

Bylaw or Rule Change Proposal Form

PALOMINO HORSE BREEDERS OF AMERICA

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Use to submit a rule change proposal (must be postmarked 120 days prior to convention)

A rule or regulations is not subject to amendment by change, addition or repeal, until it has been in force for at least two calendar years, which limitations may be waived by the Executive Board upon finding extraordinary circumstances: A. Concerns the safety, health or well being of a horse and/or rider; B. Materially benefits PHBA's programs or it financial stability; or C. Involves other compelling circumstances.

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Member's Name City State

104663 ; 85638 2017 MAY-
Member's ID Number and expiration date

Existing rule number see attached

OR

Proposed new rule number POSSIBLE 503 504
Addendums to Rules 506 512 522
and 528-533

Originator's recommendation for change: (Rule should be written as it should appear in the Rule Book)

SEE DRAFT OF RULE REWRITE; ATTACHED

Originator's justification for change and impact if not passed: (Proposal will be return if not completed)

SEE MEMO

Estimated revenue to association with rule change TBD

Estimated expense to association with rule change _____

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PHBA REGISTRATION & TRANSFER RULES

QUALIFICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION

Recommendations for Changes are as follows (proposed rule additions or changes are highlighted in yellow):

RULE CHANGE PROPOSAL - Existing Rule Number: 503

Related rule numbers affected by this proposal include, but might not be limited to, 504; 506; 512; 522. Rules 528 through 533 are impacted but not adversely affected or in need of changes.

503. Palomino Color Characteristics

A. The ideal body coat color is approximately the color of a United States gold coin

B. The following body color traits are not acceptable:

- 1) A brown or black dorsal stripe along the spine;
- 2) Alternating bands of lighter and darker hairs running around the legs (zebra stripes) or across the withers (wither or neck stripes);
- 3) White hairs interspersed within the coat associated with grey;
- 4) Solid white and/or nearly white or all-crème color with or without spots, i.e. coat characteristics associated with cremellos or perlinos

C. EXCEPTION: Horses displaying palomino color characteristics in coat markings or patterns which are also typical of paints, pintos and appaloosas are acceptable for registration with PHBA, and, approved for competition in PHBA halter and performance (non-color class) events only, as long as each horse's palomino color constitutes fifty-five (55%) or more of the horse's exterior, the latter of which is defined as body/torso, neck and head.

YOUTH
AND/OR
AMATEUR

- 1) Extensive white leg markings and/or white facial markings are still permissible in accordance with pre-existing criteria (see Rule 512) regarding solid palomino horses.
- 2) Extensive white leg markings and/or white facial and body markings are permitted and may vary for palomino-colored paints, pintos and appaloosas, in accordance with those patterned color-breed standards.

(Note: Clause C, above, could also be re-stated within Rule #512 'White Markings')

RULE CHANGE PROPOSAL - Existing Rule Number: 504

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504. Skin Color

A. Solid palomino horses (non-patterned, non-spotted breeds) must exhibit skin that is dark colored (grey, black, brown, mottled) without pink spots wherever it shows around the nose and eyes, under the tail and between the hind legs, except for skin on the face which may be pink where it is a continuation of a white marking.

B. Patterned palomino horses, or horses with spots (i.e. palominos that feature paint, pinto or appaloosa coat characteristics) may exhibit a combination of dark skin and pink skin as appropriate to its pattern-type or spot-type on torso, legs and face. Hooves may be solid or striped in accordance with pinto, paint or appaloosa acceptance.

C. EXCEPTION: Horses also registered with the American Saddlebred Horse Association may have skin color of any shade.

505. Iris of Eyes – No changes

RULE CHANGE PROPOSAL - Existing Rule Number: 506

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506. Mane and Tail. The mane and tail must be a minimum of eighty-five (85%) percent white, and may have no more than fifteen (15%) percent black, sorrel, chestnut or off-colored hair in either.

A. EXCEPTION: Manes and tails of palomino horses who are also registered as paints, pintos or appaloosas, must be a minimum fifty-five (55%) percent white, and may have no more than forty-five (45%) percent black, sorrel, chestnut or off-colored hair in either.

B. Manes and Tails may not be chemically altered.

Related rule numbers affected by this proposal include, but may not be limited to, 503; 504; 506; Rules 528 through 533 are impacted but not adversely affected or in need of changes.

Note: Current white markings rule #s A.1-5 stay as-is but with the added verbiage pertinent to solid-palomino (non-patterned coat characteristic horses; Rule 6 clarification would accommodate palominos who are paints, pintos or appaloosas.

512. White Markings

A. Solid (non-patterned) Palomino Horses may be eligible for registration provided the white markings and pink skin underlying the white markings do not extend beyond the lines described as follows:

No changes to Rule #s 1 – 5

6) Extensive white leg markings, white facial markings and white body markings are permissible and may vary in size for patterned-palomino horses who display coat characteristics of, or who are registered as, paints, pintos and appaloosas, as long as the palomino color is evident across at least fifty-five (55%) of the animal's body/torso, neck and head.

Also See Proposed, revised Rule 503 C (1) and (2)

RULE CHANGE PROPOSAL - Existing Rule Number: 522

522. Documents required before application can be considered for registration for above mentioned breeds:

E. The owner must supply four (4) color photographs (front, back, and each side of the horse), with each completed registration application of any non-solid palomino horse featuring coat-characteristics, patterns and/or spots associated with pintos, paints, or appaloosas. These pictures become the property of PHBA. Any registration application for non-solid horses that are not accompanied by the requisite color-photos of the subject horse will not be considered by PHBA.

* *Animals registered as Patterned Palominos And/or
are eligible for show competition in youth and/or
Amateur Divisions only*

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