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From the President

Welcome to the 2010-2011 season! I hope everyone had a great summer and now is the time to start thinking about pulling. Handlers, please remember to always use the same name for your dog/s. It is very time consuming for our Statistician, who this year is Sue Ferrari once again, to refigure points because of name changes. Also please keep watch of your dog's points. If you don't see some points accounted for please contact Sue as soon as possible and don't just leave it until the end of the season to notify her. The sooner the better!

Also, when you are submitting forms such as membership and sanctioning, please print legibly. If your penmanship is difficult to interpret please type it out if you need to or have someone do it for you. If we can not interpret your hand writing you may not get your newsletters or a number of other documents you may need or want.

Since we are early in the season, Organizers make sure who ever is your Chief Judge, that they are a current and active member for this season.

I wish everyone a successful pull season!

Best Regards,

Robbie Reed

From Region 2

Hello everyone! I wanted to share a little something with you all. We were invited back to the Dog-A-Thon, The Humane Society's Walk for Homeless Pets. It was held July 24, 2010 at Fort Steilacoom Park. There is a large walk to help raise money for this cause, a pet parade, the mutt show and various demonstrations. We, the IWPA, were asked to come back and do a weight pulling demonstration. Bob and Donna Daymude came and helped us this year. A big thanks to them for

giving up their weekend. We had a great crowd and lots of people try their hand at something new to do with their dogs. Even with the economy as it has been, they were able to raise more funds than last year. The total came in right around \$152,000.00; and all the homeless pets that were there, found new homes. This is a great way to showcase who we are and what we do. Please see what you can do in your area to promote our club and sport.

George and Sue Ferrari

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IWA Pull Calendar

REGION 2

September 18 - 19, 2010

Region 2 Kickoff

Region 2 Nine Mile Falls, Washington (6497 Stonelodge Rd)

Wheels : Sat 9/18/2010 Weigh- 11:00 AM -- 1:00 PM

Pull Start:1:00 PM

Wheels : Sun 9/19/2010 Weigh- 9:00 AM --

Pull Start:10:00 AM

Fees \$15 first dog, \$10 each additional

Contacts: Donna Daymude, 509-276-2964 [tundrabou@aol.com]

Chief Bob Daymude, 509-276-2964 [tundrabou@aol.com]

Prizes: Ribbons

Sponsors Tundrabou Alaskan Malamutes

REGION 3

September 11, 2010

September Strong Dog Pull

Region 3 Balzac, Alberta Canada (RR 14)

Wheels : Sat 9/11/2010 Weigh- 9:00 AM -- 10:00 AM

Pull Start: 10:00 AM

Fees \$20 for members, \$30 non-members

Contacts: Jade Ryan, 403-619-0483 [seanhammell@hotmail.com]

Chief Sean Hammell, 403-619-0483 [seanhammell@hotmail.com]

Prizes: TBA

Sponsors PoohBusters, Sleep Rover Doggy Daycare, Ultimate K-9 Bodyguards, Rascals Pet Supplies, Pawsitively Pooched

October 9 - 10, 2010

Casper Mt. Musers Fall Pull

Region 3 Casper, Wyoming (4261 Swingle Acres)

Wheels : Sat 10/9/2010 Weigh- 8:00 AM -- 10:30 AM
Pull Start:11:00 AM

Wheels : Sun 10/10/2010 Weigh- 8:00 AM -- 9:00 AM
Pull Start:9:30 AM

Fees \$20 for 1st dog, \$18 for additional

Contacts: Kay Bramson, 307-234-8689

Chief Rodney Martin, 970-339-3635 [m5mkennel@aol.com]

Prizes: TBD

Sponsors Casper Mt Musers

November 13, 2010

Draggin the Dirt

Region 3 Balzac, Alberta Canada (RR 14)

Wheels : Sat 11/13/2010 Weigh- 9:00 AM -- 10:00 AM
PullStart: 10:00 AM

Fees \$20 members, \$30 non-members

Contacts: Jade Ryan, 403-619-0483 [seanhammell@hotmail.com]

