THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY

AWARDS COMMITTEE REPORT

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The Official 2006 AIS Ballot was prepared and placed in USPS by March 1, 2006. 627 Ballots were mailed to eligible voting judges (357 Garden, 229 Master/Active, 41 Emeritus) and 63 voided Ballots to Apprentice judges. Due to an egregious error in preparing the data base for HM bearded irises, 16 cultivars were inadvertently omitted from the Official 2006 AIS Ballot. A new Ballot was prepared and mailed to eligible voting judges but not to Apprentices.

E. Roy Epperson Awards Chair, 2006