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International Stallions standing the 2025 Northern Hemisphere breeding season have a nomination due date of 1 January 2025 and payment must be completed by 30 June 2025.

Initial Payment of \$100.00 (U.S.) made on or before 1 January 2025.

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ELIGIBILITY & BENEFITS

- All stallions standing outside the United States and Canada are eligible to be nominated to the Breeders' Cup International Stallion program.
- Stallions nominated for the 2025 Northern Hemisphere breeding season will make their Northern Hemisphere foal crop born in 2026 automatically eligible for their entire racing careers. No nomination payments due for foals.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

- Stallions must be nominated annually.
- Payments may be made via credit card, wire transfer or check or money order.
- All amounts payable in U.S. currency.
- Foreign currencies will be converted to U.S. Funds at the time of nomination.
- Stallions standing in the Northern Hemisphere are required to pay a nomination fee equal to 50% of their advertised 2025 stud fee.
- Stallions standing in the Southern Hemisphere are required to pay a nomination fee equal to 25% of their advertised 2025 stud fee.
- Stallions standing a dual season in both the Northern and Southern Hemispheres are required to nominate and pay two separate nomination fees to join the Breeders' Cup International Stallion program if they want the corresponding crop to become automatically eligible.
- Northern Hemisphere Stallion Nomination fees are due in full on 30 June 2025.
- If paying by wire transfer, please contact the Breeders' Cup Nomination Department at +1 (859) 514-9423 or via e-mail nominations@breederscup.com for further instructions.

