

RULE CHANGES EFFECTIVE W 1<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2019

Rule no.	Details	Rationale
CT & HT rule 2.4	To read: Any form of protective skin covering on the horse such as plaster/tape/belly band covering or towel, whether the skin is broken or not, is strictly forbidden at an event when the horse is under saddle during training, warm-up and competition and will entail elimination.	To provide clarity as to whether belly bands etc are allowed.
CT & HT rule 20.1	Add to table of penalties 'Breaking a frangible obstacle/device - 11 penalties'	For cross country courses that are shared with EA competitions, certain jumps may have frangible devices installed. While HRCav does not have requirements that frangible devices must be installed on particular fences, they are not excluded from use, and a penalty must be incurred if the Technical Delegate is convinced that the frangible was deployed as a consequence of a combination hitting the obstacle.
Event rule 24.6.1	Amend to read: In show jumping events which have preliminary rounds/phases, competitors who fail to jump clear in the preliminary rounds/phases will be ineligible for performance points. The exception to this is a competition in which penalty points are accumulated. In this instance, competitors must go clear in either the preliminary or subsequent round to be eligible for performance points.	Change to allocation of performance points for classes with more than one round. To ensure that the competitor who wins the class, can gain points rather than an anomaly where they do not gain performance points but the second placed competitor does. A clear round in a preliminary round whether this is the first or second round, should be entitled to performance points.
CT & HT Rules	<p>Amend 45.2 to read</p> <p><b>45. TECHNICAL DELEGATE QUALIFICATION PROCESS</b></p> <p>45.2. Training Program.</p> <p>a) (i) Trainees must attend at least 2 Cross Country Course Building Seminars conducted by the HRCav, EA or PCAV within the last two years</p> <p>OR</p> <p>(ii) Have extensive experience building and/ or designing courses for HRCav, EA or PCAV competitions, and be able to provide documentary evidence to that effect;</p> <p>OR</p> <p>(iii) Provide evidence of status of being an official HRCav cross country course accreditor.</p> <p>b) (i) Trainees must spend a minimum of 12 months assisting official technical delegates at a minimum of 6 different venues, HRCav, EA or PCAV. Trainees will be expected to compile an accreditation log book (see Appendix 8), with each accreditation attended signed by the officiating technical delegate.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>(ii) Have extensive experience as a technical delegate for EA or PCAV competitions, and be able to provide documentary evidence to that effect</p>	Fast track process for Technical Delegates

	<p>OR</p> <p>(iii) Provide evidence as to extensive experience within HRCVA as an official across numerous disciplines to the approval of the Jumping Sub Committee.</p> <p>In the situation of 45.2 (b)(ii) or (iii), the candidate may be required (at the discretion of the Jumping Sub Committee) to shadow an HRCVA Technical Delegate at an official HRCVA Horse Trials competition.</p> <p>c) All trainees are required to submit to the HRCVA Office on completion of their practical training phase, the following documentation.</p> <p>i. evidence satisfying criteria 45.2 a) ii. evidence satisfying criteria 45.2 b)</p>													
SJ rules	<p><b>Change to Competition in Two phases</b></p> <p>Existing:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="357 633 1002 940"> <thead> <tr> <th>First Phase</th> <th>Second phase</th> <th>Placing</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>55.5.6 Table A Not against the clock Min 5 max 7 obstacles in first phase (Super 2-Phase)</td> <td>Table A Against the clock Remaining obstacles (Total min 11 max 13 obstacles over both phases)</td> <td>According to aggregate penalties in both phases (faults at obstacles and exceeding time allowed in both phases) and, if necessary, according to time of the second phase</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Proposed</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="357 994 1011 1247"> <thead> <tr> <th>First Phase</th> <th>Second phase</th> <th>Placing</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>55.5.6 Table A Not against the clock Min 5 max 7 obstacles in first phase</td> <td>Table A Against the clock Remaining obstacles (Total min 11 max 13 obstacles over both phases)</td> <td>According to penalties in the first phase (faults at obstacles and exceeding time allowed) and, if necessary, according to penalties and time of the second phase</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	First Phase	Second phase	Placing	55.5.6 Table A Not against the clock Min 5 max 7 obstacles in first phase (Super 2-Phase)	Table A Against the clock Remaining obstacles (Total min 11 max 13 obstacles over both phases)	According to aggregate penalties in both phases (faults at obstacles and exceeding time allowed in both phases) and, if necessary, according to time of the second phase	First Phase	Second phase	Placing	55.5.6 Table A Not against the clock Min 5 max 7 obstacles in first phase	Table A Against the clock Remaining obstacles (Total min 11 max 13 obstacles over both phases)	According to penalties in the first phase (faults at obstacles and exceeding time allowed) and, if necessary, according to penalties and time of the second phase	To allow competitors to finish the course, however riders from the first phase who ride clear are placed ahead of riders who incur penalties in the first phase.
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Dressage rule 35.3.10	35.3.10 first dot point – amend to read 60% rather than 55%	Amendment to fast track criteria for Dressage Judges												