

# OFFICAL RULEBOOK OF THE PAINT HORSE ASSOCIATION OF NEW ZEALAND

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#### FOREWORD

The Paint Horse Association of New Zealand was formed in 1995 to collect record and preserve the pedigrees of Paint Horses. Now, more than ten years on, we have experienced enormous growth in members and the Paint Horse Breed. The Paint Horse has become an extremely popular equine breed, bringing colour and versatility to a wide range of horse activities. The Association also serves as an information centre for its members and the general public on matters pertaining to shows, contests and projects designed to improve the breed and aid the industry.

Halter shows and performance contests give breeder and exhibitors opportunities to compete for awards.

These public events also demonstrate progress in breeding for type, quality and the ability to perform.

The rules as set out by the New Zealand Western Riding Federation will be used at all registered shows.

The following rules and regulations shall become effective 18<sup>th</sup> November 2005.

Members, exhibitors and show management are responsible for knowledge of all rules and regulation. Owners of this rule book will receive copies of all new rules and amendments annually. It is the responsibility of the owner to maintain and update their rule book as any changes are received. This rule book supersedes all previous rule booklets

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#### **GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

#### **1. COMMITTEES AND PORTFOLIOS**

All committees/portfolios shall consist of not less than three members. In making appointments to the committee/portfolio the Committee shall appoint members of the committee for one (1) year. Any vacancy in the committee, other than by expiration of term, shall be filled by the Committee with the exception of President, if becomes vacant then is filled by the Vice President for the remaining of the term. The Chairperson of each Committee/Portfolio shall be appointed annually by the Committee as soon as possible after the election of the Committee and shall be published in the official Paint Horse Association of New Zealand Newsletter after the annual general meeting.

The possible committees and/or portfolios, that need not all be operational at one time at present are:

Amateur Owner Awards **Breed Improvement** Budaet Constitution Fund Raising **Gelding Promotion** Genetics NZWRF Inspections Judaes National Show Non-Traditional P.H.A.N.Z Newsletter Promotion and Publicity Queen Contest Racing **Regional Clubs Registration Rules and Regulations** Show and Performance Show Points Sponsorship Youth

Special committees/portfolios may be appointed by the Committee from time to time to attend to special business. These committees/portfolios serve for the duration of the special problem or until replaced or until the committee is disbanded.

Where no committee or portfolio has been appointed, or not in existence at a particular time, then the Committee may act as the necessary committee or portfolio and perform the same functions thereof.

## 2. PROPOSED RULE CHANGES

A proposed rule change must be discussed at an AGM. All proposed rule changes must be published in the P.H.A.N.Z Newsletter prior to the AGM.

When a change in the rulebook is proposed, it may be directed to the Chairman of the respective Committee/Portfolio.

If the proposed rule change is approved, by the membership by way of vote, it will then be placed in the Official Rule Book.

If the current or proposed rule fails to obtain approval, it can still be considered for a future Rulebook provided it is sent back to the following AGM and that the above procedure is again followed. If a proposed rule change is to be considered to be of extreme importance that it must be acted on immediately, such proposed change must be presented to the Membership at a Special General Meeting of the Association. All accepted rule changes will be deemed to be effective immediately.

#### 3. MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Association is a privilege not a right, application for which shall be made on forms and by fees and procedures prescribed from time to time by the Association. Membership or application therefore may be terminated or rejected by the Committee for cause detrimental to the interest of the Association, policies, objectives and harmonious relationship of its members, as determined by the Committee. Termination or application rejection under this paragraph shall be conducted in accordance with the Articles of Association.

#### ABOUT MEMBERSHIP

The Paint Horse Association of New Zealand is the National Breed Association and registry for Paints in New Zealand. The

Association handles registration of horses, transfers of ownership.

Annual membership is due 1st June of each year. New memberships received from 1st May will include membership for the following year. See schedule of fees.

Anyone suspended from membership or subject to any disciplinary action by the Paint Horse Association of New Zealand will be automatically removed from the list of approved judges, and in order to be returned to this list, after reinstatement to full membership privileges, must apply for approval under the current procedure for new applicants for admission on to the approved judges list. Membership number is to be stated on all papers and forms.

- (a) The name of a female member may be changed in the membership records of the Association to reflect her current marital status.
- (b) Any member whose membership becomes delinquent can be reinstated by paying the current year's dues.
- (c) All members, while in good standing, shall have equal rights, interests and responsibilities with respect to the Association and its property; shall have the right to vote in all general meetings and to hold office and committee assignments except as otherwise limited.
- (d) No person, after the date he has been denied the privileges of the Association, shall be allowed to register any horse with the Association and no horse shall be registered which

is either sired by a stallion or out of a mare owned by him on the breeding date where the breeding date is shown to be subsequent to the denial of such privileges.

(e) The name of an individual applying for registration of a horse shall be the same as that appearing on the membership card. In the event that the name appearing on the application form differs from the name appearing on the membership card, then an additional membership will be required. The applicant should clearly indicate under what name the membership is to be recorded. If registrations are applied for by an individual, the membership should be applied for in the full name of the individual; if by a partnership, the exact name of the partnership; if by a corporation, in the corporate name and the signature of the authorised agent signing the applications for registration.

Life member: For individual persons being full members who are interested in the promotion of the Paint Horse in New Zealand, and who have been admitted to life membership by the Committee. Life membership does not include the provision for a newsletter.

**Full member:** For individual persons who are owners of Paints or who are interested in the promotion of Paints in New Zealand.

**Constituent members:** Constituent members are entitled to two nominees, details of which must be shown on the application form (2 votes). The nominee/s do all the bookwork, signatures and voting on behalf of the Constituent membership. Only the two nominees may show horses under that membership.

**Family Members:** - to be those members residing in the same household. A maximum of 2 adults and 3 youth will be allowed per family membership and shall be entitled to a maximum of 2 adults voting.

**Junior Youth Membership:** For persons under the age of 14 years as at August 1st. Membership does not include voting privileges in the Association except as pertains to youth organisation matters. **Senior Youth Membership:** Membership is available to youths 14 to 18 years. Membership does not include voting privileges in the Association except as pertains to youth organisation matters.

**Day Membership:** A day membership may only be allowed at either the National Show or PHANZ Closed Shows. They are to be issued for halter handlers only and they are not to be available for any performance events such as showmanship or any ridden classes.

Being a member of a Regional Club does not make one a member of the PHANZ. Membership in regional clubs varies from one club to another, so you would have to check with your regional club for information on regional membership.

#### 4. MEMBERS RESPONSIBILITY:

No person shall refuse a reasonable request to assist the Association, its officers, committees or agents in locating, identifying and inspecting or to answer promptly and truthfully any inquiry concerning a horse or ancestor thereof in his ownership or control which has been registered or listed or for which application to register or list has been made.

(a) Information furnished to the Association or any of its officers as a basis for any action by the Association with respect to any horse must be true and correct.

- (b) All exhibits in PHANZ approved shows and contests will be conducted under the rules and regulations set out in this publication and the New Zealand Western Riding Federation Rule Book, but this Association will in no case be responsible for any loss, damage or injury to horses exhibited or persons present for any article of any kind or nature that may be lost, stolen, destroyed or in any way injured. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage done to or occasioned by or arising from any horse or article owned by him and shall indemnify the Association against all legal or other proceedings, claims or demands of any kind or nature in regard thereto or that may arise from the participation or other actions of such exhibitor or the person in charge of the exhibitor's horse or article.
- (c) The Paint Horse Association of New Zealand will not assume the responsibility of settling civil disputes, concerning financial settlements, ownership, health, fertility or other such problems concerning buying or selling.
- (d) All Association representatives and members shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive, threatening or discriminatory conduct towards them. When an exhibitor is guilty of unsportsmanlike behaviour or conduct which is seen to be discriminatory in any way, the Paint Horse Association of New Zealand may suspend such exhibitor's rights to participate in future approved shows for such a period as judged appropriate under Rule 5 (b). Any Competitor who is exhibiting with an Exemption Card is not required to discuss, and should not be approached to discuss, the basis of their exemption with/by any other competitor.
- (e) The secretary, staff and designated official/committee member shall have sole authority to investigate possible or alleged violations of any by-laws, rule or regulation of the Association.
- (f) In order for a complaint to be considered for investigation, it must be in writing, signed and dated. The individual(s) filing the complaint must be prepared to appear at a hearing if it is deemed necessary at their own expense.

#### 5. VIOLATIONS:

- (a) Any member may be suspended and denied privileges of the Association, and any nonmember may be denied the privileges of the Association by the Secretary of the Association, provided that however, twenty-one (21) days before action by the Secretary, written notice of the account due and the intention to suspend or withhold privileges of the Association shall be delivered to such member or non-member. Any suspension and denial of privileges of the Association under this section shall terminate upon full payment of the obligation due to the Association.
- (b) When any exhibitor or Show Official is guilty of the following: Unsportsmanlike or improper conduct; failure to pay due any obligation owing to the Association; giving worthless cheque for entry fees, stall fees, office charges connected with the exhibition or show official of horses.

Such exhibitor, whether member or non-member, will be subject to disciplinary procedures insofar as practical.

(c) Every member and every non-member:

1) who violates in any manner the Constitution, By-laws or Rules and Regulations of the Association, or

2) whose conduct has endangered or may endanger the good order, welfare or credit of the Association by practices in the breeding of Paint Horses or in supplying information for the Association's records, may be censured, suspended, or, in the case of a member, expelled from membership in the Association including; without limitation of the generality of the foregoing, the privilege of registration or change in ownership of horses registered with the PHANZ on the records of the Association, by the Committee.

(d) Upon refusal to promptly file a completely corrected stallion report after being so requested by the PHANZ, such stallion owner or lessee may be suspended and/or denied all privileges. Privileges may be re-instated upon filing of the required report and payment of the late fee(s).

#### 6. DISCIPLINARY PROCEDURE

Any member may be disciplined, suspended, expelled from the Association, and any member or non-member may be denied any or all privileges of the Association or any false registration certificate may be cancelled by the Committee, whenever it shall have been established by satisfactory evidence by the Committee, that such member or non-member has knowingly and wilfully violated any pertinent rule of the Association.

- (a) After a member has been notified that the Committee will consider taking disciplinary action, such member may require that the Committee give him an opportunity to appear before that Committee and make known his reasons for not being disciplined. The member's demand must be made in writing to the Associations Secretary within twentyone (21) days from the date of the notification of such contemplated disciplinary action.
- (b) Any member making such a request shall have been given not less than twenty-one (21) days notice for an impartial hearing of such accusation by the Committee or by an appropriate committee appointed by the president. At which time he shall have an opportunity, in person or by counsel, to be heard and to present evidence on his own behalf and to hear and receive evidence offered against him.
- (c) If mailed, such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the New Zealand Post mail, addressed to the member or non-member as it appears on the records of the Association, with postage thereon prepaid.
- (d) The decision and action of such Committee shall be final and binding on all parties.
- (e) No person, after the date he has been denied the privileges of the Association, shall be allowed to register any horse in the Association nor transfer registered horses into his name.
- (f) No horse shall be registered which is either sired by a stallion or out of a mare owned by a person denied Association privileges on the breeding date(s), where the breeding date(s) is shown to be subsequent to the denial of such privileges.
- (g) On and after such time as any member has been suspended, expelled or denied further Association privileges, the Association shall not accept the signature of such suspended member on registration applications or breeder's certificates evidencing breeding taking place after date of his suspension or expulsion. However, such signatures on transfer reports and bills of sale will be honoured for purpose of allowing such suspended member to transfer horses he owns at the time of his expulsion or suspension.
- (h) That person shall not participate, and shall be ineligible to participate in any PHANZ approved events, nor shall such person be eligible to hold approved judges credentials or any other Association accreditation.

- (i) Written leases filed with the Registrar, covering horses owned by the suspended member shall be valid, and the signature of the lessee shall be accepted during the time of such lease but for no renewal thereof.
- (j) At the discretion of the Executive Committee, every person who is suspended or otherwise disciplined by any recognised Breed or Performance Horse Association, for unsportsmanlike conduct at a show or contest may be considered as suspended or disciplined by the PHANZ upon official notice to this Association, from the organisation concerned, of such disciplinary action.
- (k) No person on suspension may advertise in official PHANZ Newsletter during the period of his/her suspension.

#### GENERAL NOTICE PROCEDURE

Notice required by these rules and regulations may be served by delivering a copy of the notice to the person to be served, or his attorney, either in person or by mail, postage pre-paid, to his/her last known address, as it appears on the Association records, and upon mailing such notice shall be deemed received by such person when it is deposited in New Zealand Post (mail).

The Association has adopted the following provision for the mutual benefit of members and with the intention of reducing the Association's litigation expenses, which expenses would ultimately be borne by members and non-members participation in Association activities.

Every member, by joining the Association, or non-member, by purchasing Paint Horses, filing registrations application or other documents with the Association, or participating in Association - approved events, does hereby agree.

- (a) If unsuccessful in an attempt to overturn Association decisions, actions, rules or regulations to reimburse the Association for its reasonable attorney's fees, court costs and other expenses in defence of such suit; and
- (b) That he/she will not commence any action, whether in law or equity, against the Association in any courts.

#### 7. LIABILITY

The PHANZ, its officers, members of committees, inspectors, employees, representatives and agents will attempt to obtain true and complete information in connection with registration of Paint Horses, transfer of registration certificates, hearing, and all other matters relating to PHANZ activities. Except for proven intentional wrongdoing, neither the PHANZ nor its officers, members of committees, inspectors, employees, representatives nor agents will be liable in any way, whether in damages or otherwise, for the issuance of any pedigree certificate, for the transfer of any pedigree certificate, for the refusal to issue a pedigree certificate, for the cancellation of any pedigree certificate, for the refusal to transfer any pedigree certificate, for the cancellation of any pedigree certificate, for any disciplinary procedure brought against or penalties imposed on any member or any person or for any other activities engaged in, by, or on behalf of the Paint Horse Association of New Zealand.

#### RELEASE OF LIABILITY

The PHANZ and co-sponsoring organisations, if any, shall not be responsible for any personal injury or loss or damage to property occurring at any PHANZ activity. Each owner, exhibitor, handler or consignor shall indemnify and hold harmless the PHANZ, its officers, committee and employees from and against all claims, demands, causes of actions and expenses of every kind, including legal fees, arising out of or related in any manner to the acts or omissions of an owner, exhibitor, handler or consignor, or the actions of any horse under the care, custody or control of the owner, exhibitor, handler or consignor. Presentation of a signed entry or consignment form shall be deemed acceptance of the conditions of this rule. In the event an entry or consignment form is not signed or presented, appearance on the ground or at the sale ring of any PHANZ activity as an exhibitor, handler, owner or consignor shall be deemed to be acceptance of the

Conditions of this rule.

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- (a) If unsuccessful in an attempt to overturn Association decisions, actions, rules or regulations, to reimburse the Association for its reasonable legal fees, court costs and other expenses in defence of such suit: and
- (b) That he will not commence any action, whether in law or equity, against the Association in any court.

#### 8. DISCIPLINARY ACTION:

The Committee may take action to reprimand, fine, suspend or expel any member or deregister any horse of which the member is the registered owner in the records of the Association if it considers such member to be guilty of fraudulent practices or for any breach of these regulations or whose conduct in any respect as determined by the Committee shall be deemed discriminatory, derogatory or prejudicial to the interests of the Association.

#### 9. REGIONAL CLUBS:

Each regional club is to be affiliated with the PHANZ annually. The purpose of a Regional Club shall be:

- (a) Co-operate with and aid in every way possible the programme and functions of the PHANZ.
- (b) Recognising that the parent organisation, the PHANZ, files, records and issues certificates of registration for horses eligible for registration with the PHANZ, the primary function of the club will be to promote interest in the breed from a region or area standpoint in complete operation with the overall programmes of the PHANZ.

- (c) To gain proper publicity through the mediums of radio, television, newspapers, magazines, etc.
- (d) To gain breed classes for Paint and Paint Bred horses registered with the PHANZ in local, country, district, and regional shows.
- (e) To forward historical data, bloodline records and general information, etcetera, to the Secretary of the PHANZ when requested.
- (f) Promote and stimulate interest in regional Paint Horse Shows, and other related activities, for horses registered with the PHANZ. Affiliation is due 1st July each year.
- (g) Affiliated clubs must run one (1) PHANZ approved show per year and one (1) other function e.g. show, clinic, promotional day etc.
- (h) All regional clubs are to provide an audited copy of their balance sheet and provide a copy of their meeting dates and minutes each year to the PHANZ as part of their affiliation.
- (i) All executive committee members of a regional club are to be financial PHANZ members. All regional clubs must consist of at least ten (10) PHANZ members.
- (j) Affiliated Clubs are required to accept and promote the provisions of the PHANZ Disability Action Plan. Copies of the Disability Action Plan will be given to all affiliated Paint Horse Clubs and Associations.
- (k) Constituent memberships shall be recognised as being two members for the purpose of meeting the requirements of Rule 9 (i) provided that the constituent membership has two separate individual nominees.

#### **10. DISABILITY ACTION PLAN**

The Paint Horse Association of New Zealand has a Disability Action Plan to facilitate and encourage the participation of people with disabilities and carers in all Paint Horse Association of New Zealand activities. The Disability Action Plan is also intended to assist the Paint Horse Association members to understand disability issues.

A free copy of the Disability Action Plan is to be available on request from PHANZ Office. Any staff, paid or otherwise, must be knowledgeable in implementing the Disability Action Plan, and affiliated Paint Horse Clubs and Associations will be required to accept and promote the provisions of the plan.

#### 11. DRUG TESTING

All horses competing in PHANZ approved shows are subject to a 'No Prohibited Substance Rule'. This means that no horse may be administered a prohibited substance before an event that might have any effect on its performance.

The owner/handler/exhibitor must present the horse for collection of blood, saliva and/or urine samples upon request. The owner/handler/exhibitor is held responsible and accountable for this condition of the horse and for compliance with this policy, and shall comply with any request made by the PHANZ in relation to this policy.

For advice on prohibited substances please refer to your Veterinarian or the New Zealand Racing Forensic Laboratory In the event of a positive test to a prohibited substance the PHANZ may take disciplinary action in accordance with the rules.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS OF REGISTRATION SPECIAL NOTICE

Applicants are responsible for all knowledge of all Registration Rules and Regulations. **REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION:** 

Applications for registration will only be accepted from FINANCIAL MEMBERS of the Paint Horse Association of New Zealand. Application and all details thereon shall be completed and signed by the owner. Deceased horses are ineligible for registration.

#### 101. IMPORTED HORSES

- (a) All mares, geldings and stallions eligible for registration and registered with the APHA and/or an overseas Paint Horse Association shall be eligible for registration with PHANZ providing they meet all PHANZ Registration requirements. These horses may be registered upon receipt of:
- 1. Application for registration form;
- 2. Photocopy of overseas Paint Horse Association papers;
- 3. Signed transfer from previous recorded owner;
- 4. Four (4) photographs.
- 5. DNA Markers. (Unless gelded or spayed)
- 6. HYPP results (Refer to Rule 113)
- 7. HERDA Results (Refer to Rule 113)
- 8. PSSM1 genetic test results for horses imported after 1st June, 2013. (Refer Rule 113)
- 9. GBED test results for horses imported after 1st June, 2013. (Refer Rule 113)
- 10. MH test results for horses imported after 1st June, 2013. (Refer Rule 113)
- 11. Current registration fees.
- (b) All mares and stallions must be registered for breeding purposes as per rule 112.

## 102. BLOODLINE REQUIREMENTS:

- (a) All horses foaled after 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1995, must be sired by a stallion with a Regular Registry number in the PHANZ., a "Q" number in the A.Q.H.A - NZ., a page and volume reference in the New Zealand Stud Book (thoroughbred).
- (b) All horses foaled after 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1995, must have both sire and dam registered in the PHANZ Regular Registry, Breeding Stock Registry, A.Q.H.A NZ or NZTB Stud Book or a combination of any two of these Associations. A Stallion Service Certificate (breeders' certificate) must be furnished with all applications. Note: A.Q.H.A. -NZ registered 'Q' and 'R' mares will have the same status for registration of Paint foals. AJC registered mares that have proven Thoroughbred breeding for three (3) generations shall have the same status as stud book thoroughbred mares for registration requirements.
- (c) All appendix registered quarter horse mares foaled prior to 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1995 shall have the same status for registration as R and Q mares.
- (d) For all appendix registered quarter horse mares foaled after 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1995, provided they meet the bloodline requirement for two generations, will be accepted as part of the bloodline requirement.
- (e) All 'A' numbered quarter horse mares, foaled after 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1995 which are by a 'Q' numbered horse out of a foundation mare, will only be accepted if the outcross is stud book thoroughbred.
- (f) As from the 1<sup>st</sup> August 2013 a 5 Panel Test must be provided of a resulting foal if either QH parent is positive or a carrier of HYPP, HERDA, PSSM, GBED OR MH before it is

able to be registered. If the resulting foal if positive or a carrier or HYPP, HERDA, PSSM, GBED or MH it will not be eligible for registration.

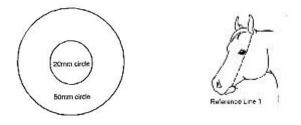
(g) PHANZ reserves the right to accept any Paint, Paint Bred or Breeding stock horse and record the transfer or lease of a PHANZ registered horse into the registry when the breeding is proven to the satisfaction of the Association.

#### **103. COLOUR REQUIREMENTS:**

White hair or white coat marking must have pink underlying skin.

