



FEDERATION INTERNATIONALE FELINE – FIFe

BOARD DECISIONS REGARDING EXCEPTIONS / PERMISSIONS FOR SHOWS – JUDGES – STUDENT JUDGES – MENTOR JUDGES – DORMANT JUDGES – WORLD SHOWS

*This annex to the Board meeting minutes covers the period
from 01.01.2026 until the publication date of the minutes*
Additions/changes to previous published annex in blueprint

1. Dispensation to organise International shows with less than 150 cats

| Show date(s) | Member | Place | Number of cats | Remark |
|----------------|--------|--------------------|----------------|--------|
| 07-08.02.2026 | FFH | Yvonand (CH) | 130 | |
| 28.02-01.03.26 | FFH | Rothenburg (CH) | 130 | |
| 28.02-01.03.26 | CPF | Gondomar (PT) | 140 | |
| 14-15.03.2026 | FFS | Viničné (SK) | 120 | |
| 04-05.04.2026 | FFF | Pontchâteau (FR) | 140 | |
| 11-12.04.2026 | FFH | Locarno (CH) | 110 | |
| 11-12.04.2026 | FH | Budapest (HU) | 120 | |
| 11-12.04.2026 | CPF | Torres Vedras (PT) | 120 | |

2. Permission granted to FIFe Members to invite non-FIFe Judges

| Show date(s) | Member | Place | Judge | Organisation |
|---------------|--------|---------------------|------------------|--------------|
| 04-05.04.2026 | SVERAK | Örebro (SE) | Lorraine Shelton | TICA |
| 20-21.06.2026 | FFB | Rio de Janeiro (BR) | Carlos Lopez | TICA |
| 22-23.08.2026 | NRR | Mo-i-Rana (NO) | Pam DelaBar | CFA |
| 10-11.10.2026 | SK | Leppävirta (FI) | Pam DelaBar | CFA |
| 10-11.10.2026 | FFH | Burgdorf (CH) | Steven Corneille | TICA |

3. Permission not granted to FIFe Members to invite non-FIFe Judges

| Show date(s) | Member | Place | Judge | Organisation |
|--------------|--------|-------|-------|--------------|
| - | - | - | - | - |

4. Permission granted to sit the Judges' exam, exam result and status

| Exam date | Candidate (Country) | Cat./ BG | Place | Examining judges | Result/ Status |
|------------|-----------------------|----------|----------------|---|------------------------------------|
| 10.01.2026 | Alessio Schiavon (IT) | 1 | Ferrara (IT) | Cristiano F. Sandon Laura Burani (IT) Glenn Sjöbom (SE) | Passed/ Appointed |
| 28.02.2026 | Sara Ojaniemi (FI) | 2 | Vienna (AT) | Riikka Turpeinen (FI) Dietmar Sagurski (AT) | Passed/ Appointed/ Allbreed |
| 07.03.2026 | Alena Opatrná (CZ) | 1 | Wrocław (PL) | Laura Burani (IT) Robert Lubrano (FR) | Passed/ Appointed |
| 21.03.2026 | George Dorgiakis (GR) | 3 | Bucharest (RO) | Adrian A. Dragota (RO) Francesco Cinque (IT) | Passed/ Appointed |
| 11.04.2026 | Marianne Roth (DK) | D | Kerava (FI) | Dorte Kaae (DK) Pia Nyman (FI) | Passed/ Appointed category 4 |
| 09.05.2026 | Ingrid Dall'Ora (IT) | 4 | Albstadt (DE) | Laura Burani (IT) Wendel Stoop (CH) | - |
| 23.05.2026 | Barbara Bazzotti (IT) | 3 | Chrudim (CZ) | Katia Pocci Hagemann (IT) Robert Nowak (PL) | - |



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| Exam date | Candidate (Country) | Cat./ BG | Place | Examining judges | Result/ Status |
|------------|------------------------|----------|--------------|---|----------------|
| 11.07.2026 | Manuela Centamore (IT) | 1 | Uppsala (SE) | Cristiano F. Sandon Luigi Comorio (IT) | - |