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Prizes: TBA

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January 8 - 9, 2011

January Power Pull / PoohBusters Winterfest

Region 3 Balzac, Alberta Canada (RR14)

Wheels : Sat 1/8/2011 Weigh- 6:00 PM -- 7:00 PM
PullStart: 7:00 PM

Wheels : Sun 1/9/2011 Weigh- 9:00 AM -- 10:00 AM
PullStart: 10:00 AM



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Chief Sean Hammell, 403-619-0483 [seanhammell@hotmail.com]
Prizes: TBA
Sponsors PoohBusters, Sleep Rover Doggy Daycare, Ultimate K-9 Bodyguards, Rascals Pet Supplies, Pawsitively Pooched

March 12 - 13, 2011

March Madness/PoohBusters Spring Rumble

Region 3 Balzac, Alberta Canada (RR 14)

Wheels : Sat 3/12/2011 Weigh- 6:00 PM -- 7:00 PM
PullStart: 7:00 PM
Wheels : Sun 3/13/2011 Weigh- 9:00 AM -- 10:00 AM
PullStart: 10:00 AM

Fees \$20 members, \$30 non-members

Contacts: Jade Ryan, 403-619-0483 [seanhammell@hotmail.com]

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Prizes: TBA

Sponsors PoohBusters, Sleep Rover Doggy Daycare, Ultimate K-9 Bodyguards, Rascals Pet Supplies, Pawsitively Pooched

REGION 4

September 18 - 19, 2010

PrairieLand Pullers Club Fall Kick off

Region 4 Abingdon, Illinois (546 Illinois Rt 41)

Wheels : Sat 9/18/2010 Weigh- 8:00 AM -- 9:30 AM
PullStart: 9:30 AM

Wheels : Sun 9/19/2010 Weigh- 8:00 AM -- 9:00 AM
PullStart: 9:00 AM

Fees If member \$15 for 1st day, \$10 additional. Non-members \$20 for 1st dog, \$15 additional dogs

Contacts: Connie Powell, 309-335-2951 [1pcp99@frontiernet.net]

Chief Mary Johnson, 309-768-2862

[mary61447@yahoo.com]

Prizes: Trophies, ribbons & prizes
Sponsors Kirkwood Vet Service, TSC of Galesburg, Wells Pet Food Co

October 16 - 17, 2010

TENTATIVE

Green Valley Dog Drivers 4 Lakes Halloween Pull

Region 4 Lisle, Illinois (5790 Forestview Drive)

Wheels : Sat 10/16/2011 Weigh- 9:00 AM --
PullStart: 10:00 AM

Wheels : Sun 10/17/2011 Weigh- 12:00 PM --
PullStart: 1:00 PM

Fees \$15 for 1st dog, \$20 each additional

Contacts: Kathleen Sandercom, 773-426-8611 [addisonbentley@yahoo.com]

Chief Carey Green, 630-670-5476 [careygreen@hotmail.com]

Prizes: Best costume and Highest % gets 1 free entry

Comments: There will be a costume contest

Sponsors Four Lakes Ski & Snowboard Area, Green Valley Dog Drivers

REGION 5

September 25 - 26, 2010

11th Annual Lake Placid IWPA Weight Pull

Region 5 Lake Placid, New York (5514 Cascade Rd (Route 73))

Wheels : Sat 9/25/2010 Weigh- 9:00 AM -- 10:30 AM
PullStart: 11:00 AM

Wheels : Sun 9/26/2010 Weigh- 8:00 AM -- 9:00 AM
PullStart: 9:30 AM

Fees \$15 for 1st dog, \$10 additional

Contacts: Daniel Plosila, 518-891-4413

Chief Steve Jackson, 717-487-2941 [Wendyl3@comcast.net]

Prizes: Ribbons 1st-4th; Rosettes & Prizes for most weight pulled



Comments: This is at the North Elba Show Grounds
 Sponsors Curtis Lumber, Jones Outfitters and North Elba Park District

