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2 **SUBJECT: Trail Course Designers (USEF/EC)**
3 USEF Rule Tracking # 501-08

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5 *(This section to be completed by the Agenda and Resolutions Committee.)*
6 Committees required to review:

Committee Action:
Approve Disapprove

Board of Directors			
Canadian National Show Commission			
Competition Advisory Committee			
USEF Arabian Division Committee			
US National Show Commission			
Working Western Committee			
Youth National Show Commission			

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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12 _____ Withdrawn _____ Referred to Committee _____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 **RESOLUTION:**
15 (Refer to Article 901 for submission requirements.)

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17 Whereas, Trail is an intricate working western class; and
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19 Whereas, It is an honor to compete in a Regional Championship which is a qualifying class for National
20 Championships; and
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22 Whereas, The quality of courses ensure that the horses winning are performing over courses representative of a
23 Regional Championship and a National qualifying class; Therefore, Be It
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25 Resolved, That the Arabian Trail Horse Division add a section for Course Designing as follows:

26 *AR208 Trail Course Designers*

- 27 1. *The trail course designer may not show in any trail class which he/she designs. The trail course*
- 28 *designer may judge or be an official, but shall not field any horses or pupils in classes which he/she*
- 29 *designs.*
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- 31 2. *At a competition that changes judges each day, if the trail course designer is one of the judges, he/she*
- 32 *must judge on the first day.*
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- 34 3. *The trail course designer must supply the judges and office with copies of the trail courses each day.*
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- 36 4. *The trail course designer must be a USEF/EC member and must be present and available to the trail*
- 37 *arena at all times during the trail classes.*
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- 39 5. *A trail course designer, separate from one of the judges, must be employed at every Regional and*
- 40 *National Championship show. His/Her name must appear in the prize list.*

Effective: When Approved by USEF/EC

41 **PROPONENT'S FINANCIAL IMPACT:** No impact to AHA as all National Shows currently employ a course designer.
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45 **AHA IMPACT STATEMENT:** No direct impact to AHA as stated in the proponents financial impact. There may be a direct
46 impact to some Regional shows as the passage of this resolution would require a trail course designer to be employed and
47 present.

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50 SUBMITTED BY:

51 Name: Working Western Committee

Region:

52 Member Organization Committee Commission Board Region (*check one*)

53 Who voted: Members Board Delegates (*check voting body*)

54 Total Number Eligible to Vote: 112 Number of Yes votes: 108 Number of No votes: 0

55 How vote was taken: mail email phone meeting (*check one*) (*Must have Quorum with majority of yes votes*)

56 Where documentation of this vote is recorded: Committee Minutes (*Must have printed documentation on file*)

57 Date vote taken: August 21, 2008

58 Contact Person: Lorne Robertson (*Has authority to amend, combine or withdraw*)

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