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BYLAW OR RULE CHANGE PROPOSAL FORM

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USE TO SUBMIT A BYLAW OR RULE CHANGE PROPOSAL (MUST BE POSTMARKED 120 DAYS PRIOR TO CONVENTION FORMS CAN BE MAILED TO THE PHBA OFFICE, EMAILED TO [redacted], OR FAXED TO (918)438-1232

A rule or regulation is not subject to amendment by change, addition or repeal until it has been in force for at least two calendar years. Such limitation may be waived by the PHBA 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's financial stability; or C. Involves other compelling circumstances.

The PHBA President will assign proposed bylaw or rule changes to specific committees for their recommendations. Some committees may be asked to review a proposed rule change and report their recommendations to another committee that ultimately reports to the Board of Directors. Committee Chairs will need to coordinate that input. Committees are free to discuss other proposed rule changes but the assigned committee's recommendation is that which will be used during voting at the Board of Directors' meeting.

Instructions for writing a proposed rule change:

- Define the problem and develop as many positive solutions as possible.
- Determine if any other rules would be affected if your proposal were to be adopted and specify the rule numbers.
- Submit proper wording for a proposed rule change by typing or neatly printing the exact wording being proposed. If you propose changes to existing language, ~~strike through~~ the words you propose to delete. Type in ***bold and italics*** the words you wish to add
- Determine the financial impact (both income and expense) your proposal could have on PHBA.
- You must get signature of three (3) PHBA members who support this proposal.

1. PROPOSED CHANGE (select one):
   _____ADD NEW RULE
   _____DELETE EXISTING RULE. Reference rule as it appears in the _____ official Handbook.
   __X__CHANGE EXISTING RULE. Reference rule as it appears in the 2026 official Handbook.
   Rule Number 566 Page Number 41

2. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE: _____January 1, 2027 ____X____ Other Jan. 1, 2028

3. Is this proposal changing a rule that was implemented within the last two years? ____YES ____X____NO
   (Refer to PHBA Rule 33, page 23 of 2025 Handbook)

4. If adding a new rule or changing an existing rule, write rule as it should appear in the Handbook: (use attachment if needed)
   see attached

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5. Justification for change and impact if not passed: (use attachment if needed)

see attached

6. How will this rule change affect PHBA financially if adopted:

see attached

7. Estimated expense to PHBA if rule change is adopted:

see attached

8. Contact information of person submitting proposed change:

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Signature Marleen Cowie Date June 4, 2026

REFERENCES:

1. PRINTED NAME Darlene LAFAVE PHBA ID# 3200

SIGNATURE Darlene LaFave

2. PRINTED NAME Katherine Potter PHBA ID# 107104

SIGNATURE Katherine Potter

3. PRINTED NAME SuzanneE Sprague PHBA ID# 44138

SIGNATURE SuzanneE Sprague

THIS FORM MUST BE FILLED OUT COMPLETELY. INCOMPLETE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED; THEY WILL BE RETURNED TO SUBMITTER, NOTING WHAT IS INCOMPLETE. IF TIME ALLOWS BEFORE SUBMISSION DEADLINE, PROPOSAL MAY BE RESUBMITTED WITH CORRECTIONS. NO PROPOSAL WILL BE CONSIDERED IF RECEIVED AFTER DEADLINE.

4. If adding a new rule or changing an existing rule, write rule as it should appear in the Handbook: (use attachment if needed)

566. ***Naming a Horse. Each horse offered for registration must be given a name acceptable to PHBA,***

A. The name of the horse(s) as recorded on the recognized breed association registration certificate shall be the applied for name on the application in order for the horse to be registered.

B. The name of a horse(s) without a registration certificate with, or without, a recognized breed association:

1. Up to two (2) name choices may be submitted with each application for registration.

2. shall not exceed twenty-five (25) characters which includes spaces,

C. The following names are not eligible for use:

1. Names of an offensive, obscene or vulgar nature.

2. Names already in use.

3. Names containing punctuation, diacritical (accent) marks, apostrophes, numbers or Roman numerals.

D. PHBA reserves the right to deny a name for any of the above reasons, or when the name falls into a category not listed above, but is felt to be inappropriate for a family-oriented organization.

E. Translation must be submitted for names including a foreign word or words.

5. Justification for change and impact if not passed: (use attachment if needed)

We now accept grade horse who come without registered names. This gives a guideline how to create a name for their new registration papers. Also includes what not to use for names. Everything is in writing that PHBA can stand behind as precedence and everyone can see in the handbook. Hopefully prevent any misunderstandings or any future complications that might arise. Brings us in line with other major assoc. I didn't delete any wording out of the rule book. All the other guidelines are the same. Only added new wording and adjusted formatting.

6. How will this rule change affect PHBA financially if adopted:

Will help prevent misunderstandings and possible calls to the office for explanations. Frees office staff to continue with their work and not be interrupted with possible phone calls.

7. Estimated expense to PHBA if rule change is adopted:

The time of office personal to adjust the new rule into the handbook and on the web site.