

**International Committee
2012 AQHA Convention
Las Vegas, Nevada**

Mr. President, the International Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. To approve the following changes to Rule 103(b).
AQHA may recognize international associations that promote the American Quarter Horse. **Such recognition is a privilege, not a vested right, granted or rejected at AQHA's discretion on an annual basis according to procedures and requirements formulated by AQHA and approved by the Executive Committee. If granted recognition by AQHA, an international association must annually agree to and sign an AQHA Agreement of International Affiliation and maintain required membership and registration numbers.** Such recognition shall allow that international association the privilege of having **an Appointed** Director on AQHA's Board of Directors as provided by AQHA Bylaws. Members of recognized international associations shall remain governed by AQHA bylaws, rules and regulations.

Executive Committee Action: Approved

2. After review by the International Committee, that AQHA reinstate the Irish Quarter Horse Association affiliate with full privileges.

Executive Committee Action: Approved

3. That AQHA form a Task Force to explore the possibilities of Global sponsorships for international markets. That the task force comprise of Kenny Knowlton, Stephanie Black, Mike Jennings, Pauline Stuart-Fox, Fauntly Garrido, Wesley Hatakeyama and Markus Mueller.

Executive Committee Action: Approved