- (a) For a horse to be registered in the Regular Registry, it must be a recognisable Paint Horse. All questionable cases will be referred to the Registration Committee for recommendations to the Committee. A Paint Horse may be white and any other colour such as black, bay, sorrel, dun, palomino, roan, cremello, etcetera. The PHANZ Office shall determine questionable colour registration cases. However, the Registration Committee shall be called upon to decide colour questions in the event of a borderline case.
- (b) For the purpose of this rule, the term 'Natural Paint Marking' shall mean a predominant hair coat colour and contrasting white hair which has underlying pink skin. The patch of white hair regardless of shape, must extend somewhere beyond the perimeter of a 50mm circle and the patch of underlying pink skin must extend somewhere beyond the perimeter of a 20mm circle. The marking can be anywhere on the horse behind reference line 1 and above reference lines 2 & 3. Non qualifying areas include lips of vulva, shaft of penis and inner sheath not visible without physical manipulation of the area. In the event of a horse that is predominantly white, there must be contrasting pigmented skin, which extends beyond the perimeter of a 20mm circle.

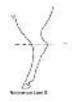
#### PAINT HORSE REFERENCE LINES



- I. Reference Line 1: From the base of the ear forward horizontally to the base of the other ear; from the base of the ear past the corner of the eye to the corner of the mouth, from the corner of the mouth under the chin to the corner of the mouth.
- II. Reference Line 2: A level line around the foreleg at the top of the knee.



III. Reference Line 3: A level line around the hind leg at the point of the hock.



- (c) Whenever the PHANZ Registration Committee finds it impossible to make a clear decision on a horse's registration eligibility according to quality i.e. clarity of pink skin (not mottled), amount or appearance of the contrasting colour and/or the underlying skin based upon pictures, a visual on-site inspection will be required. An inspector will be recommended by the Registration Committee. The owner of the horse in question must submit an inspection fee and pay mileage and expenses as economic conditions warrant. The inspector shall fill out a complete report on the horse in question and submit that report to the Registration Committee to be considered.
- (d) A member shall refrain from any discussion or contact with the inspector concerning the inspection after the assigned inspection has been completed. Any question or discussions concerning the inspection shall be between the member and the Association office. Any member violating this 'code of ethics' shall be subject to disciplinary action.
- (e) Under the provision of (c) above, no officer or employee of the PHANZ except the inspector will inspect a horse for colour or express an opinion on the registration eligibility of a horse. A Committee Member may express an opinion on the registration eligibility of a horse; however this is not recognised by the PHANZ as a formal inspection under paragraph (c) above.
- (f) When any horse whose hair or underlying skin is considered to be unnatural by the inspector, the Association shall have the option of sending a PHANZ representative to supervise the collecting of hair and/or skin biopsies (taken by a licensed veterinarian) to be sent to an approved laboratory.
- (g) When a protest is filed questioning the eligibility for registration of a horse on the grounds of having unnatural markings or no white markings and this protest is deemed valid by an officer, committee member, or employee of the Association, the Association has the right to suspend the registration or recall the certificate of pedigree until such time as adequate tests can be made to determine whether or not the horse has unnatural

markings or no white hair/pink skin. Such tests could include samples of hair and/or skin biopsies.

- (h) If the owner, trainer or person responsible for the protested horse refuses to make the horse in question available to the PHANZ representative in order for adequate tests to be made, the registration shall be cancelled immediately.
- (i) All the cost with the testing of a horse for unnatural markings will be at the expense of the owner should such tests prove the markings on the horse to be unnatural.
- (j) A horse which is found to have unnatural markings or markings altered in any way by surgery, dye, or in any other manner will be rejected for registration and the owner may be barred from the Association, except in the incidence of animals being tattooed under the direction of veterinary advice to prevent degenerative skin diseases to eyes, ears, nostrils and genitals. These horses' papers will be marked, noting the changes with photos to be kept on file.
- (k) When the registration department of the PHANZ rejects an application for registration for an apparent lack of colour, the applicant may request an inspection and reconsideration. Should the registration again be denied following the inspection, appeal may be made to the Executive Committee.
- (I) Action by the Executive Committee shall be final as to all applications except upon showing that there has been a change of circumstances that would justify the application being reviewed subsequent to a rejection.

Any horse rejected by the AQHA-NZ for excessive white markings may be eligible for registration in one of the registries of the PHANZ.

#### 104. GAITED HORSES:

A gaited horse that single-foots or paces is not eligible for registration in this Association. A horse with a foxtrot or running walk is eligible for registration.

Single-foot - the gait of a horse in which the legs move in lateral pairs, each foot falling separately.

Pace - the gait of a horse in which the legs move in lateral pairs and strike the ground simultaneously.

#### 105. MEMBERSHIP AND REGISTRATION:

- (a) The individual or the individuals applying for registration of a horse, the exact name of the partnership or the corporate name (accompanied by the signature of the authorised agent(s) as it is to appear on applications for registrations) shall be the same as that appearing on membership card or cards. Horses will only be registered into the name/s of current financial members.
- (b) The recorded owner or lessee of the dam at the time of foaling is responsible for the registration of the foal and will be listed on the registration application as the first owner of the foal. The recorded owner or lessee of the dam at the time of foaling should actually sign the registration application and should either have a membership in exactly the same name as the dam is recorded on at time of foaling. If the foal is to be listed in any other party's name than the recorded owner or lessee of the dam at the time of foaling, then a transfer report or proof of ownership would be required.

(c) All hair whorls, scars and brands (if branded) must be recorded on the application for registration.

#### 106. AGE COMPUTATION:

The age of a horse and youth is computed by the year starting on August 1 and ending July 31. A horse is a weanling during its first year, it is a yearling in its second year, etcetera, regardless of the time of year foaled -e.g. a foal born March will be a yearling on August 1, 1999, and would show in a '1998 foal' class.

A horse is not eligible to participate in events approved by the PHANZ if its age as determined by examination of its teeth does not correspond to the age shown on its registration certificate, such determination by tooth examination to be made in accordance with the current Official Guide for determining the age of the horse as adopted by the Veterinary Association.

#### 107. REGULAR REGISTRY:

All horses in the Regular Registry will be identified by a registration number. The Regular Registry shall include:

- (a) All paint colts, fillies and geldings foaled after 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1995 which meet the bloodline requirement of Rule 102 and the height requirement of minimum of 14hh at 5 years of age.
- (b) All Paint mares and geldings foaled after 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1995, which are over two years of age and which meet the bloodline requirements of Rule 102 and the height requirement of a minimum of 14 hands.
- (c) Any horse foaled prior to the deletion of the appendix Regular Registry which had not been advanced to the regular registry and which meets the bloodline requirement of rule 102, the colour requirement of 103 and the height requirement of 14 hands at five years of age.
- (d) Horses that have been DNA tested as carrying the 'Overo Lethal White gene or having produced an 'Overo Lethal White' foal will not be accepted in the Regular Registry unless they meet the minimum colour requirements of the PHANZ for Regular Registration.

#### Veterinary Certificate:

Persons making application for registration of stallions to this registry must send a recent Veterinary

Certificate of Soundness (form to be supplied by the PHANZ.) with completed application form, to the Association office. (Veterinary Certificates are not necessary for geldings.) Stallion advancement forms are available from PHANZ.

#### Photos:

Two recent photos are required for all new Certificates of Registration.

## 108. PAINT BRED REGISTRY

Paint Bred Horses are not eligible to compete with regular registered Paint Horses in regular registered Paint Horse Only Classes. These horses are also eligible for PHANZ awards, but only those awards as specified as being for Paint Bred Horses. Paint Bred horses can obtain awards from points earned in Paint Bred halter classes from 3rd October 1995. Horses in the Paint Bred registry will be limited to mares, stallions and geldings and will receive a registration number preceded by the letter 'PHSC'. These horses must reach a minimum height of 14hh at five years of age. For the purposes of this rule, 'solid' refers to a horse with a PHANZ registered parent and which does not meet the colour requirements of Rule 103.

Horses are eligible for registration in the Paint Bred registry provided they meet one of the following requirements;

- (a) Solid foals of two PHANZ registered horses, provided one parent is registered in the regular registry of the PHANZ
- (b) Solid foals out of a PHANZ regular registered horse and a registered Quarter Horse or Thoroughbred {New Zealand Stud Book}
- (c) Solid foals out of either two PHANZ paint bred registry horses or one PHANZ paint bred registry horse and a registered Quarter Horse or Thoroughbred {New Zealand Stud Book} provided one parent has been genetically tested to carry the overo or tobiano genes and this is on file with the PHANZ.
- (d) Solid foals out of a PHANZ Paint Bred registry horse and a registered Quarter Horse or Thoroughbred (NZ Studbook).

## **109. HARDSHIP REGISTRATION**

In special circumstances at the discretion of the committee, a hardship fee may be used, such fee to be determined by the committee. (This clause relates to the lodging of forms and applications for progeny recoding and registration).

- a) If due to circumstances beyond anyone's control the correct paperwork including stallion returns and breeding certificates are not available.
- b) If Sire and Dams DNA is held on PHANZ files and parental DNA is established beyond reasonable doubt then registration applications should be approved at normal registration cost – but excluding the cost of Parental DNA, this is to be paid for by the person applying for registration.
- c) DNA samples to be collected by a vet and certified by the collector as being from the horse applying for registration with PHANZ.
- d) (d)Were DNA is not available then it up to the discretion of the committee.

Fee was determined by the committee to be \$250 plus normal registration fee, DNA testing fee and Veterinary fees.

## 111. DNA TESTING

- (a) From 1<sup>st</sup> August 2005 all PHANZ registered stallions must have their DNA Testing on record with the PHANZ. The PHANZ on receipt of the DNA Testing fee, will forward all relevant paperwork to proceed with DNA Testing. No foal will be registered that is sired by a PHANZ registered stallion that does not have its DNA Testing on record and its DNA Testing fee paid.
- (b) All filly foals born from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2005 must be DNA tested before the mares progeny can be registered with the PHANZ.

- (c) All hair samples for testing are to be done through the Australian Stud Book or any other organisation that the PHANZ designate.
- (d) The Association may require any member to make available a horse in his ownership or control, for the purposes of DNA. Such DNA Testing shall be done by an organisation approved by the Association, and the Association may, at its discretion, appoint a representative to be present during the collection of the hair sample.
- (e) Any approved veterinarian may take the hair sample for forwarding to the Studbook or other organisation for sampling and or testing
- (f) Horses that have been DNA tested as carrying the 'Overo Lethal White' gene, or having produced an 'Overo Lethal White' foal will not be accepted in the Regular Registry unless they meet the requirements of Rule 103.
- (g) DNA Parent verification of resulting foal, is required prior to registration if a mare is served by two stallions in the same breeding season

## UPGRADE FOR BREEDING PURPOSES

(a)All filly foals born from 1st August 2005 must be DNA tested before the filly's progeny can be registered with the PHANZ. A veterinarian may attend to collection of the hair sample, or the owner / agent provided the owner / agent completes a statutory

(b)Declaration in respect of the identification of the filly / mare.

(c)Fillies / mares will require a. DNA testing to be complete and on PHANZ file

(d) Payment of relative fees

(e)All colts / stallions must be registered with the PHANZ for breeding purposes prior to being used for breeding.

(a)Colts / stallions will be eligible for acceptance – On production of a certificate signed by a qualified veterinarian stating that the horse is;

i.Not a crypt orchid

ii.Not a mono orchid

iii.That both testicles are fully descended and of even size

iv.Not parrot mouthed

v.Shows now visible signs of hereditary unsoundness

vi.At least 14 hands high at the withers

b)When DNA testing is completed and on PHANZ files

c)On payment of relative fees

d)A Veterinarian must attend to the collection of the DNA sample for colts / stallions.

(e)Any member failing to comply with this rule will incur a penalty fee

(f)Stallions four years of age and older must have been upgraded for breeding purposes to be eligible to be shown

and obtain PHANZ points. A registration certificate will be issued when all is in order.

g)In the case of a Quarter Horse Stallion that is eligible for PHANZ registration. If the said Stallion has passed Stallion

Classification by the AQHA-NZ Stallion Classifier and becomes an AQHA-NZ breeding Stallion, this will be sufficient

for Classification within PHANZ. The said Stallion will then become a recognized breeding Stallion within PHANZ, after the payment of the PHANZ Classification fee.

(h)As from the 1st August 2013 before an Upgrade for Breeding Purposes can proceed a copy of a 5 Panel Genetic test must be provided.

All 5 panel tests are to be on file and must be made available.

HERDA n/Hrd & GBED n/Gb & PSSM n/P1 & MH n/MH can be upgraded for breeding. HYPP n/H or HYPP H/H & HERDA Hrd/Hrd & GBED Gb/Gb& PSSM P1/P1 & MH MH/MH horses will not be upgraded for breeding.

## **113. GENETIC DISORDERS**

(a)Hyperkalemic Periodic Paralysis Disease (HYPP). The PHANZ will require HYPP testing of horses carrying the 'Impressive' Bloodline and all Imported Mares & Stallions. A positive horse by the term of definition is HYPP N/H &HYPP H/H. At the direction of the Association, all horses bred from stock which is HYPP N/H or HYPP H/H are required to be tested for HYPP. An official testing kit is available from the PHANZ office. No horse bred from HYPP

N/H or HYPP H/H stock will be registered unless tested for HYPP. Test results are to be marked on the horse's papers.

No positive foals will be registered unless gelded or spayed. Imported horses or International horses registered with the PHANZ for the purpose of frozen semen or foals resultant imported embryo must have their HYPP status on file.

(b) Hereditary Equine Regional Dermal Asthenia (HERDA). The PHANZ will require HERDA testing of horses carrying the 'Poco Bueno' Bloodline and all Imported Mares & Stallions. A positive horse by the term of definition is HERDA Hrd/Hrd & HERDA n/Hrd. At the direction of the Association, all horses bred from stock which is HERDA Hrd/Hrd or HERDA n/Hrd are required to be tested for HERDA.

Testing forms are available from the PHANZ office. No horse bred from HERDA Hrd/Hrd or HERDA n/Hrd stock will be registered unless tested for HERDA. Test results are to be marked on the horse's papers.

No HERDA Hrd/Hrd foals/horses will be registered unless gelded or spayed. Imported horses or International horses registered with the PHANZ for the purpose of frozen semen or foals resultant imported embryo must have their HERDA status on file.

No HERDA n/Hrd stallion/mare shall be breed to another HERDA n/Hrd stallion/mare. (c) Glycogen Branching Enzyme Deficiency (GBED). The PHANZ will require GBED testing of all horses imported. A positive horse by the term of definition is GBED Gb/Gb & GBED n/Gb. At the direction of the Association, all horses bred from stock which are GBED Gb/Gb or GBED n/Gb are required to be tested for GBED.

Testing forms are available from the PHANZ office. No horse bred from GBED Gb/Gb or GBED n/Gb stock will be registered unless tested for GBED. Test results are to be marked on the horse's papers. No GBED Gb/Gb foals/horses will be registered unless gelded or spayed. Imported horses or International horses registered with the PHANZ for the purpose of frozen semen or foals resultant imported embryo must have their GBED status on file. No GBED Gb/n stallion/mare shall be breed to another GBED Gb/n stallion/mare.

(d) Polysaccharide Storage Myopathy (PSSM). The PHANZ will require PSSM testing of all horses imported. A positive horse by the term of definition is PSSM P1/P1 & PSSM n/P1. At the direction of the Association, all horses bred from stock which are PSSM P1/P1 or PSSM n/P1 are required to be tested for PSSM.

Testing forms are available from the PHANZ office. No horse bred from PSSM P1/P1 or PSSM n/P1 stock will be registered unless tested for PSSM. Test results are to be marked on the horse's papers. No PSSM P1/P1 foals/horses will be registered unless gelded or spayed. Imported horses or International horses registered with the PHANZ for the purpose of frozen semen or foals resultant imported embryo must have their PSSM status on file. No PSSM n/P1 stallion/mare shall be breed to another PSSM n/P1 stallion/mare.

(e) Malignant Hyperthermia (MH). The PHANZ will require MH testing of all horses imported. A positive horse by the term of definition is MH MH/MH & MH n/MH. At the direction of the Association, all horses bred from stock which are MH MH/MH or MH n/MH are required to be tested for MH.Testing forms are available from the PHANZ office. No horse bred from Malignant Hyperthermia MH MH/MH & MH n/MH stock will be registered unless tested for MH. Test results are to be marked on the horse's papers. No MH MH/MH foals/horses will be registered unless gelded or spayed. Imported horses or International horses registered with the PHANZ for the purpose of frozen semen or foals resultant imported embryo must have their MH status on file.No MH n/MH stallion/mare shall be breed to another MH n/MH stallion/mare

## 114. EMBRYO TRANSFERS

Embryo transfers are permissible under strict guidelines as set out by the PHANZ.

(a) Any PHANZ registered mare and mares of approved breed registries are acceptable as a donor mare, provided the mare is at least twenty four months old at the time the embryo transfer is performed.

#### SELECTION OF MARE

- (b) The donor mare must be registered as a donor mare with the PHANZ.
- (c) The donor mare shall be DNA tested before commencing the programme and the result recorded in the office.

#### THE STALLION

- (d) Any stallion shall be PHANZ registered or registered with approved breed for use in embryo transfer.
- (e) The stallion shall be DNA tested prior to commencement of programme and results recorded with the PHANZ.

#### THE FOAL

- (f) PHANZ to be notified of the foaling date and foal be available for identification by Veterinarian or authorised inspector of the PHANZ.
- (g) Foal to be DNA Parent verified prior to registration.

#### 116. FORFEITURE OF FEES:

Failure by any person to acknowledge any PHANZ correspondence relative to the registration of any horse will result in that file being closed and all fees forfeited.

Thirty (30) days after the first notice, a second notice will be mailed. If there is no reply within 30 days after the second notice, the file will be closed. A notice concerning the requirements to finalise the file will be issued. If any person does not reply within 2 months from the date notice, the file will be closed.

#### 117. ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION: FRESH OR CHILLED SEMEN.

Artificial insemination is permitted provided that:

(a) Stallion owners wishing to participate in breeding by artificial insemination must notify the Association of their intention to do so at least 30 days prior to the first collection of semen each breeding season. The Association has the right to send its representatives to inspect the premises and practices of any person or breeding establishment using artificial insemination, and no person shall refuse, upon reasonable request, full access to the said premises.

- (b) The breeding certificate must show that artificial insemination was used.
- (c) An A.I. Technician holding a Department of Agriculture Insemination Certificate for horses it to be given the same status as a veterinarian for AI purposes provided that they are qualified relevant to state laws.

(c) Collection and shipment of CHILLED semen can be carried out by a Veterinarian, AI Technician or PHANZ member.

The transport of semen is permissible only under strict guidelines as set out by the PHANZ. These guidelines are available on request.

## 117A. FROZEN / IMPORTED CHILLED

(a)Frozen / imported chilled semen is permissible under the following guidelines:

(1)Foreign stallions must be registered and classified with the appropriate breed registry of their resident country.

(3)Authorization from foreign owners to have an appointed representative or agent in New Zealand to sign all relevant documentation.

(4)All horses conceived by frozen / imported chilled semen are required to be DNA tested prior to registration for parentage verification. Both the resulting foal and the dam are to be DNA tested.

(6)Foreign quarter horses and thoroughbred stallions for these purposes will be allowable when they follow PHANZ registration procedures.

(7)Stallion must test N/N for HYPP and HERDA n/Hrd or n/n, GBED n/Gb or n/n, PSSM n/P1 or n/n, MH n/MH or

n/n. Results must be put on the progenies file.

(b)PHANZ allows frozen / imported chilled to be used for an indefinite period from the date of the last collection, under the following conditions:

(1)An agent must be appointed.

(2)There can be only one agent recognized for frozen / imported chilled semen of a nominated stallion.

(3)A breeding return must be submitted each year. This report must be furnished whether the stallion is deceased, gelded or infertile.

## 118. PHOTOGRAPHS:

All applications for registration must be accompanied by four clear recent pictures which show each side, front and rear. Pictures will be kept permanently on file with the registration applications. Good clear recent pictures are required, with the horse image in the photo being 75mm x 90mm or  $3" \times 3 1/2"$ .

Pictures are to be taken of an unsaddled horse standing still, held with head in normal position as shown on a registration application. Show all four legs in each side picture and full frontal of face in front on picture. If horse has a mane, hold it away from the side being photographed so neck markings are visible. For light coloured horses (palominos, duns, greys, roans, etcetera), wet the horse thoroughly so that the dark skin pigment shows clearly the location and patterns of your horse's colour. This is best done on an overcast day so the sun does not cause dazzle from the wet coat, as this makes the pattern hard to discern. Ensure that your horse is clean as sometimes dirt and stains can look like part of the colour pattern. Inadequate photographs will cause delay in the

processing of papers as you will be asked to supply better pictures. Pictures should be clear so markings can be distinguished.

## 119. YEARLY STALLION BREEDING REPORTS:

The owners or lessees of all PHANZ registered and listed stallions must make a written report on forms furnished by the Association on or before the first day of August of the year in which the mares are bred, showing all mares bred to said stallion during the year. This includes all mares owned by the owner of the stallion as well as outside mares. This report shall include all breeding dates or dates of exposure.

Stallion owners or lessees are required to pay a fee per mare bred as listed on the Stallion Breeding Reports; this to be paid at the time Breeding Report is returned to the Association.

A Stallion Breeding Report must be on file with the PHANZ prior to any registrations being processed for foals by that stallion.

