ½ feet wide and set 4" from floor to the top of the bar.</u></p> <p><u>2. Two (2) Bar Hurdle - one - Consists of two bars, 2 – 2 ½ feet wide, with the highest bar set 6" from floor to the top of the bar.</u></p> <p><u>3. Three (3) Bar Hurdle – one - Consists of three bars, 2 – 2 ½ feet wide, with the highest bar set 10" from floor to the top of the bar.</u></p> <p><u>4. Four (4) Bar Hurdle – one- Consists of four bars, 2 – 2 ½ feet wide, with the highest bar set 12" from floor to the top of the bar.</u></p> <p><u>d. Weave poles – one set - four (4) poles of 20-24" in height, set 18" apart</u></p> <p><u>e. Hoops - two - Suspended circle 1' 6" in diameter and which is 6" from the floor to the bottom of the hoop and 2 ft from the floor to the top of the hoop.</u></p> <p>4. Weave Poles – three or four 18" apart.</p> <p>5. Hoops – two 12" from floor to bottom of the hoop and approximately 18" in diameter.</p> <p>b. Beginner course. Same as standard course except removing hurdles.</p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

53. *Amend Show Rule 9.14 to include Agility competitions under benching procedures.*

<p>Article IX: Pre-Show Procedures Prior to Benching/Check-In – Amend 9.14</p>	<p>Agility Committee</p>
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>9.14 All benching and judging areas shall be located inside a building or secured structure with doors that can be closed to prevent cats from getting outside. No show may be held in an outdoor venue or area with immediate access to locations where motorized vehicles or heavy equipment will operate, such as a parking garage, courtyard, covered walkway, or construction or demolition</p>	<p>9.14 All benching, and judging, and <u>Agility competition</u> areas shall be located inside a building or secured structure with doors that can be closed to prevent cats from getting outside. No show may be held in an outdoor venue or area with immediate access to locations where motorized vehicles or heavy equipment will operate, such as a parking garage, courtyard, covered walkway, or</p>

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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

54. *Amend Show Rule 10.20 to clarify when late arrivals may compete.*

Article X: Benching/Check In -- Amend 10.20	Judging Program Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
<p>10.20 Late arrivals: an entry arriving at the show room after the stipulated hour may be benched, at the option of the show management, after examination by the designated veterinarian, if applicable, at the expense of the exhibitor. For any ring in which its class is judged prior to its benching, it shall be marked absent and no class will be reopened. In the case of entries subject to the bay check-in process, the cat/kitten will still be considered absent for the duration of the show, including the second day of a two-day show, but may be benched with an exhibitor's other entries in the show hall.</p>		<p>10.20 Late arrivals: an entry arriving at the show room after the stipulated hour may be benched, at the option of the show management, after examination by the designated veterinarian, if applicable, at the expense of the exhibitor. For any ring in which its class is judged prior to its benching, it shall be marked absent and no class will be reopened. In the case of entries subject to the bay check-in process, the cat/kitten will still be considered absent for the duration of the show, including the second day of a two-day show, but may be benched with an exhibitor's other entries in the show hall.</p> <p>10.20 <u>Late Arrivals</u></p> <p>a. <u>An entry arriving at the show room after the stipulated hour may be benched, at the option of the show management, after examination by the designated veterinarian, if applicable, at the expense of the exhibitor. For any ring in which its class is judged prior to its benching, it shall be marked absent and no class will be reopened.</u></p> <p>b. <u>Cats subject to, but not present for bay check-in will not be allowed to compete in any ring for the entire show, including the second day of a two day show.</u></p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

55. *Amend Show Rule 10.21 to clarify the exhibitor's responsibility with regard to late arrivals.*

Article X: Benching/Check In -- Amend 10.21	Judging Program Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
<p>10.21 The owner or agent of a late arrival is</p>		<p>10.21 The owner or agent of a late arrival is</p>

responsible for checking in with the show secretary and notifying all ring clerks once the late arrival is benched. However, late arrival cats/kittens that were subject to the bay check-in process will still be considered absent in all rings at the show, including those held on the second day of a two day show.	responsible for checking in with the show secretary and notifying all ring clerks once the late arrival is benched. However, late arrival cats/kittens that were subject to the bay check in process will still be considered absent in all rings at the show, including those held on the second day of a two day show. <u>10.21 a. The owner or agent of a late arrival is responsible for checking in with the show secretary and notifying all ring clerks once the late arrival is benched.</u> <u>b. Bay Check-in: Late arrival cats/kittens that were subject to the bay check-in process will still be considered absent in all rings at the show, including those held on the second day of a two day show.</u>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

56. *Amend Show Rule 10.22 to clarify the bay check in process.*

Article X: Benching/Check In -- Amend 10.22	Judging Program Committee	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
10.22 Absentees and Transfers: a. Before judging begins, an exhibitor is responsible for reporting to the show entry clerk or designated representative any of his cats or kittens that are absent, or that require transfer to another competitive category, class, or color class (including one in a different breed), or change in color/pattern description. b. At the conclusion of the advertised hour for check-in and before judging begins, all cats of each color class subject to bay check-in may be required to present themselves to the judging rings (starting with the lowest kitten number thru highest, then lowest championship number thru highest, then lowest premiership number thru highest) starting with ring 1 and going thru the number of rings required to include all cats entered in that color-class. The International Division Chairman for China, shall be notified by the China entry clerk when a show has sufficient entries in a color class to warrant bay check-in. That Chairman will then determine if that show will be subject to the bay check-in process, and if so, which of the contracted judges will perform the procedure. The selected		10.22 Absentees and Transfers: a. Before judging begins, an exhibitor is responsible for reporting to the show entry clerk or designated representative any of his cats or kittens that are absent, or that require transfer to another competitive category, class, or color class (including one in a different breed), or change in color/pattern description. b. At the conclusion of the advertised hour for check in and before judging begins, all cats of each color class subject to bay check in may be required to present themselves to the judging rings (starting with the lowest kitten number thru highest, then lowest championship number thru highest, then lowest premiership number thru highest) starting with ring 1 and going thru the number of rings required to include all cats entered in that color-class. The International Division Chairman for China, shall be notified by the China entry clerk when a show has sufficient entries in a color class to warrant bay check in. That Chairman will then determine if that show will be subject to the bay check in process, and if so, which of the contracted judges will perform the procedure. The selected

<p>judge will then mark the absentee/transfer list MAb (Mandatorily Absent) for any cat/kitten not present in the numbered judging cage, or for any cat/kitten that is obviously out of condition, is ill, is of a color not showable in regular or AOV competition, or may otherwise be disqualified per show rule 11.23. That cat will be considered absent in all rings to be held at that show, regardless of which day the color class for that category is judged. If more than one color class meets the requirement for bay check-in, they will be called up to the rings in breed/color class order as listed in the catalog.</p> <p>c. Before judging begins on the second day of a two day show, the master clerk or designated representative will report all competitive transfers to each ring clerk who will notify the officiating judge of changes.</p>	<p>judge will then mark the absentee/transfer list MAb (Mandatorily Absent) for any cat/kitten not present in the numbered judging cage, or for any cat/kitten that is obviously out of condition, is ill, is of a color not showable in regular or AOV competition, or may otherwise be disqualified per show rule 11.23. That cat will be considered absent in all rings to be held at that show, regardless of which day the color class for that category is judged. If more than one color class meets the requirement for bay check-in, they will be called up to the rings in breed/color class order as listed in the catalog.</p> <p><u>e. b. Before judging begins on the second day of a two day show, the master clerk or designated representative will report all competitive transfers to each ring clerk who will notify the officiating judge of changes.</u></p> <p><u>c. Bay Check-in: At the conclusion of the advertised hour for check-in and before judging begins, all cats of each color class subject to bay check-in may be required to present themselves to the judging rings. When entries of a specific color of a breed in all categories (Kittens, Championship and Premiership) exceed the number of cats that can be benched in a ring, the numbers of all the kittens/cats entered in that color class will be posted and the exhibitors must bring their kittens/cats to the rings. Multiple rings will be used to post the cage numbers of the kittens/cats.</u></p> <p><u>d. The International Division Chair will determine when a show has sufficient entries in a color class in all categories (Kittens, Championship and Premiership) to warrant bay check-in and will determine which of the contracted judges will perform the procedure. If more than one color class meets the requirement for bay check-in, they will be called up to the rings in breed/color class order as listed in the catalog.</u></p> <p><u>e. The designated judge will receive the absentee and transfer sheet from the show secretary and will mark "MAb" (Mandatorily Absent) any kitten/cat not present in the Bay check-in judging cages. In addition, the designated judge will mark MAb for any kitten/cat that is obviously out of condition, is ill, is of a color not showable in regular or AOV competition or may otherwise be disqualified per show rule 11.23. That cat will be considered to be absent in all rings to be held at that show. This</u></p>
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	<u>includes both days of a two day show.</u> <u>f. The designated judge will deliver a completed absentee and transfer sheet to each judge scheduled to judge that category. Each judge will mark “MAb” on the award column of the specified cat in their judge’s book.</u>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

