Recognized Affiliate Procedures for Appointment of Representatives to the USEF International Disciplines Council

American Vaulting Association (AVA)

The current President of the AVA serves as the USEF International Disciplines Council appointee. The President has agreed to serve, and the AVA will post these procedures on its website when the current website redesign is complete.

United States Dressage Federation (USDF)

The USDF representative on the USEF International Disciplines Council is appointed by the USDF Executive Board. Criteria considered by the Executive Board are that the appointee has International experience and an understanding of the national diversity of the sport, that he/she currently serves on the DSC but is not the elected active athlete, and has a willingness to serve on the USEF International Disciplines Council, including the USEF Board should they be elected to that position.

United States Eventing Association (USEA)

The USEA's representatives on the USEF International Disciplines Council are nominated by the USEA President in consultation with the USEA Executive Committee and the USEA Nominating Committee, and approved by the USEA Board of Governors at its Annual Meeting. The representatives have agreed to serve, and the USEA will post these criteria on the organization's website.

United States Hunter Jumper Association (USHJA)

Bylaw excerpt, Section 801.1

g. Identifying and designating two representatives who are Senior Active Members of the USEF and USHJA who have designated Jumper as their primary discipline to the FEI Affiliate position on the USEF International Disciplines Council for Jumping as provided for in the USEF Bylaws. The representatives shall be chosen from the Board of Directors. If there is not a sufficient number of Directors who are willing to serve, members will be nominated by the Jumper Working Group and elected by the Board of Directors.

h. The Board members who serve on the USEF Councils will relinquish their seats if their Board seat expires prior to the re-seating of the USEF Council. The Board of Directors will then elect a new Board representative to serve the remainder of the vacated term. Note: Designated appointees must have agreed to serve.

United States Para-Equestrian Association (USPEA)

The US Para-Equestrian Association Board selects a candidate to serve on the USEF International Disciplines Council seat based upon majority vote. The candidate has agreed to serve, and the USPEA will post these procedures on its website.

USA Reining

IDC Requirements

Represent the Sport of Reining and communicate its message Participate in IDC activities Participate in monthly conference calls Attend USEF annual meeting

USA Reining Eligibility Requirements for Appointment

To be eligible for appointment, must have:

Experience in multiple areas of reining

For example:

Multiple years of committee or board service in NRHA Multiple years Experience as exhibitor, judge, steward or manager of reining events

Membership requirements: 5 year member of NRHA 2 year member of USEF 1 year member of USA Reining

Certification requirements: Safe Sport certificate

Process for submission of candidate to USEF

Board will select candidate based on these requirements and vote for selection, then the selection will be submitted by the board to the USEF.