Proposal 11: Add Show Rule 210.13 (Exhibitor Behavior)

Rationale:

Currently, there is no rule covering exhibitor behavior except in regards to the actual judging and presentation of their cats. Some exhibitors have harassed others, making it an unpleasant experience for others and there is currently very little recourse other than not to attend the show.

Pros:

There are currently rules regarding judge behavior but nothing for exhibitors. This rule would provide recourse should an exhibitor behave in a threatening or harassing manner at shows.

Cons:

Enforcement would require a formal complaint to TICA which can be a lengthy process.

Add Show Rule 210.13

During the show, no exhibitor shall harass or threaten other exhibitors, judges or guests. While in the show ring, exhibitors shall not make audible derogatory remarks about other exhibits.