



TROTTEUR FRANCAIS STUD-BOOK REGULATIONS

The Board meeting of the 'Société du Cheval Français', in its session of Wednesday, July 6th, 2016, adopted measures relative to the Regulations of Stud-Book of the French Trotter.

After consultation, no particular remark was emitted by the Minister of Agriculture on these measures, by mail on August 19th, 2016.

Article 1

The present regulations set out the terms governing Trotteur Français stud-book registration, as well as the qualification standards and health requirements applicable to breeding stock. They have been compiled by the Stud-book Committee. The Institut Français du Cheval et de l'Equitation (IFCE) is tasked with supervising their application.

Article 2

The Trotteur Français stud-book contains:

- 1) a directory of stallions approved for producing for the breed,
- 2) a directory of mares capable of producing for the breed,
- 3) a directory of foals registered in respect of ancestry,
- 4) a list of Trotteur Français breeders.

The periodic publication of the stud-book only shows breeding stock having produced offspring eligible for registration in the stud-book within the reference period.

Article 3

Only those animals registered in the Trotteur Français stud-book or an officially approved register kept abroad (cf. list attached under appendix C hereto) are allowed to bear the title of Trotteur Français.

Registration in Stud-book

Article 4

Registration in respect of ancestry

1) Automatic registration in respect of ancestry is applicable to any offspring born in France or in a foreign country empowered to keep a register related to the Trotteur Français stud-book and fulfilling the following conditions:

a. Produced from a covering for which the declaration of first covering document(DPS) is submitted to the IFCE within less than 15 days and from breeding stock satisfying the conditions below.

- The stallion having sired the offspring must be approved for Trotteur Français production subject to the terms and conditions established in article 8 hereunder.

- The offspring's dam must be registered in the Trotteur Français stud-book, and must be confirmed, approved for breeding in the Trotteur Français breed and not besuspended from such breeding for the year of covering in question(cf. articles 11 to 13).

At least one of the above parents must be the offspring of two parents registered in the Trotteur Français stud-book at birth.

- b. Having been declared to the IFCE within 15 days following its birth.
- c. Having received a name attributed by the Société d'Encouragement à l'Élevage du Cheval Français (SECF), chosen from among those suggested by the breeder or the owner of the foal, submitted prior to 30 September of the year of birth. Such name may be altered if needed, as recognized by the Trotteur Français Stud Book Committee, in agreement with the breeder and the owner, providing the animal concerned has not so far been bred, nor taken part in a public race.
- d. Having received its official certificate while being suckled by the mother prior to weaning and before 31st December of the year of birth from a person empowered to identify equidae, or, if abroad, by a person specially empowered to establish identification in foreign registers related to the Trotteur Français stud-book.
- e. Having undergone checks for compatible parentage.
- f. Having been tagged in the neck according to the formalities provided by the regulations in force.
- g. Having been registered and catalogued in the centralised file of equidae held by the IFCE, which issues the animal with a registration card and an accompanying identification document containing a narrative description with the possibility of providing a drawing by an authorized person

2) For offspring born in France, but conceived abroad, whose parents are already registered, and offspring born outside France, whose parents are already registered when there is no body approved by the Trotteur Français Stud-book in the country of birth, registration is obtained at the request of the breeders sent by registered letter to the IFCE, before 31st December of the year of the offspring's birth. The offspring shall satisfy the terms cited above under article 4 paragraph 1.

3) Any breeder who wishes to register offspring produced from a regularly declared covering and from breeding stock that comply with the conditions set out in Paragraph 1 of this article in a Stud-Book other than the Trotteur Français Stud-Book must notify that intention to the IFCE prior to the covering.

Article 5

Next to each trotter's name is mentioned the best kilometre rate obtained, unless it is more than one minute twenty-four seconds. Supplementary information is also given, namely the age of the horse, the distance, less or more than 2,000 metres, until 2007, and 2,400 metres since 2008 and specialism (i.e. 'A' for harnessed and 'M' for mounted) corresponding to the record indicated. This latter is, furthermore, accompanied by the letter **V** when it is recorded in Vincennes, or **H** when it is recorded at another approved racetrack, and the starting method (either **S** for Autostart or **E** for elastic tape or mobile gate).

Article 6

Any French racecourse satisfying the technical standards guaranteeing the recorded results and, in particular, operating a record-keeping system approved by the SECF is approved by decision of the Minister of Agriculture, on the proposal of the S.E.C.F. Foreign racecourses **organising or having organised** Group I, II and III races and satisfying the technical standards mentioned here above are also deemed to be approved.

The lists of approved French racecourses and approved foreign racecourses are attached under appendix B hereto.

Article 7

Offspring conceived by artificial insemination from transported semen or embryo transfer are not eligible for registration. Nevertheless, the Stud-book Committee may, by special dispensation, authorise the use of embryo transfer subject to the conditions stipulated in appendix A.

The use of fresh sperm in artificial insemination in Trotteur Français breeding places the owner of the mare to be inseminated at liberty to request the stallion's services every day of the week, excepting national holidays, in line with the regulations in force at equine sperm collection centres.

No offspring produced by a cloning technique, or any other form of genetic manipulation not listed in these regulations, may be registered in the Trotteur Français stud-book.

Selection of Stallions

Article 8 Stallion Approval

The list of Group I and II races is attached under appendix G of these Regulations.

Stallions that are registered in the Trotteur Français stud-book, that have validated identification documents, and that satisfy the health requirements of Appendix E and fulfil the conditions below, may be approved for producing in the Trotteur Français stud-book:

- 1) Either having finished in the first three in a Group I race
- 2) Or, having achieved 6 times, throughout their career of competing in races recorded and held at approved racecourses, where they have won a place, a kilometre rate less than or equal to:
 - 1'16"5 at the age of 3,
 - 1'15"5 at the age of 4,
 - 1'14"5 at the age of 5,
 - 1'13"5 at the age of 6, or above.

Kilometre rates are increased by **one second** for a race started by the **Autostart method** and by one second for races over a distance less than **2,400 m**. Both increases may be applied simultaneously.

The rates are reduced by half of one second for mounted harness races.