January 15 - 16, 2011

1st Annual Canine Snowfest Pull

Region 5 Lake Placid, New York (5514 Cascade Rd (Route 73))

Snow : Sat 1/15/2011 Weigh- 9:00 AM -- 10:30 AM
 PullStart: 11:00 AM

Snow : Sun 1/16/2011 Weigh- 8:00 AM -- 9:00 AM
 PullStart: 9:30 AM

Fees \$15 for 1st dog, \$10 additional

Contacts: Daniel Plosila, 518-891-4413

Chief Steve Jackson, 717-487-2941
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Prizes: Ribbons 1st-4th; Rosettes most wt pulled and top percentage

Comments: This is at the North Elba Show Grounds

Sponsors Curtis Lumber, North Elba Park District, Saranac Samoyeds

January 29 - 30, 2011

5th Annual Adirondack Snow Pull

Region 5 Lake Placid, New York (5514 Cascade Rd (Route 73))

Snow : Sat 1/29/2011 Weigh- 9:00 AM -- 10:30 AM
 PullStart: 11:00 AM

Snow : Sun 1/30/2011 Weigh- 8:00 AM -- 9:00 AM
 PullStart: 9:30 AM

Fees \$15 for 1st dog, \$10 each additional

Contacts: Daniel Plosila, 518-891-4413

Chief Steve Jackson, 717-487-2941
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Prizes: Ribbons 1st-4th; Rosettes & prizes for most wt pulled and best percentage

Comments: This is at the North Elba Show Grounds

Sponsors Curtis Lumber, Jones Outfitters, and North Elba Park District

February 12 - 13, 2011

Annual Tug Hill Challenge

Region 5 Lorraine, New York (C.C.C. Winona State Forest)

Snow : Sat 2/12/2011 Weigh- 9:00 AM --
 PullStart: 10:00 AM

Snow : Sun 2/13/2011 Weigh- 8:30 AM --
 PullStart: 9:30 AM

Fees \$10 each dog

Contacts: Diane Geitzenauer, 908-475-5447
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Chief Steve Jackson, 717-487-2941
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Prizes: Rosettes, ribbons, dog treats

February 26 - 27, 2011

6th Annual Lake Placid Snow Pull

Region 5 Lake Placid, New York (5514 Cascade Rd (Route 73))

Snow : Sat 2/26/2011 Weigh- 9:00 AM -- 10:30 AM
 PullStart: 11:00 AM

Snow : Sun 2/27/2011 Weigh- 8:00 AM -- 9:00 AM
 PullStart: 9:30 AM

Fees \$15 for 1st dog, \$10 ea additional

Contacts: Daniel Plosila, 518-891-4413

Chief Steve Jackson, 717-487-2941
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Prizes: ribbons 1st-4th; Rosettes & prizes for most weight pulled and best percentage

Comments: This is at the North Elba Show Grounds

Sponsors Curtis Lumber, Jones Outfitters and North Elba Park District



Get on the bus and renew
 your Judges certification!



REGION 6

September 3 - 5, 2010

Season Opener

Region 6 Kalkaska, Michigan (2489 Co Rd 571 NE)

Wheels : Fri 9/3/2010 Weigh- 5:00 PM -- 7:00 PM
PullStart: 7:00 PM

Wheels : Sat 9/4/2010 Weigh- 3:00 PM -- 4:00 PM
PullStart: 5:00 PM

Wheels : Sun 9/5/2010 Weigh- 10:00 AM -- 11:00 AM
PullStart: 11:00 AM

Fees \$12 for the first dog, \$8 each additional

Contacts: Shirley Webber, 231-258-2358
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Chief James Webber, 231-258-2358
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Prizes: TBA

Comments: There will be a potluck on Saturday at 4:00-5:00 pm. Between weigh in and the start. Please bring a dish to share.