INTERNATIONAL STALLION NOMINATION RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Thoroughbred progeny foaled in 2026 (conceived in 2025) of fully nominated Breeders' Cup International stallions shall be deemed automatically eligible in their year of birth to participate in all Breeders' Cup programs (subject to the rules of such programs). If Breeders' Cup Limited ("BCL" or "Breeders' Cup") should determine that the Nomination Fee(s) set forth herein is/are less than actual advertised or applicable prevailing farm price (as described on the front hereof) at which seasons are sold to third parties, the Nominator shall have fifteen (15) days in which to accept the Nomination Fee determined by BCL or to request a return of the amount paid hereunder and withdraw said stallion from Breeders' Cup.
2. Horses entering stud for the first time or returning from the racetrack and arriving at the farm after 1 January may be nominated by making an initial payment for the unpaid installments portion within 90 days after entering stud, and submitting the remaining installment payments on specified due dates.
3. In the event of the death or permanent retirement of a nominated stallion which has covered mares prior to or on 30 June, all installment payments due prior to his death or permanent retirement shall remain due from the Nominator. In the event of death or permanent retirement of a stallion after 30 June, there is no refund of any Nomination Fee. In the event of the death or permanent and total disability of a stallion prior to covering any mare, the initial \$100 payment of the Nomination Fee for that season shall be retained by BCL, but any installment payments remitted shall be refunded. In all other cases, the initial \$100 payment of the Nomination Fee is not refundable for any reason whatsoever.
4. BCL reserves the right to refuse, or revoke, the eligibility of any stallion nominated hereby in the event the Nominator fails to pay the Nomination Fee, installment or late charge thereon, when due, with respect to any other stallions nominated by the Nominator for the current or previous breeding seasons.
5. BCL reserves the right in its sole discretion, to postpone, discontinue, amend or change the conditions of all or any part of the Breeders' Cup program, including its racing programs and rules and regulations, without limitation or liability. Breeders' Cup programs may be cancelled without notice and BCL shall have no liability except to make distribution of funds in the form of purses or awards less administrative expenses.
6. Breeders' Cup World Championships races and races designated in any other Breeders' Cup purse or awards programs, will be run in compliance with the racing rules and regulations of the applicable authority having jurisdiction of the track where such races are held, except as otherwise set forth in the conditions of the races and/or Breeders' Cup World Championships rules and regulations, which shall control. BCL shall have no liability for the actions of any officials or employees of any such track or for any matter under the control of such track, its officials or employees. Purse and award payments shall be made to the owners or lessees recognized as such by the track and applicable regulatory authority. Nominations are made with the express understanding that said nomination does not assure stall space for horses nominated. All other amounts, including, without limitation, travel or other awards and incentives, are awarded in the sole discretion of BCL.
7. Owner/Nominator hereby expressly and irrevocably grants BCL the exclusive right to use, in connection with the promotion of the Breeders' Cup program or any other commercial use by BCL, the name and likeness of the Owner/Nominator, any horse pre-entered, entered or nominated and of any co-owners, jockeys, trainers, colors, logos, silks, and any other associated or identifying characteristics, as well as any other matter relating to the participation of the horse in the Breeders' Cup program. Promotion by BCL may include, without limitation, televising, broadcasting, photographing, and/or recording in any manner, by still or motion pictures, radio and television broadcasts, digital and immersive media, or any other media transmission, whether known or hereafter developed, the races which are a part of the Breeders' Cup program and the activities incident to them, and broadcasting, exhibiting, merchandising, and/or exploiting the same by any means now or hereafter known or developed, including, without limitation, licensing or selling such rights to others for uses approved by BCL. The Owner/Nominator hereby expressly, irrevocably and perpetually waives or assigns to Breeders' Cup, on his behalf and on behalf of his contractors, agents and employees (including the trainers and jockeys), any and all rights he may have in connection with any matter referred to in this paragraph, including, without limitation, any claim for invasion of the right of privacy or the right of publicity, for misappropriation, for infringement of trademark, trade dress and other intellectual property rights, moral rights or "droit moral", or for any remuneration therefor. Upon demand, Owner/Nominator shall cause any of the aforementioned persons to deliver releases to BCL permitting it to use and exhibit such material. The Owner/Nominator understands and agrees that BCL reserves the right to use names, trademarks, service marks, copyrights, symbols, logos, slogans, results, still and motion pictures, digital and immersive media, audio reports, trailers, promos and other identifying characteristics relating to BCL and the Breeders' Cup program and that any such use by Owner/Nominator of any of them is prohibited without the express written consent of BCL. BCL reserves all rights to advertise the Breeders' Cup program in any manner deemed appropriate by BCL in its sole and absolute discretion.
8. BCL reserves the right to limit the number of entries in any of the races sponsored by BCL. In the event BCL determines it must limit entries, entries will be selected by such method as BCL may determine in its sole discretion including pursuant to any of BCL's rules or policies. BCL reserves the right, exercisable in its sole and absolute discretion, to transfer any turf race to the main course and to modify the distance of any race to accommodate the track selected for every race.
9. BCL may refuse the pre-entry or subsequent entry of any horse if, in BCL's sole discretion, its association with any connection (e.g., owner, trainer, jockey) of such horse has engaged in any conduct that is unlawful, unethical or may otherwise compromise the integrity or reputation of the Breeders' Cup World Championships. BCL may, in BCL's sole and absolute discretion, refuse the pre-entry or subsequent entry of any horse that has violated any BCL or other applicable authority's rules or policies.
10. Owner agrees that BCL may inspect and copy for its own use all documents, electronic or otherwise, containing reports by official racing veterinarians related to pre-race, post-race, or other examinations (including without limitation necropsy reports) and/or any records of procedures required by regulatory agencies or under applicable industry safety accreditation organization rules related to Nominator's horse(s) nominated, pre-entered or entered in BCWC races. Owner further authorizes HIWU or its designee to share with BCL and all information about all pending or potential positive tests, out-of-competition tests, atypical tests or HIWU, BCL, or any of their respective affiliates or delegees. Owner/Nominator further authorizes HIWU or the applicable regulatory body to share with BCL any and all information about all pending or potential positive tests, out-of-competition tests, atypical tests or findings, or violations related to Trainer or any of Owner/Nominator's horses in furtherance of this Agreement and waives any objection or claim related thereto against HISA, HIWU, BCL, the applicable regulatory body, or any of their respective affiliates. Furthermore, Owner/Nominator agrees and acknowledges that BCL retains all rights to address any and all media inquiries and that any and all information provided to BCL related to any horse, its Owners/Nominators or connections is not confidential and may be disclosed by BCL if BCL believes, in its reasonable discretion, that such disclosure is necessary to address a factual or other material misstatement that may call into question the integrity or reputation of BCL.
11. All claims and objections arising out of the application or interpretation of any rules or conditions of BCL shall be decided solely by BCL in its sole and absolute discretion. Information regarding the Appeals Procedure for BCL shall be furnished to any person submitting a written request for such information to Breeders' Cup Limited, Attn: Appeals Board, 215 W. Main St., Suite 250, Lexington, Kentucky 40507. Any person wishing to object to any action or decision by BCL in the application of its rules or conditions must, within thirty (30) days of being advised of such action or decision, submit to the Appeals Board a written objection in compliance with the Appeals Procedure and shall be entitled to an oral hearing upon making a written demand as set forth in the Appeals Procedure. The Appeals Procedure shall not be applicable to matters arising with respect to the field selection for the BCWC races or to the Condition of Integrity. All matters concerning field selection or the Condition of Integrity are decided by BCL in its sole and absolute discretion. Owner agrees that any dispute with BCL regarding any BCL rule or policy subject to arbitration herein shall, following the exhaustion of all administrative remedies available under the laws and regulations of the applicable state or other regulatory authority in which the BCL races are conducted, be settled by arbitration administered by the American Arbitration Association in accordance with its Commercial Arbitration Rules and the award rendered by the arbitrator(s) shall be recognized by Owner and BCL and judgment thereon may be rendered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. BCL reserves the right to waive or modify its rules and regulations on a case-by-case basis at any time. Any waiver, failure to enforce or modification by BCL of any of the terms and conditions of the Horsemen's Information Guide at any time shall not in any way affect, limit, or waive BCL's right thereafter to enforce and compel strict compliance with every term and condition of the Horsemen's Information Guide.
12. Nomination of a stallion shall constitute acceptance of the Breeders' Cup Special Conditions for Stallion Nominations whether such nomination is done in writing or electronically. Nominator agrees that a facsimile or electronic copy of this agreement may be accepted as an original, and that facsimile or electronic copies of nominators' signatures may be treated as original signatures and admissible evidence.
13. By providing your e-mail address on this form, you acknowledge that Breeders' Cup Limited may send you information about Breeders' Cup current deadlines and promotions and may share your e-mail address with selected sponsors for promotional purposes. If you do not wish for selected sponsors to send you promotional materials via e-mail, you may opt out at any time by contacting nominations@breederscup.com.
14. If any provision of this agreement shall be held or made invalid by a court decision, statute, or rule, or shall be otherwise rendered invalid, the remainder of this agreement shall not be affected thereby.

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