5. Judges Appointments – 1st category

| Date stage completed | Probational Judge (Country) | Category | Place where stage is completed | Letter of Commitment |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| 24.01.2026 | Linnea Höglund (SE) | 3 | Örebro (SE) | Received |
| 28.03.2026 | Karin Neergaard (NO) | 4 | Trondheim (NO) | Received |

6. Mentor Judges

| Request date | Judge (Country) | Mentor in category | Additional category | Remark |
|--------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 20.02.2026 | Linda Knýová (CZ) | 3 | - | New Mentor Judge |

7. Judges Jubilee 15 years (Silver pin)

| Judge since | Judge (Country) | Categories (since year) |
|-------------|---------------------------|--|
| 2011 | Gerson Alves Pereira (BR) | 1 (2011), 2 (2012) |
| 2011 | Alessandro Ghibaudò (IT) | 1 (2013), 2 (2011) |
| 2011 | Stéphane Henry (FR) | 1 (2011), 2 (2012) |
| 2011 | Russy Idroes (ID) | 1A (2011) |
| 2011 | Helene Lis (SE) | 1 (2018), 2(2019), 3 (2011), 4 (2014) |
| 2011 | Daria Łukasik-Weber (PL) | 1 (2014), 2 (2011), 3, 4C (2015) |
| 2011 | Christin K. Lütken (NO) | 1A (2023), 1B, 2 (2011) |
| 2011 | Pia Nyrup (DK) | 1 (2019), 2 (2018), 3 (2012), 4 (2011) |

8. Judges Jubilee 25 years (Golden pin)

| Judge since | Judge (Country) | Categories (since year) |
|-------------|----------------------------|--|
| 2001 | Laura Burani (IT) | 1 (2001), 2 (2002), 3 (2005), 4 (2006) |
| 2001 | Thea Friškovec-Keller (CH) | 1 (2010), 2 (2013), 3 (2004), 4 (2001) |
| 2001 | Angelika Kneifel (DE) | 1 (2007), 2 (2001), 3 (2005), 4 (2006) |
| 2001 | Elena Zagorskaya (RU) | 1 (2008), 2 (2001), 4 (2019) |

9. Dormant Judges

| Date status dormant | Judge (Country) | Categories (since year) | Remark |
|---------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 01.01.2026 | Vanda Marija Godek (SI) | 1 (2000), 2 (2003) | |
| 01.01.2026 | Janet Green (GB) | 1A (1996), 3, 4C (1999) | Reactivated 01.04.2026 |
| 01.01.2026 | Sirpa Lindelöf (SE) | 1B, 2 (2007), 3 (1999), 4 (2016) | |
| 01.01.2026 | Kaisa Savolainen (FI) | 3 (2019) | Reactivated 02.03.2026 |
| 01.01.2024 | Arina Kozyr (US) | 1B, 2 (2013) | Reactivation pending |



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10. Judges Resignations

| Resignation date | Judge (Country) | Categories (since year) |
|------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 01.01.2026 | Gabriela Minárová (SK) | 1 (2014), 2 (2016) |
| 28.01.2026 | Sandra Ferrini (IT) | 1A (1996) |
| 03.03.2026 | Ratih S. Umijati (ID) | 1A (2011) |

11. Deceased Judges / Functionaries

| Date of death | Judge / Functionary (Country) | Function (judge categories - since year) | Age |
|---------------|-------------------------------|--|----------|
| 14.01.2026 | Sabine Paquin (FR) | Retired Honorary All Breed Judge (1974) | 98 years |

