

Alberta Chapter
National Director's Report
2022

This has been a huge year for national. Creation of a new office and a new system for registration and all aspects of the stud book management, work over of rules and regulations of the stallion performance test to bring it on par with the changes brought in by many international stud books and a continuing rebuilding of the web site.

Of course when changes are being made glitches occur: starting with CLRC taking until March to send over the pending files and a much greater number of applications that had not yet been processed. However we compensated by approving an increase in working hours of office and a sub contract for a second person for the office to help clear the files for 2 months. At this time almost all of the backlog has been dealt with except some files are waiting for a response from the member.

There has also been an increase in applications. Registration applications that have been made on-line have been processed as fast as 6 weeks, if the owner is on the bit with returning the DNA hair and the postal service remains cooperative. Creation of a power point presentation is in progress that will walk members through the process. Otherwise you can e-mail the registration application to the office and the registration will be processed, however the turnaround will take more time. The transfer process, if you don't care about reprinted papers, can happen immediately, registration for inspections are also now processed online. Check the new site and database out for all the changes. These have been made to provide greater member service at a much faster speed, and will save us from constant increases in fees.

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