

Update to Penalty & Disqualification Clause for Australian Golden Faced:

AUSTRALIAN GOLDEN FACED (Previously Australian Yellow Faced Blue)

The Standard will be as for all varieties in the blue series including grey and shall conform in every respect except in the following detail:

GENERAL BODY COLOUR:	As for the corresponding non-goldenfaced series colour with minimal intrusion of yellow affecting the purity of the Primary Colour
MASK:	Deep buttercup yellow extending over the frontal and crown with minimal intrusion into the undulations at the back of the head.
MARKINGS:	On cheeks, back of head, neck and wings a minimal flush of yellow visible in the otherwise white areas at the edge of the markings
TAIL FEATHERS:	Buttercup yellow overlay on the otherwise white areas of the secondary tail feathers

Note 1: Australian Golden Faced Blue must display the prescribed blue or grey body colours. Dark factor forms can proportionately mask the intrusion of yellow but body colour in birds with no dark factor can appear **sea green or grey green - these are to be disqualified (refer Disqualification clauses)**

Note 2: Where Australian Golden Faced Blue is combined with any variety which displays white ground colour then **minimal** spillage of yellow from the mask is acceptable to the extent described for the Normal Golden Faced Blue. Varieties with reduced or no melanin are to be penalised (refer Penalty clauses) for colour in proportion to the degree of yellow body suffusion.

Variety

Disqualification

Colour:

- Golden Faced Blue in all variety combinations that display sea green or grey green body colour rather than visual shades of blue or grey.

Penalty

Departure from varietal features as set out in *The Standard*

- Yellow Face colours and variety combinations that display white ground colour are to be penalised if the spillage of yellow from the mask to the body is more than minimal. The greater the spillage colour deviates from the normal the greater the penalty.

Golden Faced Blue in all variety combinations where spillage of yellow from the mask to the body is more than minimal, affecting the quality of the blue or grey colour as seen in the Blue Series. The greater the yellow suffusion the greater the penalty.