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**CONSTITUTION**  
of the  
**CAT FANCIERS' FEDERATION**

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**ARTICLE I—NAME.**

Sec. 1. This organization shall be known under the name Cat Fanciers' Federation.

**ARTICLE II—OBJECTS.**

Sec. 1. The objects of this organization shall be the improvement of the breeds of cats in the United States and Canada; the registration of the pedigrees of cats and kittens; the adoption and publication of rules for the management of shows; and the promotion of a general interest in cats.

**ARTICLE III—MEMBERSHIP.**

Sec. 1. Membership in this organization shall be of three kinds;

- (a) Regular Cat Clubs having a bona fide membership in good standing of not less than 10 members, and such as hold independent cat shows or such as organize and manage shows in conjunction with other pet stock associations, are eligible to Full Membership.
- (b) Specialty Clubs, similarly constituted as under "a" as to membership, which encourage the improvement of one or more specially mentioned breeds, are eligible to Associate Membership.
- (c) Pet stock, or other associations which hold cat shows, are eligible to Associate Membership.

Sec. 2. Associate members may become full members on payment of the regular due.

Sec. 3. A full member club shall be represented in this organization by three delegates, one of whom shall serve on the Executive Board. An associate member club shall be represented by one delegate, who is not entitled to serve on the Executive Board.

**ARTICLE IV—ELECTION TO MEMBERSHIP.**

Sec. 1. Applications for membership must be made in writing to the Secretary of this organization; an applicant club must forward a copy of its constitution, by-laws or other rules and regulations, a list of its officers with their addresses, and must state the number of members carried on its roll, and must further certify the number of bona fide members in good standing at the date of the application.

Sec. 2. Applications shall be acted upon by the Executive Board, and a two-thirds vote shall elect. In case of rejection, the applicant