

1 **SUBJECT: Walk/Trot Western Dressage Exemption (USEF/EC)**

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3 (STANDARD)

4 Refer to Chapter 9, RULE 101 for submission requirements

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6 Committees required to review: *(This section to be completed by the Agenda & Resolutions Committee)* Committee Action:  
Approve                      Disapprove

Competition Advisory Committee			
Dressage Committee			
Sport Horse Committee			
USEF Arabian Division Committee			

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8 **CONVENTION ACTION:**

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10  **Approved**                       Approved with Modification                       Disapproved  
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12  Withdrawn                       Referred to Committee \_\_\_\_\_

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14 **PROPOSED CHANGE: (Check one)**  Add new rule     Delete existing rule     Change existing text  
15 Indicate affected Article/Rule number (AHA/USEF/EC) USEF AR221.2

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17 **RESOLUTION:** Use *bold/italic* for new wording, ~~strike through~~ to indicate deletion

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19 Whereas,                      There are current rules which exist in the USEF Dressage section of the Arabian Division which state that  
20 Walk-Trot classes are not considered one of the two levels to which a horse is restricted at that competition;  
21 and

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23 Whereas,                      For the ease of application and consistency, there is a desire to follow this same rule in the discipline of  
24 Western Dressage; Therefore, Be It

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26 Resolved,                      That a new USEF AR221.2 be created by inserting the following:

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28 **2. *Walk/Trot classes will not be considered one of the two levels to which the horse is restricted at that competition***  
29 ***under WD102.2. (Exception: open Western Dressage classes or divisions)***

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31 Effective:                      December 31, 2018 or when approved by USEF/EC

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33 (If a Standard resolution, the effective date will be December 31 of the year after the Convention)

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35 **RESOLUTION TYPE (REQUIRED):** Standard  Extraordinary \_\_\_\_\_ "If indicated as  
36 "Extraordinary", the proponent must list reasons which establish Chapter 9, RULE 101.2 has been met)

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39 **PROPOSERS FINANCIAL IMPACT (REQUIRED):** Refer to Chapter 9, RULE 101.3.e. for financial requirements

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43 **AHA IMPACT STATEMENT:** None

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45 Contact Person:

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47 **SUBMITTED BY:** Dressage Committee                      Region Number:

48  Member Organization     Committee     Commission     Board     Region (check one )

49 Who voted:                       Members     Board     Delegates                      (check voting body)

**RESOLUTION 16 - 17**

- 50 Total Number Eligible to Vote: 37      Number of Yes votes: 13      Number of No votes: 0
- 51 How vote was taken:  mail  email  phone  meeting (*check one*) (*Must have Quorum with majority of yes votes*)
- 52 Where documentation of this vote is recorded: With the Chair      (*Must have printed documentation on file*)
- 53 Date vote taken: June 20-25, 2017
- 54 Contact Person: Marilyn Weber      (*Has authority to amend, combine or withdraw*)
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