One victory in any race included in the list of Group II races is equivalent to two victories with the required record, whereas a second or third place in this race category is equivalent to one victory with the required record.

- 3) Or, if the horse is at least 5 years old and destined for breeding at the age of 6 or above, having obtained a favourable response from the Approval committee.

In order to qualify for presentation to the Approval committee, horses that have finished in the first five in a race referred to in paragraph 2 above, need to have achieved 6 times the kilometre rate also established in said paragraph, subject to the same equivalences, increases and reductions.

In addition to the above, both of the following two references are equivalent for the kilometre rates required for approval:

- being the male offspring or uterine brother of a horse having won a Group I or II race
- having obtained a total minimum amount of winnings of 100,000 Euros at the age of four, or 200,000 Euros at the age of five or 280,000 Euros at the age of six or above.
- Having obtained a score, **at the age of 4, 5 or 6 years and over**, of at least 70/100 at a national competition for selection of entire horses (*Concours National de Sélection de Chevaux Entiers*), as determined in accordance with the scoring chart that appears under Appendix 1 of these Regulations.

All the references taken into account shall have been obtained in different races

In very exceptional cases, and notably in case of accidents, horses that do not fully satisfy the above conditions may be examined by the Trotteur Français Stud-book Committee. If they obtain a favourable response from the Stud-book Committee, said horses may then be presented to the Approval committee.

Stallions already qualified as state-owned stallions for covering prior to the publication of the present order shall have their approval renewed.

Every year, the Stud-book Committee will examine the case of stallions whose production is found to be of insufficient quality in order to decide whether to maintain or suspend their approval.

Article 9

Stallions that are approved for producing in the Trotteur Français stud-book are limited therein to:

- 100 annual coverings for those satisfying paragraphs 1) and 2) of article 8,
- 60 annual coverings for those satisfying paragraph 3) of said article,
- 20 annual coverings for those satisfying the very exceptional situation stipulated in paragraph 3) of said article.

The Stud-Book Committee will be tasked with assessing stallion production quality and will revise the number of coverings attributed thereto accordingly.

↳ **For stallions limited to 60 annual coverings:**

If any offspring finishes among the first three in a Group 1 race or, if after at least five years of siring, at least 50% of the offspring old enough to be eligible for qualification trials are qualified, the Stud-Book Committee may raise the upper limit of annual coverings to 100.

↳ **For stallions limited to 20 annual coverings:**

If any offspring comes 2nd or 3rd in a Group 1 race or, if after at least five years of siring, at least 50% of the offspring old enough to be eligible for qualification trials are qualified, the Stud-Book Committee may raise the upper limit of annual coverings to 60.

If any offspring finishes first in a Group 1 race, the Stud-Book Committee may raise the upper limit of annual coverings to 100.

Stallions already approved for producing shall not be subject to other restrictions, save the limitation to 100 annual coverings.

If the death of a mare covered by a stallion is notified to the IFCE, a covering by the same stallion may be allocated, in that same year, to another mare belonging to the same owner, providing the stallion handler responsible for said stallion sends a written request to the secretary of the Stud Book Committee within one month of the date of the mare's death.

Article 10

Approval committee

1) The Approval committee is composed of:

- 4 breeders and users appointed by the Stud-book Committee.
- 1 representative of the IFCE appointed by the Managing Director of that body.

The Approval committee appoints the Chairman from among its members.

2) The Approval committee examines horses that satisfy the conditions of access to this committee. It grants stallions approval or deferment, taking account of their origins and their breed. Approval may be granted only to stallions that

obtained a grade equal to or greater than 60, as determined in accordance with the scoring chart used at stallion selection tests that appears under Appendix 1 of these Regulations. The reasons for deferment given for a candidate stallion should be stated in the report signed by all committee members and filed by the IFCE. A decision pronounced in favour of the deferment of a candidate stallion is valid for one year.

Selection of Broodmares

Article 11 Confirmation of mares and reproduction eligibility

Within the present regulations, the category of a mare is defined according to the schedule of confirmation, established by the Stud-Book Committee, featured in appendix H.

The list of Group I and II races is attached under appendix G hereto.

1) **In order to be confirmed**, a mare must have validated identification papers and:

- Either have been authorised for Trotteur Français breeding prior to 1st January 2005
- **Or have been born prior to 1st January 2005**, and have satisfied **one of the following conditions** by 31st December of the year preceding its being sent for breeding at the latest:
 - have successfully passed the qualification trials organised by the S.E.C.F. or organised abroad by a Federation which has signed the agreement for 'Trotteur Français' horse breeding on an approved racetrack (appendix J);
 - have established an official record corresponding to French qualification standards in a public race meeting organised abroad, **on the understanding that the kilometre rates are increased by one second for a race started by the Autostart method and by one second for races over a distance less than 2,000 m. Both increases may be applied simultaneously,**
 - or be the uterine sister of a horse or female offspring of a mare having finished in the first three in a Group I or II race;
 - or be classified in the first category on the grounds of its performance or be the female offspring of a first-category mare;
 - or have been born between 1997 and 2004 inclusive (letter 'J' to 'Q') and be the female offspring of a second-category mare.
 - **Or have been born between 2005 and 2012 inclusive** (letter 'R' to "C".) and have satisfied **one of the following conditions** by 31st December of the year preceding its being sent for breeding at the latest:
 - have had at least one win in a public race meeting organised at **a French racecourse or abroad** at an approved racecourse;
 - or have been classified in the 1st or 2nd category on grounds of its performance;
 - or be the female offspring of a 1st or 2nd category mare.
 - **Or have been born from 1st January 2013 (letter 'D' and following)** and satisfied **one of the following conditions** by 31st December of the year preceding its being sent for breeding at the latest:
 - have obtained at least one win in a public race meeting organised **at a French racecourse or abroad** at an approved racecourse;
 - or have been classified in the 1st or 2nd category on grounds of its performance;
 - or be the female offspring of a 1st category mare;
 - or be the female offspring of a 2nd category mare and have successfully completed the qualifying events organized by the SECF or a federation which has signed the agreement for 'Trotteur Français' horse breeding on an approved racetrack for the organisation of qualification trials (appendix J) or have established an official record corresponding to French qualification standards in a public race meeting organised abroad on an approved racetrack; **on the**

understanding that the kilometre rates are increased by one second for a race started by the Autostart method and by one second for races over a distance less than **2,000 m**. Both increases may be applied simultaneously,

The transmission of the whole performances obtained abroad, by a mare (or, where necessary, by her mother or the offsprings of these ones), is under the responsibility of the owner of the aforementioned mare.

