

**SUBJECT: Add Dressage/Western Dressage to Walk-Trot/Walk-Jog 11 & Over (USEF/EC)**

*(STANDARD)*

Refer to Chapter 9, RULE 101 & 102 for submission requirements

Committee Action:

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

Amateur Committee	O		
Competition Advisory Committee	O		
Dressage & Western Dressage Committee	O		
USEF Arabian Division Committee	O		

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**CONVENTION ACTION:**

Approved                       Approved with Modification                       Disapproved  
 Withdrawn                       Referred to Committee \_\_\_\_\_

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**PROPOSED CHANGE: (Check one)**    Add new rule       Delete existing rule       Change existing text  
 Indicate affected Article/Rule number (AHA/USEF/EC) AR275 and AR276

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**RESOLUTION: Use *bold/italic* for new wording, ~~strikethrough~~ to indicate deletion**

Whereas,                      The existing Walk-Trot/Walk-Jog 11 & Over Subchapter does not include the Dressage and Western Dressage division, and

Whereas,                      The Walk-Trot/Walk-Jog 11 and Over Division is growing and by adding the specific Walk-Trot/Jog 11 and Over for Dressage and Western Dressage it will offer a level playing field for riders in the Introductory Walk-Trot/Jog Tests that have not cantered/loped per the 11 & Over class requirements, Therefore, be it

Resolved,                      That USEF AR275.1 be amended by inserting the following:  
    e. Equitation classes may be combined into a single class (Exception: Dressage Seat Equitation *and Western Dressage Seat Equitation* may not be combined with any other equitation class)  
    ***f. Dressage Introductory walk-trot Tests may not be combined with any other class***  
    ***g. Western Dressage Introductory Walk-Jog Tests may not be combined with any other class, and,***  
    Therefore, Be It

Resolved,                      That USEF AR275.2 amended by striking out and inserting the following:  
    Classes may be offered for Western Pleasure, Hunter Pleasure, Country English Pleasure, Sport Horse Under Saddle, Western Seat Equitation, Hunter Seat Equitation Not to Jump, Saddle Seat Equitation, and Dressage Seat Equitation, ~~and~~ Ranch Horse, ***Dressage, Western Dressage and Western Dressage Seat Equitation*** (See AR276.2.e). and; Therefore, Be it Further

Resolved,                      That USEF AR276.2 be amended by creating a new f as follows:  
    ***f. Walk/Jog 11 & Over Western Dressage Seat Equitation - refer to Western Dressage (WD) Subchapter WD-12 Western Dressage Seat Equitation for Walk-Jog class requirements and specifications.*** and, Be it Further

Resolved,                      That USEF AR276 be amended by creating a new Point 3 as follows:  
    ***3. Dressage Walk-Trot and Western Dressage Walk/Jog Tests.***  
    ***a. For Walk-Trot Dressage a current USDF Introductory Test limited to walk/trot will be utilized.***  
    ***b. For Walk-Jog Western Dressage a current WDAI Introductory Test limited to walk/trot will be utilized.***

Effective:                      December 31, 2024, or when approved by USEF/EC

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

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54 RESOLUTION TYPE (REQUIRED): Standard  X  Extraordinary \_\_\_\_\_ “If indicated as  
55 “Extraordinary”, the proponent must list reasons which establish Chapter 9, RULE 101.3.a. has been met)

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57 PROPONENTS FINANCIAL IMPACT (REQUIRED): Refer to Chapter 9, RULE 102.6. & 102.7 for financial  
58 requirements

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62 AHA IMPACT STATEMENT:

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64 Contact Person:

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66 SUBMITTED BY: Dressage and Western Dressage Committee Region Number:

67  Member Organization  Committee  Commission  Board  Region (check one )

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

69 Total Number Eligible to Vote: 79 Number of Yes votes: 30 Number of No votes: 0

70 How vote was taken:  mail  email/other electronic means  phone  meeting (check one) (Must have Quorum with  
71 majority of yes votes)

72 Where documentation of this vote is recorded: Google Forms (Must have printed documentation on file)

73 Date vote taken: August 4, 2023

74 Contact Person: Carol Spangler (Has authority to amend, combine or withdraw)

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