57. *Amend Show Rule 11.07 to separate out the regular absentees from those absented during bay check in.*

Article XI: During The Show – Judging and Awards -- Amend 11.07	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
11.07 An entry must be present and available for judging when the time for judging each entry is reached. An entry not so presented or available will be marked absent and the class will be judged as if such an entry had not been benched. In addition, for those cats marked MAb on the absentee/transfer sheets, those cats will also be marked absent even if that cat shows up to the judging ring for judging. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor or the exhibitor’s agent to see that the cat or kitten is presented for judging when the entry number is called the first time. Only one call to the judging ring is required.	11.07 a. An entry must be present and available for judging when the time for judging each entry is reached. An entry not so presented or available will be marked absent and the class will be judged as if such an entry had not been benched. In addition, for those cats marked MAb on the absentee/transfer sheets, those cats will also be marked absent even if that cat shows up to the judging ring for judging. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor or the exhibitor’s agent to see that the cat or kitten is presented for judging when the entry number is called the first time. Only one call to the judging ring is required. <u>b. For cats marked MAb on the absentee/transfer sheets, those cats will also be marked absent (MAb) even if that cat shows up to the judging ring for judging.</u>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

58. *Amend Show Rule 11.23 to clarify that cats for which awards are withheld in conformation judging because of congenital or acquired defects can still run Agility.*

Article XI: During The Show – Judging and Awards -- Amend 11.23	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
11.23 Withholding of awards by the judge: a judge must withhold all awards when in his opinion ANY entry lacks sufficient merit; is, apparently,	11.23 Withholding of awards by the judge: a judge must withhold all awards when in his opinion ANY entry lacks sufficient merit; is, apparently,

<p>obviously pregnant, suffering from emaciation, malnutrition or showing evidence of neglect; or is ineligible for entry.</p> <p>When awards are withheld from an entry for the above reasons, the judge shall record on the judging color class sheet one or more of the following reasons:</p> <p>a. No Award - Insufficient Merit” (NA/IM), which shall include overall lack of quality, deviation from the standard, congenital or acquired defects.</p> <p>The Central Office shall record the NA-IM judge opinions on each cat. When three judges have recorded “NA-IM” for any cat deemed to possess overall lack of quality, deviation from the standard, congenital or acquired defects (as stated in paragraph 11.23.a above), the cat shall never be eligible for entry at any CFA show except in the household pet class, or;</p> <p>...</p>	<p>obviously pregnant, suffering from emaciation, malnutrition or showing evidence of neglect; or is ineligible for entry.</p> <p>When awards are withheld from an entry for the above reasons, the judge shall record on the judging color class sheet one or more of the following reasons:</p> <p>a. No Award - Insufficient Merit” (NA/IM), which shall include overall lack of quality, deviation from the standard, congenital or acquired defects.</p> <p>The Central Office shall record the NA-IM judge opinions on each cat. When three judges have recorded “NA-IM” for any cat deemed to possess overall lack of quality, deviation from the standard, congenital or acquired defects (as stated in paragraph 11.23.a above), the cat shall never be eligible for entry at any CFA show except in the household pet class <u>or in Agility competition</u>, or;</p> <p>...</p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

59. *Amend Show Rule 11.24 to clarify that cats disqualified in conformation judging can still run Agility.*

<div> <div>Article XI: During The Show – Judging and Awards -- Amend 11.24</div> <div>Agility Committee</div> </div>	
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>11.24 Disqualified by the judge.</p> <p>...</p> <p>c. A judge must disqualify and dismiss from his ring any cat or kitten that bites, cannot be judged in the judging ring, or that is, in his judgment, behaving in a recalcitrant or threatening manner. This rule does not apply to cats after the completion of judging of color classes. When a judge makes a disqualification based on having been bitten, the judge shall record on the judging color class sheet “DISQ/BITE,” otherwise indicate just DISQ if the disqualification is based on recalcitrant or threatening behavior. (See paragraphs 11.19.c and 11.19.d).</p>	<p>11.24 Disqualified by the judge.</p> <p>...</p> <p>c. A judge must disqualify and dismiss from his ring any cat or kitten that bites, cannot be judged in the judging ring, or that is, in his judgment, behaving in a recalcitrant or threatening manner. This rule does not apply to cats after the completion of judging of color classes. When a judge makes a disqualification based on having been bitten, the judge shall record on the judging color class sheet “DISQ/BITE,” otherwise indicate just DISQ if the disqualification is based on recalcitrant or threatening behavior. (See paragraphs 11.19.c and 11.19.d).</p>

<p>The Central Office shall record the DISQ/BITE on each cat. When three judges have recorded “DISQ/BITE” for any cat deemed to behave in a manner that injures the judge, the cat shall not be eligible for entry at any CFA show.</p> <p>...</p> <p>f. The Central Office shall record the “DISQ-UT” judges’ opinion in an appropriate manner. When three judges have disqualified any adult male cat for lack of having descended testicles, the cat shall never again be eligible for entry at any CFA show except that said cat may be entered and shown in Premiership (It is highly recommended that any such cat be examined by a veterinarian and surgical procedures as required for neutering be undergone).</p>	<p>The Central Office shall record the DISQ/BITE on each cat. When three judges have recorded “DISQ/BITE” for any cat deemed to behave in a manner that injures the judge, the cat shall not be eligible for entry at any CFA show <u>other than in Agility competition.</u></p> <p>...</p> <p>f. The Central Office shall record the “DISQ-UT” judges’ opinion in an appropriate manner. When three judges have disqualified any adult male cat for lack of having descended testicles, the cat shall never again be eligible for entry at any CFA show except that said cat may be entered and shown in Premiership (It is highly recommended that any such cat be examined by a veterinarian and surgical procedures as required for neutering be undergone) <u>or in Agility competition.</u></p> <p><u>g. With the exception of declawed cats/kittens or cats/kittens who have undergone a tendonectomy, cats / kittens disqualified under rules a. – f. above are eligible for competition in Agility.</u></p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

60. *Amend Show Rule 11.25 to require that the Certified Ringmaster be notified if a judge disqualifies a cat or kitten that bites or is behaving in a recalcitrant or threatening manner. (To be withdrawn if amendments to 6.04 and 11.24 pass.)*

Article XI: During The Show – Judging and Awards -- Amend 11.25	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>11.25 The chief ring clerk is responsible for notifying ALL chief ring clerks of the action taken when the judge in his/her ring disqualifies any cat or kitten that bites or that, in the judge’s judgment, is behaving in a recalcitrant or threatening manner.</p>	<p>11.25 The chief ring clerk is responsible for notifying ALL chief ring clerks <u>and the Certified Ringmaster, if Agility is offered,</u> of the action taken when the judge in his/her ring disqualifies any cat or kitten that bites or that, in the judge’s judgment, is behaving in a recalcitrant or threatening manner.</p>

Withdrawn.