#### Penalty fees:

A penalty per mare will be charged on all late reports and will apply per term (every 3 months) of being late. See schedule of fees. **Triplicate Breeding Certificates:** (Service Certificates) are also required by stallion owners for mares that are bred and certified in foal to his stallion. This Service Certificate must accompany the resulting foal's application for registration where it will be checked with the Stallion Report. All mares must be listed whether tested in foal or not. Stallion owners must state full date and year mares are bred. Paddock bred is not sufficient. When paddock bred, owners must state date when mare is placed in paddock and date she is taken out. If Stallion Report and fees are not in PHANZ Office by 1st July each year no foals can be registered until the penalty fees are paid.

#### 121. DUAL REGISTRATION:

Horses registered with the PHANZ may be dual registered with the Pinto Association, AQHA-NZ, NZTB Stud Book and / or any other Association they may qualify for. Refer rule 102.

#### 122. STALLION OWNERS SERVICE CERTIFICATE:

- Service Certificate books are available to financial owners or authorised agents of a registered or listed PHANZ Stallions from PHANZ Office (see Schedule of Fees).
- (2) A stallion owner is requested to issue a service certificate for every mare covered by his stallion, including those mares he also owns. The white copy is given to the mare owner, the pink is retained for the stallion owner's records, and the blue copy forwarded to the PHANZ Office with the Yearly Stallion Report. On a Service Certificate, the Association shall only recognise the signature of a full member or nominee. If a mare is served by more than one stallion during the season, her owner must obtain a breeder's certificate signed by the owner of each stallion involved and giving dates of service, and must submit each such breeder's certificates to the Association.

#### Mare Owners:

When your mare is certified in foal, the stallion owner will issue a breeding certificate. The white service certificate must accompany the resulting foal's application for Registration. The breeder of a horse shall be the owner of the dam at the time of service, except when a mare is held under lease at the time of breeding (and written notification of such lease signed by the leaser is on file with the PHANZ at time of registration), in which event the registration certificate shall show the lessee as the breeder. No foal will be accepted by this Association unless a white Service Certificate accompanies the horse's application for registration.

#### AQHA and NZTB Service Certificates:

All mare owners must request a Service Certificate from the owner of the QH or TB stallion bred to their PHANZ registered mare. This Service Certificate must accompany your foal application to PHANZ for the resulting foal to be registered.

(a) DNA parent verification of resulting foal, is required prior to registration if a mare is served by two stallions in the same breeding season

#### 123. LEASES:

For a lease of a horse to be recognised by the Association, whether for breeding, racing, showing or performance purposes, written notice of its existence shall be filed with the Association on a form provided by it, signed by both the leaser and lessee, and submitted with the prescribed fee. The notice shall provide the effective date of lease and may provide a termination date. The lease will be recognised for a maximum period of two years, and is renewable. It may be terminated by written notice, giving termination date, signed by both leaser and lessee. No additional fee shall be charged for termination, whether automatic or by subsequent notice thereof. Registration papers are to be retained by the Office and a duplicate certificate with an expiry date is to be issued to the lessee. During the effective term of the lease, the Association will not record subsequent changes in ownership until the lease is terminated.

Applications for registration submitted on all horses must be accompanied by a breeder's certificate signed by the record owner of the sire with the following exceptions:

- (a) When a stallion is bred under lease agreement or a mare is held under a lease and such written lease agreement is held in the office of the Association and when such lease specifically - in clear and unambiguous terms - authorises the Association to accept the signature of such lessee on breeder's certificates and stallion breeding reports, then the signature of such person shall be recognised. (Upon cancellation or other termination of any such lease agreement, the owner immediately shall give written notice to the Association and to the lessee (with copy to the Association). Upon receipt of such notice, the signature of such lessee on breeder's certificates and stallion breeding reports will no longer be recognised except as to breeding which occurred in the period covered by the lease agreement and prior to the date such notice is received).
- (b) When written authorisation (on a form furnished by the PHANZ on request) has been filed in the PHANZ Office, the Association will accept the signature of such authorised individual on a breeder's certificate. The written authorisation must be signed by the recorded owner of the horse specified in such authorisation.

A lease fee will be required within 30 days from the date of lease otherwise a penalty fee will be incurred.

#### 124. TRANSFERS:

(a) Blank Transfer Report/Bill of Sale forms will be furnished free by the Association upon request. The registration certificate must accompany the completed transfer form to the Association in order for the horse to be recorded in the name of the new owner within 30 days of date of purchase; otherwise a penalty fee will apply.

- (b) When ownership of a registered horse is transferred (unless the transfer be "without papers"), the seller at the time of the transfer shall deliver to the buyer the applicable registration or listing certificate together with a written report of the transfer, which written report shall be signed by the seller, who shall be the recorded owner on the records of the Association.
- (c) It shall be the responsibility of the seller to complete the transfer form in its entirety to include the correct name and registration number of the horse, date of sale, name and address of the purchaser and signature and address of the seller. Should a seller of a registered horse sell a horse and fail to complete the transfer form and this fact is established, the seller may be assessed a penalty and such violations shall be noted. This penalty shall not apply when a horse is consigned at a regular auction sale, where it shall be the duty of the sale manager to insert on the transfer the complete name and address of the purchaser. The purchaser shall forward the completed transfer form and certificate with the applicable fee to the Association for appropriate action.
- (d) On a transfer form, the Association will require the signatures of all joint owners of a horse, unless the joint owners have filed in the PHANZ Office a written agreement to the effect that one or more of the joint owners have the authority to sign for all such owners.
- (e) When the written authorisation (on a form furnished by the PHANZ upon request) has been filed in the PHANZ office, the Association will accept the signature of such authorised individual as sufficient to complete the recording of the transfer. The written authorisation must be signed by both the record owner of the horse specified in such authorisation and the person being authorised to sign a transfer.
- (f) In no case may the ownership name (whether an individual or otherwise) exceed 30 characters (letters and spaces).
- (g) No person shall make any alteration on a completed transfer form nor in any manner deface, change or amend the provisions of it.
- (h) To correct the date of a transfer recorded with the PHANZ it is required that the Association be provided with signed statements from both the purchaser and the seller on the transfer report that is to be corrected, giving the date, the horse's registration certificate and the correction fee.

#### 125. REGISTRATION DECISIONS:

(a) In all proceedings concerned with or affecting the registration and records of the Association and in all disciplinary actions, the burden of resolving any doubt as to the true parentage or identification of an animal shall be upon the applicant, owner, lessee or other member or members involved, and the determination, decision and action of the Committee upon all such questions shall be final and binding upon all parties. (b) In any case of doubt regarding the true parentage or identification of a horse, blood tests/hair samples may be required, and, taking into consideration the results of such tests and such other information as may be available, the Committee may authorise such corrections in the records as may be determined to be necessary or appropriate. Owners are responsible for all costs. All certificates are issued with the right to cancel or revoke.

#### 125A. PROTESTS

When a protest is filed questioning the eligibility for registration of a horse and this protest is deemed valid by an officer, director, or employee of the Association, the Association has the right to suspend the registration or recall the certificate of pedigree until such time as adequate tests can be made to determine the eligibility of the registration or the horse. Such tests could include samples of hair and/or skin biopsies.

If the owner, trainer or person responsible for the protested horse refuses to make the horse in question available to the PHANZ representative in order for adequate tests to be made, the registration shall be cancelled immediately.

The Committee may determine that all costs incurred with the testing of the horse for this purpose will be at the expense of the owner should such tests be substantiated. Should the horse be found to meet the requirements for registration the Committee may determine the person lodging the protest be liable for costs incurred.

#### 126. PREFIX OR STUD NAME:

Letters are permissible providing that there are no less than two letters. One prefix only is allowed per membership.

Any member with a recognised stallion's name as a prefix, if not already used, is permissible. If the member becomes unfinancial, then that prefix is lost and will not be available to that or any other member. To retain a prefix, the member must remain a financial member of the Association. An initial fee is imposed on registering a prefix (see Schedule of Fees). The name registered may be used as a stud prefix but is essentially a prefix to the name of the horse. However, it is not compulsory that it be used as a horse name prefix. Individual memberships or constituent members on agreement can use the same prefix. The Association office must receive in writing an authorisation signed by the nominee of each membership.

The Registration Committee can refuse to accept names or prefixes which are likely to be confused with other horses or prefixes, or are misleading to their sex. Members can apply for the use of a prefix in the naming of horses (this should not be confused with the necessity to register the business name of the stud with the Department of Fair Trading or other relevant department). Only one horse prefix per membership shall be allowed.

The application for a prefix shall be accompanied by the appropriate fees as set out. The Association reserves the right to approve or reject absolutely any prefix it deems unacceptable and no prefix shall be used until notification of approval has been received in writing from the Association.

A prefix may only be used when the person registering a horse is also the breeder of that horse.

## 127. CORRECTION OR ALTERATION OF CERTIFICATES:

Correction or alteration of an original Registration Certificate may be obtained upon written application from the owner or lessee provided that:

- (a) The Association approves of such alteration.
- (b) The owner or lessee provides such information as may be required by the Association to ensure that the correction or alteration is valid.
- (c) The owner or lessee submits the horse for inspection if required by the Association.
- (d) The required fee as set out has been paid.

All corrections or alterations must be made by the Association. Any certificate which has been altered or defaced in any way other than by the Association is liable to cancellation and the issue of a duplicate certificate required.

The Association may correct a horse's Registration Certificate if the current owner files the proper statutory declaration - duly notarised, completed in all respects, and stating the corrections and giving reasons for same and pays the required fee.

## **128. DUPLICATE CERTIFICATE:**

The Association may issue a duplicate certificate of registration provided that:

- (a) The owner or lessee makes application for such certificate and furnishes a statutory declaration giving full details of the circumstances surrounding the loss of the original certificate.
- (b) Such application is accompanied by five clear photographs showing both sides, front and rear views of the horse. (See Rule 117 Photographs). (c) The required fee as set out has been paid.

(d) Association is satisfied as to the circumstances surrounding the loss of the original certificate.

## 129. NAMING A HORSE:

Each horse for which registration is applied must be given an acceptable name. Provided that a prefix is used before each name, there is no restriction to the names available to members. The PHANZ reserves the right to refuse any name it deems unacceptable or inappropriate.

The name shall not exceed twenty-five (25) characters (this includes letters, punctuation marks, blank spaces and prefix).

- (a) An apostrophe is the only punctuation mark permitted in a name.
- (b) No Arabic or Roman numerals are permitted.

The Registration Committee can refuse to accept names for horses which pertain to religion, the Crown, or notable persons without their written consent. Names may be reserved for future use upon payment of a fee.

A period of twenty (20) years must elapse following the death of a horse before the name of that horse can be used again in the registry.

The Registration Committee can refuse to accept names or prefixes which are likely to be confused with other horses, prefixes or misleading to their sex.

All paper work including show entries, point sheets and breeding returns must have the full registration name of the horse (including stud prefix) used at all times.

#### 130. CHANGE OF NAME:

The name of a horse which has been registered may be changed provided that:

- (a) Application is made by the owner.
- (b) The change of name is approved by the Association.
- (c) The horse has never started in a recognised race or approved show or been awarded half a point or more in the Association's Performance Register.
- (e) In the case of a stallion or mare, the horse has never been bred.
- (f) Approval in writing from the owner of the dam at the time of registration or recording is received by the Association.
- (g) The required fee as set out has been paid.

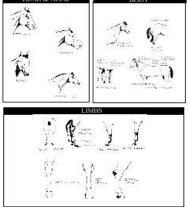
The Association may request the change of a horse's name if it is found that the name has been duplicated.

#### 131. DISPOSAL OR DEATH:

- (a) The owner of any registered horse which dies, is sold or disposed of without papers shall notify the Association of the fact and surrender the appropriate registration certificate to the Association for proper notation within 30 days.
- (b) A certificate of registration is subject to correction and/or cancellation under the rules and/or articles of the PHANZ. The PHANZ will not be liable for any mistake on a certificate therein based upon an error or misrepresentation in the application thereof and in case of such error or misrepresentation reserves the right to cancel a certificate and the entry of the horse.
- (c) No horse may be re-registered unless the last owner or executor of the said estate appearing on the certificate sanctions its re-registration with a penalty of double the registration fees.
- (d) Any horse with an inactive file over the age of 25 years will be marked as deceased and archived.
- (e)

#### 133. UNDESIRABLE CHARACTERISTICS:

Any characteristics of conformation, temperament or movement is undesirable if it is below the standard described under Rule 134



## 134. WHAT IS A PAINT HORSE?:

A Paint Horse is a coloured horse registered in the Regular Registry of the PHANZ. The PHANZ's foundation breeding was basically a crossing of the better quality coloured mares to outstanding Quarter Horse and Thoroughbred Stallions. With genetics strongly in their favour, and by using these quality stallions in addition to the Registered Paint stallions, carefully inspected for their quality and type, the resulting offspring have been a combination of excellent conformation and exciting colour with quality you could see at a glance and individuality you can spot a mile away. Breeders have placed conformation, ability and bloodlines on at least an equal basis with colour.

Consequently the New Zealand Paint Horse is not only colourful but can compete on equal terms - ability and conformation-wise - with all other light horse breeds.

#### Action

Basically the Paint Horse should be short coupled for a high degree of action, and have the ability to move quickly for any stock horse event he is called upon to perform. His motion should be straight and true, with fluidity and good stride.

#### Back

The back (top line) should be short, with a strong loin that fits into a heavily muscled croup. The Paint Horse should also sport a good set of withers - "a place to put a saddle and have it stay there".

#### Balance

The Paint Horse should show balance, a harmonious development of all parts. His disposition should be highly manageable, but still imply alertness and animation. He should show style and beauty, balance and symmetry - overall quality.

#### Chest

The chest should be deep, fairly wide, but well forked. It should denote good power, but ample mobility.

#### Head

The head should be well proportioned to the rest of the body, refined, clean cut, with good width between large clear eyes. The face should be straight, the muzzle relatively small, the mouth shallow and the jaw broad and strongly muscled. Ears should be short to medium size, well carried and active.

#### Legs

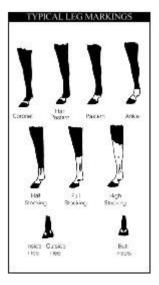
The legs should be straight, true and squarely set. Hocks should be clean cut, correctly set and not too high. The knees should be straight and taper gradually into the leg. The fetlocks should be naturally clean with no excess hair.

#### Neck

The neck should be fairly long, and neatly join long, smooth sloping shoulders. Short, thick necks are most undesirable. The neck should emulate keenness, and the throatlatch should be ample, but clean cut. The head and neck of the Paint Horse should show boldness and masculinity in the stallion, refinement and femininity in the mare.

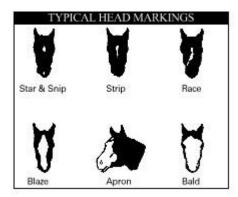
#### Rear

The rear quarter of the Paint should feature a long croup, heavily defined stifle, a hip that runs well down into the leg. The gaskin should be powerful proportionately both inside and outside.



#### **135. IDENTIFICATION GUIDE Tobiano**

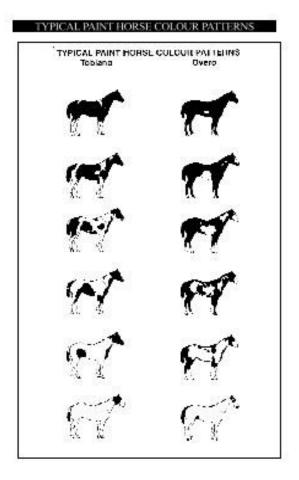
The head will usually be marked like a solid coloured horse, either being solid or having a



blaze, stripe, race or star and snip. All four legs will usually be white, at least below the hocks and knees. However, one or more legs may be dark below the hocks or knees. Body markings will usually be regular and distinct, often being oval or round patterns that extend down over the neck and chest giving the appearance of a shield. The Tobiano paint will usually have the dark colour in one or both flanks. The Tobiano may either be predominantly dark or white.

#### Overo

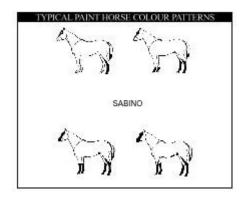
The head markings of the Overo Paint are often bald, apron or even bonnet-faced. At least one leg and often all four legs will be the dark colour. Body markings on the Overo are usually irregular, rather scattered and/or having splashy white markings, often referred to as calico patterns. Usually the white will not cross the back between the withers and the tail. The tail will usually be only one colour. The Overo Paint may either be predominantly dark or white. Overo Lethal White Foal Syndrome - refer rule 135A.



#### Sabino

"Typical" markings are at least one white sock, (in the majority of cases) back socks usually end in an upward shaped point, white on bottom lip (not always) coon tail (not always) white ticking in coat, particularly in flank area. Small blaze too bald or apron faced. "Louder" examples will have white patches or mottled white areas under the belly and some times a white patch or splash on body. White 'ticking' throughout the coat can also be a characteristic of the Sabino coat pattern. (see also 'Roan').

A genetic test is available for the Sabino 1 gene (SB1) although there are thought to be several 'Sabino' genes responsible for what are known as Sabino markings. Horses with the following Bloodline requirements will be considered to be registered as Sabino.



#### I. Crop-Outs

Horses registered with the American Quarter Horse Association of NZ or the NZ Stud Book (NZSB – Thoroughbred) that meet the minimum colour requirements for PHANZ regular registration, may be considered for registration. Such registration applications shall be considered by the PHANZ Committee for classification. Any such eligible horse shall be registered as Sabino.

#### II. Sabino x QH/ASB

Progeny from PHANZ Sabino regular registered horse and horses registered with the AQHANZ or the NZSB, that meet the bloodline and minimum colour requirements for PHANZ regular registration, shall be registered as Sabino.

#### III. Sabino x Sabino

Progeny from two PHANZ Sabino regular registered horses that meet the minimum colour requirements for PHANZ regular registration shall be registered as Sabino.

#### IV. Sabino x Overo

Sabino marked horses with Overo bloodlines that meet the bloodline and minimum colour requirements for PHANZ regular registration, will be registered as Overo, unless they have been genetically tested to be OLWS negative. Sabino marked OLWS negative horses shall be registered as Sabino. A horse which has been genetically tested to be Sabino positive which meets the bloodline but fails to meet the minimum colour requirements for PHANZ regular registration, shall be registered as Paint Bred (solid). Genetic colour information may be recorded on the registration papers.

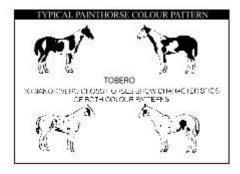
#### TOVERO

#### **Tobiano - Overo Cross**

The Tobiano-Overo cross can produce some real puzzles in pattern identification. Some such crosses produce perfectly marked Tobianos, some perfectly marked Overos, some perfectly solid coloured horses. Others show characteristics of both patterns. This combination pattern is called Tovero. This pattern may produce a predominately white Tobiano with Overo traits around the head, that is, a bonnet face or white head with dark

ears. Tovero marked horses that meet the bloodline requirements for PHANZ regular registration will be registered as Tovero if:

(a) They test positive for the Overo gene and the Tobiano gene.



#### Splashed White

Rare pattern, typical characteristics two pale blue eyes, bald face and head, all four legs are white, all white or partially white tails, white coat pattern progresses from the lower abdomen, shoulders, hindquarters and lower neck, upwards. One description of this trait is as if the horse has walked through a pool of white paint. Top line of horse is usually a solid colour. Deafness is common to this pattern in Australia.

#### 135A OVERO LETHAL WHITE FOAL SYNDROME

Members should be aware of the risk of an overo lethal white foal being produced by the breeding together of 2 overo horses or 2 horses carrying the overo gene. A genetic test is available to detect the presence of the overo lethal white gene. To avoid the risk of producing an overo lethal white foal, a genetic test can be carried out on one or both parents. Test kits are available from the PHANZ Office on payment of the appropriate fee.

#### 136. COLOURS

**BAY:** Bay colour ranging from tan through to red to reddish brown, mane and tail black, usually black on lower legs.

BLACK: Body colour true black without light areas, mane and tail black.

**BROWN**: Body colour brown or black with light areas at the muzzle, eyes, flank, and inside upper legs, mane and tail black.

**CHESTNUT:** Body colour reddish or copper red, mane and tail usually same colour as the body but may be flaxen.

**DUN** dilute body colour of yellowish or gold, mane and tail usually black or brown, prominent dorsal stripe, legs often show barring and face often shows mask or "cob webbing". Mane usually shows lighter colour hairs along both edges of neck.

**RED DUN** a form of dun with body colour yellowish or flesh coloured, mane and tail usually red or reddish, prominent dorsal stripe, legs often show barring and face often shows mask or "cob webbing".

**GRULLO** - a form of dun, body colour of Smokey or mouse coloured (not a mixture of black and white hairs), mane and tail usually black, prominent dorsal stripe, legs often show barring and face often shows mask or "cob webbing".

**BUCKSKIN:** A form of dun with body colour yellowish or gold, mane and tail black, usually black on lower legs, often has a dorsal stripe.

**TAFFY** - Body colour from cream through to smutty gold through to chocolate coloured. Mane and tail usually, white, grey, silver or dark with silver hairs.

PALOMINO: Body colour golden yellow, mane and tail white.

**GREY:** Mixture of white and darker hairs, usually born a solid colour and gets lighter with age. **SORREL:** Body colour reddish or copper red mane and tail usually same colour as body, but may be flaxen.

