

**RULES OF REGISTRATION**  
(Revised 2/17)

**BREED NAME:**

<b>BRITISH SHORTHAIR</b>
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**ALLOWABLE OUTCROSS BREEDS:**

None	

**BREED CODES:**

17			

**PEDIGREE REQUIREMENTS (last date showing is current):**

Date: Unknown	5 generations	Date:	
Date:		Date:	

**FOREIGN-CAT REQUIREMENTS (if different from above):**

Date:	
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**REGISTER AS AOV:**

No AOV colors/patterns	

**DO NOT ACCEPT (cat to be registered):**

Pointed	Chocolate	Lilac	Longhair
Ticked tabby			

**DO NOT ACCEPT (cats in background):**

Longhair	Effective: 2/17		
Ticked tabby	Effective: 2/17		

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Provisional: 10/77	Effective: 5/1/78

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# BCS CODE SERIES:

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THESE CATS MAY BE IN THE BACKGROUND, SUBJECT TO DNA TEST (SEE ABOVE).

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40 Colorpointed  
40v Colorpointed

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