61. *Add Show Rule 11.33 regarding awards in Agility competition. Renumber current 11.33-11.38.*

Article XI: During The Show – Judging and Awards -- Add 11.33, renumber existing 11.33	Agility Committee
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Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
None	<p>11.33 AGILITY</p> <p><u>There shall be no distinction between Longhair and Shorthair entries or Household Pets.</u></p> <p><u>There shall be no distinction between Adult Males, Adult Females, Adult Neuters, Adult Spays, and Kittens.</u></p> <p><u>The awards for Agility Competition shall be Best through Fifth Best Cat.</u></p> <p><u>When two or more Agility Competitions are held concurrently, an Agility Best of the Best competition may be held.</u></p> <p><u>Stand Alone Agility competitions may be held as show management specifics.</u></p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

62. *Amend Show Rule 12.01 to make clear who completes an activity.*

Article XII: Show Recordkeeping -- Amend 12.01	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>12.01 All judges' color class sheets must be signed by the judge. All judges shall mark the Best and Second Best of Breed or Division as well as Best Champion of Breed or Division and Best Premier of Breed or Division on the judges' color class sheets, if the judge determines these awards at the completion of judging the breed or division. If the breed or division wins are not awarded at the completion of the breed or division, the judge's sheet will be submitted to the master clerk without the wins marked. All judges must initial all error corrections. All judges' finals sheets must be completed, including the titles for cats receiving finals awards in the Championship and Premiership classes, and signed by the judge at the completion of finals. Judges' color class sheets and finals sheets must be checked and initialed by the chief ring clerk. The CFA judges' color class sheets must be checked and initialed by the chief ring clerk and the master clerk. The judges' finals sheets must be checked and signed by the master clerk. The master</p>	<p>12.01 The judge must sign All judges' all color class sheets, <u>breed sheets and final sheets.</u> must be signed by the judge. All judges Judges shall mark the Best and Second Best of Breed or Division as well as Best Champion of Breed or Division and Best Premier of Breed or Division on the judges' color class sheets, if the judge determines these awards at the completion of judging the breed or division. <u>If a judge does not award the breed or division wins awards are not awarded</u> at the completion of <u>judging</u> the breed or division, the chief ring clerk must forward the judge's color class sheet will be submitted to the master clerk without the wins awards marked. <u>The master clerk will return the judges' color class sheet for completion by the time the award is announced and recorded.</u> All judges <u>Judges</u> must initial all error corrections.</p> <p>All judges' finals sheets must be completed, including the titles for cats receiving finals awards in the Championship and Premiership classes, and</p>

clerk must immediately post the sheets in a manner readily accessible to all exhibitors. Awards as posted are final and may not be changed except as provided by show rule 12.15.	<p>signed by the judge at the completion of finals. Judges' color class sheets and finals sheets must be checked and initialed by the chief ring clerk. The CFA judges' color class sheets must be checked and initialed by the chief ring clerk and the master clerk. The judges' finals sheets must be checked and signed by the master clerk.</p> <p><u>Judges must complete and sign final sheets, including the titles for cats receiving final awards in the Championship and Premiership classes by the completion of finals. The chief ring clerk and master clerk will check and initial the CFA judges' color class sheets, breed sheets and finals sheets.</u></p> <p>The master clerk must immediately post the sheets in a manner readily accessible to all exhibitors. Awards as posted are final and may not be changed except as provided by show rule 12.15.</p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

63. *Amend Show Rule 12.04 to clarify what must be kept by the judge after the show.*

Article XII: Show Recordkeeping -- Amend 12.04	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
12.04 The judge's copy of the marked catalog must be retained by the judge for at least forty-five (45) days.	12.04 The judge's copy of the marked catalog must be retained by the judge for at least forty five (45) days. <u>The Judge must keep the cover of the catalog containing the Master Clerk's signature for two (2) weeks.</u>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

64. *Amend Show Rule 12.05 to clarify who supplies judge evaluation forms and to whom they must be returned.*

Article XII: Show Recordkeeping -- Amend 12.05	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
12.05 In all cases where an Apprentice or Approval Pending judge is used, or when a Trainee is judging Household Pets, a questionnaire supplied by the Chairman of the Judging Program must be filled out and signed by a majority of the show committee	12.05 In all cases where <u>When</u> an Apprentice or Approval Pending judge is used, or when a Trainee is judging Household Pets, a <u>Judging Program File Administrator will email an evaluation form to the show manager</u> a questionnaire supplied by the

and forwarded to the Central Office within 30 days of the close of the show. Similarly, if the club contracts a Guest Judge, a Guest Judge Evaluation Form will be completed by the club and mailed to the Central Office within thirty (30) days of the show. Evaluations are no longer required for guest judges at the Approved Guest Judge level. Judging questionnaires and Guest Judge Evaluation Forms not received by Central Office within 30 days after receipt of the show package are subject to an additional fine as specified in the CFA's current price list. In addition, such clubs will no longer be considered in good standing for the purpose of putting on future shows, etc. until such time as the evaluation or questionnaires are received by Central Office.	Chairman of the Judging Program must be filled out for completion including signatures by a majority of the show committee. The show manager will scan and email the evaluation back to the appropriate File Administrator and forwarded to the Central Office within 30 thirty (30) days of the close of the show. Similarly, if the club contracts a Guest Judge, a Guest Judge Evaluation Form will must be completed by the club and mailed-emailed to the Central Office within thirty (30) days of the show. Evaluations are no longer required for guest judges at the Approved Guest Judge level. Judging questionnaires—Evaluations not received by the appropriate File Administrator and Guest Judge Evaluation Forms evaluations not received by Central Office within 30 days after receipt of the show package are subject to an additional a fine as specified in the CFA's current price list. In addition, such clubs will no longer be considered in good standing for the purpose of putting on future shows, etc. until such time as the evaluation—or questionnaires evaluations are received by the File Administrator or Central Office, as appropriate.
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65. *Amend Show Rule 12.07 to add marking in the catalog for Miscellaneous Class.*

Article XII: Show Recordkeeping -- Amend 12.07	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
The chief ring clerk shall mark a catalog as the ribbons and rosettes are placed on the cages, indicating 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Best/Second Best of Color Class, Best/Second Best of Breed/Division, Best Champion/Best Premier of Breed/Division, Merit Awards for HHP (mark M in judge's book/catalog) and Veterans (mark V in judge's book/catalog) and all Finals awards. All absentees and transfers including competitive transfers after the first day of a two day show must be clearly marked. The chief ring clerk will complete a consolidated breed summary for longhair and shorthair breeds to include kittens, championship, and premiership. If the consolidated breed summary pages are not part of the printed catalog the individual pages must be included with the catalog. Upon completion of judging the completed catalog shall be taken to the	The chief ring clerk shall mark a catalog as the <u>judge places</u> ribbons and rosettes are placed on the cages, indicating 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Best/Second Best of Color Class, Best/Second Best of Breed/Division, Best Champion/Best Premier of Breed/Division, Merit Awards for HHP (mark M in judge's book/ <u>the catalog</u>), and Veterans (mark V in judge's book/ <u>the catalog</u>), <u>and Miscellaneous classes (Mark a dash " -" in the catalog)</u> and all Finals awards. <u>The chief ring clerk must NEVER mark his the catalog using the judge's color class sheets.</u> All absentees and transfers including competitive transfers after the first day of a two day show must be clearly marked <u>in the catalog</u> . The chief ring clerk will complete a consolidated breed summary for longhair and shorthair breeds to include kittens, championship, and premiership. If the consolidated

master clerk by the chief ring clerk for check out verification and signature. The chief ring clerk must NEVER mark his/her catalog using the judge's color class sheets.	breed summary pages are not part of the printed catalog the individual pages must be included with the catalog. Upon completion of judging <u>the ring clerk will take the completed catalog shall be taken</u> to the master clerk for by the chief ring clerk for check out verification and signature on the catalog cover. The chief ring clerk must NEVER mark his/her catalog using the judge's color class sheets.
RATIONALE: The chief ring clerk marks a catalog. "Judge's book" reference is eliminated. Added marking in the catalog for Miscellaneous Class,	

