### CZECH FROSTY RABBIT CLUB SWEEPSTAKES SHOW RULES

(Adopted December 12, 2022)

In order to promote the exhibition of CZECH FROSTY RABBITS in all shows, the Czech Frosty Rabbit Club (hereinafter CFRC) authorizes the following to govern these shows:

#### ARTICLE I SWEEPSTAKES REQUIREMENTS

**RULE 1:** No Club or Association shall hold a Czech Frosty Sweepstakes Show unless their show is sanctioned by the American Rabbit Breeders Association and their ARBA sanction number is sent to the CFRC Sweepstakes Chair along with their sweepstakes sanction fee.

**Rule 2:** No Club or Association shall hold a Czech Frosty Sweepstakes Show without written permission from the CFRC Sweepstakes Chair.

Rule 3: A Czech Frosty Sweepstakes Sanction can only be issued to an ARBA chartered club or association.

**Rule 4:** All requests to hold a Czech Frosty Sweepstakes Show must be sent to the CFRC Sweepstakes Chair in advance of the show, accompanied by the proper sanction fee and the Sponsoring Club's name, ARBA sanction number, and the date of the show, the Sponsoring Club's Show Secretary's name and contact information including email, mailing address and phone number.

**Rule 5:** Announcement of a Czech Frosty Sweepstakes Show must appear in the show catalog as follows:

CZECH FROSTY RABBIT CLUB OFFICIAL SWEEPSTAKES

[List CFRC Secretary name and contact information]

Dues: Adult - \$10/1 year or \$25/3 years

Husband & Wife (or 2 cohabitating adults) - \$15/1 year or \$40/3 years

Youth (under 19 years) - \$5/1 year or \$12/3 years

Family (2 or more at same address) - \$20/1 year or \$50/3 years

Life Membership – 20 times the annual Adult dues

Sanction Fees: Open \$10.00 Youth \$10.00

Combined Open & Youth \$10.00

**Rule 6**: If no Czech Frosty rabbits are entered at the show, that club's next Czech Frosty sanction request is free.

**Rule 7:** To qualify for sweepstakes points, an exhibitor must be a member of the Czech Frosty Rabbit Club at the time of the show or join during the show before judging begins.

**Rule 8:** Show reports for Sweepstakes should be sent to the CFRC Sweepstakes Chair. Sweepstakes series to run from July 1<sup>st</sup> of one year to June 30<sup>th</sup> of the next year. Any show reports for Sweepstakes not received by August 30<sup>th</sup> will be declared void.

**Rule 9:** The Club or Association holding or sponsoring the Czech Frosty Sweepstakes Show must offer and pay at least \$3.00 for Best of Breed and \$2.00 for Best Opposite Sex Czech Frosty provided there are at least ten (10) paid entries.

**Rule 10:** A set of rules and printed or electronic form for listing the winners and exhibitors will be furnished to the Secretary of the sanctioned show by the CFRC Sweepstakes Chair, or a CFRC sanctioned show number for those indicating use of computer generated forms. Those same computer generated forms or the supplied form is to be filled out and returned to the CFRC Sweepstakes Chair along with the page from the catalog listing the Czech Frosty Sweepstakes Show within thirty (30) days after the close of the show.

Rule 11: Interpretation of the Sweepstakes rules by the CFRC Sweepstakes Chair will be binding on all shows.

### ARTICLE II SWEEPSTAKES RULES

**Rule 1:** All exhibitors shall abide by the show rules of the ARBA with these additional rules of the Czech Frosty Rabbit Club (CFRC).

**Rule 2:** To qualify for Sweepstakes points, an exhibitor must be a member in good standing of the CFRC at the time of the show or join during the show BEFORE judging. If two or more exhibitors show together, all must be members of the CFRC prior to the beginning of judging to qualify for sweepstakes points.

**Rule 3:** All Open and Youth Class exhibitor's personal name(s) and addresses must be listed on the entry form for all ARBA shows. Entries will not be accepted in rabbitry or family names. A member's name and address as listed on the show entry must match the CFRC membership record.

Rule 4: There are two options for Youth exhibitors who qualify for Sweepstakes points:

Youth Option 1, competing in Youth Sweepstakes: A youth may show in an open OR youth show. All points earned will count toward the Youth Sweepstakes. If a youth chooses to show as an individual in open AND youth divisions at the same ARBA sanctioned show, only the youth points will count.

Youth Option 2, competing in Open Sweepstakes: Youth, who desire to compete in the Open Sweepstakes, require written notification to the Sweepstakes Chairman by July 1 of the sweepstakes year and must have received a confirmation of their intent from the Sweepstakes Chairman. All shows must be an open show – no youth shows will count including the ARBA convention and the CFRC National show.

Youth may not compete in both Open and Youth Sweepstakes in the same Sweepstakes year.

A youth must show in the open class immediately upon turning 19, but the club Sweepstakes points will continue to be counted in the youth category by the CFRC until the end of that Sweepstakes season (June 30).

**Rule 5:** Open and Youth Sweepstakes points shall be accumulated by CFRC members in good standing and to be determined as follows:

A) Six (6) points for First Four (4) points for Second Three (3) points for Third Two (2) points for Fourth One (1) point for Fifth

These above points for each placement is to be multiplied by the number of rabbits judged in each class (not number of entries).