A filly is confirmed as eligible for reproduction:

- at the very earliest as from her registration (before 31st December of its year of birth), if her mother fulfils the necessary categorisation criteria in accordance with the schedule in force in the year of birth in question. However, for a filly born in 2012, her mother must fulfil the necessary categorisation criteria in accordance with the schedule in force in 2011.
- at a later date, if she satisfies the conditions imposed either on the grounds of her performances, or following a change of category for her mother.

2) **To be eligible for reproduction**, a mare must be **confirmed and**, at the time of covering:

- be aged **at least 5 years old**,
- **nevertheless**, a special dispensation is granted to mares at least 4 years old, if, at the very latest by 31st December of the year preceding her approval for reproduction, she has fulfilled **one of the following conditions**:
 - being classified 1st or 2nd category on the grounds of her performance,
 - or being the offspring of a 1st category mare.

Article 12

Animals temporarily suspended from Trotteur Français breeding include any mares, except those having finished in the first three in a Group I race or having won a Group II race, that have at least 3 offspring registered in the Trotteur Français stud-book aged 3 or above at 31st December preceding covering, and that have:

- no offspring having finished in the first 3 in a Group I or II race;
- no minimum number of qualified offspring such as defined in the table below.

For the application of this latter rule, any Trotteur Français offspring having established an official record abroad in an approved racetrack (on the understanding that the kilometre rates are increased by one second for a race started by the Autostart method and by one second for races over a distance less than **2,000 m**. **Both increases may be applied simultaneously**) or an official record corresponding to the categorisation standards in France is not included since it is regarded as qualified or categorised.

For births from 2002 and subsequent, only those offspring are counted whose death has not been declared at 31st December of their year of birth.

In exceptional cases, the above suspension may be deferred, at the written request of the breeder to the secretary of the Stud-book Committee and after officialisation such as defined under article 14, if one of the offspring requalifies the mare by finishing a Group I or Group II race among the first three or in accordance with the ratio defined below at the latest on 31st March of the year of covering.

The transmission of the whole performances obtained abroad, by a mare (or, where necessary, by her mother or the offsprings of these ones), is under the responsibility of the owner of the aforementioned mare.

AT 31st DECEMBER PRECEDING COVERING	
Number of offspring aged 3 years and above registered in the T. F. stud-book.	Minimum number of qualified offspring aged 3 years and above
3	1
4	
5	2
6	
7	3
8	
9	
10 and above	4

Article 13

Other animals temporarily suspended from Trotteur Français breeding include any Trotteur Français mares (with the exception of those having finished in the first three of a Group I race or having won a Group II race and having been sent for breeding for the first time at least nine years prior to the covering season in question) that have not been classified, at the latest by 31st December of the year preceding the covering season, as 1st or 2nd category.

The year of being sent for breeding serving as reference is the first year in which the mare is covered whatever the breed of the stallion.

In exceptional cases, the above suspension may be deferred, at the written request of the breeder to the secretary of the Stud-book Committee, and once it is official such as defined under article 14, if one of the offspring requalifies the mare according to a record established by 31st March of the year of covering at the latest.

The transmission of the whole performances obtained abroad, by a mare (or, where necessary, by her mother or the offsprings of these ones), is under the responsibility of the owner of the aforementioned mare.

Article 14

The close of the annual period for processing new confirmations and suspensions is announced every year at the start of covering in the SECF Official Bulletin.

The results of the annual processing of confirmations and suspensions shall be published, as of this date, on the IFCE web site (www.haras-nationaux.fr). Likewise, the list of suspended mares shall be published in the SECF Official Bulletin.

Article 15

By special dispensation, a stallion not registered at birth in the Trotteur Français stud-book may be authorised by the Stud-book Committee to breed in said stud-book, providing it satisfies the criteria of a concerted breed improvement programme.

Article 16

Trotteur Français Stud-book Committee

▪ Composition

The Stud-book Committee is comprised as follows:

- 15 representatives appointed by the Société d'Encouragement à l'élevage du Cheval, including the Chairman, comprising the following:
 - the President of the SECF or his representative, preside over proceedings,
 - the Chairman of the SECF Breeding Committee or his representative,
 - 5 members elected from the breeders' collegium,
 - a representative appointed by the SECF board of directors, on the grounds of competence, from among committee members.

as well as the following representatives appointed ex-officio, being either members of the SECF committee, or of a regional harness racing committee or council:

- a GAET representative,
 - a representative of the Syndicat National des Eleveurs de Chevaux Trotteur Français,
 - a SEPT representative,
 - a SNPT representative,
 - a representative of the Syndicat des Entraîneurs.
 - **Two representatives, one a breeder and the other an owner/trainer appointed by the foreign organisations contractually obliged to keep a Trotteur Français register.**
- 2 representatives of the IFCE appointed by the Managing Director of that body, one of whom is Committee secretary:
 - the Director of the horse sector or his representative at the IFCE
 - the person in charge of the SIRE or a representative appointed by that body.

At the Chairman's instigation, the Committee may appoint any other expert in an advisory capacity.

▪ **Duties**

The Trotteur Français Stud-book Committee is tasked with:

- Submitting any amendments to these regulations,
- Formulating all proposals relative to the improvement and value enhancement of the breed,
- Deciding on specific cases that have been filed with the IFCE,
- Monitoring compliance with the health requirements provided under appendix E by mandating veterinary surgeons to conduct inspections.

It may be consulted by the Minister of Agriculture on any issue relative to breeding, selection and health issues concerning the Trotteur Français.

▪ **Operating rules**

The committee meets at the written convocation of its Chairman. If any decisions or recommendations are of a public nature, the deliberations are confidential.

It may delegate some of its members to represent it in the performance of its duties.

Article 17 SUB-COMMITTEE FOR SPECIAL CASES

The Sub-committee for Special Cases is composed of 4 persons, appointed by the Stud-book Committee, at least one of whom represents the IFCE.

