

## QUALITY POLICY

The *Purebred Spanish Horse Stud Book* (LGPRE), as an independent body within the *National Purebred Spanish Horse Breeders' Association* (ANCCE), is responsible for handing this *Public Register*, which is recognized by Spain's Ministry of Agriculture, Food and the Environment by means of a resolution from the General Office for Breeding, dated the 11<sup>th</sup> of December of 2007. This involves the issuing of Equine IDs and the processing of registration services where genealogical data about Purebred Spanish Horses (PRE) is noted, as well as the corresponding parentages and descendants throughout out the world.

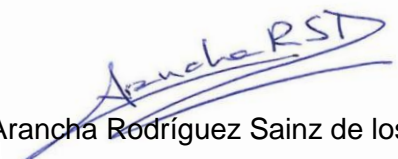
The LGPRE has two types of clients: the actual *Breed*, and *Breeders* of PRE Horses. From the standpoint of the *Breed*, the LGPRE must safeguard the preservation, improvement and promotion of the breed. In terms of *Breeders*, the LGPRE must provide those *Services* typically offered by a *Stud Book*, as well as other complementary services that satisfy the needs and expectations of breeders, if and when these do not challenge the interests of the actual *Breed*.

Notwithstanding the above, the LGPRE must operate under the premise of *Public Information* and *Confidentiality*, both of which are managed in a balanced manner in the light of possible conflicting interests. Likewise, the LGPRE focuses its actions, founded on the principle of *Independence and Neutrality*, to provide services based on a single and strictly *technical* criterion.

As an instrument of *Public Administration*, the LGPRE is committed to carrying out all of its activities within a framework of strict legal compliance, to always adapt its *Services and Procedures* to the applicable legislation in such a way that it enables and facilitates the process for our client *Breeders* when complying with their own legal obligations.

Purebred Spanish Horse Stud Book management has developed and implemented a *Quality Management System* (SGC) to guarantee compliance with the applicable requirements and increase the satisfaction of our *Clients*. Within this framework, the LGPRE is committed to maintaining the SGC updated and reviewed to continually adapt and improve its effectiveness.

This current Policy has been disseminated, understood and accepted by the Organization to contribute to attaining the commitments listed.



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