Sponsors Northern Great Lakes Weight Pullers

Caring for your dog after Spaying

- When picking up your dog you might want to bring along an extra blanket. This will add extra cushion to your dog's seat for her comfort. She might need assistance into the car depending on how large she is and how much energy she has. Try to take the car ride easy with no excessive speed or hard curves. If your route is curvy try taking them a little slower than usual.
- Have a bed set up for your dog to rest in. This can be her usual sleeping spot or a new spot for her to lay in when she gets home. Show her the spot and encourage her to lay down and rest. Do not be surprised if on the first day she wants to spend a majority of the time sleeping.
- Provide a small amount of food to start with, about 1/4 of what you normally provide in one feeding. More than likely she will not even want to eat for much of the first day home but it should be there for when she is ready for it. You do not want to provide a normal amount because she might become sick and her system overwhelmed by this.
- Watch your dog around other animals, your small children and when going outside. Make sure that no other animals could hurt her during her weakened and tired state. Be sure that your children know how to treat her and to keep their hands to the shoulders and above. Also watch your dog while she goes outside just to be there in case she needs you.
- Do not allow your dog to exert herself physically. She might be excited to be home or something might rile her up, but you need to insist for at least the first day that she take it easy. The second day you can watch her and allow more activity if she seems up to it. It may take three days for her energy to come back up.



New Member

Renewing Member



Hard Copy of Newsletter

Electronic PDF Newsletter

\$5.00 Discount for Memberships paid prior to September 1.

\$5.00 Discount for PDF Newsletter.

Application for Membership
(Please print clearly in black ink)

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP (An individual membership consist of one adult 18 years and older at the start of the pull season.)

Name _____ Date of Birth _____
\$40.00 Paid by Check Number _____ Paid by Cash _____

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP (A family membership consists of two head of household adults or one to two parents and children under 18 years of age at the start of the pull season.)

Name of Primary _____ Date of Birth _____
Name of Second Adult _____ Date of Birth _____
Family _____ Date of Birth _____
_____ Date of Birth _____
\$45.00 Paid by Check Number _____ Paid by Cash _____

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP (A member under the age of 18 at the start of the pull season, and has a sponsor who is a member of the IWPFA in good standings.)

Name _____ Date of Birth _____
Sponsor's Name _____ Sponsor's Signature _____
\$40.00 Paid by check number _____ Paid by Cash _____

DUES MUST BE PAID IN U.S. CURRENCY. Both Discounts may apply.

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____

Phone (____) _____ E-mail _____

For returned checks the IWPFA will charge the check writer for cost incurred or a MINIMUM of \$25.00

Please submit application with fees (make checks payable to the IWPFA, do not mail cash) to:

Rodney Martin
Membership Chair
3407 7th Ave
Evans, CO 80620 USA
E-mail: MSMKennel@aol.com

Signature _____

Date _____



Judge Renewal

Name _____

Address _____

City, State (Province) _____

Zip (Postal Code) _____ Region _____

Telephone _____

E-mail _____

Judge renewal before September 1, 2010 \$10.00
After September 1, 2010 \$15.00 *Make checks payable to the IWPA*

Mail to:
IWPA Judges Chair
George Ferrari
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Yakima, WA 98908
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E-Mail: Ferrari1133@msn.com

Note: Renewing Judges **must sign and return this form** (with the proper fee) stating that you have read and understand the following changes in the IWPA Standing rules and Rule booklet that have been placed in effect at the board meeting on June 5, 2010. This also includes the **Judges Code of Conduct** that was adopted by the board in 2002.

International Weight Pull Association Judge Code of Conduct (Ethics and Authority)

1. You must both possess and project an unwavering air of integrity and ethical behavior that protects the reputation of IWPA pull events as fair and well-judged. With common sense, judges can easily avoid situations, which might raise ethical questions. A judge should avoid impropriety and the appearance of impropriety in all activities.