It is tasked with processing claims filed with the Stud-book Committee regarding the exceptional regularization of late registrations in the Trotteur Français Stud-book. **Only the claims regarding regularization duly completed and received by the secretary of the Stud-Book Committee for offspring before December 31st of the year which follows the birth year of the offspring shall be taken into consideration.**

The Sub-committee meets as and when necessary. It delivers an opinion notified by the IFCE to the interested parties, as well as to the President of the Stud-book Committee.

The opinions of the Sub-committee for Special Cases may be disputed, on production of new information that is likely to incur a modification of the initial opinion, before the Stud-book Committee within 2 months following the notification. Failing this, the opinion issued becomes effective. The processing of claims brought at first instance and on appeal is conducted anonymously.

Article 18

At the request of the Sub-committee for Special Cases or the Health Committee, or following ex-officio action, the Trotteur Français Stud-Book Committee may inflict penalties according to the schedule under appendix F.

Matters are only settled following payment of said penalties.

APPENDICES:

- Appendix A: Use of embryo transfer
- Appendix B: French racecourses approved for operating a record-keeping system for trotting races and foreign racecourses organising Group I, II, and III races or satisfying the technical standards mentioned in the article 6.

Foreign racecourses organising or having organised Group I, II and III races or satisfying the technical standards mentioned in the article 6.

- Appendix C: List of Trotteur Français registers kept abroad
- Appendix D: Caledonian section of the Trotteur Français stud-book
- Appendix E: Health conditions governing Trotteur Français breeding stock
- Appendix F: Schedule of penalties
- Appendix G: List of Group I and II races
- Appendix H: Mare confirmation schedules
- Appendix I: Scoring chart for stallion selection tests
- Appendix J: Foreign racecourses approved by the SECF for the organisation of qualification trials.

APPENDIX A

USE OF EMBRYO TRANSFER

Pursuant to article 7 of the stud-book regulations, the principle is that an offspring conceived by embryo transfer is not eligible for registration in the Trotteur Français stud-book. However, by special dispensation, the Stud-book Committee may authorise an embryo transfer in view of a case compiled for a mare satisfying the three following conditions:

- being at least 10 yrs old,
- having scored 3 Group I victories for itself or its offspring,
- having been covered, but having not produced offspring for two consecutive years.

Only those cases compiled for mares satisfying the above conditions will be examined by the Stud-book Committee, which shall deliver its verdict without appeal.

APPENDIX B

1) FRENCH RACECOURSES APPROVED FOR OPERATING A RECORD-KEEPING SYSTEM FOR TROTTING RACES

Starting method – elastic tape or mobile gate: Agen, Amiens, Angers (19/10/05), Argentan, Auch, Beaumont de Lomagne, Bordeaux (10/11/09), Cabourg (01/01/93), Caen, Cagnes-sur-Mer, Castera-Verduzan (12/06/07), Cavaillon, Challans (09/05/10), Chartres (25/04/05), Chateaubriant, Chatillon sur Charlaronne (01/01/93), Cherbourg (01/01/93), Cholet, Cordemais, Divonnes les Bains (01/01/96), Enghien, Feurs (26/04/99), Graignes, Grenade sur Garonne, Hyères (01/01/94), La Capelle, Chatelaillon-La Rochelle (30/12/98), **Langon-Libourne (21.10.15)**, Laval, Le Croisé-Laroche, Le Mans (17/03/98), (01/01/93), Le Mont Saint Michel-Pontorson, Les Sables d’Olonne (03/08/07), Lignières-en-Berry (16/10/07), Lyon Parilly, Lyon Villeurbanne, Machecoul (22/06/05), Marseille Borely, Marseille Vivaux, Maure de Bretagne (01/01/96), Meslay du Maine (01/01/95), Nancy (16/05/10), Nantes, Paray Le Monial, Pontchateau (21/04/10), Pornichet, Reims, Mauquenchy (01/01/09), Saint Brieuc (01/01/95), Saint Galmier, Saint Malo (09/08/00), Salon de Provence, Strasbourg (01/01/96), Toulouse, Vichy, Vincennes, Vire.

Starting method - autostart :Agen, Amiens, Angers (19/10/05), Argentan, Auch, Beaumont de Lomagne, Bordeaux (10/11/09), Cabourg (07/07/06), Caen (14/05/06), Cagnes-sur-Mer, Castera-Verduzan (12/06/07), Chateaubriant (13/12/06), ChatillonsurChalaronne (01/01/05), Cherbourg (29/09/09), Cordemais, Divonne-les-Bains, Enghien, Feurs (01/01/05), Hyères (01/01/03), La Capelle, **Langon-Libourne (21.10.15)**, Laval (06/06/06), Le Croisé-Laroche, Le Mans (04/05/06), Le Mont Saint Michel-Pontorson (01/08/07), Les Sables d’Olonne (03/08/07), Lyon Parilly, Lyon Villeurbanne (01/01/05), Maure de Bretagne (13/01/07), Meslay du Maine (06/06/06), Pontchateau (21/04/10), Pornichet, Reims, Mauquenchy (01/01/06), Saint-Brieuc (26/09/08), Saint-Galmier (01/01/05), Toulouse, Vichy (15/05/06), Vincennes, Vire (03.11.11).

