

Confidential and Urgent Agenda Item Submission -

I move that the board review and discuss (in closed session) the issue surrounding the mandate to judges to change their ring procedure and discontinue the checking of bites, etc of goats at NPGA sanctioned shows as well as the directive to post this warning on our national website and that the board take action as warranted and address possible measures to prevent future occurrences.

Reason- To review existing emergency protocol and ensure NPGA compliance with Rules and Regulations and Bylaws.

Advantage-NPGA preserves its non-profit status by complying with our Rules and Bylaws as stated above. Maintain credibility and communication with our associates and members.

Disadvantage- None

Financial Implications- Protect liability issues for NPGA and the board of directors by ensuring that all mandates come from those authorized to do so in our Bylaws and Rules and Regulations.

More information about the NPGA Alert

Elaine Krieg, DVM has prepared an informational statement from the HER committee regarding this alert. Click on the link below:

NPGA ALERT STATEMENT

Until further notice there will be no checking of teeth at any NPGA show. Checking the teats, udder and testicles is allowed.

PLEASE NOTE CHANGES!

Significant changes have been made to the [Showmanship Scorecard](#) and [Wether Scorecard](#) pages including the addition of the oral reasons given by judges. There has been a significant update made to the [Showmanship Manual](#). There have also been