

**UNITED STATES PONY CLUBS
POLICY STATEMENT**

SUBJECT: Horse Management Organizer

EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/29/00

POLICY NO: 3016

REVISED: 05/19/12

I. PHILOSOPHY:

In order to ensure that regions and clubs and riding centers promote the teaching of Horse Management and the concept that judging at competitions is an educational experience; the Board of Governors recognizes the importance of a Regional Horse Management Organizer.

II. POLICY STATEMENT:

The policy of the Board of Governors is that it is appropriate for each Region to have a Regional Horse Management Organizer (HMO).

III. AMPLIFYING INSTRUCTIONS AND GUIDELINES:

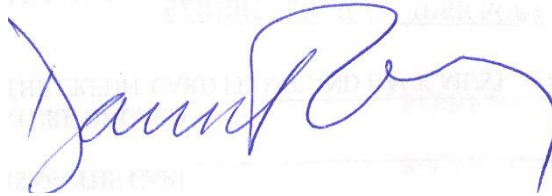
- A. The HMO is elected by the Regional Council to a voting seat on the Regional Council and works with the Regional Supervisor (RS) and Regional Instruction Coordinator (RIC) for the purpose of strengthening local and regional Horse Management instruction programs.
- B. The HMO is elected annually for a term of one year that shall extend from January 1st to December 31st and may serve additional consecutive terms subject to regional policies. If the HMO holds other positions on the Regional Council, the HMO will have only one vote.
- C. The HMO is required to be a member of the United States Pony Clubs, Inc.
- D. The HMO should attend HMO seminars held during his/her term.
- E. The HMO oversees Horse Management education for HM judges in the Region.

- F. The HMO works with the RS and/or the Organizer to coordinate staffing and judging at competitions.
- G. The HMO works with the Horse Management Committee and the Region to disseminate policies and programs to the clubs and HM judges.
- H. The HMO is subject to removal by the Regional Supervisor with advance written consent of the VPRA.

IV. DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY:

- A. The RS shall have the responsibility for this policy.
- B. The Vice President of Instruction and the Vice President of Regional Administration shall have oversight of this policy.

V. ENACTMENT:



Established: _____ Date: 05/19/12

Board President

VI. ATTACHMENT

- A. Responsibilities of the HMO