



Date 16.3.16, via conference call

Present: Ellen Brimble (EB), Freija Glansdorp (FG), Jemimah Adams (JA)

Agenda

Studbook matters
Gaedingakeppni 2016
AOB

Studbook matters

- All is in hand and Freija is getting the data ready for the new equine database.
- **Ref. unknown dates of birth** - Iceland use 15.06. as the date of birth for IS-born horses

Germany use 01.01. when the actual birth date/month is not known

Dartmoor Ponies use 31.05. of the year of birth

Hackneys do the same as Germany

Conclusion:

We will adopt the Icelandic system of using 15.06. as the birthday/month for GB born horses where only the year of the birth is known.

- Studbook rules

Freija and Ellen are currently working on an updated version

Rona will look at the Health checks as described under Point 12 in the Studbook Rules

- Studbook charges for 2017

Current charges need to be updated before the next AGM, ready for 2017

As the new passports will have 2 extra pages, we are not sure if Iceland will charge us more for the passports in the future. We don't want to "invite" Iceland to raise their charges by asking them if there will be an increased cost, so it was agreed to wait until we get invoiced for the first Foal passports this year before discussing this point again. Hopefully we will be charged the same amount as before (currently Iceland charge us £ 33). We'll discuss the proposed studbook charges in August or September when we know more about the real cost to us.

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- As Kristina indicated in her email yesterday, Johannes is still available for the first two weekends in October. Kristina will try to reach Mike to agree on one of the two dates and let us know afterwards.

FG

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KC

Date of next meeting: 20th April 2016 at 8.30pm via powwownow

JA