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

66. *Amend Show Rule 12.11.e. to change "NOV" to "NV".*

Article XII: Show Recordkeeping -- Amend 12.11.e.	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
... e. The chief ring clerk shall verify titles (NOV, CH, GC, PR, or GP) which the judge has entered on the finals sheets for cats receiving finals awards in the Championship and Premiership classes prior to submitting the sheets to the master clerk.	... e. The chief ring clerk shall verify titles (NOV <u>NV</u> , CH, GC, PR, or GP) which the judge has entered on the finals sheets for cats receiving finals awards in the Championship and Premiership classes prior to submitting the sheets to the master clerk.
RATIONALE: Housekeeping to change the word "NOV" with "NV"	

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

The motion to reconsider was ratified by unanimous consent.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

67. *Amend Show Rule 12.19 to remove reference to the agility claim form.*

Article XII: Show Recordkeeping -- Amend 12.19	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
12.19 The master clerk will accept completed official championship/premiership and agility claim forms, Agility Ringmaster's Scoresheet, and Companion Cat (Household Pet) Registration Number applications. In addition, the master clerk will also accept correction slips that transfer a cat from Open, Champion or Premier to Grand in either	12.19 The master clerk will accept completed official championship/premiership and agility -claim forms, Agility Ringmaster's Scoresheet <u>Scoring Sheet</u> , and Companion Cat (Household Pet) Registration Number applications. In addition, the master clerk will also accept correction slips that transfer a cat from Open, Champion or Premier to

the Championship or Premiership classes from the owner/agent. Correction slips are not required for transfer between tiers of the Bronze/Silver/Gold Champions and Premiers. The master clerk will provide the show secretary with a list of the catalog numbers of these transfers. ...	Grand in either the Championship or Premiership classes from the owner/agent. Correction slips are not required for transfer between tiers of the Bronze/Silver/Gold Champions and Premiers. The master clerk will provide the show secretary with a list of the catalog numbers of these transfers. ...
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

68. *Delete Show Rule 13.08.*

Article XIII: Show Completion/Cat Removal/Late Fee Collection -- Delete 13.08 and renumber remainder of Article XIII	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
13.08 The show secretary must retain in club records for one year the original entry forms with the exception of official entry forms sent to the Central Office for verification of a correction made by the master clerk because of a typographical error (see rule 12.13). The Central Office may request that a form(s) be submitted as verification of a valid entry.	13.08 The show secretary must retain in club records for one year the original entry forms with the exception of official entry forms sent to the Central Office for verification of a correction made by the master clerk because of a typographical error (see rule 12.13). The Central Office may request that a form(s) be submitted as verification of a valid entry. (Renumber SR 13.09 – 13.11 appropriately)

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

69. *Amend Show Rule 13.09.h. to make the show entry surcharge requirement apply to cats entered in Agility.*

Article XIII: Show Completion/Cat Removal/Late Fee Collection -- Amend 13.09.h.	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
13.09 The show secretary MUST send the following to the Central Office by one of two methods: 1. The preferred and safest method is scanning and emailing files (contact Central Office for specific instructions) or	13.09 The show secretary MUST send the following to the Central Office by one of two methods: 1. The preferred and safest method is scanning and emailing files (contact Central Office for specific instructions) or 2. EXPRESS MAIL Next Day Service (Not Priority

<p>2. EXPRESS MAIL Next Day Service (Not Priority EXPRESS MAIL Next Day Service (Not Priority Mail, which is not an overnight service), UPS OVERNIGHT, FEDERAL EXPRESS or an equivalent overnight service, on the first (1st) business day after the close of the show. This must arrive at the delivering service prior to the time such service requires for delivery to arrive at CFA Central Office the next day (the second [2nd] business day after the close of the show). Central Office may impose upon the club a fine, as listed in the CFA's current price list, for the untimely receipt of show packages. If mailing is the option selected by a club, it is the club's responsibility to make and keep a copy of all documents prior to mailing to ensure copies are available if the show package is lost in the mail. Club's will need to retain the documents for a minimum of 45 days.</p> <p>...</p> <p>h. the show entry surcharge fee of \$2.00 per catalog entry (including HHP). Shows held in the International Division (excluding China but not the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau), Canada, and Hawaii will include a show entry surcharge fee of \$1.00 per catalog entry (including HHP), shows held in China but not the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau will include a show entry surcharge fee of \$ 3.25 per catalog entry (including HHP). Entry Surcharge payments not received by Central Office within 30 days after receipt of the show package are subject to an additional fine as specified in the CFA's current price list.</p> <p>...</p>	<p>EXPRESS MAIL Next Day Service (Not Priority Mail, which is not an overnight service), UPS OVERNIGHT, FEDERAL EXPRESS or an equivalent overnight service, on the first (1st) business day after the close of the show. This must arrive at the delivering service prior to the time such service requires for delivery to arrive at CFA Central Office the next day (the second [2nd] business day after the close of the show). Central Office may impose upon the club a fine, as listed in the CFA's current price list, for the untimely receipt of show packages. If mailing is the option selected by a club, it is the club's responsibility to make and keep a copy of all documents prior to mailing to ensure copies are available if the show package is lost in the mail. Club's will need to retain the documents for a minimum of 45 days.</p> <p>...</p> <p>h. the show entry surcharge fee of \$2.00 per catalog entry (including HHP <u>and Agility</u>). Shows held in the International Division (excluding China but not the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau), Canada, and Hawaii will include a show entry surcharge fee of \$1.00 per catalog entry (including HHP <u>and Agility</u>), shows held in China but not the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau will include a show entry surcharge fee of \$ 3.25 per catalog entry (including HHP <u>and Agility</u>). Entry Surcharge payments not received by Central Office within 30 days after receipt of the show package are subject to an additional fine as specified in the CFA's current price list.</p> <p>...</p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

70. *Amend Show Rule 13.09.h. to clarify that a show will not be scored until all fees are paid.*

<p>Article XIII – Show Completion/Cat Removal/Late Fee Collection -- Amend 13.09.h.</p>	<p>Central Office/Scoring</p>	
<p>Existing Wording</p>		<p>Proposed Wording</p>
<p>13.09</p> <p>...</p> <p>h. the show entry surcharge fee of \$2.00 per catalog</p>		<p>13.09</p> <p>...</p> <p>h. the show entry surcharge fee of \$2.00 per catalog</p>

entry (including HHP). Shows held in the International Division (excluding China but not the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau), Canada, and Hawaii will include a show entry surcharge fee of \$1.00 per catalog entry (including HHP), shows held in China but not the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau will include a show entry surcharge fee of \$ 3.25 per catalog entry (including HHP). Entry Surcharge payments not received by Central Office within 30 days after receipt of the show package are subject to an additional fine as specified in the CFA's current price list. ...	entry (including HHP). Shows held in the International Division (excluding China but not the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau), Canada, and Hawaii will include a show entry surcharge fee of \$1.00 per catalog entry (including HHP), shows held in China but not the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau will include a show entry surcharge fee of \$ 3.25 per catalog entry (including HHP). Entry Surcharge payments not received by Central Office within 30 days after receipt of the show package are subject to an additional fine as specified in the CFA's current price list. <u>Shows will not be scored until all fees (surcharge, addendum, TRN, etc.) have been paid.</u> ...
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

