# Chats**Canada**Cats

# DEONTOLOGY CODE FOR CLERKS, MASTERS CLERKS & ENTRY CLERKS

## SECTION I

### GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 1. The purpose of this Code is to ensure and promote the confidence of the public, exhibitors and the members of the Chats Canada Cats (CCC) by promoting high standards of conduct for exhibitors.
- 2. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk participates in shows in accordance with applicable CCC policies and procedures.

# **SECTION II**

#### RULES OF CONDUCT AND DUTIES OF SHOW PERSONNEL

- 3. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk shall perform their duties with honour, dignity and integrity, considering the importance of the values that characterize the Chats Canada Cats.
- 4. The Clerk, the Master Clerk or the Entry Clerk shall perform his duties without discrimination or prejudice.
- 5. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk shall show respect and courtesy towards those who come to the shows, while exercising the authority required for the proper conduct of the shows.
- 6. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk preserves the integrity of the feline competitions in which he participates and supports the organizing clubs.
- 7. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk makes himself available to conscientiously, carefully and diligently carry out his duties.
- 8. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk takes the necessary measures to keep up to date and improve the knowledge and skills necessary for the performance of his duties.
- 9. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk is bound to discretion as to what comes to his knowledge in the performance of his duties and he shall avoid divulging any information which is of a confidential nature.
- 10. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk must be manifestly impartial and objective.



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- 11. The Clerk, the Master Clerk or the Entry Clerk shall perform his duties with complete independence and without any interference.
- 12. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk should exercise reserve and prudence in their public behaviour, especially in the use of information and communications technologies.
- 13. The Clerk, Master Clerk or Entry Clerk demonstrates political neutrality in the performance of his duties.

#### SECTION III

# INCOMPATIBLE SITUATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

- 14. The Clerk, the Master Clerk or the Entry Clerk shall refrain from engaging in any activity or placing himself in a situation liable to prejudice the honour, dignity, integrity or independence of office, or to discredit the Chats Canada Cats.
- 15. The following are incompatible with the exercise of their functions:
  - a. being officially or unofficially a member of a board of directors of works or organizations competing with the Chats Canada Cats;
  - b. sharing your opinion, or that of the judges, about a cat, herd or breeder in relation to show judgments.