**BROWN/BLACK:** Body colour darker than brown but not entirely fitting definition of black.

**ROAN**: True roan horses, as distinct from Paint Roan horses, are born with non progressive silvering. They always show the base colour on the face and lower legs. The skin of a true roan is always dark, and when injured the hair will often grow back as the base colour i.e. dark with no roan. Roan is epistatic to all coat colour, it is possible for a horse to be both roan and grey, these will change colour with age due to the grey gene. True roans usually exhibit few white markings. It should be noted that the roan gene is dominant to non-roan and lethal to the embryo in the homozygous state (These foals are not born).

Ticking (Paint Roan Horses): Horses with white hairs interspersed through the coat particularly at the base of the tail, in the flanks, over the rib cage, under the jowl and over the cheeks, should be described as white ticking. This ticking may be minimal and hardly noticed, or so pronounced that the horse appears highlighted, either irregularly (frosted) or all over (roan). This ticking is distinct from true roan, as the neck, head and legs are also ticked and the colour is often associated with the Sabino pattern.

**CREMELLO:** This is caused by the action of the dilutent gene that is acting on chestnut. This gene causes chestnut to become palomino in the heterozygous state and cremello in the homozygous state. The cremello's skin appears 'pinkish' and the eyes are amber or blue.

Leg, face or body markings can be distinguished from the base colour that is a creamy off-white. The mane and tail are extremely pale.

**PERLINO:** This is caused by the action of the dilutent gene that is acting on bay/brown/black. This gene causes these colours to become dun/buckskin in the heterozygous state and perlino in the homozygous state. The coat is diluted to near white, while the dark points either remain dark or become a light rusty or chocolate shade. The skin will have minimal pigmentation and may appear 'pinkish' or grey. Leg, face or body markings will be able to be distinguished from the base colour.

**CHAMPANGE:** A Champagne horse must have at least one champagne parent. A horse with one or two Champagne genes will be born with blue eyes and pigmented pink skin. This pink colour is noticeably different from the pink skin found under white markings which has no pigment. The eyes gradually turn light brown, and the skin develops dark freckles as the horse matures. The freckling shows up around the eyes, on the muzzle, under the trail, and on the udder or sheath. Horses applying for registration as Champagne shall be considered by the PHANZ committee for such classification on a case by case basis. Must be DNA tested.

**PEARL**: On a chestnut background, Pearl produces a pale uniform apricot colour of body hair, mane and tail. Skin colouration is also pale. The effect is similar to Champagne. Pearl is known to interact with Cream Dilution to produce pseudo-double Cream dilute appearance including pale skin and blue/green eyes. It is only known to occur in Quarter Horses and Paints with a pedigree tracing back to a particular line of Barlink horses. A positive genetic test for the Pearl gene (Prl) is required for a horse to be registered as Pearl.

**SILVER:** The silver dilute affects only clack based horses. Red based horses (chestnuts) can be carriers but will not display any characteristics. Some variations are known colloquially in New Zealand as 'Taffy'. Silver dilution may lighten the body colour, sometimes producing characteristics dapples and will also lighten tails and manes. The extent of the lightening can vary greatly. A positive genetic test for the Silver Dapple gene (Z) is required for a horse to be registered as Silver. **SMOKY BLACK**: Smoky Black is caused by a single dose of the Cream gene on black. Because the Cream gene is an incomplete dominant id foes not affect back pigment physically unless it is present in homozygous form. Smoky Black horses look like regular Black horses although some may be faded so much they appear Brown or even Bay. A genetic test showing the presence of Black (E) and Cream (Cr) is required for a horse to be registered as Smoky Black.

**SMOKY CREAM**: Smoky Cream is caused by a double dose of the Cream gene on Black which unlike Smoky Black (single dilute), affects the colour. Like all 'double dilutes', Smoky Creams will have pink skin and blue eyes, however there may be a wide variation in body colour from cream coloured ranging to near white, to a light reddish, khaki or greyish tone. Mane, tail and legs are typically slightly darker but may also be the same colour as the body. Both parents must carry the Cream gene. Must be DNA tested. A genetic test showing the presence of Black (E), absence of Agouti (aa) and homozygous for Cream (CrCr) is required for a horse to be registered as Smoky Cream. Base colour: Black. Double copy of cream dilute gene.

## CREAM DILUTION TABLE No Dilution (nn) Single Dilute (nCr) Double Dilute (CrCr)

Chestnut Palomino Cremello Bay Buckskin Perlino Black Smoky Black Smoky Cream

#### DUN DILUTION

**DUN**: Dilute body colour of yellowish or gold, mane and tail usually black or brown, prominent dorsal stripe legs often show bring and face often shows mask or 'cob webbing'. Mane usually shows lighter colour hairs along both edges of neck. Base colour: bay. Single or double copy of dun dilute gene.

**RED DUN**: A form of dun with body colour yellowish or flesh coloured, mane and tail usually red or reddish, prominent dorsal stripe, legs often show barring and face often shows mask or 'cob webbing'. Base colour: chestnut. Single or double copy of dun dilute gene.

**GRULLO**: A form of dun, body colour of smoky or mouse coloured (not a mixture of black and white hairs), mane and tail usually black prominent dorsal stripe, legs often show barring and face often shows mask or 'cob webbing'. Base colour: black. Single or double copy of dun dilute gene.

# DUN DILUTION TABLE No Dilution Dun Dilute (single or double) Chestnut Red Dun Bay Dun Black Grullo (Grulla)

A Dun Zygosity test is available for the marker for the Dun dilution in Paint Horses.

**ROAN**: True Roan horses as distinct from Paint roan horses are born with no progressive silvering. They always show the base colour on the face and lower legs, The Skin of a true roan is always dark and when injured the hair will often grow back as the base colour i.e. Dark with no roan. Roan is epistemic to all coat colour, it is possible for a horse to be both road and grey, these will change colour with age due to non-roan and lethal to the embryo in the homozygous state (these foals are not born). This has been proven not to be.

Ticking (Paint Roan Horses): Horses with white hairs interspersed through the coat particularly at the base of the tail, in the flanks over the rib cage, under the howl and over the cheeks, should be described as white ticking. This ticking may be minimal and hardly noticed, or so pronounced that the horse appears highlighted, either irregularly (frosted or all over (roan). This ticking is distinct from the true roan, as the neck, head and legs are also ticked and the colour is often associated with the Sabino pattern.

Combined Colours/Dilutions:

Horses may include a number of different colour dilutions and characteristics producing colours such as 'Dunskin' or 'Dunalino'. Requests for registration of such combined colours shall be considered by the PHANZ Committee on a case by case basis.

WHITE - A horse that is white with no evident contrasting pigment or hair colour. These horses will be registered into the Paint Bred or Breeding Stock registries accordingly. For the information of members White can be further described as –DOMINANT WHITE: This is a term used to describe a horse born completely white, with pink skin and coloured eyes (blue, brown, amber or hazel). These horses are truly white and white markings i.e. Blaze or socks, do not show up on a dominant white horse. It should be noted that dominant white is epistatic to all other colours and they carry another colour but it does not show through. Dominant white is lethal in the homozygous state.

**SABINO WHITE**: Are offspring from Sabino parents born white with pink skin and usually dark eyes, though pale eyes are not unknown, may have rudimentary colours of ears, pole etc at birth that fades away with the change of foal coat. In later life the (spot) pigmentation may develop in ears, over the wither and genital areas.

**OVERO WHITE**: These foals are associated with the 'Overo Lethal White' syndrome and are born white with pink skin and usually light eyes. There is a 25% chance of this resulting from Overo to Overo breeding. The 'Overo Lethal White' is born with congenital bowel abnormalities and die soon after birth.

Horses may be genetic tested for the 'Overo' gene.

**COMBINED WHITE**: These are white horses with pink skin, often with either dark or pale eyes, sometimes one dark, one light. Many 'medicine hat' horses are the result of a combination of patterns e.g. Sabino, Overo, and Tobiano.

## **GENERAL SHOW AND CONTEST RULES**

## 201. APPROVAL FOR REGISTERED SHOWS:

The following titles shall be reserved for exclusive use by the PHANZ: PHANZ National Show and/or PHANZ Championship Show and Paint-O-Rama. All New Zealand Regional Championships.

There may only be one PHANZ Show on any weekend. All riders, owners, exhibitors, handlers and youths must be current financial members of PHANZ to show, ride or exhibit in approved events at the National, Regional Championships or Paint-O-Ramas. Organisations, clubs or individuals desiring to stage or sponsor shows or contests which will be recognised by the Paint Horse Association of New Zealand and which will include the awarding of points to the top horses entered will obtain the approval of this Association.

- (a) In order to obtain approval, an Application for Approval form properly completed shall be forwarded to the Secretary of the Association at least sixty (60) days prior to the entry deadline of the proposed show or contest. The application form may be obtained from the Association. When it is submitted to the Secretary, it must be accompanied by an approval fee per judge.
- (b) In no event will classes be approved by the PHANZ office which were not included in the show application.
- (c) A show must be open to all Paint Horse Owners and Paint Horse Exhibitors in good standing with the PHANZ to gain approval. No exhibitors may be required to be a member of any organisation in order to compete in a registered show (except as required for insurance purposes), with the exception of closed PHANZ show, where all riders, owners, exhibitors, handlers and youth must be current financial members of the PHANZ.
- (d) PHANZ Amateur Exhibitors must hold a current NZWRF Amateur Card.
- (e) All horses shown in closed PHANZ classes must be PHANZ registered.
- (f) Any classes recognised by the PHANZ are eligible for points.
- (g) Show must be run under NZWRF rules. AQHA-NZ approved shows will be acceptable, in these cases shows must be run under AQHA-NZ rules with approved judges; however these AQHA-NZ shows are Open shows and not National, Regional or Paint-O-Rama shows. Approval of international shows will be at the discretion of the Committee.
- (h) Minimum class requirements for consideration of show approval shall be

## HALTER

Paint Horses (Regular Registered) Filly 2 yrs & Under, Mare 3 yrs & over, Champion & Reserve Champion Mare / Filly Colt 2 yrs & Under, Stallion 3 yrs & over, Champion & Reserve Champion Colt / Stallion Gelding 2 yrs & Under, Gelding 3 yrs & over, Champion & Reserve Champion Gelding Paint Bred Horses Filly 2 yrs & Under, Mare 3 yrs & over, Champion & Reserve Champion Mare / Filly Colt 2 yrs & Under, Stallion 3 yrs & over, Champion & Reserve Champion Colt / Stallion Gelding 2 yrs & Under, Gelding 3 yrs & over, Champion & Reserve Champion Gelding Further halter classes are encouraged.

#### SHOWMANSHIP

Youth Amateur Owner

#### HUNTER UNDER SADDLE, WESTERN PLEASURE, TRAIL REINING, WESTERN RIDING, WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP

Youth Amateur Owner Junior Horse Senior Horse and / or Open

Numbers permitting it is advisable to further divide Youth classes to have Junior Youth 13 years & under and Senior Youth 14 years to 18 years.

From January to July it is also advisable to have 2 Year Old classes for Hunter Under Saddle, Western Pleasure and Trail

LEAD LINE and Walk & Trot classes may also be considered if there are a number of younger competitors in your area.

The following classes are also recommended but are not compulsory – GRAND CHAMPION or SUPREME CHAMPION PAINT HORSE GRAND CHAMPION or SUPREME CHAMPION PAINT BRED HORSE

## ENGLISH EQUITATION (or HUNT SEAT EQUITATION), WESTERN EQUITATION

Amateur Youth

#### ENGLISH PLEASURE

Open

Applications received by the Committee for shows to Youth and/or Amateur Owners only, shall be considered by the Committee on their merits.

**202.** If such application is unsatisfactory, the Secretary will so inform the organisation or individual making the application giving the particulars or the reason for disapproval. However, lack of approval of any certain class in a proposed show or contest need not invalidate the recognition of the remainder of the show or contest

**203.** The results of any registered show or contest must be completed in its entirety on official forms furnished by the Association listing the first seven horses, unless fewer than the number completed, and should be forwarded to the office of the Secretary of the PHANZ within twenty (20) days after the completion of the show or contest. If results of the show are received after thirty (30) days then the fees will be double the above

## 204.

- (a) Failure to mail the completed result forms to the Association within twenty (20) days following the last show date may result in approval being denied and the competing horses may therefore be deprived of points. If points from shows are incomplete, competing horses will be deprived of points won.
- (b) Show results of approved shows or contests will be published in the official PHANZ Newsletter. A period of sixty (60) days from the date of publication will be allowed for a correction of printed show results.

After that date, no request for show result corrections will be considered.

**205.** No show may be approved on the same date as another approved show if the two are located within 160 km of each other, with the exception of regional and country shows and major horse shows, which may be on the same date as another approved show despite proximity. The last sponsor of any individual show has the right to utilise the date or cancel in the following year. If the show date is cancelled, another Regional Club has the first priority on that date. The PHANZ National Show shall take precedence over all other PHANZ approved shows.

**205A.** The PHANZ will only recognise one approved Regional Championship Show per Region during the period 1<sup>st</sup> August to 31st July each year. If more than one application is received the Board will consider each application on its merits.

## 206. PAINT-O-RAMA

(Multiple Judge Shows for PHANZ registered horses only):

The purpose of Paint-O-Ramas is to give breeder and exhibitor the opportunity to show their horses under several judges without the cost of lots of travelling.

- (a) Each PHANZ affiliated club is eligible for two sets of multiple judge (Paint-O-Rama) shows per year. There will be a \$0.50 charge per entry per show payable to the PHANZ. The show management must deduct the \$0.50 from each entry in each show and forward to PHANZ with show results to be processed. (E.g. If there are two judges, then it is two shows with two ribbons awarded, so the fee would be \$1.00. If there are three judges, then it is three shows with three ribbons awarded, so the fee is \$1.50.) Management should adjust the entry fee to cover this charge.
- (b) If results of the show are received after sixty days then the fees will be double the above. Multiple judge shows are limited to three (3) judges on a one day basis or two judges each on two successive days. In no event may more than three (3) consecutive two-judge shows or (2) consecutive threejudge shows be held in the same location in the same year.
- (c) Multiple-judge shows to consecutive day shows may in no way use the words "champion" or "championship" in their title or name of the show. Multiple judge shows must be sponsored and operated by an affiliated PHANZ Regional Club.
- (d) The completed applications for approval of multiple judge shows must be received in the PHANZ Office at least sixty (60) days prior to the entry deadline of the shows. All applications for multiple judge shows shall be reviewed by the Committee, which shall reserve the right to refuse approval of any multiple judge show application which is not in the best interests of the PHANZ.

- (e) Multiple judge shows must have each judge work independently with his or her own individual ring steward. There shall be no consultation or visiting among or between the judges during the actual judging. When submitted to the secretary, application must be accompanied by a fee per judge per show application fee.
- (f) The results of the Champion and Reserve Champion classes will not be announced until all judges for that day have completed their judging of the respective sex divisions of the Champion and Reserve Champion classes.
- (g) Individual runs for each judge may be made in all timed events. The decision on whether or not to require individual runs for each judge is to be made by the Show Manager.

Each judge shall give his placing to his steward who shall organise the announcement of the awards for each judge separately.

All horses entitled to compete for Champion and Reserve Champion under any of the judges shall return to the ring for the judging of these awards. No announcement of awards will be made until all placing's have been decided.

All riders, owners, exhibitors, handlers and youths must be current financial members. The same programme can be used for the two days, or it can be different each day.

## 206A. MULTI JUDGE SHOWS (not Paint-O-Rama)

Points will only be accepted from multi judge shows with a maximum of 3 judges of which at least two judges must be acceptable judges as per rule 212.

## 207. RELEASE OF LIABILITY

The PHANZ and co-sponsoring organisation, if any, will not be responsible for any accident that may occur to be caused by any horse exhibited at any show or contest or for any article of any kind or nature that may be lost or destroyed or in any way damaged. Each exhibitor will be responsible for any injury that may be occasioned to a person or animal or damage to any property while on the grounds by any horse owned, exhibited or in his custody or control and shall indemnify and hold harmless PHANZ, its officials and Committee individually and collectively, and co-sponsoring organisation, if any, from and against all claims, demands, causes of action, costs, charges and expenses of every kind and nature whatsoever arising out of or which may be incurred by reason of any accident, injury or damage to person or property caused by the ownership, exhibition, or custody or control of any animal exhibited.

Presentation of signed entry blanks shall be deemed acceptance of these rules, and in the event of failure to sign the entry blank, the first entry into the show ring as an exhibitor shall be deemed to be an acceptance of said rules.

The Association shall not be responsible in respect of any claim, loss or damage consequent upon the Association effecting registration, recording or transfer to a person other than the legal owner.

## 208. NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(a) The PHANZ will annually award the name of the National Champion and Reserve National Champion horse to two horses in each halter and performance division approved by the PHANZ Committee. Such an award must be won by competition in the National Show approved and sponsored by the PHANZ Committee in competition with approved horses.

(b) The National Show may feature High Point Horses in any category or High Point Riders in any category.

### 209. OWNERS/EXHIBITORS/RIDER EXEMPTIONS

- (a) Only financial, good standing PHANZ members can claim show points for PHANZ registered horses.
- (b) All exhibitors, owners, riders and youth must be current financial members of the PHANZ to show, ride, drive or exhibit at the National, Regional Championship and / or Paint O Rama in order to claim show points.
- (c) The PHANZ has lodged a Disability Action Plan with the Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission to facilitate and encourage the participation of people with disabilities and their carers in all PHANZ activities. The Disability Action Plan is also intended to assist Paint Horse members to understand disability issues. A free copy of the Disability Action Plan is to be available on request from the PHANZ Office. Any staff paid or otherwise, must be knowledgeable in implementing the Disability Action Plan and affiliated Paint Horse Clubs and Associations will be required to accept and promote the provisions of this plan.

## 210. SHOWING OF UNREGISTERED HORSES

All horses must be registered in the PHANZ, before being shown in any Paint Horse or Paint Bred class. Those PHANZ members showing unregistered horses in registered Paint Horse and/or Paint Bred classes will be notified by the PHANZ of said offence, allowing twenty-one (21) days for reply. If in fact an unregistered horse was shown in a registered class, the exhibitor and/or owner shall be suspended for not less than thirty (30) days. Upon receipt of \$25.00 this suspension will be lifted. Failure to pay the \$25.00 in order to remove the name from the suspension list will result in the suspension running for 6 months and being removed only at the decision of the Committee.

The appearance of an unregistered horse in a Paint Horse or Paint Bred class will not be the cause for loss of any show points earned by registered horses. The number in the class will be as per the number of registered Paint Horses.

Disciplinary action will be taken on any members showing an unregistered horse in a Paint Horse or Paint Bred class.

#### 211. SHOW MANAGEMENT

(As per NZWRF Rule Book with the following additions.)

- (a) The show management must report all bad cheques, etc. to PHANZ within seven (7) days.
- (b) At the close of the show or contest, the Show Manager will receive from the ring steward a marked copy of the judging programme signed by both the judge (or judges) and the ring steward. This copy will be retained by the Show Management and a copy forwarded to the PHANZ.
- (c) Show Management must have knowledge of the Paint Horse Association of New Zealand Disability Action Plan and Rider Exemption procedures as described in the

Disability Action Plan. All process of the Rider Exemption procedures must be followed.

(d) Help horses in cutting need not be Paint Horses, and riders of these help horses need not be member of the PHANZ to help at any PHANZ approved show. These horses/riders must be available to help all competitors.

211A. It is recommended that the following ribbon / sash colours be used at shows -

- \* 1st Red
- \* 2nd Blue
- \* 3rd Yellow
- \* 4th Green
- \* 5th Brown
- \*6th Pink

Champion - Blue / white / red or if one colour only - Purple Reserve Champion - Red / white / red or if one colour only Green Grand Champion Purple

## 212. JUDGES FOR REGISTERED SHOWS

(As per the NZWRF Rule Book with following additions.)

- (a) Judges must be selected from the recommended list of the NZWRF or USA judges approved by the PHANZ. Exception, refer rule 201(g) whereby AQHA approved judges will be accepted at AQHA approved shows.
- (b) It is recommended that judges' contracts are used. These are available upon request from the office.
- (c) The Judge and Stewards must be made aware of any competitor riding with an Exemption Card and must take into account noted exemptions when judging any event for which an Exemption Card has been presented.
- (d) No person may judge more than two (2) approved closed (POR, Regional Show) shows for the same club during one calendar year.
- (e) No judge shall determine the eligibility for registration of any entry in the ring and shall at all times refrain from making comments regarding such.
- (f) It is recommended that a judge shall not attend a show or an exhibitor's party, or any other activity in the general location that is connected with a show on the day previous to the show at which he/she is officiating.

## 216. EXHIBITOR CONDUCT

When an exhibitor is guilty of unsportsmanlike or improper conduct, failure to pay when due any obligation owing to the Association, giving a worthless cheque for entry fees, stall fees, office charges, stock charges or any other fees or charges connected with the exhibition of horses, The Paint Horse Association of New Zealand may suspend such exhibitors rights to participate in future approved shows for such a period as judged appropriate.

## 217. CATEGORIES AND CONTEST LIST

(a) The following performance contests are divided into categories, including racing, have been approved for award points.

(b) In order to obtain points in the categories and contests listed below, a correctly filled out Official points card should be returned to the PHANZ office after any show holding these classes, duly signed by the judge or stewards and the exhibitor, within thirty (30) days of the show or contest to be eligible to obtain points. Refer to rules 203 and 204.