2. Judges are presumed to be honest, competent and dedicated. Nevertheless, it is all too easy to find yourself in uncomfortable or even inappropriate situations. Guidelines cannot cover every situation, but they can help you avoid improprieties or perceived improprieties. A judge should perform the duties impartially and diligently. ("A judge shall disqualify himself or herself in a proceeding in which the judge's impartiality might reasonably be questioned, including but not limited to instances in which the judge has a personal bias or prejudice concerning a party...")
3. You Are in Charge: As the Chief Judge, you have full authority over all persons in the event. With this authority comes the responsibility to be thoughtful and considerate. Be as systematic in your procedure from dog to dog and weight class to weight class as conditions permit.
4. You should avoid theatrical movements or making inappropriate comments to competitors. Be polite, but generally limit your conversation with competitors to instructions that are in accordance with the IWPA rules.
5. The Judge may use whatever reasonable procedures he/she deems necessary to evaluate each dog's performance in an effective and efficient manner. The same procedures will be used to Judge each dog in a class. By entering any weight pull, the owner and handler of any dog agree to accept the decision of the Judge as final. The decision of a Judge is the responsibility of the Judge and not that of the IWPA.
6. IWPA events are intended to be family-oriented recreation for dog lovers and their dogs. Accordingly, IWPA expects the highest standard of conduct at all events.

I promise to uphold the IWPA Constitution, By-laws and Standing Rules, be fair and impartial in my decisions.

Signed _____ Date _____

**INTERNATIONAL WEIGHT PULL ASSOCIATION
WEIGHT PULL SANCTIONING APPLICATION**

(ALL BLANKS MUST BE FILLED IN)

Sanctioned Pull ___ Other (Novice, Fun, Etc.) ___ Wheels ___ or Snow ___

Pull will be run – Class by Class ___ or Concurrent ___ or Combined Classes ___

Title of Event _____

Street Address of Event _____

City and State/Prov. Of Event _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Region _____

Organizer (person responsible for event) _____

Organizer Address _____ Phone () _____

City and State/Prov. _____ Zip/Postal Code _____

Date of Event _____ Weigh in Time _____ Start Time _____ Entry Fee _____

Purse/Prizes _____

Date of Event _____ Weigh in Time _____ Start Time _____ Entry Fee _____

Purse/Prizes _____

Sponsor _____

Name of required I.W.P.A. member _____ Phone () _____

Name of Chief Judge _____ Phone () _____

If you would like to receive the Sanctioning Packet electronically put an 'X' in this box.
Please included your email address: _____

Send application plus fees to sanctioning director:

Sue Ferrari Phone 509-966-1133
807 Ghormley Rd Fax 509-972-2070
Yakima, WA 98908 E-mail ferrari1133@msn.com

\$35.00 Per Sanctioned Pull (U.S. Funds Only)

\$25.00 Per Other Pull (U.S. Funds Only) (NSF Check fee will be cost incurred or a minimum of \$25.00)

This application can not be processed without the signature of the organizer regarding the reading and understanding of the Sanctioning Rules printed on the reverse.

Signature of Pull Organizer _____ Date _____

For the use of the Sanctioning Director

Date this application received _____ Date and amount of Sanctioning Fees received _____

Date Sanctioning approved/rejected _____ Date information sent to Newsletter _____

Date notice of approval and sanctioning packet or rejection (must include explanation of rejection) sent to

Organizer _____ Date Sanctioning fees sent to treasurer _____ Date postmarked _____

INTERNATIONAL WEIGHT PULL ASSOCIATION WEIGHT PULL
STANDING RULES ON SANCTIONING

In order for your pull to be sanctioned and to count for points.

Any organization who wishes to petition a pull approved by the I.W.P.A. shall require the organizer or any of the officials to have an I.W.P.A. membership and use I.W.P.A. weight pull rules which include having an I.W.P.A. certified and approved judge.

A sanctioning application must be filed out by the organizer and delivered into the hands of the I.W.P.A. sanctioning director no later than the 15th of the month preceding the month in which the event is to take place, provided the event is scheduled between the 15th through the end of any given month. Pulls scheduled from the 1st through the 14th of any month must be received no later than the 15th of the month two months prior to the weight pull event. For example, an event scheduled for December 7th must be received no later than October 15th, an event scheduled for December 28th must be received no later than November 15th. *No exceptions to this rule will be made!* It is the organizer's responsibility to ascertain if this application has been received by the Sanctioning Director.

