

DATE: 02/12/2020

BALLOT NUMBER: BB20-01

SUBJECT: Regional Award requirement for Asia West (Standing Rule 901.4.3.2)

TO: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

REQUESTED BY: Karen Kuo

BALLOT: For the show season ending April 30, 2020, suspend the requirement for AW Regional Awards that a cat/kitten must be shown at least once in that region to be eligible for a regional award.

YES: Antenucci, Brooks, Brown, Faccioli, Harrison, Hawksworth-Weitz, Ishimura, Kuo, Mahan, Meserve, Russo, Stadter, van Mullem,

NO: Lawson

NON-VOTING: Fisher, Rudge

RATIONALE: Because of the issues of legality of clubs holding shows for TICA scoring, some exhibitors began showing cats outside China hoping that legal issues would be resolved and shows would return to China prior to the end of the show season. Subsequently, because of the development of a widespread coronavirus it became unlikely that shows could even occur in China during the remainder of the show season. Therefore, a cat which began its adult show career outside China would not qualify for a Regional win. The same would be true of any kitten which began its show career outside China.

This Board Ballot has Passed.