2012 ICHA RASTERN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS GUILDING

2012 NCHA EASTERN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS Presented by 6666 Ranch JACKSON, MS

Kirk Fordice Equine Center at the Mississippi State Fairgrounds

MARCH 4-16, 2013

 NCHA will offer an added purse of \$200,000 for the Championships, to be divided:

Open	\$20,000
Non-Professional	\$20,000
\$35,000 Non-Professional	\$20,000
\$10,000 Novice	\$20,000
\$3,000 Novice	\$20,000
\$5,000 Novice/Non-Pro	\$20,000
\$50,000 Amateur	\$20,000
\$15,000 Amateur	\$20,000
\$15,000 Novice Horse/Non-Pro Rider.	\$20,000
\$2,000 Limit Rider/Any Horse	\$20,000

2. Paid at least one entry fee and ridden to the herd during the 2012 point year in an NCHA approved show for each class entered.

3. Eligibility

(a.) Any horse shown in the Open or Non-Professional division of the NCHA World Championship finals and finishing in the Top 15 in the final standings (point year plus World Finals earnings) is ineligible to show in the National Championships in any class during the same year. (b.) Horses that qualify in any Open class, Novice class for the National Championships, may be shown at the Championships by any Open rider or owner. The previous ownership of the horse and any honors won by the horse, other than competing at the NCHA World Championship Finals, shall not exclude the current owner any trainer from showing said horse; or (c.) Owners and riders must be current members. (d.) A rider's and horse's eligibility is determined as of November 11th (last day of point year) with the exception of Non-Professional and Amateurs who must hold a current Non-Professional/Amateur card to compete in these respective classes.

- 4. A Non-Professional may purchase another horse after qualifying, but before the Championships, however, any horse so purchased must remain in the same ownership for ninety days (90) after the Championships.
- 5. The entry fee will be \$600.00 (NCHA will deduct \$50 office charge plus 45% of the remaining \$550

as a cattle charge). Stalls are additional. Stall fee will be \$125.00 per stall, paid to NCHA.

- 6. Youth entry fee \$75.00 jackpot, plus \$75.00 cattle charge. If sponsors are obtained cattle charge will be refunded. The Youth class will be divided into two age groups: 13 and under; 14-18 year old.
- 7. The Championships will consist of one go-round and Finals. Rule 8 may be amended for any class having less than 20 entries. The high scoring forty percent (40%) in the go-round will advance to the Finals with a minimum of fifteen (15) and a maximum of twenty-six (26) horses to qualify for the Finals, except in the Youth Class where a minimum of ten (10) will advance to the Finals in each age group.
- 8. NCHA unit payout system to be used.
- 9. Judges:

(a.) Five Judges will be used and the highest and the lowest score for each horse discarded. The total of the remaining three scores will be the official mark. No individual scores will be announced.(b.) Judges will be selected for those NCHA AAA rated judges available to judge the event.

- 10. All horses must meet the respective state health requirements.
- 11. Horse substitution may be allowed provided horse is owned by the same owner and qualification is verified before class begins.
- 12. There will be a 10-day grace period based on postmark date. Entries postmarked after the 10-day grace period will be subject to a penalty of 25% of the entry fee.
- 13. NO LATE ENTRIES TAKEN AFTER THE DRAW.
- 14. Beginning with 2001 Point Year monies from the Eastern and Western Area Work Off will be recorded on horse and rider lifetime earnings and will not count against horse and rider eligibility.
- 15. Blood samples will be taken in all divisions throughout the show. Refusal to allow testing of a selected horse shall result in disqualification of the horse, and potential disciplinary action against the responsible party/parties.

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