

Clydesdale Breeders of the United States of America

Policy & Procedures

Nominating/Membership

PURPOSE

This policy is established to provide the membership visibility to circumstances that would compromise a member's standing with the Clydesdale Breeders of the United States (CBUSA).

Use

The CBUSA will use this policy to determine the eligibility of a member to participate in CBUSA activities such as but not limited to committee participation and Board of director Candidacy. These sanctions if applied may lead to suspension or expulsion from the Corporation and its functions and services. The CBUSA Board of Directors is required to follow the most recently adopted Corporation By-Laws. Those By-Laws provide instructions for the handling of complaints and allegations against its members along with procedures to be followed by the Board of Directors. The following items are examples of circumstances that would affect the standing of a member. The CBUSA reserves the right to review each case as a standalone incident that may or may not be listed in the items below:

A member ...

- A. forging or falsify signatures on any CBUSA documents.
- B. failing to keep the Clydesdale Breeders Stud book up to date.
- C. failing to pay all fees owed to the CBUSA.
- D. proven to have falsified any CBUSA documents including but not limited to Registration applications, Transfer of Ownership papers, and Stallion Reports.
- E. failing to provide signed paperwork for a horse duly paid for by the buyer (registration, transfer, stallion report). Buyer must provide proof of payment for the horse(s) in question.
- F. failing to record imported animals in accordance with the CBUSA Registration rules.
- G. failing to provide DNA on stallions in service.
- H. failing to comply with the random DNA check (every 50 animals).
- I. failing to cooperate fully with a CBUSA investigation of allegations of wrongdoing.
- J. found guilty of misconduct.
- K. failure to pay reparations as a result of a misconduct investigation.

This policy is subject to change and in no way serves as an all-inclusive list of infractions.

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