71. *Amend Show Rule 13.11 to provide that the rescinding of point for failure to pay also applies to Agility entries.*

Article XIII: Show Completion/Cat Removal/Late Fee Collection -- Amend 13.11	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>13.11 If the club sponsoring a show finds, after the opening of a show, that an exhibitor's check for fees is not collectible, or the fee for a faxed, online or emailed entry is not paid, the following actions shall be taken:</p> <p>...</p> <p>d. All cats entered by the exhibitor, whether owned by the exhibitor or some other person(s) are affected by this rule. The official count and the wins earned by other cats in the show will not be affected by the above actions.</p>	<p>13.11 If the club sponsoring a show finds, after the opening of a show, that an exhibitor's check for fees is not collectible, or the fee for a faxed, online or emailed entry is not paid, the following actions shall be taken:</p> <p>...</p> <p>d. All cats entered by the exhibitor, whether owned by the exhibitor or some other person(s) are affected by this rule, <u>including Agility entries.</u> The official count and the wins earned by other cats in the show will not be affected by the above actions.</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

72. *Amend Show Rule 16.05 to eliminate the CRM evaluation sheet.*

Article XVI: Responsibilities of Show Management/Show Producing Organization	Agility Committee
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-- Amend 16.05	
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
16.05 When offered, it is the club's responsibility to: a. Provide a setting for feline agility. b. Provide a certified ringmaster (CRM). c. Provide a steward for the ring. d. Provide a table, paper towels and disinfectant. e. Provide lunch for the certified ringmaster. f. To complete the CRM evaluation sheet and send it to the designated person.	16.05 When offered, it is the club's responsibility to: a. Provide a setting for feline agility. b. Provide a certified ringmaster (CRM). c. Provide a steward for the ring. d. Provide a table, paper towels and disinfectant. e. Provide lunch for the certified ringmaster. f. To complete the CRM evaluation sheet and send it to the designated person.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

73. *Amend Show Rule 16.06 to include the Certified Ringmaster in the list of persons to be notified if a show is cancelled.*

Article XVI: Responsibilities of Show Management/Show Producing Organization -- Amend 16.06	Agility Committee; Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
16.06 In the event a show is cancelled after licensing or after contracts have been signed for judges, the show management must immediately notify all judges under contract, the Regional Director and the Central Office. In the case of a show cancelled in the International Division, the club must also immediately notify the appropriate International Division Chair.	16.06 In the event a show is cancelled after licensing or after contracts have been signed for judges, the show management must immediately notify all judges under contract, <u>all clerks and master clerks under contract, the Certified Ringmaster if Agility was to be offered,</u> the Regional Director and the Central Office. In the case of a show cancelled in the International Division, the club must also immediately notify the appropriate International Division Chair.

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

74. *Amend Show Rule 21.02 to permit a judge to enter the Agility competition.*

Article XXI: Responsibilities of Judges -- Amend 21.02a	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
21.02 a. Except as provided in 21.02 c., a judge	21.02 a. Except as provided in 21.02 c., a judge may

may not make an entry at a show at which he officiates, but he may enter for exhibition only, provided that this limitation shall not apply to entries by a judge who judges Household Pets or Veterans only. ...	not make an entry at a show at which he officiates, but he may enter for exhibition only <u>and/or in Agility competition</u> , provided that this limitation shall not apply to entries by a judge who judges Household Pets or Veterans only. <u>A judge entering a cat in Agility competition may not leave his ring to compete in Agility until his judging assignment has been completed and he has been checked out by the Master Clerk.</u> ...
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

75. *Amend Show Rule 21.02.d. to clarify that an Approved Single Specialty judge who judges on the first day of a two day show or first of two shows held on the same weekend at the same location can train color classes on the second day of the show or at the second show held on the same weekend at the same location.*

Article XXI: Responsibilities of Judges – Amend 21.02.d.	Judging Program Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
... d. An Approved Single Specialty judge may judge one day of a two day show and work color classes on the other day. In such case the catalog for the judge will be retained by the master clerk until the close of the show. d. An Approved Single Specialty judge may judge one <u>on the first day</u> of a two day <u>or back to back</u> show and work <u>train</u> color classes on the other <u>second day</u> . <u>Similarly, a single specialty judge who officiates at the first of two shows held on the same weekend at the same location may train color classes at the second show held on that weekend at that location.</u> In such case <u>cases</u> the catalog for the judge will be retained by the master clerk until the close of the <u>two day/back to back show or second show</u> .

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

76. *Add Show Rule 21.02.f. to require that color class training be scheduled on the first day of a show whenever possible.*

Article XXI: Responsibilities of Judges – Add 21.02.f.	John Colilla, Janet Moyer
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording

...	21.02 ... <u>f. Whenever possible, Color Class training for Trainee judges should be scheduled on the first day of a two-day show or at the first of two shows held at the same location on the same weekend.</u>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

77. *Amend Show Rule 24.01 to update the responsibilities of the Certified Ringmaster.*

Article XXIV: Responsibilities of Certified Ringmaster – Amend 24.01	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>24.01 a. The certified ringmaster (CRM) is in charge of officiating at the ring and is responsible for the placement of the obstacles.</p> <p>b. The CRM officiating shall have an agent showing for him/her if he/she wishes to enter the judging competition. If there is more than one CRM officiating, one of them may leave the ring to show in another class.</p> <p>c. The CRM officiating is allowed to compete with his/her cat for exhibition or scores in agility (for Regional/Divisional/National) but must not compete for prizes in agility for the show in which he/she is officiating.</p> <p>d. No food or treats are permitted in the agility ring at any time.</p> <p>e. During the timed run, the handler must not touch the cat.</p> <p>f. The CRM shall provide blank CFA Feline Agility Competitor claim forms and sign the completed form certifying that the named feline is qualified for the Agility Competitor (AC) title. In addition, the claim form may also be printed in the show catalog.</p> <p>g. The CRM must complete the Agility Ringmaster's Score sheet and deliver it to the master clerk for inclusion in the show package. The Ringmaster should retain a second copy (photo) of the scoresheet and deliver to the Show Manager any fees collected.</p> <p>h. The CRM must give the club an evaluation sheet</p>	<p>24.01 a. The certified ringmaster (CRM) is in charge of officiating at the ring and is responsible for the placement of the obstacles.</p> <p><u>1. The obstacles, which must meet the specifications set forth in rule 9.13, shall be placed approximately 3 ft (36 inches) between active surfaces / plane of each obstacle and set around the perimeter of the enclosure edge.</u></p> <p><u>2. Obstacles shall be secured to the non-slip floor using tape, adhesive strips, or other suitable and safe fasteners to prevent movement during competition. Securing is not required for obstacles that are too heavy to be moved, provided they remain stable during competition.</u></p> <p><u>3. The obstacles must be set counterclockwise as follows:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Stairs</u> • <u>One Bar Hurdle</u> • <u>Two Bar Hurdle</u> • <u>Tunnel</u> • <u>Hoop</u> • <u>Weave Poles</u> • <u>Three Bar Hurdle</u> • <u>Four Bar Hurdle</u> • <u>Tunnel</u>