B) Two (2) points for Best of Breed One (1) point for Best Opposite Sex of Breed

These above Best of Breed points to be multiplied by the total number of all Czech Frosties judged (not number of entries).

**Rule 6:** Open and Youth Regular Sweepstakes points to be determined by adding the Placement points, Best of Breed points, and National show points together.

**Rule 7:** There will be a separate Fur class Sweepstakes points for Open and Youth. These points will NOT count in the regular (Open/Youth) class Sweepstakes. They will be counted in the Fur class Sweepstakes. The Fur class points will be figured as follows:

Six (6) points for First Four (4) points for Second Three (3) points for Third Two (2) points for Fourth One (1) point for Fifth

These above Fur points for each placement to be multiplied by the number of rabbits judged in the Fur class.

Rule 8: Standings in all Sweepstakes will be published quarterly in the newsletter and on the website.

**Rule 9**: One hundred (100) bonus points to be awarded in Open and Youth regular Sweepstakes for showing at the National Czech Frosty breed Convention or the ARBA National Convention.

**Rule 10:** Sweepstakes points will be awarded to Open and Youth in the regular and fur classes at the National Czech Frosty breed Convention and the ARBA National Convention as follows:

First = 10 points times the number judged Second = 9 points times the number judged Third = 8 points times the number judged Fourth = 7 points times the number judged Fifth = 6 points times the number judged Sixth = 5 points times the number judged Seventh = 4 points times the number judged Eighth = 3 points times the number judged Ninth = 2 points times the number judged Tenth = 1 point times the number judged

Bonus points awarded for BOB and BOS are the same as CFRC Show Rules Article II Rule 6 (B and C) and Rule 8.

**Rule 11:** Display awards will be calculated by the number of rabbits a member has placed in the top ten (10) positions of each class. The numerical value of the placement points without the multiplier shall be used to calculate the points. In the case of a tie, the breeder with the highest placements will receive the Best Display award. Best Display is given only at the ARBA Convention and the CFRC National Show.

**Rule 12**: Sweepstakes awards will be given at the ARBA National Convention show following the end of the sweepstakes year. An exhibitor must be a member of the CFRC in good standing on June 30 of the sweepstakes year to qualify for awards.

Rule 13: Awards will be given in the following categories:

Open and Youth Regular Sweepstakes Award 1st – 5th

Open and Youth Regular Sweepstakes Certificate 6th – 10th

Open and Youth Fur Sweepstakes Award 1st - 3rd

Open and Youth Fur Sweepstakes Certificate 4th - 5th

## ARTICLE III NATIONAL CZECH FROSTY SHOW RULES

- **Rule 1:** All rules in Articles I and II of the CFRC Sweepstake Show Rules will be applicable with these additional rules of the CFRC.
- **Rule 2:** There will be only one National Czech Frosty Show in any one year. By approval of the Executive Board, the National Czech Frosty Show may be held with one or more other national breed specialty club show(s), or it may be held in conjunction with an all-breed show.
- **Rule 3:** The CFRC Secretary must request a Sanction from the ARBA for the annual National Czech Frosty Show(s) for date and place approved by the Executive Board.
- **Rule 4:** The CFRC will grant a free sanction, Open and Youth, to the group or club awarded the National Czech Frosty Show.
- **Rule 5:** No Czech Frosty sanction will be issued to a club sponsoring a show held at a show place within a five hundred (500) mile radius of the National Czech Frosty Show on that same weekend, except for shows held in conjunction with the National Czech Frosty Show.
- **Rule 6:** Bids for the National Czech Frosty Show must be sent to the Secretary of the CFRC by September 1<sup>st</sup> of the year that is approximately 18 months before the proposed National Show.
- **Rule 7:** Clubs who have submitted a bid to host a National Czech Frosty Club will be given an opportunity to meet with the Executive Board to discuss their bid prior to the vote to select the show site.
- **Rule 8:** Selection of the National Czech Frosty Show site to be made during the ARBA National Convention with the CFRC Executive Board members not present at the ARBA National Convention to have submitted mail ballots to the Secretary prior to the ARBA National Convention.
- **Rule 9:** The National Czech Frosty Show will be awarded by the Executive Board of the CFRC. Once the Executive Board has awarded the National Czech Frosty Show bid, the host club may not deviate from the information presented in their bid without the approval of the CFRC Executive Board.
- **Rule 10:** The National Czech Frosty Show will be given free publicity in the newsletter. The CFRC will make every effort to have members exhibit at the National Czech Frosty Show.
- **Rule 11:** The CFRC prefers that National Czech Frosty Show judges be selected from the most recent judges list prepared by the Judge Nomination Committee (CFRC By-Laws Article VI Section 6). Further, the National Czech Frosty judges should not be judging the Czech Frosties at the annual ARBA National Convention in the same year.
- **Rule 12:** Within ninety (90) days after the National Czech Frosty Show the sponsoring group or club holding the show must make a complete financial report to the CFRC Treasurer.
- Rule 13: The CFRC Executive Board will chair the National Czech Frosty Banquet.

# ARTICLE IV ALTERATIONS AND AMENDMENTS

**Rule 1:** All alternations or amendments to the Sweepstakes Show Rules of the CFRC shall be done as prescribed in Article IX of the CFRC By-Laws.

Rule 2: Alterations or amendments may originate from the general membership or the Executive Board.

Unanimously approved and agreed upon this 12th day of December 2022 by the CFRC Executive Board.