Sunday, July 24th, 2016

Board of Directors of the Collie Club of America:

Below and attached is the FINAL revised proposal from the Realignment Committee. Using the April 15th, 2016 membership roster along with a time zone map, a benchmark of 75 to 125 voting members per district to be represented by a DD, previous suggestions offered by the BOD, and in keeping with the AKC suggestion to keep our BOD to 25-27 members, we present the following for your approval:

District 1 – NY = 77 members
District 2 – ME, VT, NH, MA, and RI = 87 members
District 3 – NJ and CT = 108 members
District 4 – PA = 97 members
District 5 – OH and WV = 75 members
District 6 – MI = 69 members
District 7 – IL = 99 members
District 8 – IN, KY and TN = 93 members
District 9 – VA, DE, MD and DC = 103 members
District 10 – NC and SC = 84 members
District 11 – AR, LA, MS, AL, and GA = 79 members
District 12 – FL = 74 members
District 13 – TX and OK = 104 members
District 14 – NE, KS, IA, MO = 91 members
District 15 – ND, SD, MN, and WI = 84 members
District 16 – AK, WA, OR, ID, and MT = 108 members
District 17 – Nor CA and NV = 117 members
District 18 – So CA and HI = 117 members
District 19 – UT, AZ, CO, NM and WY = 81 members
District 20 – Foreign member liaison (Europe, Canada, Mexico, Brazil, Australia, etc.) – NON-VOTING

AKC Delegate, President, 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer

Total BOD = 26 / 25 voting members

New York, as our state of incorporation, and with the agreement of the President, will stand alone as District 1. WY was removed from District 16 and moved into District 19. CT will remain with NJ to form District 3. We received 2 requests to move CT in with the New England states would put District 2 at 130 memberships, which exceeds our benchmark. We also received requests to put CT in with NY, but there was overwhelming support from members of NJ and CT supporting the original proposal. The original proposal for NJ and CT to form District 3 will stand as presented.

Respectfully submitted,

CCA Realignment Committee
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