2) FOREIGN RACECOURSES ORGANISING OR HAVING ORGANISED GROUP I, II, AND III RACES AND SATISFYING THE TECHNICAL STANDARDS MENTIONED IN THE ARTICLE 6

GERMANY :B Berlin / Mariendorf, Gelsenkirchen, Hamburg – Bahrenfeld, Mönchengladbach, München – DaglfingPfarrkirchen

AUSTRIA :Vienna

BELGIUM : **MONS** (Ghlin), Kuurne, Waregem

DENMARK :Aalborg, Billund, Charlottenlund / Copenhagen, JydskaVaeddelobsbane / Arhus, Odense, Skive

SPAIN :**SON PARDO** (Palma de Majorque)

FINLAND :Kuopio, Kuovola, Lahti, Lappeenranta, Mikkeli, Pori, Seinajoki, Tampere, Turku, Vermö / Helsinki

ITALY :Aversa, Bologna, Cesena, Firenze, Follonica, Garigliano, Milano / San Siro, Modena, Montecatini, Montegiorgio, Napoli / Agnano, Padova, Palermo, Roma (Capannelle) / Roma (Tor Di Valle), SantiCosma e Damiano, Taranto, Torino, Treviso / San Artemio, Trieste

LITHUANIA : Utena

NORWAY :Biri / Forus, Bjerke/Oslo, Jarlsberg, Klosterskogen

THE NETHERLANDS :Duindigt / La Haye, Wolvega

SWEDEN :Aby / Göteborg, Arjäng, Axevalla, Bergsaker, Boden, Eskilstuna, Farjestad, Gävle – Örebro, Halmstad, Jägersro / Malmö, Ostersund, Rättvik, Romme, Solvalla / Stockholm.

SWITZERLAND :Aarau, Avenches

APPENDIX C

LIST OF TROTTEUR FRANCAIS REGISTERS KEPT ABROAD

The list below includes foreign bodies tasked by agreement to keep a Trotteur Français register:

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RECORDS ACHIEVED BY TROTTEUR FRANÇAIS HORSES IN COUNTRIES THAT HAVE ONLY GRASS RACETRACKS

For Trotteur Français horses that were born and raised in a foreign country that has been entrusted with keeping a Trotteur Français Register and which has grass racetracks only, a further 8 seconds are allowed for the required best kilometre rates required, on the one hand for qualifier tests, in accordance with the schedule published every year in SECF Bulletin No. 1, and on the other for the purposes of registering records achieved at public races in that country, by way of waiver for a duration not in excess of 5 years starting in 2014.

APPENDIX D

CALEDONIAN SECTION OF THE TROTTEUR FRANÇAIS STUD-BOOK

The Caledonian section has been created in the Trotteur Français stud-book for Trotteur Français offspring born in New Caledonia.

The breeding of Trotteur Français in New Caledonia is governed by the Neo-Caledonian Unit for the selection and promotion of horse and donkey breeds (UPRA EQUINE) in accordance with the Trotteur Français stud-book regulations, with the exception of the following provisions:

- Article 11, paragraph 1 = confirmation of mares
- Articles 12 and 13 = suspension of mares

Offspring born in New Caledonia to two breeding Trotteur Français not subject to the provisions of articles 8, 11, paragraph 1, 12 and 13 of these regulations, are registered in the Caledonian section of the Trotteur Français stud-book and do not have access to trials governed by the French Rules of Racing, other than international trials.

APPENDIX E

HEALTH CONDITIONS GOVERNING TROTTEUR FRANÇAIS BREEDING STOCK

1. In order to be approved as state-owned stallions used for covering, Trotteur Français stallions must satisfy the following conditions:

A. - In regard to diseases deemed contagious

- Infectious anaemia

The stallion, on its initial application for approval as a state-owned stallion used for covering, must, prior to the

issuing of covering certificates, show a negative result no more than three months old to testing for infectious anaemia using the Coggins test, then every 3 years prior to the beginning of the covering season. The swab is taken by a veterinary health inspector and analysed by a laboratory approved by the Ministry of Agriculture.

- B. - In regard to Notifiable Diseases (N.D.s)
- Contagious metritis

Annually, every stallion must be subjected to one bacteriological diagnostic test for contagious metritis with negative results. The swab site is the urethral fossa and **the scouting technique used has to be approved by the Ministry of Agriculture**. The swab is taken by a veterinary health inspector and analysed by a laboratory approved by the Ministry of Agriculture.

The swab should be taken after 1st December of the year preceding the covering season and before the issuing of covering certificates.

The Trotteur Français Health Committee suspends covering by any stallion testing positive to a bacteriological diagnostic test for contagious metritis. The infected stallion must then be isolated and treated. Three inspections are conducted after the treatment: the first at least 7 days after the end of the treatment, the second at least 15 days after the first swab is taken and the third at least one month after the second.

For each inspection, a bacteriological diagnostic test is conducted on a swab taken from the urethral fossa, urethra, penile sheath and from the sperm or pre-ejaculation fluid. **The scouting technique used has to be approved by the Ministry of Agriculture**.

Resumption of covering may be authorised by the Trotteur Français Health Committee following negative results obtained from the first inspection.

Moreover, all items and premises serving to carry the contagion shall be disinfected.

The stallion breeder with whom the stallion testing positive as above is stationed should inform the owners of all mares covered or inseminated by that stallion, since its last negative result. Should the stallion breeder fail to provide proof of this information within 2 months following the validation of positive results by the national reference laboratory, the Health Committee may file the information and apply the penalties provided under appendix F of these regulations.

Equine Viral Arteritis (E.V.A.)

Annually, every stallion must be subjected to a test for equine viral arteritis.

The test should be conducted after 1st December of the year preceding the covering season and before the issuing of covering certificates. The analysis reports (serological or virological) are enclosed with the application for covering certificates for the following season. In case of an unfavourable analysis report, covering certificates are not issued.

The test includes:

- a serological test (search for neutralising antibodies) with a negative result;
- in the case of a positive serological result (titre equal to or higher than 4), search (virological or by means of molecular biology) for the virus or its components conducted immediately after sperm collection, based on whole ejaculate with negative results.

However, no virological test is required for stallions vaccinated against E.V.A., providing that:

- proof of vaccine injections, conducted according to the manufacturer's procedure, is supplied through mention of the certification in the identification document;

- proof of a negative result obtained from a serological test conducted less than thirty days prior to the date of the first vaccination is supplied through mention of the certification in the identification document.

A seropositive stallion testing positive to a search for the virus or its components, is recognised as a 'positive excretor' and is not authorised to breed, unless a special dispensation is obtained.

Said special dispensation may be granted, on the decision of the President of the Trotteur Français Stud-book Committee, after receiving notice from the Trotteur Français Stud-book Health Committee, providing the viral strain is not deemed pathogenic by the relevant reference laboratory, and subject to compliance with a technical procedure guaranteeing the non-diffusion of the virus and limiting the covering to a closed harem.

C. - In regard to other diseases

a) Equine flu

Every stallion is vaccinated against equine flu.

