

COTY RULES for KZN

KZN is allocated the following number of qualifiers:

ENTIRES: 5

NEUTERS: 5

KITTENS: 2

PETS: 1 (should an average of 15 or more pets be present at KZN shows a 2nd pet may be added)

Any exhibit, regardless of geographical location, may qualify through KZN.

NB: Should the exhibit also qualify in its home province- it would be eliminated from the KZN qualifiers.

Pedigree Cats

The Best in Show is a TOP 12 judge off. The Top 12 contains the highest scoring cats regardless of Breed, Sex and Age. This is determined by the nomination scoring system which requires each judge to place his/her nominated cats in order of preference. If there are insufficient cats to fill the 12 places, the remaining places are filled from the Best of Breed scoring system.

The TOP 12 cats are re-judged by at least 3 judges qualified to judge the breeds which are represented.

The Best of Breed section is also determined by the nomination scoring system which requires each judge to place his/her nominated cats in order of preference. This section is not re-judged.

Domestic Pets

Domestic pets regardless of age are awarded either a Cert (certificate) or a HC (Highly Commended).

Only pets who are awarded a Cert may be nominated. A judge may nominate as many pets as he/she wishes provided they have been awarded a Cert.

Best in Show is in the form of a TOP? (depending on the number of pets nominated) judge off. At least 3 judges are required for the judge off. Only the Top 2 positions are revealed at the show, but COTY points are allocated for the top 10 positions.

. All scoring is done via a point weighted formulated system which eliminates possible human errors.