



AMERICAN CONNEMARA PONY SOCIETY

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SUBJECT: AMERICAN CONNEMARA Policy Committee

Purpose: The purpose of the American Connemara is to support and help carry out the purposes of the *Society*.

These are:

- To assist and promote the breeding, registration, training, exhibition and general use of the Connemara.
- To preserve the unique qualities of the breed.
- To assist and promote equine competition.
- To keep members informed in all matters concerning the Connemara.

The Magazine Editorial Policy Committee is to assist the editor in developing policies to carry out these purposes. This purpose is set forth in the second part of Article IX, 9 in the ACPS By-Laws:

“The editors (of the American Connemara) shall be assisted by a Magazine Editorial Policy Committee.”

The magazine shall follow the policies of the Committee.

Members: Seven Permanent members, drawn from both the Board of Governors and general voting ACPS membership, shall serve as long as they maintain voting membership in the Society, take an active part in the deliberations of the Committee, and want to serve. The two additional members shall be the current President of the Society, and the current editor, who shall serve as Chair of the Committee.

Succession: Nominations to fill vacancies among the Permanent members of the Committee may be made by any member of the Policy Committee or ACPS Executive Committee. A 2/3 majority of the Policy Committee is necessary for election.

Procedures: Policies may be proposed by any Committee member or any voting member of the Society in writing to the Chair. These proposals shall then be sent out to the Committee members.

Deliberations: Discussion and voting may be by mail, phone, fax, e-mail, or a meeting, but all Committee members must be included and sufficient time must be allowed to build consensus.

Approval: A 2/3 majority is necessary for approval of a proposed policy.

Revision History:

Date:	Changes:	Author:
09/05/03	Revised format to ACPS Template	Charlie Morgan