

**Stud Book and Registration
2021 AQHA Convention
San Antonio, Texas**

1. With respect to agenda item 12, the committee approves the member's recommendation to amend REG104.4 and REG105.5, for horses being registered based on an international studbook to include a statement that if the unregistered lineage traces to Appendix/Appendix or Appendix/Thoroughbred cross, it is ineligible for registration.
2. With respect to agenda item 24, the committee approves the staff's recommendation to amend REG108 to begin with the following statement: AQHA is the sole owner of any and all DNA material and results processed by AQHA's official laboratory pursuant to AQHA's registration rules and/or AQHA request.
3. With respect to agenda item 25, the committee approves the staff's recommendation to remove "postmarked or" from rule REG110.1 so the deadline for stallion breeding reports is based on the date received to be consistent with all other work submitted to AQHA.
4. With respect to agenda item 28, the committee approves the staff's recommendation to amend REG108.4 and REG108.5 to change the name of the disease panel test to genetic trait panel.
5. With respect to agenda item 13, the committee denies the member's request to amend REG103.4.3, REG103.4.4 and REG118.4 to include a statement that a horse name cannot be changed if it has a record of performance in the QData database. Instead, a recommendation was made to create a task force to evaluate the data sources.

Executive Committee Action: Approved formation of task force to review data sources, validation processes and recommend whether the data sources should be used to impose rules of registration.

6. With respect to agenda items 21 and 22, a recommendation was made to create a task force to gather and evaluate additional data with regards to MYHM and other mutations for a possible tiered system.

Executive Committee Action: Approved formation of task force as recommended.

7. With respect to agenda item 27, the committee denies the staff's recommendation to amend REG124.4 to remove the seller's responsibility to deliver the transfer report and certificate of registration to AQHA. Instead, a recommendation was

made to create a task force to evaluate the transfer process specific to sale companies.

Executive Committee Action: Approved formation of task force to review transfer processes.

8. With respect to agenda items 10 and 11, 14 through 20, 23 and 26, the committee denies the recommendations submitted.
9. The committee discussed the concept of a digital certificate in the future. A recommendation was made to create a task force to further investigate the concept.

Executive Committee Action: Approved formation of task force to work closely with AQHA staff to map out a digital certificate concept. Task force will ensure a variety of industry users have the opportunity to provide input while ensuring the rules of registration are followed properly.

10. The committee re-elected Ross Roark as the Studbook & Registration Committee chairman.

Ross Roark - Chairman