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Dear Members,

You may be aware that Felis Britannica approached the FIFe Board for clarification of FIFe Breeding and Registration Rule 5.1.1.

We have now received a reply stating that, as members of Felis Britannica, all members must uphold the rules of FIFe and Felis Britannica.

The Board has confirmed that Rule 5.1.1, which states “All kittens bred by a National Member’s member must be first registered in FIFe and a FIFe pedigree must be issued”, does mean **ALL** kittens bred, be they FIFe recognised breeds or FIFe non-recognised breeds, with or without a preliminary EMS code.

Those who wish to become involved with the breeding of prohibited breeds i.e. breeds based on wild cats or genetic abnormalities, such as Savannah, Scottish Fold, Polydactyl Maine Coons etc, cannot hold membership in a FIFe Member club.

The “Open Doors” show rule 8.2 only applies to non-FIFe members. Therefore, all cats owned by Felis Britannica members must be registered to attend FIFe shows.

Yours sincerely

Debbie

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For and on behalf of the Felis Britannica Executive Committee