12. Permission granted to FIFe Judges to officiate at non-FIFe shows

| Show date(s) | Place | Ctry | Organisation | Judge | Remark |
|---------------|------------------|------|-----------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| 05.01.2026 | Orange | FR | CFA | Jørgen Billing (DK) | - |
| 10-11.01.2026 | Shanghai | CN | CFA | Elena Noskova (RU) | - |
| 17.01.2026 | Kerava | FI | CFA | Pia Nyman (FI) | - |
| 14-15.02.2026 | Toulouse | FR | TICA | Alexey Shchukin (NL) | - |
| 28.02.2026 | Moscow | RU | IDP (ICU) | Olga Poluektova (RU) | - |
| 14-15.03.2026 | Empoli (Firenze) | IT | IDP (ENFI) | Gianfranco Mantovani (IT) | - |
| 14-15.03.2026 | Empoli (Firenze) | IT | IDP (ENFI) | Rui Pacheco (IT) | - |
| 21-22.03.2026 | Hong Kong | CN | CFA | Satu Hämäläinen (FI) | - |
| 28.03.2026 | Tokyo | JP | CFA | Satu Hämäläinen (FI) | - |
| 28.03.2026 | Preston | GB | GCCF | Sarah Johnson (GB) | - |
| 28-29.03.2026 | Orange | FR | CFA | Jørgen Billing (DK) | - |
| 28-29.03.2026 | Armidale, NSW | AU | ACF | Juan José Martínez Vizcaino (ES) | - |
| 04-05.04.2026 | Shenzhen | CN | CFA | Elena Noskova (RU) | Cancelled by club |
| 18-19.04.2026 | Istanbul | TR | CFA | Satu Hämäläinen (FI) | - |
| 18-19.04.2026 | Lebanon, PA | US | TICA | Alexey Shchukin (NL) | - |
| 26.04.2026 | Liverpool | GB | GCCF | Karl Preiss (NO) | - |
| 26.04.2026 | Liverpool | GB | GCCF | Annette Sjödin (SE) | - |
| 09-10.05.2026 | Court-St-Etienne | BE | IDP (Aristocat) | Kristof Van Roy (BE) | - |
| 09-10.05.2026 | Court-St-Etienne | BE | IDP (Aristocat) | Joeri Vanrusselt (BE) | - |
| 23.05.2026 | Bristol | GB | GCCF | Sarah Johnson (GB) | - |
| 06-07.06.2026 | Adelaide, SA | AU | ACF | Lena Vencíková (CZ) | - |
| 13-14.06.2026 | Canberra, ACT | AU | CCCA | Lena Vencíková (CZ) | - |
| 20-21.06.2026 | Brisbane, QLD | AU | ACF | Britta Busse (DE) | - |
| 20-21.06.2026 | Brisbane, QLD | AU | ACF | Aliosha Romero (IS) | - |
| 20-21.06.2026 | Brisbane, QLD | AU | ACF | Caroline Stoa (NO) | - |
| 21.06.2026 | Virginia | AU | CCCA | Lena Vencíková (CZ) | - |
| 27.06.2026 | Clarendon, NSW | AU | ACF | Britta Busse (DE) | - |
| 27.06.2026 | Clarendon, NSW | AU | ACF | Aliosha Romero (IS) | - |
| 27.06.2026 | Clarendon, NSW | AU | ACF | Caroline Stoa (NO) | - |
| 27-28.06.2026 | Hamburg | DE | IDP (Felidae) | Karl Preiss (NO) | - |
| 27-28.06.2026 | Hamburg | DE | IDP (Felidae) | Anne Veland (NO) | - |
| 05.07.2026 | Tamahere | NZ | NZCF | Britta Busse (DE) | - |
| 05.07.2026 | Tamahere | NZ | NZCF | Aliosha Romero (IS) | - |
| 05.07.2026 | Tamahere | NZ | NZCF | Caroline Stoa (NO) | - |
| 01-02.08.2026 | Hong Kong | CN | CFA | Satu Hämäläinen (FI) | - |
| 15.08.2026 | Southampton | GB | GCCF | Janet Green (GB) | - |
| 05-06.09.2026 | Toronto | CA | TICA | Alexey Shchukin (NL) | - |
| 12.09.2026 | North Richmond | AU | ACF | Laura Scholten (NL) | - |
| 20.09.2026 | Darwin, NT | AU | ACF | Laura Scholten (NL) | - |



