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2 **SUBJECT: Halter Horses Entering the Ring at a Trot (USEF/EC)**

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4 *(This section to be completed by the Agenda and Resolutions Committee.)*

Committee Action:
Approve Disapprove

5 Committees required to review:

Equine Stress/Research & Education Committee			
NEOPS			
Professional Horsemen Committee			
USEF Arabian Division Committee			

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7 **CONVENTION ACTION:**

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9 _____ Approved _____ Approved with Modification _____ Disapproved
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11 _____ Withdrawn _____ Referred to Committee _____
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13 **RESOLUTION:**

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15 Whereas, The Arabian Horse Association in it’s Articles of Incorporation, has stated in AHA Chapter 1, Article 11.3
16 that one of its purposes is to “aid and encourage the breeding, exhibiting and perpetuation of the purebred
17 Arabian Horse as well as Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian Horses”, and
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19 Whereas, In the opinion of the proponent Arabian breeders strive for high tail carriage, beautiful movement, presence
20 and charisma, and
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22 Whereas, In the opinion of the proponent by walking our horses into the ring we have diminished the value of these
23 breed characteristics; Therefore, Be It
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25 Resolved, That USEF AR 107.1.b be deleted and replaced with the following:

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27 Horses shall enter the arena in-hand at a trot, guiding in a counterclockwise direction. Each horse shall trot
28 in one at a time and shall proceed at the trot until reaching its designated position in line as directed by the
29 ringmaster, and Be It Further
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31 Resolved, That all National, Regional and Local Shows are required to trot into the arena.

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33 Effective: When approved by USEF/EC
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35 **PROPONENT’S FINANCIAL IMPACT:**
36 *(Refer to Article 901.2.e. for financial requirements.)*
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39 **AHA IMPACT STATEMENT:**

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41 Contact Person:
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