

## TOES/TFMS Integration

TICA is close to launching the TOES/TFMS integration project. We have three very knowledgeable users who are in the process of testing the integration. The plan is to launch in early April 2023, barring any changes/bugs found by our testing group. Below is a list of features in TOES that will improve because of this project. I would like to thank the board for your continued support. This is another huge step forward for TICA! It is essential that we encourage clubs to use the show application, so TICA and its customers can reap the benefits.

As with any project, there will be some early bugs that will be identified and will need to be fixed. Please understand that this is normal. More importantly, is that we route those issues to the right place. In TFMS, on the top right menu bar, there is a "TOES Support" link for everyone to report an issue or bug. Please direct your regions to use this feature and avoid emailing me or the EO directly.

We are developing an FAQ section that will be available on TOES for the features listed below.

### SINGLE SIGN-ON

Right now, some users have a TOES account, and in most cases, they also have a TFMS account. These accounts are entirely independent, and there is no link between them.

We will now have a single sign-on for both systems, making a few new features possible:

- You can link your TOES account to your TFMS account,
- You can log into TOES with your TFMS account,
- You can add any of your TFMS-registered cats to your TOES profile without having to retype their information.

### RETRIEVING YOUR CAT DATA FROM TFMS

Once logged in (and having your TOES and TFMS accounts linked), you can copy your cats from your TFMS account into your TOES profile. No longer retyping any information – the data is cloned precisely without the need to re-type into TOES.

### JUDGES

Going forward, all the judges' information will come from TFMS. When a judge is advanced or their status changes in TFMS, this will be reflected in TOES automatically. This streamlines the process, meaning that our judges no longer need to reach out to different teams to update their information.

### SHOW LICENSES

There is a section on the show setup screen in TOES to provide relevant details about your show and apply for a show license easily without filling out any additional forms. This section will become mandatory for each show listed on the calendar. This information will be automatically imported into TFMS when the Regional Director approves the show.

### SHOW CATALOG AND SCORING

For every show that uses the Show App at their show, the marked catalog is automatically generated in TOES and will be automatically converted and uploaded into TFMS.

This dramatically reduces the manual labor involved in show scoring, not only because the data does not have to be entered manually but also because the app prevents mechanical mistakes, which avoids lots of emails between the EO and the judges after the show. This new feature will allow us to score shows faster than ever before! Please encourage your clubs to use the show application, as the benefits are many.

Also coming in April, standings, show ring scores, and totals for Title Points & Finals will be available to members in TFMS in real time. This means that when a club uses the show application, the show is scored quickly, and the results are immediately available to our clients.

### PRE-FORMATTED ADS

In the show setup screen, several pre-formatted ads will be made available. Any show wanting to include these ads can now do so in one click by checking a box next to the desired ads. You no longer need to do HTML formatting, removing the need to check if you have the correct banners.

### THE SHOW DASHBOARD

The Show Dashboard provides real-time information about what is happening in the judges' rings at your shows.

The show dashboard will also boast the ads that have been selected in the show setup screen, giving our sponsors more exposure. This will help promote their products and services and make sponsoring TICA shows more attractive.

Again, thank you for your support and patience as we launch this great new advancement for TICA.