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## HAVANA BROWN

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Re-Elected Breed Council Secretary: LeAnn Rupy, Antioch, IL

Total Members: 12

Ballots Received: 8

1. **PROPOSED:** Revise the Havana Brown Rules of Registration as follows:

**Current:**

**HAVANA BROWN OUTCROSSING PROGRAM**

A Havana Brown cat may be mated with an unregistered domestic shorthair cat (black or blue only), hereafter referred to as F0, or certain colors of Oriental (shorthair only, any color except pointed, cinnamon, or fawn), or Siamese (chocolate point or seal point only). The resulting kittens are known as the F1 generation. The mating of an F1 kitten to a Havana Brown produces a litter that is considered to be Havana Brown, provided the individual kittens meet the color standard for Havana Brown which excludes any pointed cat.

**CODES:**

**0414-0415 (F0)** – For black or blue domestic shorthair or foundation cat (unknown or unregistered background) - Breed Code 90

**0416-0417 (F1)** – For any solid color kittens from the breeding of a domestic (**F0**), a registered OSH, or a registered Siamese to a registered standard Havana Brown (0408-0409)

**0408-0409 (F2)** – For solid brown kittens (only) from the breeding of a standard Havana Brown to an **F1** or kittens from a Havana Brown to Havana Brown breeding.

**ALLOWABLE MATINGS:**

One parent must be a standard Havana Brown (0408-0409)

0408 (Havana Brown) to 414 (F0) – Breed Code 91

0408 (Havana Brown) to 0416 (F1) – Breed Code 12

0408 (Havana Brown) to 0409 (Havana Brown) – Breed Code 12

**NOT PERMITTED:**

No breedings allowed if at least one parent is not Havana Brown

0414 (F0) to 0415 (F0)

0414-0415 (F0) to Oriental or Siamese

0416 (F1) to 0417 (F1)

0414-0415 (F0) to 0416-0417 (F1)

**Proposed:**

## HAVANA BROWN OUTCROSSING PROGRAM

A Havana Brown cat may be mated with an unregistered domestic shorthair cat (black or blue only), hereafter referred to as **FO**, or certain colors of Oriental (shorthair only, **any color except: ~~pointed~~, cinnamon, fawn, silver, or bicolor**), or Siamese (chocolate point or seal point only). The resulting kittens of any color or pattern are known as the **F1** generation. The mating of any F1 kitten to a Havana Brown produces a litter that is considered to be Havana Brown (0408-0409), **provided** the kitten meets the color standard for Havana Brown or if Lavender AOV (0498-0499). All other color or patterned kittens will remain registered as F1 and may be used for breeding as an F1.

### CODES:

**0414-0415 (F0)** – For black or blue domestic shorthair or foundation cat (unknown or unregistered background) Breed Code 90.

**0416-0417 (F1)** For any color or patterned kittens from the breeding of a domestic (FO), a registered OSH or a Registered Siamese to a registered standard Havana Brown (0408 - 0409), or for any color or patterned kitten as the result of a breeding of two Havana browns at any generation. Note: Lavender has an AOV status (0498-0499).

**0408-0409** For brown kittens (only) from the breeding of a standard Havana Brown to an F1 or kittens from a Havana Brown to Havana Brown breeding. (All other colors or patterns of kittens may be registered as F1 and may be used for breeding). Lavender kittens would be registered AOV 0498-0499).

### **ALLOWABLE MATINGS:**

One parent must be a standard Havana Brown (0408- 0409)

0408 -0409 (Havana Brown) to 0414-0415 (F0) Breed Code 91

0408 -0409 (Havana Brown) to 0416-0417 (F1) Breed Code 12

0408-0409 (Havana Brown) to 0498-0499(AOV) Breed Code 12

0408- (Havana Brown) to 0409 (Havana Brown) Breed Code 12

### **NOT PERMITTED:**

NO BREEDINGS ARE PERMITTED IF AT LEAST ONE PARENT IS NOT A HAVANA BROWN (0408-0409).

0414(FO)to 0415(FO)

0414-0415 (FO) to Oriental or Siamese

0416 (F1) to 0417(F1)

0414-0415 (FO) to 0416-0417 (F1)

**RATIONALE:** With the addition of new breeders desiring to outcross to help our gene pool, and the changes in colors allowable in other breeds, our program needed some points of clarification. Those words removed have a strike through over them, and all new wording is

underlined. The word patterned allows for pointed kittens to be kept and used as F1 breeding kittens should their type or other qualities make them desirable for use.

As always, ONLY brown cats are registered as Havana Browns 0408-0409. Pointed kittens do occur in 0408 to 0409 breedings, and this clarifies that they may be registered as F1 kittens should their type or genetic back ground be valuable to a breeding program. Lavender kittens, as always, may be registered as AOV and used. Their use was unintentionally not mentioned previously. I strongly encourage you to vote in favor of these clarifications to allow a more robust outcross program.

YES: 8

NO: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

**REGISTRATION ISSUE (passes)**

Votes: 8

>50% of Voting: 5

**Motion Carried.**