<p>for them to send to the designated person.</p> <p>i. Each CRM will complete and pass a test every year to maintain certification. The test will be administered by the CFA coordinator for ringmasters and training.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Hoop</u> <p>b. The CRM officiating shall <u>should</u> have an agent showing for him/her if he/she wishes to enter the judging competition. If there is more than one CRM officiating, one of them may leave the ring to show in another class.</p> <p>c. The CRM officiating is allowed to compete with his/her cat for exhibition or scores in agility (for Regional/Divisional/National) <u>up to a maximum of 3 cats per show</u> but must not compete for prizes in agility for the show in which he/she is officiating.</p> <p>d. <u>Timing for each run for each individual cat is to be conducted from outside the Agility ring utilizing a stop watch which records to at least 1/100 of a second.</u></p> <p>e. <u>The CRM is responsible for the timing of the runs, with the stop watch starting when the cat's paw touches the steps and stopping when the cat's paw touches the floor on the other side of the final obstacle. Times are recorded to 1/100 of a second on the scoring sheet. For scoring, the time is rounded up from .50 and down from .49 and the time in seconds is subtracted from 420 for the score. The CRM may delegate the timing to their ring steward or another person under their supervision. A CRM may not time a cat that they own.</u></p> <p><u>f. Only one cat is permitted in the Agility ring at a time for a scored run.</u></p> <p>g. <u>The CRM will allow the competitor to enter the agility ring a maximum of 3 times for approximately 4 ½ minutes. The fastest time completing the course is counted for that show.</u></p> <p>dh. No food or treats are permitted in the agility ring at any time.</p> <p>ej. During the timed run, the handler must not touch the cat; <u>incidental contact initiated by the cat is permitted. If the handler initiates the contact, the run is not scored.</u></p> <p>f. The CRM shall provide blank CFA Feline Agility Competitor claim forms and sign the completed form certifying that the named feline is qualified for the Agility Competitor (AC) title. In addition, the claim form may also be printed in the show catalog.</p> <p>gj. The CRM must complete the Agility Ringmaster's Score sheet and deliver it to the master clerk for inclusion in the show package. The</p>
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	<p>Ringmaster should retain a second copy (photo) of the scoresheet and deliver to the Show Manager any fees collected.</p> <p>h. The CRM must give the club an evaluation sheet for them to send to the designated person.</p> <p>ik. Each CRM will complete and pass a test every year to maintain certification. The test will be administered by the CFA coordinator for ringmasters and training. CRMs that have not completed one ringmaster assignment in three years must review the CFA Feline Agility Certified Ringmaster Training and pass a test to maintain certification. The test will be administered by the CFA Agility Chair. A CRM may be required to complete retraining if errors or issues are identified.</p> <p><u>l. The CRM is responsible for ensuring the ring is deep cleaned between shows and spot cleaned as necessary at the shows.</u></p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

78. *Amend Show Rule 24.02 to update the show rule numbers applicable to the Certified Ringmaster.*

Article XXIV: Responsibilities of Certified Ringmaster – Amend 24.02	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
24.02 In addition to the above, additional responsibilities of the Certified Ringmaster can be found in the following show rules: 1.01, 1.03, 9.12-13, and 35.09	24.02 In addition to the above, additional responsibilities of the Certified Ringmaster can be found in the following show rules: 1.01, 1.03, <u>1.04, 2.08, 2.22, 5.01, 6.12, 9.12-13, 12.19, 16.04, 26.01-26.04</u> and 35.09

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

79. *Amend Show Rule 26.03 to allow handlers to run barefoot.*

Article XXVI: Agility – Obtaining Titles & Scoring – Amend 26.03	Agility Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
26.03 Agility handlers are required to wear low heeled shoes.	26.03 Agility handlers are required to wear low heeled shoes. <u>Running barefoot is acceptable.</u>

a. It is the responsibility of the handler to be sure that he/she and the cat are physically able to run the course.	a. It is the responsibility of the handler to be sure that he/she and the cat are physically able to run the course.
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Motion Carried. DelaBar, Jensen, Nasin and Calhoun voting no.

80. *Amend Show Rule 28.01 to remove the voiding of points as a penalty for claiming titles.*

Article XXVIII Obtaining Titles – Grands Amend 28.01	Central Office/Scoring
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

81. *Amend Show Rules 28.02.a. and Article XXXVI to make the 70% rules applicable everywhere.*

Article XXVI: Obtaining Titles – Grands – Amend 28.02.a.	International Division Committee	
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Motion Failed.

82. *Amend Show Rules 28.02.a. and Article XXXVI to require a cat to be shown in 70% of rings at a one-day show or 50% of rings at a two-day show in order to be included in the count at an International Division show.*

Article XXVI: Obtaining Titles – Grands – Amend 28.02.a.	International Division Committee		
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One-Day Show -- 70% Requirement

Number of Rings held at show	Rings present for cat to be in count
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Two-Day Show -- 50% Requirement

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<u>1 Ring held</u>	<u>1 Ring</u>
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Motion Failed.

83. *Amend Show Rules 28.02.a. and Article XXXVI to exempt shows in the Africa and Western Asia (AWA) geographic area from the requirement that a cat to be shown in at least 70% of rings in order to be included in the count at an International Division show.*

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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

84. *Amend Show Rule 28.03c to eliminate the awarding of “ghost points.” (To be withdrawn if the request for funding for the underlying programming change contained in the Central Office report is not approved.)*

Article XXVIII: Obtaining Titles – Grands -- Amend 28.03c.	Central Office/Scoring	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
28.03 ... c. Opens, Champions and Premiers which receive the award 2nd Best of Breed/Division in each of the Breeds/Divisions currently recognized for Championship/Premiership competition (see rule 30.01) will receive 90% of the points of Best of Breed/Division within the Breed/Division in accordance with the method for calculating cats present described in Article XXXVI Show Points Official Count. ...		28.03 ... c. Opens, Champions and Premiers which receive the award 2nd Best of Breed/Division in each of the Breeds/Divisions currently recognized for Championship/Premiership competition (see rule 30.01) will receive 90% of the points of Best of Breed/Division within the Breed/Division in accordance with the method for calculating cats present described in Article XXXVI Show Points Official Count. <u>When 90% is less than 1 point it will be rounded down to zero.</u> ...

Tabled.

85. *Amend Show Rule 35.01 to add incorrect date of birth to the list of reasons why a win may be voided.*

Article XXXV : Rules Violations/Disqualifications -- Amend 35.01	Central Office/Scoring	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
35.01 A Cat or kitten shown in the wrong class or under incorrect name, ownership, or registration number may be disqualified		35.01 A Cat or kitten shown in the wrong class or under incorrect name, <u>date of birth</u> , ownership, or registration number may be disqualified by the Central Office and any wins voided.