Proof of the vaccine injections is provided by mention of the certification in the identification booklet.

The primary vaccination and booster injections are given in accordance with the provisions of the Vaccine Marketing Authorisations.

b) Rhinopneumonia

Every stallion is vaccinated against rhinopneumonia.

Proof of the vaccine injections is provided by mention of the certification in the identification booklet.

The primary vaccination and booster injections are given in accordance with the provisions of the Vaccine Marketing Authorisations.

2. In order to be presented for covering by a Trotteur Français stallion, a Trotteur Français mare or that of any other origin must satisfy the health conditions required for stallions in paragraph 1. C. hereabove, with regard to vaccinations against equine flu and rhinopneumonia.
3. Health monitoring:
 - a) For stallions

Documents or photocopies thereof, providing proof of the vaccinations and compliance with technical health monitoring procedures should be sent to the IFCE as of 1st December prior to the start of the covering season. The issuing of covering certificates is dependent upon all of these documents being received by the IFCE.

Said documents or photocopies thereof, are also kept at the stallion's place of residence for three years.

They should be held at the disposal of any person(s) authorised by the Trotteur Français Health Committee, whose composition, missions and operating regulations are defined in paragraph 4 herebelow.

b) For mares

The accompanying document providing proof of vaccinations shall be presented to the person responsible for insemination, or any other duly authorised person, who shall check the compliance thereof.

As of 2007, any mare not satisfying the mandatory vaccination conditions may not be presented for covering.

**Photocopies of documents providing proof of the vaccinations should be kept at the stallion's place of residence for three years.
They should be held at the disposal of anyone mandated by the Trotteur Français Health Committee, whose composition, missions and operating regulations are defined in paragraph 4 here in after.**

4. Trotteur Français Health Committee

a) Composition:

It operates under the authority of the President of the Stud-Book Committee.

It is composed of three veterinarians appointed respectively by:

- SECF
- the Fédération Nationale des Courses Hippiques (National Federation of Racing)
- IFCE

and three representatives of the Stud-Book Committee including a stallion farmer representative.

b) Missions:

The Health Committee is empowered to:

- announce decisions on the health-regularisation of approval files;
- suspend covering by Trotteur Français of the subjects concerned, following declaration of a positive case of an N.D., the testing whereof is stipulated herein.
- appoint experts;
- intercede in declarations of an N.D., the testing whereof is stipulated herein, mainly to help the veterinarian conduct epidemiological searches to check that the tests provided are undertaken, propose the re-instatement of covering authorisation and any other measures deemed relevant.

c) Operating Rules :

The decisions taken by the Health Committee, namely the suspension of covering, are notified by the IFCE.

In its capacity as an epidemiological monitoring body for the breed, the Health Committee is immediately notified of any positive results indicating an N.D., the testing whereof is stipulated herein, in a horse reproducing for the breed. The commissioner of the analysis therefore implicitly authorises the laboratory to forward those results to the Health Committee, who is bound to treat them as confidential.

APPENDIX F

TABLE OF PENALTIES

The stud-book committee, acting in its capacity as a disciplinary authority, may, at the request of the Sub-committee for Special Cases or the Health Committee, or following ex-officio action, apply a penalty according to the following table:

NATURE OF INFRINGEMENT	PENALTY
Delay in submitting the declaration of first covering (DPS – Déclaration de 1er Saut) thereby infringing article 4 §1) a. of these regulations.	Fine of at most 5% of the servicing fee charged to the owner for every mare concerned
Delay in submitting the servicing results declaration entitled Déclaration de Résultat de Saillie (DRS), which is in infringement of article 4 1) b) of these regulations.	Fine of €150 as a maximum charged to the mare owner multiplied by the number of months' delay in respect of files submitted to the Sub-Committee for Special Cases.
Non-availability of a stallion, at its place of stabling during the covering season, in infringement of article 7 of these regulations.	Fine of 10% of the servicing fee charged to the stallion owner.
Exceeding annual number of servicing cards allocated to a stallion, pursuant to the provisions of articles 8 and 9 of these Regulations.	An number of cards equal to those exceeding the allowed number shall be deducted from the following breeding year's allocation, and a penalty shall be imposed on the stallion's owner for an amount equivalent to the public servicing fee.
Failure to comply with the inspections imposed on a stallion testing positive to a bacteriological diagnostic test for contagious metritis, in infringement of paragraph 1. B of appendix E of these regulations.	Fine of €500 for the stallion owner.
Failure to inform mare owners of covering stallion having tested positive to bacteriological diagnostic test for contagious metritis, in infringement of paragraph 1. B of appendix E of these regulations.	Fine of €100 for the stallion owner, per mare in question.
Mare having been covered without having previously satisfied the health requirements stipulated under paragraph 2 of appendix E of these Regulations.	
Submitting a request to SECF to assign a name later than September 30 of the year the foal was born.	Fine of 50€ for the owner of the foal on September 30 of the year of birth.

APPENDIX G

1°) List of Group I Races (2016)

GERMANY

Traber-Derby, Grosser Preis Von Deutschland

BELGIUM

Grand Prix de Wallonie

DENMARK

Copenhagen Cup, Dansk Hoppe Derby (f), Dansk Trav Derby

FINLAND

Seinäjäki-Race, Finlandia-Ajo, Kymi Grand Prix, Suur-Hollola-Ajo, St Michel, Derby, Kriterium

FRANCE (Harness)

Grand Prix d'Amérique, Grand Prix de France, Grand Prix de Paris, **Prix Comte Pierre de Montesson (Critérium des Jeunes)**, Prix de Sélection, Grand Critérium de Vitesse, Prix de l'Atlantique, Critérium des 4 ans, Prix Albert Viel, Prix René Ballière, Critérium des 5 ans, Prix de l'Etoile, Championnat Européen des 3 ans, **Championnat Européen des 5 ans, Grand Prix de l'UET**, Critérium des 3 ans, Critérium Continental

FRANCE (Under saddle)

Prix de Cornulier, Prix de l'Île-de-France, Prix des Centaures, Saint-Léger des Trotteurs, Prix d'Essai, Prix du Président de la République, Prix de Normandie, Prix des Elites, Prix de Vincennes

