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The Cat Fanciers' Association, Inc. 2014 BREED COUNCIL POLL

SELKIRK REX

Re-Elected Breed Council Secretary: Laura Jo Barber – Sevierville, TN

Total Members: 14

Ballots Received: 12

- 1. PROPOSED:** To indefinitely extend the Selkirk Rex allowable outcrosses to British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic.

Current:

Selkirk Rex allowable outcross breeds: British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic. Kittens born on or after January 1, 2020 may have only Selkirk Rex parents.

Proposed:

Selkirk Rex allowable outcross breeds: British Shorthair, Persian, or Exotic. ~~Kittens born on or after January 1, 2020 may have only Selkirk Rex parents.~~

RATIONALE: Selkirk Rex breeders have consistently supported outcrossing for the sake of the genetic diversity and improvement of the health and vigor of the breed. Since the Selkirk Rex gene pool is small, outcrossing improves the health of the breed by introducing variability to the existing gene pool. Outcrossing has the ability to strengthen and reinforce desirable traits, while mitigating potential genetic flaws. There is no impact on the breeds being used for outcrossing as these offspring would not be eligible to be shown as British Shorthair, Exotic, or Persian, nor is it the intention to ever do so.

YES: 12

NO: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

REGISTRATION ISSUE (passes)

Votes: 12

50% of Voting: 6

The following proposal is to be considered if #1 does not pass:

- 2. PROPOSED:** To extend the Selkirk Rex allowable outcrosses to January 1, 2025.

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RATIONALE: While our preference would be to have outcrosses indefinitely, an extension of the outcross deadline would allow Selkirk Rex breeders additional time to improve the genetic diversity of the breed.

YES: 12

NO: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

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SELKIRK REX BREED COUNCIL SECRETARY BALLOT
For the Term January 1, 2015 – April 30, 2017

Ballot for the Election of

SELKIRK REX

Breed Council Secretary

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11 Laura Jo Barber
 Sevierville, Tennessee

1 Abstain

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