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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

86. *Amend Show Rule 35.09 to require that a protest related to an occurrence at a show must be filed within six (6) months of the occurrence.*

Article XXV: Rules Violations/Disqualifications – Amend 35.09	Show Rules Committee
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>35.09 A protest asserting an alleged violation of these rules by any show official, judge, exhibitor or member club may be made by an exhibitor, an officiating judge or by a member of a member club and may first be made to the show committee in writing at the show or within thirty (30) days following the show. The show committee shall endeavor to gather all pertinent facts concerning the alleged violation(s) and in the event the show committee deems the protest to be supported by substantial evidence, the written protest and all relevant matter gathered by the show committee shall be forwarded to the CFA Executive Board. However, the person(s) asserting the alleged violation may opt to bring the facts directly to the CFA Protest Committee.</p> <p>...</p>	<p>35.09 A protest asserting an alleged violation of these rules by any show official, judge, exhibitor or member club may be made by an exhibitor, an officiating judge or by a member of a member club and may first be made to the show committee in writing at the show or within thirty (30) days following the show. The show committee shall endeavor to gather all pertinent facts concerning the alleged violation(s) and in the event the show committee deems the protest to be supported by substantial evidence, the written protest and all relevant matter gathered by the show committee shall be forwarded to the CFA Executive Board. However, the person(s) asserting the alleged violation may opt to bring the facts directly to the CFA Protest Committee. <u>Any protest related to an occurrence at a show must be filed within six (6) months of the occurrence.</u></p> <p>...</p>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

87. *Amend Show Rules Article XXXVI Awards – National Awards to add clarifying language regarding points earned at shows in China.*

Article XXXVI: National/Regional/Divisional/Awards Program -- Amend: Awards – National Awards	Awards Committee/Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>National Awards</p> <p>...</p> <p>Ownership for a cat earning points within more than one competitive category (i.e., kitten, championship, premiership or household pet) will</p>	<p>National Awards</p> <p>...</p> <p>Ownership for a cat earning points within more than one competitive category (i.e., kitten, championship, premiership or household pet) will</p>

<p>be determined separately for each category based on the owner(s) of record for the last show in which a cat earns points within the competitive category, or the end of the show season, whichever occurs first. The national/regional/divisional area assignment is set as of the first full weekend in January or the first show at which a cat is present in a new competitive category if that is after the first full weekend in January. Area assignments are determined separate from the award ownership determination.</p> <p>A cat/kitten is credited for all national points earned under the scoring provisions regardless of any transfers of ownership.</p>	<p>be determined separately for each category based on the owner(s) of record for the last show in which a cat earns points within the competitive category, or the end of the show season, whichever occurs first. The national/regional/divisional area assignment is set as of the first full weekend in January or the first show at which a cat is present in a new competitive category if that is after the first full weekend in January. Area assignments are determined separate from the award ownership determination.</p> <p><u>Points earned at any licensed CFA show outside of the China DW award geographical area may be used toward the receipt of any National award. Only cats residing in the China DW award geographical area may use points earned in the China DW award geographical area toward any National award.</u></p> <p>A cat/kitten is credited for all national points earned under the scoring provisions regardless of any transfers of ownership.</p>
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

88. *Amend Show Rules Article XXXVI Awards – International Division Awards to move the list of International Division geographical areas to Appendix B.*

<p>Article XXXVI: National/Regional/Divisional/Awards Program -- Amend: International Division Awards and add Appendix B</p>	<p>Central Office/Awards Committee</p>
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
<p>International Division Awards</p> <p><i>International Division Definition:</i> for the purposes of season end awards, the International Division is divided into the following geographical areas based on quarantine requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hong Kong • Indonesia • South Korea • Israel • Malaysia/Brunei • Philippines • Singapore • South or Central America, including the Caribbean nations; • Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Thailand • Taiwan 	<p>International Division Awards</p> <p><i>International Division Definition:</i> for the purposes of season end awards, the International Division is divided into the following geographical areas based on quarantine requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hong Kong • Indonesia • South Korea • Israel • Malaysia/Brunei • Philippines • Singapore • South or Central America, including the Caribbean nations; • Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Thailand • Taiwan

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vietnam • Africa and western Asia (including the middle east (minus Israel), Turkey, Iran, India, Maldives, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Uzbeki stan, Turkmenistan, etc.) <p>Three areas in China defined as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • East China - (the provinces/cities of Fujian, Jiangsu, Jiangxi, Zhejiang, Anhui, Shandong, and Shanghai) • North China - (the provinces/cities of Inner Mongolia, Hebei, Shanxi, Tianjin, Beijing, Liaoning, Jilin, and Heilongjiang) • West China - (all of China not already covered by the provinces/cities listed for either East China or North China). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vietnam • Africa and western Asia (including the middle east (minus Israel), Turkey, Iran, India, Maldives, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Uzbeki stan, Turkmenistan, etc.) <p>Three areas in China defined as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • East China — (the provinces/cities of Fujian, Jiangsu, Jiangxi, Zhejiang, Anhui, Shandong, and Shanghai) • North China — (the provinces/cities of Inner Mongolia, Hebei, Shanxi, Tianjin, Beijing, Liaoning, Jilin, and Heilongjiang) • West China — (all of China not already covered by the provinces/cities listed for either East China or North China). <p><u>See Appendix B – International Division geographical areas</u></p>
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Appendix B
International Division geographical areas

<u>ID Area</u>	<u>Countries included in the area</u>
<u>Africa/Asia West</u>	<u>Algeria, Afghanistan, Africa, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Egypt, India, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Libya, Maldives, Nepal, Oman, Pakistan, Palestine, Qatar, Reunion, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, United Arab, Emirates, and Uzbekistan</u>
<u>China - East</u>	<u>The provinces/cities of Fujian, Jiangsu, Jiangxi, Zhejiang, Anhui, Shandong, and Shanghai</u>
<u>China - North</u>	<u>The provinces/cities of Inner Mongolia, Hebei, Shanxi, Tianjin, Beijing, Liaoning, Jilin, and Heilongjiang</u>
<u>China - West</u>	<u>All of China not already covered by the provinces/cities listed for either East China or North China</u>
<u>Hong Kong</u>	<u>Hong Kong and Macao</u>
<u>Indonesia</u>	<u>Indonesia</u>
<u>Israel</u>	<u>Israel</u>
<u>Malaysia</u>	<u>Malaysia and Brunei</u>

<u>Oceania (not scored)</u>	<u>Australia, Guam, New Zealand, and Northern Mariana Islands</u>
<u>Philippines</u>	<u>Philippines</u>
<u>Singapore</u>	<u>Singapore</u>
<u>South/Central America</u>	<u>Anguilla, Argentina, Bahamas, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guadeloupe, Guatemala, Martinique, Antilles, Panama, Peru, Uruguay, and Venezuela</u>
<u>South Korea</u>	<u>South Korea</u>
<u>Taiwan</u>	<u>Taiwan</u>
<u>Thailand</u>	<u>Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Thailand, and Vietnam</u>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

89. *Amend Show Rules Article XXXVI Awards – Hawaii Awards to add Best Household Pet.*

Article XXXVI: National/Regional/Divisional/Awards Program -- Amend: Awards – Hawaii Division Awards	Awards Committee/Central Office	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
Hawaii Division Awards Best Cat Best Kitten Best Cat in Premiership		Hawaii Division Awards Best Cat Best Kitten Best Cat in Premiership <u>Best Household Pet</u>

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

90. *Amend Show Rules Article XXXVI National/Regional/Divisional Assignment #4 to remove the reference to the World Show.*

Article XXXVI: National/Regional/Divisional/Awards Program -- Amend National/Regional/Divisional Assignment #4	Central Office	
Existing Wording		Proposed Wording
4. To be eligible for a regional award, including a regional breed award, a cat/kitten/household pet must be shown at least once in the competitive		4. To be eligible for a regional award, including a regional breed award, a cat/kitten/household pet must be shown at least once in the competitive

category in the region of final assignment. To be eligible for a national award, including a national breed award, a cat/kitten/household pet must be shown at least once in the competitive category in the national area of final assignment. Exhibiting at the CFA World Show or CFA International Cat Show does not satisfy this requirement (see 4.1)	category in the region of final assignment. To be eligible for a national award, including a national breed award, a cat/kitten/household pet must be shown at least once in the competitive category in the national area of final assignment. Exhibiting at the CFA World Show or CFA International Cat Show does not satisfy this requirement (see 4.1)
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The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

91. *Amend Show Rules Article XXXVI National/Regional/Divisional Assignment #5 to add the word “divisional.”*

Article XXXVI: National/Regional/Divisional/Awards Program -- Amend: National/Regional/Divisional Assignment #5	Central Office
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
5. No change to the regional assignment of a cat/kitten/household pet will be permitted after the first full show weekend in January (see #6, 7 & 8).	5. No change to the regional/ <u>divisional</u> assignment of a cat/kitten/household pet will be permitted after the first full show weekend in January (see #6, 7 & 8).

