

CHANGES / ADDITIONS TO THE BY-LAWS ARE INDICATED IN **BLUE**

1.1 OBJECTS - The Association shall have for its object the encouragement, development and regulation of the breeding of **the Canadian Sport Horse** in Canada from an evolving breed to a distinct breed. **This shall also include the recording of the Canadian Sport Pony as a separate strain within the Sport Horse Book.**

- a) By keeping a record of the breeding and origin of Sport Horses and by collecting, preserving and publishing data and documents relating to same.
 - b) By adhering to the established standards of breeding, the aim of which **is to maintain the quality and characteristics of the Sport Horse and Sport Pony.**
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16.2 SPORT PONY:

- a) **Presents an overall impression of a smaller version of the Canadian Sport Horse differing in genetic makeup with the inclusion of pony parental stock.**
 - b) **Physical characteristics show an ideal height – of no less than 11.2 hh and no more than 14.2 hh. The sport pony shows a longer and more refined head, and a body to leg proportion of that of a horse in contrast to pony breeds that show a shorter leg to body proportion.**
 - c) **Temperament – demonstrates a temperament suitable for a child or smaller adult rider for pleasure or competition.**
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16.3 ACCEPTABLE PRIMARY PARENTAL STOCK

- a. **SPORT HORSE:** Animals from equivalent ‘sporthorse’ registries recognized by the Canadian Sport Horse Association including but not limited to: Anglo European Studbook (AES), Baden-Wurtemberg (BAD-WU), Bavarian Warmblood (BAVAR), Belgian Warmblood (BWP), Belgian Sporthorse (sBs), Danish Warmblood (DWP), Dutch Warmblood (KWPN), Hanoverian (HV & AHS), Hessen (Hess), Holsteiner (Holst & AHHA), Hungarian Warmblood, Irish Sport Horse (ISH), Norwegian Warmblood (FWB), Mecklenburg (MECKL), Oldenburg (OLDBG), Rheinland Pfalz Saar (ZWEIB), Selle Francais (SF), Rheinlander (RHEIN), Selle Luxembourgeois (SCSL), Swedish Warmblood (SWB), Westphalian (WESTF), Zangersheide (ZANG)
 - b. **REFINEMENT PARENTAL STOCK **SPORT HORSE**** - Purebred animals of other parental stock breeds: Thoroughbred, Arab, French Anglo-Arab and Trakehner
 - c. **SPORT HORSE** -Animals of the following breed backgrounds may appear as no more than 12.5% - i.e. third (3) generation ancestor in any primary parental stock animal: Andalusian, Appaloosa, Canadian, Curly, Fjord, Friesian, Icelandic, Lipizzaner, Lusitano, Morgan, Paint, Quarter Horse, Saddlebred, Standardbred, Cobs, ponies, draft breeds (except Irish Draught), gaited breeds, crosses or grade animals
 - d. **ADDITIONAL STOCK FOR BREEDING OF SPORT PONY:**
The Welsh, Connemara , Rheinlander Pfalz-Saar (RPSI) Pony, Weser-Ems German Oldenburg Verband (GOV) Pony, International Sporthorse Registry (ISR Oldenburg NA) Pony, British Riding Pony and North American Sport Pony. Ponies of other equivalent sport pony registries may be considered on a case by case basis only if their registry meets or exceeds the requirements of the Canadian Sport Pony.
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17.1 STUD BOOKS.

- a. The following five (5) books of the Canadian Sport Horse shall be kept at the office of the appointed registrar. These Stud Books shall be known respectively as: 1) Pre-Stud Book – F0; 2) Mare Book – F1F2; 3) Mare Book II (F3,F4); 4) Stallion Book(F1-F4) ; 5) Main Stud Book. The aforementioned Stud Books shall be published by the Canadian Livestock Records Corporation at such time as decided by the Board of Directors.
 - b. The book-of the Canadian Sport Pony shall be kept at the office of the appointed registrar. The Stud Books shall be known as 1) Pre-Stud Book (F0); Stud Book (F1-F4). The Stud Book shall be published by the Canadian Livestock Records Corporation at such time as decided by the Board of Directors.
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20.13 CANADIAN SPORT PONY -PRE-STUD BOOK (F0 (P)):

- a. This book shall contain all animals identified as “F0 (P)”.
- b. Shall include all incoming fully registered Welsh and Connemara stallions and fully registered Welsh and Connemara mares
- c. Animals born prior to 2007 and presented for breeding approval with no documented registration from a Registry included in the acceptable Parental Stock must provide proof of pedigree: i.e. Breeding records, bill of sale or affidavit. Animals born in 2007 or later must provide proof of registration or verification of pedigree.
- d. Shall include all offspring not eligible for inclusion in Stud Book or Main Stud Book. At least one parent must be entered into the Pre-Stud Book or Stud Book.

20.14 CANADIAN SPORT PONY STUD BOOK (F1 –F4 (P)):

- a. Shall include all incoming licensed or approved stallions and approved mares registered with pony registries identified as acceptable primary parental stock, excluding Welsh and Connemara. To be placed no higher than F2 as per 16.3b
- b. Shall contain all animals, the offspring of two breeding approved parents provided there is genetic diversity
- c. The generation status shall be included in the animals’ identification number

20.17 Application for Ponies reaching a maturity height exceeding 14.2 hh to be identified in the Sport Horse Stud Book will be considered on a case by case basis upon request of owner. Verification of height must be conducted by a representative of the Canadian Sport Horse Association or Veterinarian.
