

16 EMAIL MOTION

TO MAKE THE EMPIRE WILD BIRD CLASSIC AN ABC REGIONAL CLASSIC

MOTION BY: Darlene Dow, East Coast Director

SECONDED BY: Ron Gulembo, East Central Director

MOTION MADE: Saturday, April 23, 2016

7 DAYS DISCUSSION: Sat., April 23 – Fri. April 29, 2016

5 DAYS OPEN TO VOTING: Sat., April 30 – Wed., May 4, 2016

MOTION:

I move to create an ABC Classic to be known as the Empire Wild Bird Classic. This is to be a 1 hour, walking stake to be run on wild grouse and woodcock to be run during the fall season.

Rationale: This stake has been supported in the past by most recently by the Brittany Club of Upper NY as an American Field Classic. By calling it the Empire Wild Bird Classic this would allow for the future events to be supported by any or either club. This motion is prompted to fulfill the requirement to run a standalone stake with ABC/AKC sanctioning. The grounds currently used is the Partridge Run Wildlife Management Area in Berne, NY.