#### **CATEGORY 1 - ARENA PERFORMANCE**

Trail Western Riding Reining Western Horsemanship

#### **CATEGORY 2 - ARENA PLEASURE**

Western Pleasure Bridle Path Hack English Pleasure Hunter Under Saddle

### **CATEGORY 3 - ARENA COW**

Working Cowhorse Cutting Campdrafting

#### **CATEGORY 4 - COMPETITIVE SPEED**

Team Roping Cow Pony Race Barrel Race Rope Race Camas Prairie Stump Race Pole Bending Steer Daubing Keyhole Race

#### **CATEGORY 5 - RACING**

Sprint racing Thoroughbred racing Picnic racing

#### **CATEGORY 6 - ENGLISH PERFOMANCE**

In Hand Hack & Pony Classes Jumping Dressage Three and One-Day-Events.

## **CATEGORY 7 - SPORTING EVENTS**

All sporting and novelty events, excluding events in Category 4 & 12.

## **CATEGORY 8 - HUNTER CLASSES**

Hunting Hunter Hack Working Hunter Hunter In Hand

#### **CATEGORY 9 - GENERAL PERFORMANCE**

Competitive Trail Riding Paint Horse Under Saddle Paint Bred Under Saddle Stock Horse Under Saddle Working Stockhorse Harness Classes Ridden Stallion / Stallion Under Saddle Colourama Under Saddle

**(ROM AND SUPERIOR AWARDS ONLY** - Events not eligible for PHANZ Champion, Supreme awards, All Round Horse or High Point Performance.)

## CATEGORY 10 - EQUITATION / RIDER / HANDLER

(This is a special category for Youth and Amateur Owners only) Adult Rider Classes Western Equitation English Equitation Reining Control Bareback Equitation Western Riding Control Rider (as per pony club, gymkhanas and agricultural show classes) Showmanship

#### **CATEGORY 11 - LED PERFORMANCE**

Lungeline Led Trail

#### CATEGORY 12 – NZRCA

Steer Wrestling Rope & Tie Team Roping Barrel Racing

- (c) All approved performance and halter classes will be awarded full points as set out in rules below. Points can be obtained in any event as approved or recognised by the NZWRF, AQHA, EFA or other recognised body. Points will also be awarded to horses competing at approved shows of the following recognised organizations National Reining Horse Assn (NRHA), National Cutting Horse Assn (NCHA), New Zealand Rodeo Assn (NZRCA), or international equivalent. Rules for competition will be the recognised rules of the individual association. It will be the responsibility of the competitor to supply the rules of the other Association to the PHANZ if requested.
- (d) In all approved "Open Breed" performance classes, points will be awarded to Regular registered Paint Horses and to Paint Bred Registered horses (who have at least one parent regular registered.)
- (e) Paint Bred horses must have a regular registered parent to be eligible to be shown in Paint Bred Classes.
- (f) Only registered Paint Horses may compete in Paint Horse classes.
- (h) Points earned by Paint Bred Horses do not count toward Honour Roll or High Point Performance Horse awards other than those specified for Paint Bred Horses, Amateur Owner Paint Bred horses and Youth Paint Bred horses.
- (i) Points earned on Paint Bred Horses remain in their own Honour Roll standings.
- (j) Futurity classes, halter or ridden, are not approved as point earning classes.

## 218. POINTS SCORE SYSTEM

Points table is as per the NZWRF Rulebook.

\* In classes with more than 100 entries, the present scale is to be continued in increments for each 10 horses.

When a member requires a copy of his/her horses show points, then a lifetime points listing will be sent. All requests must be accompanied by a fee.

That from the beginning of the show year August 1<sup>st</sup> 2013 and thereafter, competitors in all PHANZ approved Closed Shows be awarded one normal point for placing's in classes. The National Show shall award one normal point.

## 219. AWARDING OF SHOW AND PERFORMANCE POINTS

Points can only be awarded to PHANZ registered horses whose recorded owner/lessee is a current financial member of the PHANZ. Transfer of ownership is not effective for point tabulation until recorded by the PHANZ Office. Points will be credited to the recorded owner only. In order for points to be awarded the owner and exhibitor (if different to the owner) must be current PHANZ members. Separate cards must be used for Halter/Open classes, Youth or Amateur classes. Results of Youth or Amateur classes must not be recorded on the same sheet as any other rider or horse.

- (a) Show result cards are submitted to the PHANZ correctly filled in within 30 days of the said show.
- (b) Cards arriving late i.e. after thirty (30) days but before sixty (60) days may be counted if a penalty fee is paid.
- (c) Registered shows points will be allocated to all qualifying horses from organising body (i.e.

registered shows including Regional Championships, Paint O Ramas and National Show) and other registered shows approved by the Committee.

- (d) Incorrect point's cards: A penalty will apply to all incorrect point cards. Same to be returned to registered owner of the horse giving owner 14 days to return corrected card to the office with a fine before points will be allowed.
- (e) A copy of the show programme for the show attended must be included with all points cards sent in. For shows where the same programme is used for that series of shows and the show dates are printed on the programme, a copy of the programme may be sent in once only at the time of the initial submission of points cards.

### SHOW POINTS - Show Result cards.

In a case where "spot checks" are done on show results and entries are shown to be incorrect by the exhibitor, all points won by the horse in question at that show will be cancelled. All cards must show the full registered name of the horse. All points must be submitted on official show result forms. The Judge, Steward or Secretary is to delete the excess lines on the result card before signing. If this is not done, your points may not be accepted. Points cards received without date, correct name of horse, or registration number on wrong card (i.e. youth on horse card) the cards may be cancelled. Number pending will not be accepted.

Year End High Point Awards are tabulated to 31st July each year and must be received by 14th August of each year.

## 220. PAINT HORSE ASSOCIATION OF NEW ZEALAND CHAMPION

The title PHANZ Champion will be awarded to any stallion mare or gelding which has been issued a numbered regular registry or paint bred certificate by the PHANZ, provided the said horse meets the following requirements.

- (a) Has been named at an approved show, National or Regional Champion at halter.
- (b) Has won a total of at least sixty (60) points in halter and performance shows.
- (c) At least twenty (25) of those points must have been won in halter classes.
- (d) And at least thirty five (35) of those points have been won in performance events approved by the PHANZ.
- 1. No more than ten (10) points won in any one performance event will be counted.
- 2. Horse must have earned at least one Register of Merit in each of Categories 1, 2, 3,4 and 12 of performance events as listed above.
- 3. And must have earned at least one (1) Register of Merit in either category 6 or 8 as set out in Performance events above.
- 4. And must have earned at least fifty (50) points as indicated under category 6. In the event that this title is awarded, a special and engraved trophy shall be prepared and presented to the owner of the said horse at the next annual general meeting of the PHANZ. A proper notation shall be made in an applicable Stud Book and other records of the PHANZ.

The title of "PHANZ Champion" is hereby, from this date and in the future, reserved by the Paint Horse Association of New Zealand for its express use. The registration certificate of any horse shall be revoked permanently by the Association if the owner thereof fraudulently advertises, claims or holds forth that this certain horse is entitled to the title "PHANZ Supreme Champion" prior the title being officially awarded by the Association.

## 221. PHANZ SUPERIOR ALL ROUND HORSE

The title "PHANZ Superior All Round Horse" will be awarded to any stallion, mare or gelding which has been issued a regular registry or paint bred certificate by the PHANZ provided the said horse meets the following requirements:

- 1. Must have a superior rating in halter, having earned fifty (50) or more points.
- 2. Must have one superior rating in one performance class having earned at least fifty (50) points in one of the categories 1,2,3,4,5,6,8 and 12
- 3. Must have earned at least one register of merit in at least four (4) of the performance contest categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6,8 and 12

In the event that this title is awarded, a special and properly engraved trophy shall be prepared and presented to the owner of the said horse at the next annual general meeting of the PHANZ. A proper notation shall be made in the applicable Stud Book and other records of the PHANZ.

The title of "PHANZ Superior All Round Horse" is hereby, from this date and in the future, reserved by the PHANZ for its express use. The registration certificate of any horse shall be revoked permanently by the PHANZ if the owner thereof fraudulently advertises, claims or holds forth that this certain horse is entitled to the title "PHANZ Superior All Round Horse" prior to the title being officially awarded by the PHANZ.

## 222. PHANZ GRAND CHAMPION

- (a) In regard to all horses registered by the PHANZ, the title or term PHANZ Grand Champion is hereby, from this date and in the future reserved by the said PHANZ for its express use and awarded to any individual stallion, mare or gelding, which meet the requirements set out in the following section.
- (b) The title "PHANZ Grand Champion" may be awarded to any individual stallion, mare or gelding registered in the regular or Paint Bred registry after it has won a total of fifty (50) or more points in official shows and contests recognised by the PHANZ provided:
- (i) That the points have been won in five (5) or shows and under five (5) or more judges.
- (ii) That at least sixteen (16) of the points have been won in halter classes.
- (iii) That as least five (5) points have been won at PHANZ National Shows or at Royal Shows.
- (c) That at least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in performance classes or contests and with a minimum of ten (10) points each having been earned in at least two (2) categories, from 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6,8 and 12 of the performance events.
- (d) The title of "PHANZ Grand Champion" is hereby from this date and in future, reserved by the PHANZ for its express use. The registration certificate of any horse shall be revoked permanently by the PHANZ if the owner thereof fraudulently advertises, claims or holds forth that this certain horse is entitled to the PHANZ Grand Champion prior to the title being officially awarded by the PHANZ. These ten (10) points in at least two (2) categories cannot be earned in a combination of classes.
- (e) In the event the title is awarded, a proper certificate shall be prepared and awarded to the owner of the said horse, and also, a proper notation shall be made in an

applicable Studbook, other records of the PHANZ, and the official PHANZ Newsletter.

**222A. PHANZ CENTURY AWARDS** - PHANZ Century awards will be included in the PHANZ awards categories.

PHANZ Bronze Century - 100pts PHANZ Silver Century - 200pts

PHANZ Gold Century - 300pts

**PHANZ CENTURY AWARDS** - The title of PHANZ Century (event) will be awarded to any stallion mare or gelding provided the said horse has earned 100 or more points in a PHANZ approved event. A horse may receive this title for each separate event in which it has earned 100 or more points to earn the relevant Century award.

When the title of PHANZ Century is awarded, a proper certificate shall be prepared and send to the recorded owner or lessee of the horse. Also a proper notation shall be made in the applicable Stud Book and records of the PHANZ.

#### 223. PHANZ SUPERIOR (Event) HORSE

(a) The title "PHANZ Superior Event Horse" will be awarded to any stallion, mare or gelding which has been issued a Regular or Paint Bred registration certificate by the PHANZ provided aid horse has earned fifty (50) or more points in one PHANZ approved event.

(Examples: A horse which earns a minimum of fifty (50) points in cutting will be designated as a PHANZ Superior Cutting Horse, with fifty (50) points at halter; it will be listed as a PHANZ Superior Halter Horse).

A horse may receive this title for each separate event in which it has earned fifty (50) points.

- (b) When the title of PHANZ Superior (event) Horse is awarded, a proper certificate shall be prepared and sent to the recorded owner of the said horse. Also, a proper notation shall be made in the applicable Studbook and records of the Association.
- (c) The registration certificate of any horse shall be revoked permanently by the Association if the owner thereof fraudulently advertises, claims or holds forth that this certain horse is entitled to the title PHANZ Superior (event) Horse prior to the title being officially awarded by the Association.

#### 224. REGISTER OF MERIT

- (a) The purpose of the Register of Merit is to establish a record of performance.
- (b) Each stallion, mare or gelding registered in the Regular or Paint Bred Registry of the PHANZ can qualify for the title "Register of Merit" in halter and individual performance events when they have won twenty-five (25) or more points in that event, as outlined in the Points Score System.
- (c) Points accumulated as a colt will be continued on when gelded.

#### 226. HONOUR ROLL & YEAR END AWARDS

An Honour Roll (Event) Horse of the Year Award will be given to a horse in each individual event listed in Categories 1 to 9 that has accumulated a total of 100 points.

- (a) Honour Roll Halter -
- (b) Honour Roll Western Performance
- (c) Honour Roll English Performance

100 points in total 100 points in total in 2 performance events split of 50 points in each or 100 points in an individual event.

## 227. HIGH POINT HALTER & HIGH POINT PERFORMANCE HORSE OF THE YEAR

- (a) The High Point Performance Horse of the Year Award will be given to the horse that has recorded the highest total of points provided that:
- 1) The points are earned in at least five (5) events.
- 2) These five (5) events cover at least two (2) categories from categories 1 to 6,8 and 12 inclusive.
- (b) The High Point Halter Horse of the Year Award will be given to the horse that has recorded the highest total of halter points from any division.

The recipient of these awards will receive a suitable trophy at the annual general meeting of the PHANZ. This will be noted in the applicable Studbook and other records of the PHANZ, as will the runners-up.

## 228 SPECIAL AWARDS

Special awards may be awarded to PHANZ registered horses exhibited by disabled persons who are PHANZ members and are unable to compete in certain classes specified for Awards such as PHANZ Champion etc.

## 229. HIGH POINT HORSE OF SHOW

It is not mandatory for a High Point Award to be made at an approved show, however, if such an award is designated, the following scoring system shall be used to determine the winner.

- (a) To be eligible for all round honours, a horse must compete in at least three (3) approved performance events.
- (b) Horses placing in the top six will be allotted points as set out in the NZWRF Rule Book.
- (c) No points are to be awarded to a disqualified horse regardless of the number in the class.

## 230. ADDITIONAL CONTEST RULES

Most of the recognised PHANZ events as listed on the Categories and Contest list (Rule 217) have rules detailed in the rule book. Below are listed additional Contest rules, which were not covered in the NZWRF Rulebook.

## CATEGORY 3. ARENA COW

Bull Dogging - timed rodeo event as per any recognised Rodeo Association.

## CATEGORY 4. COW PONY RACE

This contest is a race to simulate the common practice of cowboys who often settled arguments of who owned the fastest cow horse by holding impromptu races on the ranges. Horses with racing plates shall not be allowed in an approved cow pony race.

(a) Shank bits with curb must be used. No "D" bits shall be allowed. Only two reins can be used. The interpretation of questionable equipment shall be left to the discrimination of the official judge.

(b) If warranted, two divisions may be run - "bridle horses" and "snaffle bit/hackamore horses".

A walking start must be used and the starter's word shall be official.

The official judge of the show must select one or more assistants to help judge the race. The judges must be positioned at opposite sides of the finish line. All ties must be run off.

The judge or any appointed assistant may disqualify any horse which he feels has interfered with another horse or whose rider interferes with another horse/rider.

A western or Australian Stock saddle must be used. The distance of the race will be up to the discrimination of the show committee. However, the distance of the race(s) must be listed on the show programme.

Preliminary heats should be run where track conditions do not permit all horses to run at one time. The track size should allow at least six (6) feet per horse in each race. Points shall be awarded under PHANZ point system.

Times will not be recorded by the PHANZ. If more than one heat is required, points will not be awarded in each heat, but in the finals only. Points will be awarded on the basis of total number of competing entries in the race.

Drug rules shall be the same as in other classes and events.

A minimum age limit for individuals competing in the cow pony race shall be sixteen (16) years of age.

## COMPETITIVE TRAIL RIDING.

To be run under the rules of the Australian Trail Horse Riders Association.

All registered Paint and Paint Bred Horses satisfactorily finishing (without being pulled out by the ride vet for physical reasons) but not finishing in the top six places shall receive one point toward their ROM in this event.

All registered Paint and Paint Bred Horses placing in the top six (6) places of the trail ride will receive the points in accordance with the points score system.

## ENDURANCE RIDING

An accredited ride is one held over the minimum accredited distance under New Zealand Endurance

Association, FEI and Pony Club rules. This distance at the time of printing is 40km. All registered Paint and Paint Bred Horses satisfactorily finishing (without being pulled out by the ride vet for physical reasons) but not finishing in the top six places shall receive one point toward their ROM in this event.

All registered Paint and Paint Bred Horses placing in the top six (6) places of the endurance ride will receive the points in accordance with the points score system.

## CATEGORY 5 - RACING:

## Thoroughbred racing:

Racing over distances from and including 800 metres. To be organised by an NZTB Racing Conference recognised Jockey Club or Race Club.

#### Sprint Racing:

Racing under 800 metres organised by a recognised Jockey Club or Racing Body (GTC, AQHA, DSRC, WASHC etc.) **Picnic racing:** 

Unregistered races organised by charitable or similar community bodies.

## **CATEGORY 6 - ENGLISH PERFORMANCE**

All events to be run under EFA, EFI rules. Events included but not limited to may be Jumping, Dressage, One and Three-Day-Event and Hacking.

## **CATEGORY 7 - SPORTING EVENTS**

This category has been especially included for all those registered Paint and Paint Bred Horse owners who enjoy the sporting and novelty events. Points will be awarded toward Register of Merit, Superior and Year End High Point awards only, the reason being that there is no standard set of rules governing these many and varied events.

### CATEGORY 10 - EQUITATION / RIDER / HANDLER.

#### **Rider Class:**

To be judged as customary for Pony Club, Gymkhanas and Agricultural shows.

### 231. HALTER CLASSES

- A horse is only eligible to obtain points from one point earning halter class. This does not prohibit a horse from being shown in a youth or amateur halter class in addition to regular age-group halter class of the show. (With the exception of Champion, Reserve Champion and Supreme Champion). Use of the lead chain over the horses' nose or through the mouth is permitted. However, excessive use may be severely penalized. Please refer to NZWRF rules.
- The following classes are recommended for shows: Veteran Halter Classes for 10 year old and over may also be held. Halter classes to be judged: 40% - Conformation 20% - Suitability
  - 20% Soundness
  - 20% Action

#### Stallion classes:

Weanling Colts Yearlings Two Year Olds Junior Champion Colt & Reserve Junior Champion Colt Three Year Olds Four Year Olds and Over Champ. and Reserve Champion Stallion

#### Mare classes:

Weanling Fillies Yearlings Two Year Olds Junior Champion Filly & Reserve Junior Champion Filly Three Year Olds Four Years and Over Champion and Reserve Champion Mare.

## Gelding Classes:

Weanling Geldings Yearlings Two Year Olds Junior Champion Gelding & Reserve Junior Champion Gelding Three Year Old Four Year Olds and Over Champion and Reserve Champion Gelding

Champion Gelding (chosen from first place winners in classes indicated above).

**Reserve Champion Gelding** (chosen from second place winner in the Champion gelding's class and first place winners in other classes.)

Grand champion may be awarded for each sex division.

The Junior and Senior Champion are eligible for the Grand Champion award.

Colts and geldings must be exhibited as per their gender on the registration papers. Colts may not be registered as geldings without a gelding certificate.

Geldings which are still listed as colts / stallions according to PHANZ records at the time the show results are processed will be disqualified.

Colts which are registered as geldings according to PHANZ records at the time the show results are processed will be disqualified. **Brood Mares:** 

- 1. Three Year Old and Over.
- Entries limited to mares visibly in foal or have a foal at their side; mares entered in either the three year old or four year old and over mare classes are ineligible to enter the broodmare class. If Brood Mare has a foal at foot, foal is not to be shown with mare in Brood Mare Class. NOTE: Spayed mares are prohibited in Brood Mare Class.
- 3. The use of whips or bats of any type shall not be permitted in halter classes.
- 4. It is mandatory that all approved shows select Champion and Reserve Champions in each sex division (Exception: National Show).
- 5. Mixed sex halter classes are not permissible as point earning halter classes, with the exception of Supreme Paint Exhibit and Supreme Paint Bred Exhibit.
- 6. When colts or stallions are gelded, their points will continue as lifetime points.
- Weanlings must have reached a minimum age of 12 weeks before they can be shown and not be shown before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in their weanling year.

## 232. GROUP HALTER CLASSES

The following are additional classes that are recommended if interest or entries justify them, but no points will be awarded. Horses shown in a group class must be eligible to show at their individual halter class at that show:

- (a) Produce of Dam: Two produce, either sex can show. Dam must be Regular or Paint Bred Registered with the PHANZ but need not be shown nor produce need be owned by the owner of the dam. Horses actually shown as the Produce of Dam will be limited to horses four years old and younger.
- (b) Get of Sire: A minimum of two get (maximum three) either sex can be shown. Sire must be Regular or Paint Bred Registered with the PHANZ, but need not be shown

nor get need be owned by owner of sire. Horses actually shown as the Get of Sire will be limited to horses twelve years old and younger.

- (c) Mare and Foal: Mare with one of her foals to be shown. Foal must have been foaled within the current horse year. Mare and foal do not have to be owned by the same owner. Mare must have a number in the Regular Registry.
- (d) Sire and Get: Sire with two get to be shown. Sire and get do not have to be owned by the same owner.
   Horses shown as the get in this class will be limited to horses four years old and younger. Sire must have a number in the Regular Registry.
- (e) Exhibitors Group: Group of four head, any age or sex, all owned by the exhibitor and recorded in the Association office to that one ownership.
- (f) The Regular Registry progeny of Paint Bred Horses will be eligible to be nominated for Produce of Dam and Get of Sire Classes providing the Paint Bred horse has one Regular Registered parent.

## 233. CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION

The Champion of each division will receive at least one (1) point more than any other horses, provided that at least 2 horses were exhibited in that sex division. If necessary, additional points will be added to the points the Champion won in its age class to give it this total. The Champion will always receive a minimum total of two (2) points in any show where at least five (5) horses have competed in that sex division.

Example: If the Reserve Champion stallion received three (3) points, then the Champion stallion will be given one (1) point more so that it will have a point more than any other horse in its sex division. Or: If the Champion stallion received three (3) points for being first in its class, and no other stallion received more than two (2) points in its class, then no additional point will be awarded to the Champion stallion.

