

STANDING RULE #6 -- CAT SHOW SANCTIONS

- Section 1. Sanctions for cat shows held under the rules of this Federation may be granted by the Judging Coordinator to all member clubs in good standing. An application showing the proposed dates and place of the show and judges requested should be filed with the Judging Coordinator at least four (4) months prior to the show date. The Judging Coordinator will approve or disapprove the application within two weeks of its receipt.
- Section 2. In sanctioning shows and approving judges, the Judging Coordinator shall exercise judgment so that CFF shows are not so close together in time, nor is there such excessive duplication of judges, that they might affect entries for another CFF show. Judges may have only one assignment per weekend. In the Judging Coordinator's decisions, the earlier application by a member club will take preference over one submitted later by another club. Clubs wishing to keep traditional dates and/or place should therefore submit their applications as far in advance as possible.
- Section 3. A copy of each show sanction as approved or modified shall be sent to the Treasurer of the Federation, the Newsletter editor, and to the respective club.
- Section 4. Appeal from the decision of the Judging Coordinator regarding the sanctioning of a show, the approval of judges to officiate, or other matters handled through the office may be made through the President of the Federation to the Appeal Board (see Article VIII, Section 6, By-laws) by the member club holding the show.
- Section 5. No member club shall hold, sponsor, or manage a cat show not sanctioned by this Federation, nor shall it hold, sponsor, or manage a cat show sanctioned by any other organization. This does not prohibit a cat show sanctioned by this Federation from being held in conjunction with a similar organization, so long as a sharp distinction is maintained as to the separate organizations and separate rules to be followed, and has prior approval of the Executive Board (Article XV, Section 2.)
- Section 6. Upon request to the Judging Coordinator, foreign CFF shows shall be allowed to have 50% CFF judges. This section will be in effect for five (5) years beginning May 1, 2001.
- Section 7 Household Pet and kitten matches must be sanctioned but do not require payment of a fee.
- Section 8. Sanctions for shows may be granted by the Executive Board to organizations not members of this Federation upon application to the Judging Coordinator accompanied by the fee of \$15.00 per show (all-breed or specialty) and upon written agreement that the rules of this Federation will be adhered to, prizes awarded, none but judges authorized by this Federation be used, and any other stipulations made in accordance with the By-laws of CFF will be upheld. The application must be made sufficiently in advance so that the Judging Coordinator can present it to the Executive Board at its next meeting for approval.
- Section 9. A sanction for a complete show, two (2) all-breed rings and four (4) specialty rings, shall be \$75.00. For a club putting on its first show, this shall include one (1) copy each of show rules, standards, and judges' books. Clubs putting on their second or more show shall receive judges' books, but only current updates for show rules and standards, unless they specifically request complete books. Additional All-breed rings are \$15.00 each; Specialty rings are \$10.00 each. Sanctions for shows sponsored by CFF National are \$15.00 each.
- Section 10 Sanctions will not be granted to clubs in arrears for dues.

Section 11.

Clubs which put on a CFF-sanctioned show within eighteen (18) months of their acceptance into the Federation shall be given free sanctions for their first show. These free sanctions shall consist of the first two (2) all-breed rings and first four (4) specialty rings.