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|---------------|-----------|------|---------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| 25-27.09.2026 | Orange | FR | CFA | Jørgen Billing (DK) | - |
| 25-27.09.2026 | Orange | FR | CFA | Satu Hämäläinen (FI) | - |
| 27.09.2026 | Orange | FR | CFA | Flavia Capra (IT) | - |
| 27.09.2026 | Orange | FR | CFA | Manuela Centamore (IT) | - |
| 17-18.10.2026 | Windsor | GB | TICA | Alexey Shchukin (NL) | - |
| 14.11.2026 | Doncaster | GB | GCCF | Pauline Kröger-Stokhof (NL) | - |
| 14.11.2026 | Doncaster | GB | GCCF | Nathalie Smits-Peelen (NL) | - |
| 20-22.11.2026 | Stuttgart | DE | IDP (Felidae) | Veikko Saarela (FI) | - |

13. Permission denied to FIFe Judges to officiate at non-FIFe shows

| Show date(s) | Place | Ctry | Organisation | Judge | Remark |
|--------------|--------|------|--------------|---------------------|-------------|
| 07.03.2026 | Milano | IT | CFA | Jørgen Billing (DK) | 400 km rule |

14. Permission granted to sit the Preliminary Judges' exam and exam result

| Exam date | Candidate (Member country) | Cat. | Place | Invigilators | Exam result / Mentor Judge |
|------------|----------------------------|------|----------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| 23.01.2026 | Paola Bonaiuti (IT) | 3 | Pistoia (IT) | Nico Padovano (IT) Thea Friškovec-Keller (CH) | Passed / Thea Friškovec-Keller (CH) |
| 13.02.2026 | Jucki Morresi (IT) | 1 | Paestum (IT) | Nico Padovano (IT) Carlo Luzi (IT) | Passed / Nico Padovano (IT) |
| 26.02.2026 | Sašo Seme (SI) | 3 | Ljubljana (SI) | Vanja Knez Tatjana Malgaj (SI) | Passed / Thea Friškovec-Keller (CH) |
| 20.03.2026 | Jana Kadlecová (CZ) | 4 | Prague (CZ) | Zuzana Maršíčková Lena Venclíková (CZ) | Passed / Lena Venclíková (CZ) |
| 01.06.2026 | Ladislav Karšay (CZ) | 1 | Olomouc (CZ) | Martin Urban Jaroslav Pánek (CZ) | / Lena Venclíková (CZ) |

15. Admission of Student Judges in an additional category / Removal of Student Judges

| Application date | Student Judge (Member country) | Student Judge in category | Additional category | Remark |
|------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| 01.01.2026 | Danijel Iveta (HR) | - | 3, 4 | - |
| 19.01.2026 | Alessio Schiavon (IT) | - | 4 | - |
| 09.02.2026 | Heidi Nykanen (PL) | 3 | 4 | Removed at request FPL |
| 17.02.2026 | Martin Šanda (CZ) | 3 | - | Removed at request ČSCH-CSHK |

16. List of World Shows

| Year | Country | Member | Place | Remark |
|------|---------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| 2026 | NL | Mundikat | Amsterdam | - |
| 2027 | CZ | ČSCH-CSHK | Prague | - |
| 2028 | PL | FPL | Poznań | - |
| 2029 | SE | SVERAK | tba | - |
| 2030 | HR | SFDH | Zagreb | - |
| 2031 | DK | FD | tba | - |
| 2032 | AT | KKÖ | tba | - |
| 2033 | FI | SK | tba | - |
| 2034 | LV | CFCA | Riga | - |
| 2035 | MX | FFM | tba | - |
| 2036 | CN | CCU | tba | - |

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