

1 SUBJECT: Allow Yearling Fillies and Colts to compete for Champion (USEF/EC)

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3 (EXTRAORDINARY)

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

Amateur Committee			
Breeding/In-Hand Committee			
Canadian National Show Commission			
Competition Advisory Committee			
Equine Stress/Research & Education Committee			
Professional Horsemen Committee			
Sport Horse Show Commission			
U.S. Show Commission			
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12 _____ Withdrawn _____ Referred to Committee _____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 AR118
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17 RESOLUTION: Use ***bold/italic*** for new wording, ~~strikethrough~~ to indicate deletion

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19 Whereas, Currently only yearling Geldings may compete for Champion; and
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21 Whereas, In the opinion of the proponent, there is no compelling reason that a yearling Filly or Colt cannot compete
22 for Champion; Therefore, Be It
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24 Resolved, That USEF AR118 be amended by striking out and inserting as follows:

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26 1. Show Champions and Reserve Champions shall be at least ~~two years~~ ***one year of age or older*** and are selected as
27 follows. In a Breeding/In-Hand section of the Arabian Division, the Junior, Senior or Show (Grand) Championship will
28 be awarded to one of the horses which has placed first in a qualifying class. Qualifying classes for championships must
29 be designated in the prize list. After the Championship has been awarded, the horse which has placed second in the
30 qualifying class to the horse awarded the Championship shall compete with the remaining first place winners for the
31 Reserve Championship. If a Show (Grand) Championship class is held, the Senior Champion and the Reserve Senior
32 Champion as well as the top two ranking ~~two year olds~~ ***Yearlings*** will be eligible to compete. ~~(Exception: Purebred~~
33 ~~Arabian, Half Arabian/Anglo-Arabian yearling geldings may compete for Champion Gelding.~~
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- 35 2. Walking horses quietly on the rail is optional at the judge’s discretion.
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- 37 3. ~~All AHA Regional Championship and AHA National Championship classes are limited to eligible 1 year olds~~
38 ~~(yearlings) and older.~~
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40 Effective: December 31, 2017 or when approved by USEF/EC

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42 (If a Standard resolution, the effective date will be December 31 of the year after the Convention)
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44 RESOLUTION TYPE (REQUIRED): Standard _____ Extraordinary “If indicated as
45 “Extraordinary”, the proponent must list reasons which establish Chapter 9, RULE 101.2 has been met)

RESOLUTION 8 - 17

46 This rule has been difficult to explain to our members as it does not make sense why Geldings are allowed but Fillies and
47 Colts are excluded. By allowing all sexes to compete it may provide additional revenue to shows.
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49 **PROPOSERS FINANCIAL IMPACT (REQUIRED):** Refer to Chapter 9, RULE 101.3.e. for financial requirements

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51 Potentially additional revenue for competitions.

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53 AHA IMPACT STATEMENT: None

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55 Contact Person:

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57 SUBMITTED BY: Breeding/In-Hand Committee Region Number:

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

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

60 Total Number Eligible to Vote: 33 Number of Yes votes: 13 Number of No votes: 2

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

62 Where documentation of this vote is recorded: AHA Office (*Must have printed documentation on file*)

63 Date vote taken: August 14-15, 2017

64 Contact Person: Isaac Taylor, Chair (*Has authority to amend, combine or withdraw*)

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