ITALIA

Premio Costa Azzurra, Gran Premio Europa, Gran Premio Della Lotteria, Premio Giovanardi, Premio Nazionale, Premio Triossi, Premio Citta di Napoli, Premio Citta di Montecatini, Campionato Europeo, Premio Marangoni, Premio Campo di Mirafiori, Premio Continentale, Premio Turilli, Derby, Oaks del Trotto (f), Freccia d'Europa, Premio Orsi Mangelli, Premio Nazioni, Gran Criterium, Palio dei Comuni, Premio Allevatori, Gala Internazionale del Trotto

NORWAY

VG Oslo Grand Prix, Ulf Thoresens Minnelop, Norsk Trav Derby, Norsk Trav Kriterium, **Trotting Masters Final**

THE NETHERLANDS

SWEDEN

Olympiatravet, Konung Gustaf V.S Pokal, Drottning Silvias Pokal, Elitloppet, E3 (m) (**Eskilstuna**), E3 (f) (**Eskilstuna**), Sprintermästaren, Stochampionatet, Aberg's Memorial, Jubileumspokalen, Championnat Européen des femelles, E3 (f) (**Orebro**), E3 (m) (**Orebro**), Sundsvall Open Trot, Svenskt Travderby, Aby Stora Pris, Svenskt Trav-Oaks (f), Svenskt Trav-Kriterium, Breeders Crown (3 ans), Breeders Crown (4 ans), Breeders Crown (3 ans, f), Breeders Crown (4 ans, f), Svenskt Uppfödningslöpning, Norrbottens Stora Pris, Derby Stoet

2°) Listof Group II Races (2016)

GERMANY

Stuten-Derby (filly), Breeders Crown, Breeders Crown (filly), **Grand Prix de Gelsenkirchen**

BELGIUM

Grand Prix de la Ville de Waregem, Grand Prix de la Toussaint

DENMARK

Jydsk 4-Arings Grand Prix, Jydsk 3-Arings Grand Prix, Dansk Trav Kriterium

SPAIN

Gran Premio Nacional de Trote, Gran Premio de Balears

FINLAND

Arvid Avallin Tammaderby, Kuopio Stakes, Tammakriterium, Lämminveri-SM, Villinmiehen Tammakilpa, Kasvattajakruunu (4 ans, f), Kasvattajakruunu (4 ans, m), Kasvattajakruunu (3 ans, m), Kasvattajakruunu (3 ans, f), St. Leger, Kymenlaakso-Ajo

FRANCE (Harness)

Prix de Bourgogne, Prix de Tonnac-Villeneuve, Prix Maurice de Gheest, Prix de Croix, Prix Gélinotte, Prix de Belgique, Prix Ténor de Baune, Prix Charles Tiercelin, Prix Paul Viel, Prix Roquépine, Prix Jean Le Gonidec, Prix Ephrem Houel, Prix Ovide Moulinet, Prix de l'Union Européenne, Prix Robert Auvray, Prix Phaéton, Prix Paul Leguerney, Grand Prix du Sud Ouest, Prix Henri Levesque, Prix Gaston de Wazières, Prix Gaston Brunet, Prix Masina, Prix Paul Karle, Critérium de Vitesse, Prix Kerjacques, Prix Albert Demarcq, Prix des Ducs de Normandie, Prix Kalmia, Prix Ozo, Prix Chambon P, Prix Louis Jariel, Prix de Washington, Grand Prix du Conseil **Départemental**, Prix de Buenos-Aires, Prix de La Haye, Prix Jean-Luc Lagardère, Prix Guy Deloison, Prix Pierre Plazen, Prix Jockey, Prix Guy Le Gonidec, Prix Jules Thibault, Prix Uranie, Prix Victor Régis, Prix d'Été, Prix Reine du Corta, Prix Abel Bassigny, Prix Marcel Laurent, Prix de Bretagne, Prix Annick Dreux, Prix Jacques de Vaalogé, Prix Doynel de Saint-Quentin, Prix Ariste Hémard, Prix du Bourbonnais, Prix Octave Douesnel, Prix Maurice de Folleville, Prix Emmanuel Margouty, Prix Une de Mai, Prix Europe de Compétitivité,

FRANCE (Under saddle)

Prix Léon Tacquet, Prix du Calvados, Prix de Pardieu, Prix Camille de Wazières, Prix Jacques Andrieu, Prix Camille Blaisot, Prix Holly du Locton, Prix Edouard Marcillac, Prix Paul Bastard, Prix Ali Hawas, Prix Félicien Gauvreau, Prix Louis Le Bourg, Prix Louis Forcinal, Prix Théophile Lallouet, Prix Hemine, Prix René Palyart, Prix Jean Gauvreau, Prix Henri Ballière, Prix Victor Cavey, Prix Lavater, Prix Xavier de Saint Palais, Prix de Londres, Prix Hervé Céran-Maillard, Prix Pierre Gamare, Prix Legoux-Longpré, Prix Camille Lepecq, Prix Cénéri Forcinal, Prix de Basly, Prix Reynolds, Prix Olry-Roederer, Prix Louis Tillaye, Prix Edmond Henry, Prix Joseph Lafosse, Prix Paul Buquet, Prix Philippe du Rozier, Prix Raoul Ballière, Prix Jules Lemonnier, Prix Emile Riotteau

ITALIA

Premio Vittoria, Premio Firenze, Premio Locatelli, Premio Encat, Premio Andreani, Premio Ponte Vecchio, Premio Citta di Padova, Premio Padovanelle, Gran Premio Italia, Premio San Paolo, Premio Renzo Orlandi, Premio Stabile, Premio Due Mari, Premio Europa (f), Premio Elwood Medium, Premio Regione Sicilia, Premio Carlo Cacciari (f), Premio Citta di Torino, Premio Presidente della Repubblica, Premio Repubblica, Premio Nazionale Memorial A. Vecchioni (f), Premio Regione Campania, Premio Duomo, Premio Etruria, Premio Antonio Carena (f), Premio Giorgio Jegher, Premio Citta di Napoli (f), Premio Riccardo Grassi, Premio Citta di Follonica, Premio Mediterraneo, Premio Societa Terme, Premio Citta di Taranto, Premio Citta di Cesena, Campionato Femminile 3 anni, Premio Dante Aligheri, Premio Marche, Premio Citta di Treviso, Premio Marangoni (f), Gran Premio Continentale (f), Premio Ivone Grassetto, Premio Orsi Mangelli (f), Coppa Di Milano, Premio Trinacria, Gran Criterium (f), Premio Regione Friuli - Venezia Giulia, Premio Allevatori (f), Premio Royal Mares

