



Member of the World Cat Congress

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## **IMPORTANT NOTICE 2010 ELECTION PROCESS**

### **To: All Members of the New Zealand Cat Fancy**

Nominations close on the **12<sup>th</sup> of JULY 2010**. Executive Council is keen to see those who are interested in helping the NZCF to continue to progress and grow to stand for election.

Nominations for positions on the Executive Council, Judges Council, Breed Standards Council shall be in writing signed by at least two Full Members of the NZCF and shall be endorsed with the consent of the candidate. The nomination form shall name the Club of which the candidate is a Full Member and also of the Club of which the nominators are Full Members. **A short biographical note about the candidate must accompany each nomination, and all nominations shall be sent to Executive Council Secretary.**

The following positions are to be elected this year, with the results declared at the 2010 AGM in October.

**Executive Council – (2 members)** The only qualifying criteria for nominees is that they must be current full financial members of the NZCF and have their primary place of residence in New Zealand.

#### **Judges Council – (1 position – Intermediate or Junior Status)**

Extracts from Constitution: 4.15

The Judges Council shall consist of (2) two Senior Judges holding Tutor status, (2) two Senior Judges not holding Tutor status and (2) two Intermediate or Junior Judges. (1) One Judge from each level of seniority shall be drawn from each of the Longhair and Shorthair panels. Judges qualified as All Breeds Judges shall be qualified to represent either the Longhair or Shorthair Panel.

4.16 At each election after 2006 those Judges elected shall serve a period of (3) three years in accordance with Clause 4.15.

4.17 Requirements for election as a Judges Council member are as follows:

- Have an NZCF registered prefix
- be an NZCF approved Judge on one of the NZCF **Intermediate** or **Junior** panels, being currently active or on approved leave.

#### **Breed Standards Council – (up to 3 positions)** Constitutional Clause 4.7-4.8

The members shall elect by postal ballot up to a maximum of 3 (three) Breed Standards Council members to serve a term of 3 (three) years or until a successor is duly elected. Requirements for election as a Breed Standards Council member are as follows:

- Have an NZCF registered prefix,
- Breed Section membership
- Have bred and registered with the NZCF a minimum of two litters within the 2 years immediately preceding the election, and
- Have actively exhibited a cat, kitten, or neuter/spay of the appropriate breed at, at least four NZCF sanctioned shows within the 2 show seasons immediately preceding the election.

\* Note: A copy of the 2010 nomination form is also available as a download on the NZCF website. You can scan and email me completed nomination forms – however, please make sure that you also send me the original. A nomination form is attached.

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## NZCF NOMINATION FORM

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (name) nominate

\_\_\_\_\_ (name)

For the position of

\_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Nominator** \_\_\_\_\_

NZCF Membership number \_\_\_\_ Member of \_\_\_\_\_ Club

Dated \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/2010

**Seconded by** \_\_\_\_\_ (name)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

NZCF Membership number \_\_\_\_ Member of \_\_\_\_\_ Club

Dated \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/2010

I accept the nomination shown above \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature)

NZCF Membership number \_\_\_\_ Member of \_\_\_\_\_ Club

Dated \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/2010

**Post to: C Lowe, EC Secretary, C/- Private Bag 6103, HBMC, Napier 4142**