### The American Driving Society

### **INTERMEDIATE LEVEL CANTER TEST 1 (1994)**

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### GAITS AND MOVEMENTS

Collected trot 30m. canter circle Rein back 2 m. Halt 5 seconds

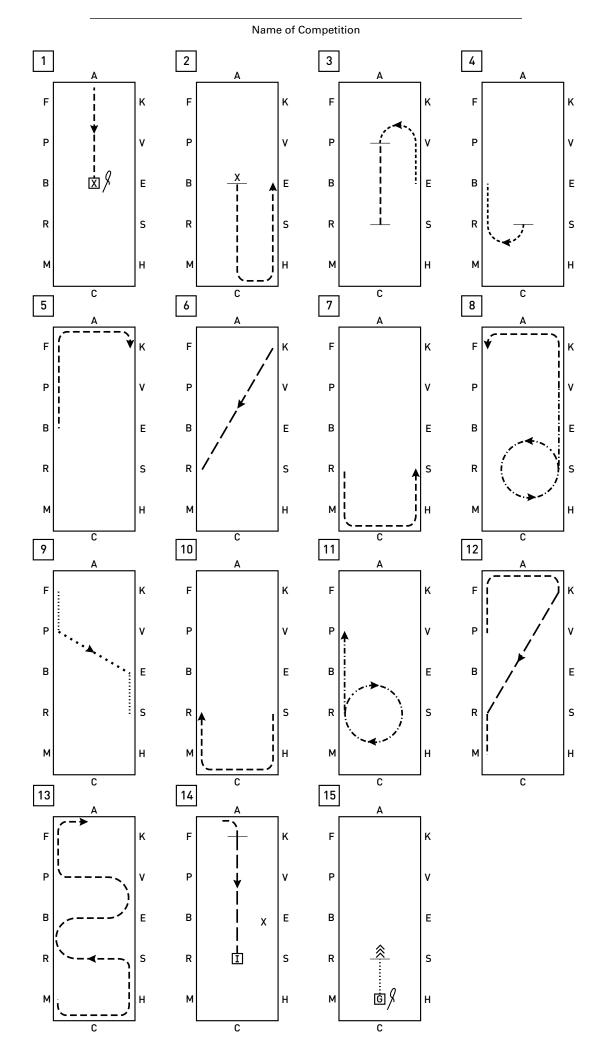
Color of horse	
Distinguishing markings	

#### INSTRUCTIONS

Horse must show increased amount of suppleness, responsiveness, activity of haunches and accuracy. Transitions no longer through the walk.

MOVEMENT		TEST DIRECTIVE IDEAS		MAX PTS	POINTS	REMARKS		
1	A X	Enter working trot Halt, salute	Straightness on centerline, transition. Quality of halt	10				
2	х	Proceed working trot Track left	Transition, quality of trot & turns	10				
3	EV VL L to I	Collected trot Half circle left 20m. Working trot	Quality of trot, suppleness, consistent rhythm	10				
4	I IR	Collected trot Half circle right 20m.	Quality of trot. Suppleness consistent rhythm.	10				
5	BFAK	Working trot	Quality of trot & turns	10				
6	K to R	Lengthened trot Working trot	Lengthening of stride & frame, balance in transitions.	10				
7	RCS	Proceed working trot	Quality of trot & turns	10				
8	s v	Circle left 30m. Develop working canter left lead Working trot	Quality of canter & transitions	10				
9	F to P P to E E to S	Working walk Lengthened walk Working walk	Consistent rhythm, lengthening of frame & stride, transitions	10 x 2				
10	SCR	Working trot	Quality of trot & turns	10				
11	R P	Circle right 30m. Develop working canter right lead. Working trot	Quality of canter & transitions	10				
12	PAK K to R R	Working trot Lengthened trot Working trot	Quality of trot, lengthening of stride & frame, balance in transitions.	10				
13	MCHS S I-L P	Working trot Turn left 2 loop serpentine width of arena Turn right	Quality of turns & trot Consistent rhythm, suppleness	10				
14	A DI I	Turn onto centerline Lengthened trot Halt 5 sec.	Straightness, lengthening of frame and stride, transitions	10				
15	I I to G G	Rein back 2 m. Working walk Halt, salute	Obedience, balance, straightness, transitions	10				
LEAVE ARENA AT WORKING TROT								
			COLLECTIVE REM	IARKS				
GAITS Freedom and regularity. If team or pair: maintenance of even pace and equality of work.			10 x 2					
IMPULSION Desire to move forward. Elasticity of steps. Relaxatio Engagement of hindquarters.				10 x 2				
SUBMISSION Acceptance of the bit. Correctness in lateral bend. A and confidence. Calmness, lightness and ease of m			10 x 2					
		Use of aids, handling of reins Driver's position.	s, whip and voice.	10 x 2				
		Appearance of driver and grooms: cleanliness, fitness, matching, and condition of horses, harness and vehicle		10				
Points Errors Maximum Points:								
10 9	o o lotal politi			ts given:		_		
8 7 6	8 Good 2nd incident = 10 points 7 Fairly Good 3rd incident = Elimination Fact			or: x 0.64				
<ul><li>5 Marginal</li><li>4 Insufficient</li><li>3 Fairly Bad</li><li>2 Bad</li></ul>		1st incident = 5 points 2nd incident = 10 points 3rd incident = Elimination		60 minus		Penalties + Errors		
1 0	Very Bad Not Executed Judge's Signature: Position:							

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#### **PURPOSE**

To establish that the horse has acquired suppleness, impulsion and balance so as to be light in hand and without resistance. While consistently accepting the bit, the horse exhibits greater use of the haunches throughout his movement. The rein back should show a greater degree of submission than shown at the Preliminary Level.

# CONDITIONS

40 x 100 meter arena Average driving time: 9 minutes

#### FOR JUDGING PURPOSES ONLY

If not clearly defined, each movement ends at the beginning of the next movement.