The Reserve Champion of each sex division will receive as many points as any horse in its sex division except the Champion. If necessary, additional points will be added to the points to give it this total. The Reserve Champion will always receive a minimum total of one (1) point in any show where at least five horses have competed in that sex division. Example: If the Reserve Champion stallion received two (2) points in its class and another stallion which was not the Champion stallion received three (3) points in its class, then the Reserve Champion stallion will be given one (1) more point so that it will have as many points as any other horse in its sex division except the Champion stallion.

Or: If the Reserve Champion stallion received two (2) points in its class and no other stallion except the Supreme Champion stallion received more than two (2) points, then no additional points will be awarded to the Reserve Champion stallion.

The Grand Champion Stallion, chosen from the winner of the Junior and Senior Champion classes, will receive one more point than any other male exhibited. Supreme Paint Exhibit and Supreme Paint Bred Exhibit will receive 1 point, but only if 4 or more horses are contesting the award and at least one horse from another sex division contested the award.

## 234. DRESS FOR HALTER CLASSES

While the recommended dress for Paint Horse at Halter is western, English attire is acceptable. Always ensure you dress in accordance with one style and not a combination. Western Halter Dress Handler:

- 1.Western Hat
- 2.Long-sleeved collared shirt with sleeves to the wrist.
- 3. Dress pants or jeans
- 4. Tie, bandanna or brooch
- 5.Western Boots
- 6. Long hair should be neatly pinned, tied or gathered up (men and ladies both)
- 7. Other appointments as per NZWRF Rulebook.

## **Optional:**

- 1.Western Cut Jacket
- 2.Western Cut Suit
- 3. Equitation Suit
- 4. Gloves

Horse: Western style halter (silver, buck stitched or plain optional)

## English Halter Dress Handler:

- 1. English Riding Coat (colour optional)
- 2. Breeches or jodhpurs and long or short English riding boots.
- 3. Hard hunting cap or bowler
- 4. Shirt with tie or stock
- Gloves optional

Or

6. Smart Street wear

Horse: English style halter (plain, leather or silver optional) or bridle.

## 235. ASSOCIATION AWARD CERTIFICATES

- (a) Duplicate certificates for Association awards will be available to part owners, owners, lessees and trainers at a cost per certificate.
- (b) The new owner of a horse can request a duplicate of the horse's certificate.
- (c) If a horse is leased, the lessees get the certificate so the owners or part owners may get duplicates if requested.
- (d) Trainers may get duplicates only upon receipt in the PHANZ office of written permission of the owner, part owners or lessee.
- (e) No award certificate will be awarded to any person not in good financial standing even if he or she owns the horse. (Note: Owners or lessees must be financial in order for a horse to gain show points).
- (f) The PHANZ reserves the right to revoke or amend any awards.

## 236. PHANZ YOUTH ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

i. Only points gained in youth classes are eligible, and youth must be financial members of the PHANZ in order to have points tabulated.

- ii. A separate point's sheet for youth is to be used. Youth competing with a Rider Exemption Card will be eligible to obtain the following awards.
- iii. Youth points earned on Paint Bred Horses remain in their own Honour Roll standings.
- iv. Refer also rules 217(h) and 228(b)

## SUPERIOR ALL- ROUND YOUTH AWARD

- (a) The youth must have won a total of 300 points. All categories excluding 5, 7, 9 and 11 are eligible to gain points for this award.
- (b) A superior must be earned from five of the seven remaining categories.
- (c) Five ROMs must also be earned other than that in which the qualifying Superiors were won.

## PHANZ YOUTH CHAMPION:

To win a PHANZ Youth Champion Award, a youth must win fifty (50) or more points in .competition in official shows and contests recognised by the PHANZ provided;

- (a) That the points have been won in five (5) or more shows under five (5) or more judges.
- (b) That at least sixteen (16) of the points have been won in showmanship at halter classes.
- (c) That at least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in performance classes with a minimum of then (10) points, each having been earned in at least two (2) categories of the performance events, except categories 5, 7 and 9. These ten (10) points in at least two (2) categories cannot be earned in a combination of categories.
- (d) Youth competing with a Rider Exemption Card will be eligible if they obtain the total number of points required for this award in at least two (2) categories excluding Categories 5 & 9.

## Youth Versatility Award

To earn this title five (5) ROMs from categories 1 to 6, 8 and 10 must have been earned, one being earned in Youth Showmanship at halter. A superior rating must also have been earned in one of these 5 events.

Youth competing with a Rider Exemption Card must earn five (5) ROMS from categories 1 to 6, 8 and 10. A superior rating must also have been earned in one of these 5 events.

## Youth Century Award

A youth may receive this award for each separate event in which he/she has earned 100 points or more for the relevant Century award.

Youth Superior

A youth may receive this award for each separate event in which he/she has earned fifty (50) points.

### Youth Register of Merit

A youth can qualify for a youth register of merit in showmanship and individual performance events when they have won ten (10) or more points in that event. Note: Points are accumulative towards Youth Champion, Versatility, ROM and Superior awards on any number of horses.

## High Point Awards at Approved Shows

High Point Youth Awards at PHANZ approved shows must be based on a one horse/one rider basis.

The contestant to be eligible must show in at least three (3) classes over two (2) categories.

Points towards TOP TEN, youth Honour Roll and High Point Awards at approved shows are calculated on a one horse/one rider basis. Where a youth shows different horses, then those horses will be tallied individually. Youth need not own the horses they show to gain points for any other PHANZ Youth Award.

### Top Ten

Year End awards will be given to the ten (10) youth who earn the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10 provided that; (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one youth basis in youth events.

- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English Equitation or Western Equitation.

## High Point Youth of Each Region

Year End awards will be given to the youth who earns the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10 of each Region provided that; (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one youth basis in youth events.

- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English Equitation or Western Equitation.
- (d) A minimum of 5 points (any combination of events) must have been earned.

## High Point Youth of the Year

A Year End award will be given to the Youth who earns the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10 provided that (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one youth basis in youth events.

- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English equitation or Western Equitation.
- (d) A minimum of ten (10) points (any combination) must have been earned.

## Youth Honour Rolls

The youth earning the most points with any one horse in each of the approved PHANZ events during one year (August 1 to July 31) will be awarded a Youth Honour Roll certificate.

A minimum of 5 points is required for an Honour Roll Award.

## PHANZ Youth Champion Horse

PHANZ Champion Youth Horse may be awarded to any horse registered in the Regular Registry or Paint Bred Registry who has won fifty (50) or more points in Youth Events, provided that: (a) The Points have been won in five (5) or more shows under five (5) or more judges; (b) At least sixteen (16) of these points have been won in showmanship classes.

(c) At least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in performance classes with a minimum of ten (10) points each having been earned in at least two (2) categories, except categories 5,7 and 9.

These ten (10) points in at least two categories cannot be earned in a combination of categories.

Youth age divisions:

13 and under, and 14 to 18 years computed from August 1 of each year.

## YOUTH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Youth may hold positions on the youth council while they are eligible for youth membership. Elections are to be held with one position in each region. The number of positions available will be determined by the current number of youth memberships at the time of the election. All youth are to be nominated and seconded by youth members. Criteria for a youth council representative are:

- (a) A youth council representative is to organise meeting of the youth in their region, with minutes taken or a report, and this is to be forwarded to the youth coordinator. Youth members unable to attend these meetings may correspond in writing or by phone.
- (b) They should attend the annual youth meeting at the National Show.
- (c) Co-ordinate fund raising and general promotion of PHANZ registered horses in their region.

## 237. AMATEUR ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

Only current financial members are eligible for PHANZ amateur status. All exhibitors in amateur classes are required to hold a NZWRF amateur card. All horses shown in amateur classes must be registered with the PHANZ.

All horses shown in amateur classes must be registered with PHANZ in order to obtain association points and awards. The horse or horses used by an amateur participant must be owned and registered wholly by the participant and their name must appear on the horses registration certificate.

Amateurs (both novice and open) are able to show leased horses with the following guidelines:

- Prior notification must be given to PHANZ on a lease form.
- The leaser must be responsible for all expenses relating to the horse.
- A lease would be in effect for a minimum of twelve (12) months and to an individual only.
- Only one lease covering a horse will be recognised at a time.
- i. Refer also rules 217(h) and 228(b)

Amateur eligibility: As per NZWRF Rule Book, with the following exceptions:

- (a) A card will be conditionally issued on payment of fees any points earned from this date will remain valid, providing the application is approved.
- (b) Applicant's name will be printed in the journal following issue of card and will be approved if no protests are lodged within a four (4) week period after printing.
- (c) Protests will be heard by the Committee and if successful, all points previously earned by the applicant will be forfeited.
- (d) Points are accumulative towards PHANZ Amateur Champion, Superior All-Round Champion, Versatility, of Register Merit, Century and Superior awards on any number of horses over any length of time.
- (e) Points toward Top Ten Amateur, Amateur Owner Honour Rolls and High Point Awards at approved shows are calculated on a one horse/one rider basis.
- (f) Where an amateur shows different horses, then those horses points will be tallied individually.
- (g) Amateur points earned on Paint Bred Horses will remain in their own Honour Roll Standings.

## PHANZ AMATEUR CHAMPION

To win a PHANZ Amateur champion an amateur must win fifty (50) or more points in competition in official shows and contests recognised by the PHANZ provided:

- (a) The points have been won in five (5) or more shows under five (5) or more judges.
- (b) At least sixteen (16) of these points have been in showmanship at halter classes.
- (c)At least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in amateur performance classes with a minimum of ten (10) points each having been earned in at least two categories, excluding Categories 5,7 and 9. These ten (10) points cannot be earned in a combination of categories.
- (d) Amateurs competing with a Rider Exemption Card will be eligible if they obtain the total number of points required for this award in at least two (2) categories excluding Categories 5 and 9.

## PHANZ Amateur Versatility

To earn this title, five (5) ROMS from all categories, but excluding 5, 7 and 9, must have been earned, one (1) being earned in Amateur Showmanship at halter. A superior rating must also have been earned in one of these five events.

## Superior All- Round Amateur Award

- (a) The amateur must have won a total of 300 points. All categories excluding 5, 7, 9 and 11 are eligible to gain points for this award.
- (b) A superior must be earned from five of the seven remaining categories.
- (c) Five ROMs must also be earned other than that in which the qualifying Superiors were won.

## Amateur Century Award

An amateur may receive this award for each separate event in which he/she has earned 100 points or more for the relevant Century award.

## Amateur Superior

An amateur may receive this award for each separate event in which he/she has earned fifty (50) points.

## Amateur Register of Merit

An amateur can qualify for an Amateur Register of Merit in showmanship and individual performance events when they have won twenty five (25) or more points in that event.

### Amateur Top Ten Awards

Year End awards will be given to the ten (10) amateurs who earn the most points in showmanship

and performance events in categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 and 10 provided that - (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one amateur basis in amateur events.

- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English Equitation or Western Equitation.

### High Point Amateur of the Year – Performance

A Year End award will be given to the Amateur who earns the most points in showmanship and performance events in categories 1 2 3 4 6 & 8 provided that;

- (a) Points are compiled on a one horse / one amateur basis in amateur events.
- (b) Points must have been earned in at least three (3) classes over two categories.
- (c) A minimum of one point must have been earned in either Showmanship At Halter, English equitation or Western Equitation.
- (d) A minimum of ten (10) points (any combination) must have been earned.

### High Point Amateur of the Year – Halter

A Year End award will be given to the Amateur who earns the most points in Amateur Halter events provided that;

- (a) points are earned on a one horse one exhibitor basis
- (b) a minimum of ten (10) points have been earned

## Amateur Honour Rolls

The amateur earning twenty five (25) or more points with any one horse in approved PHANZ events. **High Points Awards at Approved Shows** 

High point PHANZ Amateur awards, if any, at PHANZ approved shows must be based on a one horse/one rider basis. To be eligible for this award, the contestant must show in at least three (3) classes over two categories. PHANZ Amateur Horse Champion.

This may be awarded to any horse registered in the regular registry who has won fifty (50) or more points in amateur events provided that:

- (a) The points have been won in five (5) or more shows under five (5) or more judges:
- (b) At least sixteen (16) of these points have been won in showmanship classes.
- (c) At least twenty-five (25) of these points have been won in performance classes with a minimum of ten

(10) points each having been earned in at least two (2) categories, excluding categories 5, 7 and 9. These 10 points in at least two categories cannot be earned in a combination of categories.

## 237A - NOVICE DIVISION AMATEUR OWNER

All Amateur Owners are eligible for Novice Amateur Owner status provided they meet the criteria as set out below;

- (a) Novice Amateur Owners must be current financial PHANZ members and current financial PHANZ Amateur Owners.
- (b) There will be two divisions for Novice Amateur Owner Showmanship and Ridden Performance. On attaining 50 lifetime points in Amateur Owner Showmanship classes or a win in an Amateur Owner Showmanship class at a National or Regional Championship show (PHANZ, AQHA or NZWRF), providing there were at least 5 entrants in that class, that Novice Amateur Owner will no longer be eligible for Novice Amateur Owner Showmanship events from the 1st of August after attaining that level.
- (c) On attaining 50 lifetime points in Amateur Owner Ridden Performance classes (combined points from all ridden performance events, not individual events) or a win in an Amateur Owner Ridden Performance class at a National or Regional Championship show (PHANZ, AQHA or NZWRF), providing there were at least 5 entrants in that class, that Novice Amateur Owner will no longer be eligible for Novice Amateur Owner Ridden Performance events from the 1st of August after attaining that level.
- (d) Novice Amateur Owners are eligible to compete in Amateur Owner events and Novice Amateur Owner events.
- (e) An application form will be completed and submitted to the PHANZ for approval by the PHANZ office.
- (f) Any Youth progressing to Amateur Owner will not be eligible for Novice Amateur Showmanship status if they have attained 100 lifetime points in Youth Showmanship events. Any Youth progressing to Amateur Owner will not be eligible for Novice Ridden Performance status if they have attained 100 lifetime points in Youth Ridden Performance events.

## HIGH POINT NOVICE AMATEUR OF NEW ZEALAND

A Year end award will be given to the Novice Amateur with the highest number of points provided that;

(a) points have been earned in a minimum of three events over two categories (b) a minimum of 5 points have been earned.

(c) Points have been accumulated on a one horse / one novice amateur basis

## 238. PHANZ NATIONAL FUTURITIES

- (a) For the Weanling and Yearling Halter Futurities (only) one or both parents must be registered in the Regular or Paint Bred Registry of the PHANZ.
- (b) Foal/Yearling progeny of Paint Bred Horses are eligible if they have at least one PHANZ Regular Registered parent.
- (c) Owner/Exhibitor/Rider must be a financial member of the PHANZ.
- (d) All mares and stallions must be registered prior foal nomination being accepted for the foal futurities.

PHANZ National Futurities will always be held in conjunction with the PHANZ National Show.

Foal Futurity - Mare nominations are prior to August 1<sup>st</sup> of year foaling.

Yearling futurity - open to all yearlings from the previous years foal futurity.

All other futurities open to all registered Paint Horses.

(e) Weanlings must have reached a minimum age of 12 weeks before they can be shown and are not to be shown before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January of their weanling year.

## 240. RIDE NEW ZEALAND PROGRAM

The Ride New Zealand program will recognise PHANZ registered horses which do not always compete in shows, as well as those that do so. This program will give incentive for owners to promote their horses in all equestrian fields.

Members can accumulate hours in Endurance Rides, Harness Driving, Organised Trail Rides, Pony Club, Agricultural Shows, EFA Competitions, PHANZ / NZWRF / AQHA Approved Shows, or simply by riding their horse for leisure.

Awards will be recognised and printed in the official PHANZ newsletter.

### GUIDELINES

The enrolment is for the life for the horse.

Hours will not be credited until such time as the horse is enrolled, the fee paid and the owner a financial member of the PHANZ. Should the rider not be the owner, then they also must be a financial member of the PHANZ.

The enrolment fee is an annual fee. The due date is determined by the date paid. I.e. if the first enrolment is paid on the 23/12/99, then the fee will fall due again on the 23/12/00. No further hour credits will accumulate until fees due are paid, however existing hours will not be lost.

Horses under three years of age are not eligible for enrolment.

Hour credits remain with the horse and are transferred with the horse on transfer of ownership.

At the conclusion of each event or each ride/drive the owner must complete a Ride New Zealand Record Sheet with the details. Only hours as recorded on the Ride New Zealand Record Sheets will be accepted. As each sheet is filled it is to be returned to the PHANZ to have the hours officially recorded. The onus is on the owner to submit a record of hours to the PHANZ Office.

When a Ride New Zealand Record Sheet is filled it must be returned to the PHANZ within thirty days of the date of the last entry in order to be accepted. Sheets returned thirty one to sixty days late will be accepted with payment of a late fee. Forms submitted after sixty days of the last date will not be accepted. All hours are accumulated as lifetime totals with awards given at certain milestones. There are no annual Honour Roll Awards for the Ride New Zealand program.

## AWARDS

100 hours 250 hours 500 hours 1000 hours Ride New Zealand Gelding of the Year Awarded to the gelding enrolled in the program with the highest number of accumulated hours. To be eligible for the award horses must have recorded a minimum of fifty hours for that year.

# 241. HIGHEST PLACED PHANZ REGISTERED HORSE –NRHA & NCHA FUTURITY SHOW.

The PHANZ may decide to award a trophy buckle annually to the Highest placed PHANZ registered horse competing at the NRHA Futurity Show and also a trophy buckle to the

Highest placed PHANZ registered horse competing at the NCHA Futurity Show. That to be eligible for the buckle the horse must be either regular registered or paint bred registered. If more than one eligible horse is shown at the NRHA / NCHA Futurity shows, preference for the award will be given to the horse in the Open Futurity. In the event of a tie – the method of breaking the tie shall be – preference will be given to the highest placed horse in the Open Futurity, then the Open Reining, then the Non-Pro, then other at the discretion of the PHANZ Committee. In the event of there still being a tie, the horse with highest individual scoring run, earned from events within the full competition, will be the winner.

## 242. TROPHIES

Members, who are awarded any PHANZ and/or donated/sponsored trophies, cups, shields, must sign for them thus accepting full responsibility for the return of the award in acceptable good clean condition in the timeframe as requested by PHANZ.

#### MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE PAINT HORSE ASSOCIATION OF NEW ZEALAND INC.

- 1. The name of the Incorporated Society is The Paint Horse Association of New Zealand.
- 2. The objects for which the Association is established are:
  - a. To do all things and take all such steps as it may from time to time consider necessary for the research, breeding, protection, advancement, promotion or furtherance of the Paint Horse Breeding Industry and/or The Paint Horse breeders engaged in that industry and in particular to promote the development of the Paint breed of horse in New Zealand.
  - b. To do all acts and things necessary to take over the funds and other assets of the present incorporated association known as The Paint Horse Association of New Zealand.
  - c. To secure to the members all the advantages of unanimity of action and the protection of the interests of Paint Horse breeders in all matters affecting the occupation and development of the Paint Horse breed and other matters connected therewith.
  - d. To act in conjunction with and to affiliate with bodies or other Associations whose objects altogether or in part are of similar nature to those of the Association in any part of Australia or elsewhere and to send delegates to conferences held by such bodies or Associations or to others where subjects of interest to the Association are to be discussed.
  - i. To acquire records and historical data concerning the origin importation into and development of the strain of The Paint Horses in New Zealand and elsewhere.
  - j. To compile print and publish at intervals a stud book of registered The Paint Horse stallions and mares.
  - k. To conduct promote and sponsor Horse Shows for the showing and promotion of The Paint Horse.

- I. To promote sponsor and carry on Gymkhanas Horse Races Hunting and such other sports games recreations and entertainments for the promotion of The Paint Horse.
- m. To purchase take on lease or in exchange or otherwise acquire any lands buildings easements rights in common or property real or personal which may be required for the purpose of the Association or conveniently used in connection with any of the objects of the Association and to sell demise mortgage give in exchange or dispose of any lands buildings easements rights or property real or personal the property of the Association or any part thereof.
- n. To develop and turn to account any land acquired by the Association or in which it is interested, and in particular by laying out and preparing the same for building purposes, constructing, altering, pulling down, decorating, maintaining, fitting up, and improving buildings, and by planting, paving, draining, farming, cultivating and letting of building lease or building agreement, and by advancing money to and entering into contracts and arrangements of all kinds with builders and others.
- o. To effect improvement on such property mentioned in sub-clause (m) and to enter into all necessary contracts with workmen or other persons for the carrying out of such improvements and for the maintaining of same.
- p. To enter into any arrangements with any Government or authorities supreme municipal local or otherwise that may seem conducive to the Association's objects or any of them and to obtain from such Government or authority any rights privileges and concessions which the Association may think it desirable to obtain and to carry out exercise and comply with any such arrangements rights privileges and concessions. To co-operate with the Departments of Primary Industries, Universities, Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation, and any other research, technical and extension organization interested in Horse Breeding ,in the promotion of improved methods and efficiency of horse breeding by means of technical and scientific knowledge and in other directions that may be deemed necessary from time to time.
- q. To support from time to time any newspaper or newspapers, periodicals, pamphlets or magazines now or hereafter to be published whose policy would or would be likely to further the objects of the Association, and to establish acquire or purchase or from time to time appoint any such newspaper or newspapers, periodicals, pamphlet and magazines as the official paper of the Association, and at the pleasure of the Association to withdraw such support, or to sell or to withdraw such nomination or appointment as agreed.
- r. To establish and support or aid in the establishment of Associations Institutions Funds Trusts and Conveniences calculated to benefit the members employees or ex-employees of the Association and to grant pensions and allowances and to make payments towards insurance and to subscribe to guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects or for any public general or useful object.
- s. To undertake subscribe or otherwise aid undertakings and Associations for the purposes of opening out or protecting the breed of The Paint Horse or to make experiments or investigations in connection with any of the objects of the Association or any class or Department of its business directly or indirectly or to join with any other person or persons Company or Companies in doing the above and to contribute to the expenses thereof.

