



Irish Draught Horse Society
of North America

Name Change Policy

- 1) Nominal fee for mistakes and typos. In case of a claim that seems to NOT be a mistake or typo, the board will assign a 3-man team to arbitrate. (This fee to be set by the Board of Directors.)
- 2) No changes allowed for any horse that has been bred or has progeny, whether that progeny is alive or not. This will include any stallion that has been collected even for testing purposes, either frozen or chilled, or exposed in any way to a female horse; or, in the case of a mare this would include any mare who was exposed to a stallion of any type whether the stallion was registered or not, regardless of the possibility of offspring.
- 3) Names including Registered Prefixes require WRITTEN permission from the prefix holder to change. In the case of a null prefix holder (in other words, deceased or unavailable) the board will provide a 3-man arbitration team.
- 4) All other name changes are available at a significant cost, to be set by the Board of Directors, of no less than \$500. This price is set to discourage frivolous changes, which are deemed detrimental to the society.
A horse's name may only be changed one time, unless to allow a change back to the horse's original name, fees to be incurred for each name change.
- 5) Aliases will be allowed for Year End Awards if registered with a recognized society, such as USEF, USEA, USDF, etc., or if registered with our own society's YEA committee.