Newsletter pull calendar information is taken from the sanctioning application; therefore, ALL questions must be answered. It may be considered false advertising for any organizer to falsify or fail to follow the information provided on the sanctioning request. False advertising will be grounds for placing the organizer on probationary sanctioning status.

The following list of information from your weight pull must be sent to the Sanctioning Director with a postmark no later than 5 days after the last day of your pull:

1. Weight Pull Final Report
2. Organizer's report
3. Financial report with ALL monies due the IWPA for the \$5.00 per dog fee. For pulls held in Canada \$5.00 are payable in U.S. funds only. (Motion 5/07)
4. All regular and provisional membership monies received at your pull with completed membership forms must be sent to the Membership Director with a postmark no later than 5 days after the last day of your pull. New members are to be given the membership receipt included in your packet as proof of membership until their card is sent to them.
5. Send Judge's Reports to the Judge Chairperson

(The penalty for failure to meet the 5 day postmark requirement will result in a fine of not less than \$20.00 and \$5.00 per day for each day after 5 days that the pull results are not postmarked. Failure to pay a fine may result in loss of sanctioning and/or points). *Exception—Organizers of pulls held the last two weeks of the season are required to submit finish reports to the sanctioning director and FAX or OVERNIGHT their finish report, finance report, and organizer report to the association within one working day. (motion 5/08)*

Any grievances by an organizer or judge should be in writing, postmarked no later than 72 hours after the end of the weight pull event, and sent to the Sanctioning Director who will present the written grievance(s) to the I.W.P.A. Board of Directors within two weeks of the receipt of the grievance, for deliberation.

Sanctioning applications that do not include the sanctioning fees will not be accepted. Exception—When faxing application a copy of the check/money order for sanctioning fees must be faxed with the application. The original application and check/money order for sanctioning fees must be postmarked within one working day of the fax. The original application and payment for sanctioning fees must be received by the sanctioning director no less than one week prior to the event or the sanctioning may be cancelled.

Organizers of events which have had sanctioning suspended after the pull will be required to mail a reimbursement to all entrants of the \$5.00 per dog fee. This reimbursement must be mailed within 72 hours of the receipt of written notice by the Sanctioning Director of suspended sanctioning. (Failure to reimburse funds when sanctioning has been suspended may mean loss of future sanctioning of event by the organizer)

The Board of Directors may not make a decision on sanctioning a pull but will make a decision regarding any grievance filed in regard to sanctioning.

If the Sanctioning on a pull is refused or the sanctioning is withdrawn from a pull, the sanctioning director will notify the organizer in writing within 2 days. A phone call or fax is a courtesy but the "in writing" is a requirement.

Cancellations of a pull will be accepted with no penalty as long as there is ample time to report the cancellation in the newsletter with the same deadlines as for sanctioning a pull. If these deadlines are not met, the organizer shall (at their own expense) send out postcards to all members to notify them of the cancellation. If this is not done, an organizer may be subject to loss of sanctioning fees. There will be no provisions for "Rain Dates". I have read and understand the above rules regarding sanctioning.

Signature of Organizer _____ Date _____

Judges|Apprentice Approval Form

This form must be completed in full and submitted along with the Judges Application/ Test form to the Judges Chairperson to receive full judge's credentials. Four pulls must be apprenticed at and a current certified IWPA chief judge of each pull must fill out this form.

I certify that _____ served in a satisfactory manner as an apprentice judge.
(Print the apprentice's name)

Name of Pull _____ Weight classes judged _____

Date of Pull _____ Where there any rule violations or disqualifications at this event, if so list violation or disqualification _____

Printed name and phone number of Chief Judge

Chief Judge Signature



I certify that _____ served in a satisfactory manner as an apprentice judge.
(Print the apprentice's name)

Name of Pull _____ Weight classes judged _____

Date of Pull _____ Where there any rule violations or disqualifications at this event, if so list violation or disqualification _____

Printed name and phone number of Chief Judge

Chief Judge Signature



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