



THE CAT FANCIERS' ASSOCIATION, INC.®

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The Cat Fanciers' Association, Inc. 2015 BREED COUNCIL POLL

OCICAT

Breed Council Secretary: Carolyn Causey – Bethel, OH
Total Members: 21
Ballots Received: 16

1. Do you feel the acceptance of the Bengal would be detrimental to the Ocicat?

RATIONALE: The Bengal breed has applied for acceptance to CFA. The CFA Board of Directors voted to allow any breed that feels it is affected by the Bengal breed to ballot their Breed Council members. Ocicat Breed Council members felt not only that their breed is directly affected but may be affected in other ways and wished to voice their opinions by voting on the question. The Ocicat is a parent breed for the Bengal and although the application currently under review states no out cross, there are no guarantees down the road. It is a fact that many Bengal breeders still actively use Ocicats in their programs.

YES: 16

NO: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

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2. Do you support accepting the Bengal breed in CFA?

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ABSTAIN: 0

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