NORWAY

Prinsesse Märtha Louises, Klosterskogen Race, **Hans Petter Tholfsens Minnelop**, Akershustraktors Europamatch, Norgesmesterskap, Norgesmesterskap Mares, Bjerke Cup, Norsk Trav Kriterium Mares, Axel Jensens Minnelop, Jarlsberg Grand Prix Open, Jarlsberg Grand Prix Mares, Trotting Derby Mares

THE NETHERLANDS

Derby, Prijs der Giganten, Grand Prix de Victoria Park

SWEDEN

Gulddivision Final (Sollvalla), **Lovely Godivas Minne**, Sweden Cup, Orebro Intn'l, Harper Hanovers lopp, Arjängs Stora Sprinterlopp, Sommartravets Final, Svenskt Mästerskap, Sto-SM (f), C.L. Müllers Memorial, Sollvalla Grand Prix, Svampen (Orebro), Fyraaringseliten, **Trearingeliten**, **Fyraaringseliten Ston (f)**,

Guldstoet, Eskilstuna Fyraaringstest, Norrlands Grand Prix, Monté SM, Malmö Stads Pris, Prins Daniels Lopp, Jamtlands Stora pris, Stosprintern, Bredeers course (3 ans), Lyon Grand Prix (Summer Meeting)

SWITZERLAND
Prix du Président

APPENDIX H

CLASSIFICATION SCALE FOR MARES – COVERING YEAR 2017

<p>Confirmed fillies aged 4</p> <p>Confirmed mares aged 5-14...</p> <p>Mares aged 7 or over, whose offspring are registered in the Trotteur Français stud-book</p>	}	<p>having established at least one of the following records while ranking in the first 7 during a race conducted on an approved racetrack.</p>
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Age when record was achieved	1 st Category						2 nd category					
	ASC	ASL	AEC	AEL	MEC	MEL	ASC	ASL	AEC	AEL	MEC	MEL
2.....	1'16"	1'18"	1'18"	1'19"	1'18''	1'19"	1'17"5	1'19"5	1'19"5	1'20"5	1'20"	1'21"
3.....	1'14"	1'16"	1'16"	1'17"	5	5	1'15"5	1'17"5	1'17"5	1'18"5	1'18"	1'19"
4.....	1'13"	1'15"	1'15"	1'16"	1'16''	1'17"	1'14"5	1'16"5	1'16"5	1'17"5	1'17"	1'18"
5.....	1'12"	1'14"	1'14"	1'15"	5	5	1'13"5	1'15"5	1'15"5	1'16"5	1'16"	1'17"
6 +.....	1'11"	1'13"	1'13"	1'14"	1'15''	1'16"	1'12"5	1'14"5	1'14"5	1'15"5	1'15"	1'16"

Age when record was achieved	3 rd category						4 th category					
	ASC	ASL	AEC	AEL	MEC	MEL	ASC	ASL	AEC	AEL	MEC	MEL
2.....	1'19"5	1'21"5	1'21"5	1'23"5	1'22"	1'23"	1'21"5	1'23"5	1'23"5	1'24"5	1'24"	1'25"
3.....	1'17"5	1'19"5	1'19"5	1'21"5	1'20"	1'21"	1'19"5	1'21"5	1'21"5	1'22"5	1'22"	1'23"
4.....	1'16"5	1'18"5	1'18"5	1'20"5	1'19"	1'20"	1'18"5	1'20"5	1'20"5	1'21"5	1'21"	1'22"
5.....	1'15"5	1'17"5	1'17"5	1'19"5	1'18"	1'19"	1'17"5	1'19"5	1'19"5	1'20"5	1'20"	1'21"
6 +.....	1'14"5	1'16"5	1'16"5	1'18"5	1'17"	1'18"	1'16"5	1'18"5	1'18"5	1'19"5	1'19"	1'20"

A:harnessed**M:** mounted **E:**elastic tape or mobile gate**S:**autostart
C: distance less than 2.400 metres **L:** distance equal to or greater than 2.400 metres

- The age of the mare shall be consigned as of the starting date of the following covering season.
- Mares aged 15 or more are no longer classified except by the records of their offspring. However, a mare aged 15 or more can only be downgraded by one category if the records of her offspring fail to maintain her in the category or class of her own record.
- Mares that finish among the first three in a Group I race or win a Group II race shall remain in their initial category throughout their breeding career.
- Mares that have earned the selection premium are rewarded by inclusion into the category immediately above that in which they were included based on their highest record or the highest record of their offspring.

APPENDIX I

SCORING CHART FOR STALLION SELECTION TESTS

NAME				
Head - Neck				
Withers – Back - Coupling				
Shoulder – Depth – Knees (profile)				
Croup – Legs – Hocks (profile)				
Sub-total Conformation				
Structural correctness of front limbs				
Structural correctness of back limbs				
Sub-total Structural Correctness				
Movement at walk				
Movement at trot				
Sub-total Movement				
Quality skin and coat – Type				
Overall impression score				
Sub-total Overall				
Remarks				
Points subtracted				
TOTAL / 100				

10 : Excellent – 9 : Very Good – 8 : Good – 7: Fairly good – 6 : Satisfactory – 5 : Sufficient – 4: Insufficient – 3 : Fairly bad – 2 : Bad – 1 : Very bad – 0 : Nil

APPENDIX J

FOREIGN RACECOURSES APPROVED BY THE SECF FOR ORGANISING QUALIFICATION TRIALS:

- **GERMANY: Berlin**

- **BELGIUM: Mons**
- **SPAIN: Son Pardo**
- **The NETHERLANDS: Wolvega**
- **LITHUANIA: Utena**
- **SWITZERLAND: Avenches**