- t. To apply the money of the Association in any way in or towards the establishment maintenance or extension of any Association Company Institution or Fund in any way connected with the particular objects of the Association including any Association Institution Fund for the protection of the interests of Masters and Owners of The Paint Horses.
- u. To apply the money of the Association in any way in or towards the establishment maintenance or extension of any Association Company Institution or Fund for the protection of the interest of employees or ex-employees against loss by bad debts strikes workmen's combinations fire accident or otherwise or for the benefit of any clerks servants workmen or others at any time employed by the Association or their families and whether or not in common with other classes of persons and to grant pensions and allowances and to contribute to any fund raised by local or public subscription or to guarantee money for or to subscribe to any charitable or benevolent objects or for any public general or useful objects whatsoever.
- v. To borrow or raise money on any terms and conditions and to secure the repayment thereof by the issue of debentures or debenture stock perpetual or otherwise and to secure the repayment of any monies borrowed raised or owing by Mortgage Charge or Lien upon the whole or part of the Associations assets (whether present or future).
- w. To draw make accept endorse discount execute and issue cheques promissory notes bills of exchange warrants and debentures and other negotiable and transferable instruments.
- x. To remunerate any employee or employees of the Association over and above the obligation in that regard described by law by such means as shall be deemed fit.
- y. To apply for and obtain any provisional order or Act of Parliament or order or decree of any Court for enabling the Association to extend its objects or to carry any of its objects into full effect or for effecting any modification of the association's constitution or for any other purpose which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit the Association and to oppose any provisional order bill in Parliament proceedings application which may seem directly or indirectly opposed to or calculated to prejudice the Association's interests.
- z. To procure Association by such means as may appear expedient to be registered or recognized in any foreign country or place to do all such things as are incidental or conducive (or which in the opinion of the Board are incidental or conducive) to the attainment of any of the objects in this Memorandum.
- aa. To provide for members of the Association and other persons all articles or services used or necessary in connection with the breeding showing or otherwise of The Paint Horse.
- bb. To provide for members of the Association and other persons all articles or services on the Association's premises and as an Association to supply all kinds of liquor and tobacco provisions and refreshments required or used by the members of the Association or other persons or their permitted guests.
- cc. To give pensions gratuities, Christmas boxes or charitable aid to any employee who may have served the Association or to the wife widow children or other relative of such employee and to make payments towards insurances and to form and contribute to provident and benefit funds for the benefit of any employees of the Association.

- dd. To remunerate any person for services rendered or to be rendered for placing or assisting to place or guaranteeing the placing of any of the debentures or other securities of the Association.
- ee. To raise money by subscriptions and to grant rights and privileges to subscribers.
- ff. To devote part of the funds of the Association towards expenses of any horse shows gymkhanas or other events of all kinds and towards the provisions of prizes and trophies.
- gg. To invest and deal with the money of the Association not immediately required in such manner as may be permitted by law in the investment of trust funds.
- hh. To establish maintain and carry on ground and building for the accommodation of members of the Association or other persons and their permitted guests and generally to afford to them all the usual privileges advantages conveniences and accommodation of the Association.
- ii. Generally to do all such things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects and it is hereby declared that in the interpretation of this clause the meaning of any of the Association's objects shall not be restricted.
- jj. By reference to any other object or by juxtaposition of two or more objects and that in the event of ambiguity this clause shall be construed in such way to widen and not to restrict powers of the Association.
- kk. To make arrangements as may be advisable or necessary for the insuring of the Association and members thereof against:
- Liability for accidental injury either before during or after any practice or competition on the Association's premises however caused and whether due to negligence of the Association or any officer or employee servant or agent or member thereof or the servant or agent of any member otherwise or whether such liability be to any member or any person not a member.
- 2. Loss incurred by the Association through theft or misappropriation or damage of or to its assets or property by the omission of any person (including its employee's servants or agents for any purpose)
- 3. By such insurances whether life or otherwise as may be reasonably procurable to secure repayment of all monies due or to become due by the unincorporated Association or the Association to whoever may have lent or may lend money to either the said Associations.
- 3. The income and property of the Association whencesoever derived shall be applied solely towards the promotion of the objects of the Association as set forth in this Memorandum of Association: and no portion thereof shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly by way of bonds or otherwise howsoever by way of profit to the members of the Association provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the payment in good faith in remuneration to any officer or servant of the Association being a trader in supplies of the kind ordinarily required by such an Association receiving payment market rates for any necessary goods of a kind dealt in by him and supplied to the Association nor prevent the payment of out-of-pocket expenses to any member elected or appointed by the Association as a delegate to attend and represent the Association to send delegates; nor prevent the payment of interest at a rate not exceeding the rate for the time

being charged by bankers in New Zealand for overdrawn accounts on money lent or reasonable and proper rent for premises demised or let to any member of the Association.

- 4. The liability of the members of the association is limited.
- 5. Every member of the Association undertakes to contribute to the assets of the Association in the event of same being wound up during the time he or she is a member or within one year afterwards for the payment of the debts and liabilities of the Association contracted before the time at which he or she ceased to be a member and the costs charges and expenses of winding up of the Association and for the adjustment of the rights and contribution amongst themselves such amounts as may be required not exceeding Twenty Dollars (\$20.00).
- 6. Upon the winding up or dissolution of the Association there remains after satisfaction of all its debts and liabilities any property whatsoever the same shall not be paid to or distributed amongst the members of the Association but shall be given or transferred to some Institution or Institutions having objects similar or in part similar to the objects of the Association and which shall prohibit the distribution of its or their income and property among its or their members to an extent at least as great as is imposed on the Association under or by virtue of the third paragraph hereof such Institution or Institutions to be determined by the members of the Association at or before the time of dissolution and in default thereof by such Judge of the New Zealand High Court as may have or acquire jurisdiction in the matter and if and so far as effect cannot be given to the foregoing provisions then to some charitable object.
- 7. True accounts shall be kept of the sums of money received and expended by the Association and the manner in respect of such receipt of expenditure takes place and of the property credits and liabilities of the Association subject to any reasonable restrictions as to time and manner in inspecting the same that may be imposed in accordance with the

Regulations of the Association for the time being shall be open to the inspection of the members. Once at least every year the accounts of the Association shall be examined by one or more properly qualified Auditor or Auditors.

# CONSTITUTION (Rules) OF THE PAINT HORSE ASSOCIATION OF NEW ZEALAND Inc.

1. In these presents, unless there be something in the subject or context inconsistent therewith:

"the law" means in accordance with the Incorporated Societies Act 1908.

"the Association" means the Paint Horse Association of New Zealand Inc.

"a Paint Horse" means by definition a horse registered in the Regular Registry of the Association. "the committee" means the Committee members of the Association as provided for in these Articles of Association.

"the Secretary" means a committee member appointed to perform the duties of a secretary of the Association.

"the office" means the office for the time being of the Association.

"the register" means the register of members to be kept pursuant to the Law.

"month" means calendar month.

"in writing" means written or printed, or partly written and partly printed.

"financial member" shall be a member who is not more than two months in arrears in the payment of his annual subscription.

"financial year" means the period commencing on the first day of July in any year and ending on the thirtieth day of June in the following year or such other yearly period as the Board may from time to time determine.

"the seal" means the common seal of the Association.

"a sub committee" is a committee of at least one person appointed or delegated by the Executive Committee to carry out any designated functions or duties.

"the newsletter" means the magazine for the time being of the Association.

Expressions referring to writing shall, unless the contrary intention appears, be construed as including references to printing, lithography, photography and other methods of representing or reproducing words in a visible form.

Words or expressions contained in this constitution shall be interpreted in accordance with the law of the Incorporated Society relating to Societies in force at the date at which this constitution becomes binding on the Association.

Where hereinafter used words importing the masculine gender shall include the female gender and words importing the singular number shall include the plural and visa versa unless the context shall otherwise require.

- 2. The Association is established for the purposes set out in the Memorandum of Association.
- 3. The number of members with which the Association proposes to be registered is five hundred (500) but the Committee may from time to time register an increase of members.
- 4. The subscribers to the Memorandum of Association and such other persons as the Committee shall admit to membership in accordance with the constitution shall be members of the Association.
- 5. Subject to the constitution of the Association membership of the Association is available only to a person, marriage or defacto partnership or family who is the owner of a Paint Horse eligible for registration by the Association or any person, corporation, firm, partnership, institution, executor or trustee who proves his interest in a Paint Horse provided that;
- (a) Any financial member of the incorporated Association known as the Paint Horse Association shall be entitled to membership of the Association as from the date of its incorporation under the Law without being proposed and elected in terms of Constitution Rule 6 hereof and every such member who agrees in writing to become a member of the Association shall be admitted to membership of the Association and the Secretary shall forthwith enter the name, address and description of each such member in the register required to be kept in terms of the Law; and
- (b) Any then financial member of the said incorporated Association shall not be bound to pay any subscription to the Association for the financial year in which the Association is unincorporated under the said Law; and
- (c) Any person who on payment of his subscription for the relevant year to the incorporated Association would be a financial member thereof shall be entitled to membership of the Association and on prepayment of such subscription to the

Association shall be deemed entitled to membership and registration as if Article (a) applied to him.

(d) Any Life Member of the said incorporated Association shall be and be deemed to be a Life Member of the Association. Any Full Member upon paying the prescribed Life Membership fee may apply to become a Life Member of the Association and shall become a Life Member of the Association only when notified in writing by the Committee of the acceptance of his application. The current Life Membership fee is \$550.00 but may be varied from time to time and at any time by the Committee in its absolute discretion.

(a) Subject to Constitution Rule 5 every application for membership shall be made in writing signed by the applicant and shall be in such form and shall contain such information as the Committee may, from time to time or in any particular case, prescribe. Every such application shall be lodged with the Secretary and shall be accompanied by payment to the Association of the prescribed entrance fee, if any, and annual subscription for the current year. At the next meeting of the Committee after receipt of any application for membership the Committee shall, by a simple majority of the members present at that meeting, elect or reject the applicant as a member of the Association or shall adjourn its consideration of any application until the next meeting of the Committee and in no case shall the Committee be obliged to give any reason for rejecting any applicant or adjourning its consideration of any application. Upon the election by the Committee of an applicant for membership the Secretary shall forthwith send to the applicant written notice of his election and the applicant shall become a member of the Association bound by its Memorandum and it's constitution and the Secretary shall forthwith enter the name, address and description of such applicant in the register required to be kept in terms of the Law. In the event of any application being withdrawn by an applicant or rejected by the Committee the entrance fee, if any, and annual subscription fee paid by the applicant shall be refunded to him. A candidate shall become a member of the Association upon approval of his proposal and on election the Secretary shall notify the new member of that fact by prepaid letter sent to the address given as above required and request payment of his prescribed nomination fee and the annual subscription for the current year.

Despite his election as a member, no newly elected member shall be entitled to enjoy any of the rights, privileges or benefits of the Association until all such payments have been made. When made he shall become a member of the Association. If such payments are not made within one calendar month from the date of the posting of the aforesaid notification by the Secretary, the election as member shall be void unless the candidate shall show sufficient cause for such delay in payment to the satisfaction of the Committee.

- (b) The membership of the Association shall be classified as follows;
- (i) Honorary Life Members being those members who have been admitted to Honorary Life Membership in accordance with these Articles of Association and who are eligible to vote.
- (ii) Life Members being those members who have been admitted to Life Membership in accordance with these Articles of Association and who are eligible to vote.

- (iii) Adult Members being those members, nineteen years of age or older, other than Honorary Life Members, Life Members or Constituent Members and who are eligible to vote.
- (iv) Youth Members being those members, under the age of nineteen years, other than Constituent Members, who are ineligible to vote and who are ineligible to nominate candidates for election pursuant to Article 14 (a).
- (v) Family Members being those members who are either groups of individuals, families, married or defacto partnerships and who are entitled to two votes that is one vote for each separate individual.
- (c) (i) Subject to Article 5 (d) any Full Member of the Association may be admitted as a Life Member of the Association upon paying to the Association such life membership fees as the Association may from time to time prescribe.
- (ii) In each year, on the recommendation of the Committee, the Association in Annual General Meeting may elect not more than two persons to be Honorary Life Members of the Association and upon such election the persons concerned shall be admitted as Honorary Life Members of the Association without payment for such membership.
- (iii) An admitted Life Member or Honorary Life Member shall be entitled to all the privileges of a Full Member but not including the provision of any Newsletters for the remainder of his life unless he resigns or is suspended or expelled from the Association.
- (iv) The provisions of the constitution of the Association relating to the payment of annual subscriptions shall not apply to Life Members or Honorary Life Members of the Association except in relation to the Newsletter subscription which is payable each and every year.
- 7. The nomination fee if any and any annual subscription fee payable by members of the Association shall be as such as the Committee in meeting shall from time to time prescribe. All members of the Association may be entitled to a copy of the Association's Official Newsletter, the cost of which can be either included in the annual subscription or by a separate journal subscription as the Committee shall from time to time determine.
- 8. All annual subscriptions shall become due and payable in advance on the first day of June in every year.
- 9. If the subscription of any member shall remain unpaid for a period of two calendar months after it has become due then the member may after notice of the default shall have been sent to him by the Secretary be debarred from all privileges of membership and his name may be removed from the register of members provided that the Committee may if it deems fit reinstate the member and restore his name to the register upon payment of all arrears and if the Committee thinks fit to do so.
- 10. A member may at any time by giving notice in writing to the Secretary resign his membership of the Association but shall continue liable for any annual subscription and all arrears due and unpaid at the date of his resignation and for all other monies due by him to the Association and in addition for any sum not exceeding twenty dollars (\$20.00) which he is liable as a member of the Association under Clause 5 of the Memorandum of Association of the Association.
- 11. (a) (i) If any member shall wilfully refuse or neglect to comply with the provisions of the Memorandum or the constitution of the Association or shall be guilty of any

conduct which in the opinion of the Committee is unbecoming of a member or prejudicial to the interests of the Association the Committee shall have the power to censure, suspend or expel the member from the Association and remove his name from the register provided that at least twenty one (21) days before the meeting of the Committee at which the resolution for his censure, suspension or expulsion is passed the member shall have had notice of such meeting and of what is alleged against him and of the intended resolution for his censure, suspension or expulsion and that he shall at such meeting before the passing of such resolution have had an opportunity in person or by counsel of giving orally or in writing an explanation or defence he may think fit and provided further that any such member by notice in writing lodged with the Secretary at least twenty four hours before the time for holding the meeting at which the resolution for his censure, suspension or expulsion is to be considered by the Committee elect to have the question of his censure, suspension or expulsion dealt with by the Association in General Meeting of the Association following the expiration of forty (40) days after the lodging of such notice with the Secretary and, if at the meeting a resolution for censure, suspension or expulsion of the member be passed by a majority of two thirds of those present and voting (such vote to be taken by ballot) the member shall be censured, suspended or expelled and his name removed from the register.

(ii) The Committee may take action to reprimand, fine, suspend or expel any member or deregister any horse of which the member is the registered owner in the records of Association if it considers such member to be guilty of fraudulent practices or for any breach of these Articles on whose conduct in any respect as determined by the Committee shall be deemed discriminatory, derogatory or prejudicial to the interests of the Association.

(b) When a suspended member's term of suspension has expired a notice stating that the member's term of suspension is over will be published in the official PHANZ newsletter.

12. (a) (i) The Committee shall consist of a maximum of eleven (11) elected members.

(ii) There shall be an Executive Committee consisting of the President, the Vice President and three additional members to be elected from the committee at each annual meeting.

(b) At the First Annual General Meeting of the Association all the members of the Committee shall retire from office. All retiring members of the Committee shall if duly nominated be eligible for reelection.

- 13. No person shall be elected to the Committee unless he or the entity he represents is at the time of his nomination;
- (a) a financial member of the Association.
- 14. The election of members of the Committee shall take place in the following manner :-(
- (a) Any two (2) financial members of the Association shall be entitled to nominate candidates for election to the Committee to represent the members. All nominations must be in writing signed by the nominating members and by the person nominated as a consent to his nomination and all nominations must be lodged with the Secretary not less than forty five (45) days prior to the Annual General Meeting.
- (b) Not less than thirty five (35) days prior to the Annual General Meeting the Secretary shall prepare and forward to each financial member of the Association a

ballot paper, the names of all candidates nominated for election to the Committee. Each financial member shall be entitled to vote for as many candidates nominated to fill the eleven (11) positions on committee. Completed ballot papers shall be returned to the returning officer to be received by him not less than ten (10) days prior to the Annual General Meeting.

- (c) Members shall elect from the candidates nominated as many candidates as may be required to bring the total number of members of the Committee to the number in accordance with these Articles of Association.
- (d) In the event of insufficient candidates being nominated to fill the vacancies on the Committee the Chairman of the Annual General Meeting shall declare the candidates so nominated duly elected and shall thereupon call for the nomination of further candidates to fill any remaining vacancies on the Committee, and in that event further candidates, may be nominated by any two financial members of the Association present at such meeting. A ballot shall then be held at the Annual General Meeting, all financial members present at the meeting being entitled to vote for as many candidates as there are vacancies to be filled, and no more, and the remaining vacancies be filled from the candidates nominated at the meeting to represent that particular area.
- (e) In the case of two or more candidates nominated receiving an equal number of votes, whether on a postal ballot or on a ballot held at an Annual General Meeting the Chairman of the Meeting shall have the casting vote.

(f)For the purpose of the constitution of the Association;

i) A member who is a resident in New Zealand shall be deemed to reside at the address entered as his address in the register.

(ii) A member who is not resident in New Zealand shall be deemed to reside in the particular geographical area in New Zealand designated by him by notice in writing lodged with the Secretary not less than ninety (90) days prior to the Annual General Meeting.

15. At the first Annual General Meeting of the Association and thereafter at succeeding Annual General Meeting elections for the Committee shall be conducted in accordance with the following practice: (a) At the first Committee Meeting following each Annual General Meeting the members of the Committee shall elect, from among its members, persons to fill the following offices: Secretary, Treasurer and Registrar.

(b) Each of such office bearers, when elected, shall be entitled to hold office until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting, when each such office bearer shall retire or until such office bearer ceases to be a member of the Committee, whichever occurs the sooner.

(c) All retiring office bearers shall, provided they are still members of the Committee, be eligible for re-election.

(d) The Committee shall have the power at any time and from time to time to appoint a member of the Committee to fill any casual vacancy occurring among the office bearers. (e) The Committee may, by a resolution passed by a majority of not less than one half of the members of the Committee for the time being, remove any office bearer before the expiration of his period of office and appoint another member of the Committee in his stead.

16. The Association may from time to time by resolution passed at a General Meeting increase or reduce the number of members of the Committee and may also determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to retire from office.

# CASUAL VACANCY

17. The Committee shall have power at any time and from time to time to appoint any financial member of the Association to fill any casual vacancy occurring in the Committee but so that the total number of members of the Committee specified in Rule 12 does not at any stage exceed the number fixed in accordance with the Constitution of the Association. Any person appointed as a member of the Committee pursuant to this Article shall hold office only until the commencement of the next following Annual General Meeting and shall, if duly nominated, be eligible for re-election but shall not be taken into account in determining the members of the Committee who are to retire by rotation at that meeting.

The procedure for appointing any financial member to fill any casual vacancy on the Committee shall be as follows;

- (a) First, by the unsuccessful candidate who received the highest number of votes at the election of members of the Committee immediately preceding the casual vacancy;
  (b) Secondly, if the unsuccessful candidate in (a) above is unwilling or unable to be appointed by the other candidates for that geographic area at the election in descending order of the number of votes; and
- 18. Subject to the provisions of the Law the Association may by resolution, remove any member of the Committee before the expiration of his period of office. In that event the Association shall by resolution appoint in his stead another person. Any person appointed as a member of the Committee pursuant to this Article shall be subject to retirement at the same time as if he had become a member of the Committee on the day on which the member in whose place he is appointed was last elected a member of the Committee.
- 19. The office of a member of the Committee shall become vacant if the member :-(
- (a) ceases to be a member of the Committee by virtue of the Law;
- (b) becomes bankrupt or makes any arrangement or composition with his creditors generally;
- (c) becomes prohibited from being a director of a company by reason of any order made under the Law;
- (d) becomes of unsound mind or a person whose person or estate is liable to be dealt with in any way under the law relating to mental health; (e) resigns his office by notice in writing to the Association;

(f) shall fail to attend three consecutive meetings of the Committee without leave of the Committee;

(g) holds any office of profit under the Association; (h) ceases to be a member of the Association; (i) is expelled from the Association.

Provided always that nothing in this Rule shall affect the operation of Clause 3 of the Memorandum of Association of the Association.

# POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE COMMITTEE

20. The business of the Association shall be managed by the Committee who may pay all expenses incurred in promoting and registering the Association and may exercise all such powers of the Association as are not, by the Law or by regulation, required to be exercised by the Association in General Meeting subject, nevertheless, to any of these Rules, to the provision of the Law and to such regulations made thereunder, being not inconsistent with the aforesaid Rules or provisions, as may be prescribed by the Association in General Meeting provided that any rule regulation or by-law of the Association made by the Committee may be disallowed by the Association in General Meeting and provided further that no resolution of or regulations made by the Association in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Committee which would have been valid if that resolution or regulation had not been passed or made.

- 21. The Committee may exercise all the powers of the Association to borrow money and to mortgage or charge its property, or any part thereof, and to issue debentures and other securities whether outright or as security for any debt liability or obligation of the Association, and the Committee may on behalf of the Association enter into contracts to purchase or take up freehold land or enter into any lease or contract deemed necessary to protect or further the interests of the Association but any contract to purchase or take up freehold land shall be subject to confirmation by the Association in General Meeting and the Committee shall cause an Special General Meeting to be held, when necessary, for the purpose of securing such confirmation.
- 22. All cheques, promissory notes, drafts, bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments, and all receipts for money paid to the Association shall be drawn, accepted, endorsed or otherwise executed, as the case may be, by any two members of the Committee or in such manner as the Committee from time to time may determine.
- 23. The Committee shall cause minutes to be made;
- (a) of all appointments of officers and servants;
- (b) of names of members of the Committee present at all meetings of the Association and of the Committee; and
- (c) of all proceedings at all meetings of the Association and of the Committee.

Such minutes shall be signed by the Chairman of the meeting at which the proceedings were held or by the Chairman of the next succeeding meeting.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE

- 24. The Committee may meet together for the despatch of business, adjourn and otherwise regulate its meetings as it thinks fit. Members of the Committee may at any time and the Secretary shall on the requisition of five (5) members of the Committee, summon a meeting of the Committee.
- 25. Subject to these Rules questions arising at any meeting of the Committee shall be decided by a majority of votes and a determination of a majority of the members of the Committee shall for all purposes be deemed a determination of the Committee. In case of an equality of the votes the Chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.
- 26. A member of the Committee shall not vote in respect of any contract or proposed contract with the Association in which he is interested or any matter arising thereout and if he does so vote his vote shall not be counted.

- 27. The quorum necessary for the transaction of the business of the Committee shall be six (6) or such greater number as may be fixed by the Committee.
- 28. The continuing members of the Committee may act notwithstanding any vacancy in the Committee but if and so long as their number is reduced below the number fixed by or pursuant to these Rules as the necessary quorum of the Committee the continuing member or members may act for the purpose of increasing the number of members of the Committee to that number or of summoning a General Meeting of the Association but for no other purpose.
- 29. The President shall preside as Chairman at every meeting of the Committee or if there is no President or if at any meeting he is not present within ten minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, the Vice President shall be Chairman or if the Vice President is not present at the meeting then the members present may choose one of their number to be Chairman of the meeting.
- 30. The Committee may delegate any of its powers to sub committees consisting of such member or members as they think fit. Any sub committee so formed shall in the exercise of the powers so delegated conform to any regulations that may be imposed on it by the Committee.
- 31. A sub committee may elect a Chairman of its meeting. If no such Chairman is elected or, if at any meeting the Chairman is not present within ten minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, the members present may choose one of their numbers to be Chairman of the meeting.
- 32. A sub committee may, subject to any regulation imposed on it by the Committee, meet and adjourn as it thinks fit. Questions arising at any meeting of a sub committee shall be determined by a majority of votes of the members present. The Chairman of a sub committee shall have a deliberative vote only and shall not have a second or casting vote. Any member of the Association who feels aggrieved by any decision of a sub committee may by notice in writing, lodged with the Secretary within one (1) month of the date of the decision, appeal against the decision to the Committee.
- 33. All acts done by any meeting of the Committee or of a sub committee or by any person acting as a member of the Committee shall, notwithstanding that it is afterwards discovered that there was some defect in the appointment of any such member of the Committee or person acting as aforesaid, or that the members of the Committee or any of them were disqualified be as valid as if every such person had been duly appointed and was qualified to be a member of the Committee.
- 34. A resolution in writing signed by a majority of the Committee for the time being entitled to receive notice of a meeting of the Committee shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Committee duly convened and held.
- 35. Subject to the provisions of the Law the Committee shall be the sole authority for the interpretation of any part or parts of these Articles of Association and any rules by-laws regulations made thereunder and the decision of the Committee upon any interpretation or upon any matter affecting the Association and not provided for by the Constitution of the Association or by any rules by-laws or regulations made hereunder shall be final and binding on members.

### GENERAL MEETINGS

36. An Annual General Meeting of the Association shall be held in accordance with the provisions of the

Law at such time and place as the Committee shall appoint. All General Meetings other than Annual General Meetings shall be called Special General Meetings. Financial members only shall be entitled to attend and vote at General Meetings. Any other person may attend but not vote at General Meetings subject to the provisions of Article 42(d) and (e).

- 37. The following business shall be transacted at such Annual General Meetings :-(
- a) The approval of the minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting and a consideration of any matters arising there from.
- b) Consideration of the President's Annual Report, Financial Statements and Auditor's Report.
- c) Consideration of any notices of motion duly lodged with the Secretary.
- d) Election of the Committee in accordance with these Articles. (e) Election of Auditors.
- 38. All business shall be special that is transacted at an Special General Meeting and also all that is transacted at an Annual General Meeting with the exception of the consideration of the Accounts, balance sheets, the report of the President, Vice President, Treasurer, Committee members and Auditors, the election of members of the Committee in the place of those retiring and the appointment and the fixing of the remuneration of the Auditors.
- 39. Any business which any financial member may desire to submit for discussion at the Annual General Meeting of the Association shall be submitted to the Committee prior to twenty eight (28) clear days of the date appointed for the Annual General Meeting and any resolution to be considered at the Annual General Meeting shall not be accepted unless it is lodged with the Company Secretary twenty eight (28) clear days prior to the date of the Annual General Meeting.
- 40. Five (5) members of the Committee or fifteen (15) financial members of the Association may whenever they think fit convene an Special General Meeting and the Special General Meetings shall be convened on such requisition or in default may be convened by such requisitions as provided by the Law.
- 41. Subject to the provisions of the Law relating to special resolutions and agreements for shorter notice, fourteen days' notice at the least (exclusive of the day on which the notice is served or deemed to be served but inclusive of the day for which notice is given) specifying the place the day and the hour of meeting and in the case of special business the general nature of that business shall be given to each persons as are entitled to receive such notices from the Association.

# (a) QUORUM

42. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting unless a quorum of members is present at the time when the meeting proceeds to business. Save as herein otherwise provided, ten (10) financial members personally present shall be a quorum. If within half an hour of the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting shall stand adjourned to such day and place as the Chairman of the meeting may determine and if at the adjourned meeting a quorum is not present within half an hour from the time appointed for the adjourned meeting these members who are present and entitled to vote shall be a quorum.

### (d) ADJOURNMENT

The Chairman may, with the consent of any meeting at which a quorum is present (and shall if so directed by the meeting), adjourn the meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place. It shall not be necessary to give any notice of an adjournment or of the business to be transacted at an adjourned meeting.

#### (e) CHAIRMAN

The President shall preside as Chairman at every General Meeting of the Association, or if there is no President, or if he is not present within half an hour of the time appointed for holding the meeting or is unwilling to act, the Vice President shall preside as Chairman, or if the Vice Present is not present or unwilling to act, then the members shall elect one of their number to be Chairman of the meeting. In the case of an equality of votes, whether on a show of hands or on a poll, the Chairman of the General Meeting at which the show of hands takes place or at which the poll is demanded shall be entitled to a second or casting vote.

#### (f) PROXIES

A member may vote in person or by proxy or by attorney, and subject to the provisions of Rule 59, on a show of hands every person present who is a financial member or a representative of a financial member, shall have one vote and on a poll or ballot every financial member who is present in person or by proxy or by attorney or other duly authorised representative shall have one vote.

#### (g) PROXY INSTRUMENT

The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointer or of his attorney duly authorised in writing or, if the appointer is a corporation either under seal or under the hand of an officer or attorney duly authorised. A proxy may but need not be a member of the Association. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deemed to confer authority to demand or join in demanding a poll.

#### (h) FORM OF PROXY

Where it is desired to afford members an opportunity of voting for or against a resolution the instrument appointing a proxy shall be in the following form or a form as near thereto as circumstances admit:-

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		of		as my	proxy to vote for	
my on my behalf at the (Annual or Extraordinary as the case may be) General Meeting						
of the Association to be held on the day of 20 and at						
any adjournment thereof.						

Signed this	day of					
This form to be used in favour of the resolution numbered						
This form to be used against the resolution numbered						
Signature						

Unless otherwise provided above the person appointed as a proxy may vote as he deems fit.

# (i) DEPOSIT OF PROXY

The instrument appointing a proxy and the power of attorney or other authority, if any, under which it is signed or a notarially certified copy of that power or authority shall be deposited at the registered office of the Association, or at such other place within New Zealand as is specified for that purpose in the notice convening the meeting, by 11.00am not less than three working days before the time for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in the instrument proposes to vote or in the case of a poll, not less than twenty four hours before the time appointed for the taking of the poll and in default the instrument of proxy shall not be treated as valid.

# (j) PROXY VOTE

A vote given in accordance with the terms of an instrument of a proxy or attorney shall be valid notwithstanding the previous death or unsoundness of mind of the principal or revocation of the instrument or of the authority under which the instrument was executed, if no intimation in writing of such death, unsoundness of mind, or revocation as aforesaid has been received by the Association at the registered office before the commencement of the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the instrument is used.

# (k) VOTING

Except as otherwise specified in these Articles voting at all meetings shall be by a show of hands or if demanded by any three (3) members either by actual division or by secret ballot.

# (I) RULES FOR DEBATE

The following rules of debates shall apply;

i) Members shall stand while speaking, and shall address the Chair. During that time a member is speaking all other members shall remain seated. When the Chairman rises to speak no one shall continue standing nor anyone rise until the Chair has been resumed.

- (ii) No member shall speak except to a motion before the Chair.
- (iii) No member shall speak for more than five minutes on any motion but, with the consent of the Chairman of the meeting, may continue to speak for a further period not exceeding five minutes but no member except the mover of the motion shall speak more than once on any one motion.
- (iv) The mover and seconder shall address the meeting after, and not before, the motion is seconded but with the consent of the Chairman the mover may address the meeting before his motion is seconded.

- (v) A member who formally seconds a motion or amendment without making a speech may speak in support at a subsequent stage of the debate.
- (vi) The mover of an original motion but not of an amendment (unless it becomes the motion) shall have a general right of reply and after his reply no further discussion shall be allowed. When exercising his right of reply the mover shall not introduce therein any new matter but shall confine himself strictly to answering arguments against the motion.
- (vii) Any member may address to the Chair a question upon the matter before the meeting.
- (viii) Any member, upon request by Chairman, may reply to the question.
- (ix) Any member during the debate may raise a point of order when the member speaking shall sit down until the point of order has been decided. The member rising to order shall state concisely the point of order and the Chairman without further discussion shall give his ruling.
- (x) It shall be competent for any member to move a motion of dissent from the Chairman's ruling. The mover of the motion of dissent shall concisely state his point. The seconder and the Chairman only shall speak to the motion.
- (xi) The speaker shall not digress from the subject under discussion and imputations of improper motives and all personal reflections on members shall be deemed disorderly.

(xii)No member shall interrupt another while speaking except on a point of Order. (xiii) At any time during the debate any member may, without notice, move "That the question be now put" and such motion being duly seconded shall then be put without debate. If carried, the question shall be put to vote. If lost the debate shall proceed.

(xiv) At any time after a motion has been moved and seconded any member may move an amendment thereto which shall not be discussed until it has been seconded. (xv) Any speaker shall have the right to indicate his intention to propose a further amendment to the subject under discussion.

(xvi) No second amendment shall be taken into consideration until the previous amendment has been disposed of.

(xvii) The Chairman shall put the amendment to the meeting first and, if carried, it shall be deemed to have quashed the original motion and for all purposes of discussion the amendment so carried shall be acted upon as the original motion. When the amendment has been decided a further amendment may be moved which, if carried, shall in turn supersede the motion. If there be no amendment the original motion shall be put after the mover has replied.

(xviii)The Chairman shall refuse to receive any amendment which is a direct negative or which does not preserve the substance of the original motion.

(xix) When two speakers have spoken in favour of a motion under discussion there shall not be any further discussion unless the next speaker speaks to the contrary.

(xx) No resolution passed at any meeting of the Association shall be rescinded or amended at any subsequent meeting of the Association unless notice of such intended rescission or amendment is given in the notice convening the meeting at which such rescission or amendment is proposed.

### SECRETARY

43. The Committee shall appoint a Secretary for such term and upon such conditions as determined from time to time by the Committee. He shall hold office at the pleasure of the Committee and shall perform all such duties as the Committee may from time to time direct. He shall be entitled to vote at Committee Meetings. He shall be subject to the provisions of Clause 3 of the Memorandum of Association.

#### COMPLAINTS

44. If any member wishes to make any complaint he shall make such complaint in writing signed by him to the Secretary who, if he shall be unable to deal with any such complaint, shall submit it to the Committee whose decision thereon shall be final unless varied or reversed on motion made clear under this constitution at an Annual General Meeting of the Association. No complaints made via email will be accepted.

### 45. ACCOUNTS AND FUNDS

- (a) The Committee shall cause true accounts to be kept of all sums of money received and expended by the Association and the matters in respect of which such receipt and expenditure take place and of the assets and liabilities of the Association.
- (b) The Books of Account shall be kept by an appointed Treasurer of the Association or at such other place or places as the Committee thinks fit.
- (c) The Committee shall from time to time determine in accordance with Clause 7 of the Memorandum of Association at what times and places and under what conditions or regulations the accounts and books of the Association or any of them shall be open to inspection by the members and no member or any other person shall have the right to inspect any account, book or documents of the Association except as conferred by statute or by Clause 7 of the Memorandum of Association or as authorised by the Committee or by the Association in General Meeting. However, the books and accounts shall at all times be open to inspection by the members of the Committee and Auditor.
- (d) All monies of the Association, unless otherwise authorised by the Committee, shall lodge in the name of the Association with the Association's bankers for the time being.
- (e) All accounts due by the Association shall be paid by cheque to be signed by the Treasurer and/or the President and/or Vice President or by such other person authorised by the Committee.
- (f) A receipt on the Association's printed form shall be issued by the Treasurer for all monies received on behalf of the Association.
- (g) All accounts must be passed for payment by the Committee or in so far as authority has been delegated to such person or persons so delegated.
- (h) The Treasurer shall submit to the Committee every two months, unless otherwise instructed, a statement of receipts and expenditure and outstanding accounts.
- (i) The Annual Financial Statements and Balance Sheet before being presented to the Annual General Meeting shall be audited by the Association's Auditor.
- (j) The Annual Financial Statements shall be so presented as to show separately the results of each activity or undertaking of the Association.

# 46. AUDIT

- (a) The Annual General Meeting of the Association each year shall elect an Auditor to hold office until the next Annual Meeting. The retiring Auditor shall be eligible for reelection.
- (b) No member of the Committee is eligible for election as Auditor.
- (c) No person shall be competent to be elected to act as Auditor who is or becomes indebted to the Association. If any person, after being elected Auditor shall become indebted to the Association his office shall thereupon be vacated.
- (d) The Committee may appoint any person to fill any casual vacancy in the office of Auditor until next Annual General Meeting.
- (e) The Auditor shall have a right to access at all times to the books, accounts and vouchers of the Association and shall be entitled to require from the Committee and officers such information and explanation as may be necessary for the performance of his duties.

# COMMON SEAL

47. The Committee shall provide for the safe custody of the common seal and the seal shall never be used except by the authority of the Committee and in the presence of the President or of some person to be appointed by the President who shall sign every instrument to which the seal is affixed and every such instrument shall be countersigned by the Secretary or some other person appointed by the President.

#### CHANGES TO ARTICLES

48. These Rules may be altered, rescinded or repealed and new Rules may be made in manner prescribed by special resolution under the law provided that the quorum at meetings held for this purpose shall be ten (10) members and, provided further that, no Articles shall be altered, rescinded or repealed or new Rules made except by a three quarters majority of those present and voting at a General Meeting and including votes lodged by proxy.

#### INDEMNITY

49. Every member of the Committee, Auditor, Secretary and other officer for the time being of the Association shall be indemnified out of the assets of the Association against any liability incurred by him in defending any proceedings, whether civil or criminal, in which judgment is given in his favour or in which he is acquitted or in connection with any application under the Law in which relief is granted to him by the Court in respect of any negligence, default, breach of duty or breach of trust.

#### CONTRACTS

50. The Committee may on behalf of the Association enter into contracts to purchase or take up freehold land or enter into any lease or contract deemed necessary to protect or further the interest of the Association subject to confirmation by a General Meeting which the Committee shall cause to be held as soon as possible for the purpose of securing such confirmation.

# CONTROL OF COMPETITIONS

51. At any practice or competition conducted by the Association the members of the Committee then present shall have the authority of the full Committee for the conduct of that day's practice or competition subject to the Committee's right to appoint a special standing committee to control any particular competition.

#### 52. PROFITS

- (a) It is hereby expressly declared that the Association is not carried on for profit and any income of the Association shall be applied in promotion of its objectives as set out in the Memorandum and these Articles of Association and dividends shall not be paid to nor shall profits to income or property of the Association be distributed amongst the members otherwise than by way of prizes and trophies offered for competitions and won in such competition held in furtherance of the said objects or in repayment of debts or liabilities incurred to any member for the benefit of the Association and in furtherance of such objects.
- (b) If at any General Meeting a resolution for the winding up or dissolution of the Association shall be passed by a majority of the members present and voting and such resolution shall at a special General Meeting held not less than one (1) month thereafter be confirmed by a resolution passed by a majority of three quarters of the members present and voting thereon or if the Association be otherwise wound up or dissolved in accordance with any provision of the Law or other legislative authority or enactment, the Committee shall thereupon or at such future date as shall be specified in such resolution proceed to realise the property of the Association at the best prices obtainable in its opinion whether by public auction or private treaty and discharge all the debts and liabilities of the Association to the extent to which such monies are available. If after the discharge of all such debts and liabilities there remains any money or property whatsoever the same shall not be paid or distributed amongst the members of the Association but shall be given or transferred to such other Association, club or institution having objects similar to the objects of the Association and which shall prohibit the distribution of its or their dividends, profits, income or property amongst its or their members to an extent at least as great as is imposed on the Association by virtue of its Memorandum and the Constitution of the Association or to such charitable object or objects as the members of the Association may at or prior to the time of dissolution or winding up determine and in default of any such determination or if any other such association. If the debts or liabilities of the Association exceed the proceeds of such realisation such deficiency shall to the extent of the monies available be met by an equal levy of such amount as may be required not exceeding \$20.00 on all members financial at the date of such winding up or dissolution together with all members who during the twelve (12) months preceding that date have either resigned or left their subscriptions unpaid.

# PROTECTION TO PERSONS WHO HAVE ADVANCED MONEY

53. In order to protect those members or other persons who have advanced monies to the incorporated association for various purposes for its activities, the amounts of money necessary from time to time to pay the interest on such advances as it falls due and to provide a fund for the repayment within the two (2) years from the making of any such advances shall be a first charge on all revenues of the Association after payment of the charges and expenses incurred in wages, in conducting any type of competition and in reasonable necessary upkeep of the Association's property, and no expenditure of the Association's monies shall be made for further extension of or additions to the present assets or property owned or used by the Association prior to the payment of interest as it falls due and the establishment and maintenance of such a fund at a reasonable rate of growth with the consent in writing of all the aforesaid members or other persons of their representatives until such principal monies and interest have been paid in full.

Provided further that the Committee shall not permit any other association or club to have the use of the said assets or property or any part thereof belonging to the said incorporated association for the purpose of conducting the meeting of any other association or club except upon the condition that each such association or club shall indemnify the Association against any damage howsoever caused to the said assets or property during such use and pay to the Association a sum of money at least equal to the average of the amounts by which the income of the Association derived from the twelve (12) meetings (not being mere practice competitions) held by the Association or the unincorporated association or partly by one and the other prior to such use exceeds the charges and expenses incurred in conducting such twelve (12) meetings.

Provided further notwithstanding anything herein before contained the Association may make any alteration or additions to the assets or property owned or used by it at any time by the use of money subscribed for any such purpose by way of gift or in any other exceptional way that does not entail any obligation or liability to repay such money either at any time or before the whole of the principal monies and interest mentioned in the first paragraph of this Articles have been repaid.

# WINDING UP

54. The provision of Clause 6 of the Memorandum of Association relating to the winding up or dissolution of the Association shall have effect and be observed as if the same were repeated in these regulations.

# MISCELLANEOUS

- 55. The Association shall keep a record of all Paint Horses and other appropriate horses registered with the Association which record shall be under the control of the Committee.
- 56. The requirements for registration shall be determined by the Committee from time to time.
- 57. The Committee shall have printed its requirements for registration and shall make same available to any person who desires to register a Paint Horse with the

Association upon that person paying to the Association such fee as the Committee shall from time to time prescribe.

- 58. The applicant for registration of a Paint Horse when notified that his horse has been accepted for registration shall before the certificate of registration issues to him become or be a financial member of the Association.
- 59. The certificate of registration shall be signed by the appointed Registrar or some other person appointed by the Committee and shall bear the seal of the Association. The certificate of registration shall be signed a copy of which shall be entered into the register book and the other copy of which shall be placed in a separate register book to be kept by the Secretary.