

1 SUBJECT: Add Western Dressage to the Exception for Manes/Tails (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

Amateur Committee	O		
Competition Advisory Committee	O		
Dressage & Western Dressage Committee	O		
Hunter/Jumper Committee	O		
Professional Horsemen Committee	O		
Sport Horse Show Commission	O		
Sport Horse Committee	O		
USEF Arabian Division Committee	O		
Working Western Committee	O		

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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12 _____ Withdrawn _____ Referred to Committee _____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 X Change existing text
15 Indicate affected Article/Rule number (AHA/USEF/EC) USEF AR106.8
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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 many instances at shows where horses showing in the Western Dressage classes are also cross
20 entering in the other sport horse divisions; i.e. Dressage, Hunter, Jumper, Show Hack and Sport Horse
21 classes, and
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23 Whereas, These classes are often scheduled on the same day at a show, causing unnecessary stress on the exhibitor to
24 unbraid prior to their ride time and potentially to re-braid to return to the another ring, and
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26 Whereas, The Western Dressage Chapter (WD) in USEF does not state any restrictions in regards to manes and tails,
27 Therefore, Be It
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29 Resolved, That USEF AR106.8 be amended by inserting the words “***or in Western Dressage classes***” to the list of
30 current Exceptions:
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32 Exceptions: Horses shown with Hunter, Jumper, Show Hack, Sport Horse, or Dressage appointments, ***or in***
33 ***Western Dressage classes*** are permitted to show with a shortened, pulled or braided mane and/or tail.
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35 Effective: December 31, 2022 or when approved by USEF/EC
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37 (If a Standard resolution, the effective date will be December 31 of the year after the Convention)
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39 RESOLUTION TYPE (REQUIRED): Standard X Extraordinary _____ “If indicated as “Extraordinary”,
40 the proponent must list reasons which establish Chapter 9, RULE 101.3.a. has been met)
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42 PROPONENTS FINANCIAL IMPACT (REQUIRED): Refer to Chapter 9, RULE 102.1.e. for financial requirements
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44 N/A
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47 AHA IMPACT STATEMENT: None

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49 Contact Person:

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

52 Member Organization Committee Commission Board Region (check one)

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

54 Total Number Eligible to Vote: 74 Number of Yes votes: 32 Number of No votes: 1

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

57 Where documentation of this vote is recorded: Doodle Poll (Must have printed documentation on file)

58 Date vote taken: Jun 7-11th, 2021

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

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