The motion was **ratified by unanimous consent**.

D. Changes to the Show Rules Addendum for the 2025-2026 Show Season (effective January 1, 2026)

92. *Effective, January 1, 2026 amend Show Rule 28.04 as it appears in the Addendum for the 2025-2026 Show Season to increase the number of points required to earn the Grand Champion title in Ukraine to 150.*

Article XXVIII: Obtaining Titles - Grands – Amend 2025-2026 Addendum to 28.04	Carissa Altschul
Existing Wording	Proposed Wording
28.04 For the 2025-2026 show season, the requirements to obtain the grand title in the International Division outside of China are modified to require 75 points for the Grand Champion title and 25 points for the Grand Premier title, in Ukraine to require 100 points for the Grand Champion title and 25 points for the Grand Premier title, in Russia west of the Ural Mountains to require 100 points for the Grand Champion title and	28.04 For the 2025-2026 show season, the requirements to obtain the grand title in the International Division outside of China are modified to require 75 points for the Grand Champion title and 25 points for the Grand Premier title, in Ukraine to require 100 <u>150</u> points for the Grand Champion title and 25 points for the Grand Premier title, in Russia west of the Ural Mountains to require 100 points for the Grand Champion title

50 points for the Grand Premier title, and in China to require 175 points for the Grand Champion title and 50 points for the Grand Premier title, as noted in the following table.

Country/Area	GC Pts Rqd	GP Pts Rqd
Regions 1-9 except as noted	200	75
Maritime Provinces of Canada, United Kingdom, Ireland, Malta, Hawaii, Mexico, Russia east of the Ural Mountains, International Division (except China)	75	25
Ukraine	100	25
Russia, West of the Ural Mountains	100	50
China	175	50

and 50 points for the Grand Premier title, and in China to require 175 points for the Grand Champion title and 50 points for the Grand Premier title, as noted in the following table.

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China	175	50

Withdrawn.

(19) TREASURER'S REPORT.

Treasurer Ms. Calhoun had no action items.

(20) SHOWHALL TECHNOLOGY.

Chair Ms. Dunham had no action items.

(21) AWARDS COMMITTEE.

Mrs. Moyer moved to approve for the 2026 national awards, best cat to receive an 8.5" award, 2nd -25th receive a 7.5" award with top 25 winners receiving rosettes. Seconded by **Ms. Anger**, **Tabled.**

Unfinished Business and General Orders

(22) OLD BUSINESS.

(a) Multi-Part Forms.

Mr. Huhtaniemi moved for permission for clubs to use the old multi-part forms as long as they have stock available. Seconded by **Mr. Currle**, the motion was **ratified by unanimous consent.**

(b) Traditional Dates.

Tabled.

(23) NEW BUSINESS.

None.

(24) UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

None.

(25) DISCIPLINARY HEARINGS AND SUSPENSIONS.

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 case was heard, a tentative decision was rendered, timely notice was given to the parties, and no appeal and/or appeal fee was filed. Therefore, final disposition is as follows:

25-031 CFA v. Tan Xiong Ming Hui / Hou Wei

Violation of CFA Show Rules (2024-25) 6.18, 10.23 (a), (b), (c)

Violation of CFA Bylaws Article XV, Section 4(b), Forgery of a CFA Registration certificate

Guilty. The board has imposed the following disciplinary action: a three (3) year suspension (effective October 6, 2025) of all CFA services and a \$3,000.00 fine to be paid within 30 days of the effective date. If the fine is not paid prior to the end of the suspension period, the suspension will continue until the fine is paid in full. [vote sealed]

25-032 CFA v. Sun Meng Yuan

Violation of CFA Bylaws Article XV, Section 4b & 4g.

Guilty. The board has imposed the following disciplinary action: letter of reprimand. [vote sealed]

Board-Cited Hearing: The Board may consider any protest filed by any member of a member club or in any other manner brought to the attention of the Executive Board. The Board may delegate authority to one or more persons to review, investigate, and determine if probable cause exists for the filing of a formal protest. This case was heard on direct cite by the CFA Executive Board. Timely notice was given to the party, and the matter was heard in open session, at the request of the respondent.

None.

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:

25-016 CFA v. Danting Meng

Violation of CFA Show Rules 2.23(a), 6.04(a), 6.19, 10.12, 10.23(c)

Guilty. The board has imposed the following disciplinary action: a 90 day suspension (effective October 6, 2025) of all CFA services and a \$300.00 fine; the fine to be paid within 30 days. If the fine is not paid prior to the end of the suspension period, the suspension will continue until the fine is paid in full. In addition, CFA shall void any wins, points, titles, or awards earned by GEEBAINII MR'S ZOE or GEEBAINII MR'S BROTT at any shows in which either was entered using a date of birth other than 08/29/2024. [vote sealed]

25-017 CFA v. Zhen Hao Gao / Yueqing Xing

Violation of CFA Show Rules 7.11, 10.23(a)(c)

Guilty. *The board has imposed the following disciplinary action: a 90 day suspension (effective October 6, 2025) of all CFA services and a \$300.00 fine; the fine to be paid within 30 days. If the fine is not paid prior to the end of the suspension period, the suspension will continue until the fine is paid in full. In addition, CFA shall void any wins, points, titles, or awards earned by FOREVERSTAR'S TUAN TUAN and FOREVERSTAR'S DIAN DIAN at any shows in which either was entered using a date of birth other than 06/25/2024. [vote sealed]*

25-028 CFA v. Linda Lee

Violation of CFA Bylaws Article XV Section 4 (b & e)

Guilty. *The board has imposed the following disciplinary action: that the transfer of CJPWS BUTTERSCOTCH, 1751-03063120, to Barbara Wasinger be voided and ownership reverted to Linda Lee and Cynthia Lemery as co-owners. [vote sealed]*

25-018 CFA v. Susan Nebgen

Violation of CFA Show Rules (2024-25) 6.34

Guilty. *The board has imposed the following disciplinary action: a six (6) month suspension (effective October 6, 2025) of all CFA services and a \$500.00 fine; the fine to be paid within 30 days. If the fine is not paid prior to the end of the suspension period, the suspension will continue until the fine is paid in full. [vote sealed]*

Related Board Actions: Upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the following Related Board Actions were unanimously approved [vote sealed]:

(1) Matter 25-035. *CFA shall void the registration of litters F4274422 and F4244524. In addition, the registration of all cats and kittens registered from these litters, or any descendants of those cats, shall be re-registered as not for breeding, and flagged as not for showing.*

(2) Matter 25-036. *CFA shall void the registration of litter F4204504. In addition, the registration of all cats and kittens registered from this litter, or any descendants of those cats, shall be re-registered as not for breeding, and flagged as not for showing.*

(3) Matter 25-038. *CFA shall void the registration of litters F4203723, F4191457, F4197216, F4195868, F4193517, and F4203907. In addition, the registration of all cats and kittens registered from these litters, or any descendants of those cats, shall be re-registered as not for breeding, and flagged as not for showing.*

(4) Matter 25-039. *CFA shall void the registration of litters F4220809, F4206489, F4211313, F4206916, F4213689, and F4214799. In addition, the registration of all cats and kittens registered from these litters, or any descendants of those cats, shall be re-registered as not for breeding, and flagged as not for showing.*

(5) Matter 25-041. *CFA shall void the registration of litter F4204137. In addition, the registration of all cats and kittens registered from these litters, or any descendants of those cats, shall be re-registered as not for breeding, and flagged as not for showing.*

*Respectfully submitted,
Rachel Anger, Secretary
The Cat Fanciers' Association, Inc.*