

## **ANNEX VI CSI REQUIREMENTS FOR EUROPE AND NORTH AMERICA - (CSIO REQUIREMENTS WORLDWIDE)**

<b>CSI/CSIO REQUIREMENTS FOR EUROPE (CSIO REQUIREMENTS WORLDWIDE)</b>					
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Prize Money (CHF) (worldwide) For amounts in other currencies see the prize money currency chart published on the Organisers page of the FEI website.	No restrictions	1*: Max CHF 49'999 2*: CHF 50'000 – 149'999	CHF 150'000 – 249'999	CHF 250'000 – 499'999	CHF 500'000 and up
		Prize money cannot be cumulated from multiple Events at same venue on same date to establish star level. Events at same venue over several weekends are considered separate CSIs. For these Events, the star level of the Event will be determined by the combined prize money of maximum 12 Competitions per Event, instead of the overall prize money per Event. CSI-5* maximum duration 5 days. For CSIYH Events, the following applies with regard to calculation of prize money to determine star level: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For stand-alone Events (e.g. CSI5* or CSIO3*) where only Athletes entered for the CSI or CSIO may participate in the YH Competitions, the prize money for the CSIYH is included in the overall amount to establish the star level of the Event;</li> <li>• For stand-alone Events (e.g. CSI5* or CSIO3*) where additional Athletes are invited to participate in the YH Competitions, the prize money for the CSIYH is not included in the overall amount to establish the star level of the Event;</li> <li>• For multiple Events held concurrently at the same venue, (e.g. CSI2*/CSIYJ-A/CSIAm-A/CSI5*) the prize money for the CSIYH does not count in the overall amount to determine the star level for any one of the Events.</li> </ul>			
Prize Money Distribution	The announced prize money for each Competition must be distributed among the first 12 placed Athletes, regardless of the number of starters, according to one of the two charts attached as Annex II. The OC must state in the Schedule which of these two charts will be used. Additional created prizes for the 13 <sup>th</sup> placed to the last placed Athlete, to fulfil the quota of one prize per four starters, must be provided by the OC and the amount of each of these prizes must be stated in the Schedule. The additional prize money does not alter the star level of the Event or the Longines Rankings group of the Competition concerned.				
Combined CSIs / CSIOs (worldwide)	n/a	CSIs: Each level is considered a separate CSI. Horses entered in one CSI star level may not change to another CSI star level during the same Event. A CSI-1* or a CSI-2* may be held together with a CSIO. OCs organising such Events must have 2 arenas; one for the CSI and one for the CSIO. The CSIO horses may not take part in the CSI.			
Max. height of Obstacles (worldwide)	Cat. A: 1.40m Cat. B: 1.25m	CSI1*: 1.40m CSI2*: 1.45m; Upon request FEI may grant dispensation to height restrictions.	According to rules	According to rules	According to rules
FEI Horse passport (worldwide)	Required for Cat. A	Not required for home horses	Required	Required	Required
Maximum entry fee per horse* <b>VAT included</b>	€ 1500.-	CSI € 350 CSIO € 500	CSI € 410 CSIO € 500	CSI € 410 CSIO € 500	CSI-5* No entry fee CSI-5*W: (WEL) € 410.- CSIO € 500

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No starting fee No nomination fee	Applies to all categories				
Bedding – <u>Straw</u>	1 <sup>st</sup> bedding free	CSI: 1 <sup>st</sup> bedding free CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: 1 <sup>st</sup> bedding free CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: 1 <sup>st</sup> bedding free CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: All bedding free CSIO: All bedding free
Maximum manure disposal fee	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse
		For Events at same venue over consecutive weekends ("Tours") max. € 40 per horse may be charged for the first Event of the Tour and max. € 20 per horse may be charged for each subsequent Event.			
Max. N° of starters per competition	<p>Maximum 100 starters per Competition other than the GP (see below). If more than 100 starters are entered, the OC must split the class and provide the equivalent amount of prize money for the additional Competition. OCs may apply either of the following methods for splitting the Competition:</p> <p>The competition is split into two groups before it starts. There may be a different number of starters in each group. There may be athletes with multiple horses in each group but all horses of any one athlete must be in the same group.</p> <p>or</p> <p>The competition is run as one single competition and split afterward into two groups and the classification established as follows: the athlete with the best score is the winner of the first group, the athlete with the second best score is the winner of the second group and so on until prizes have been allocated to 25% of the total number of starters. <i>NB: In this case separate results must be sent to the FEI for each of the two groups, e.g. results for Competition 1a and for Competition 1b.</i></p> <p>In both cases above each group must offer the same amount of prize money as indicated for the original Competition.</p>				
Max. N° of starters in Grand Prix	100	CSI + CSIO: 100	CSI + CSIO: 60	CSI + CSIO: 50	CSI + CSIO: 50
Min N° of competitions counting for Longines Rankings points (CSIOs <u>worldwide</u> )	n/a	CSI1*: 0 CSIO1*: min. 1 CSI2*/CSIO2*: min. 1	CSI/CSIO: min. 2	CSI/CSIO: min. 3	CSI/CSIO: min. 4
Meals for Grooms	At own expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: All meals at OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: All meals at OC expense	CSI: At OC expense (b/fast + 1 meal) CSIO: All meals at OC expense	CSI: At OC expense (b/fast + 1 meal) CSIO: All meals at OC expense
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Accommodation for Athletes	At own expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At OC expense for Grand Prix athletes; Hotel min. 3* standard for athletes in GP CSIO: At OC expense Hotel min. 3* standard	CSI + CSIO: At OC expense; Hotel minimum 3* standard for all athletes
Footing ( <u>worldwide</u> )	According to minimum standard				
Stabling ( <u>worldwide</u> )	According to minimum standard Boxes minimum 3m x 3m (min. 9m <sup>2</sup> ) + 20% boxes min. 12m <sup>2</sup> for larger horses				
Border crossing expenses	CSI n/a CSIO According to FEI General Regulations & Jumping Rules				

NB for new CSI5\* Events (worldwide): OCs without proven experience at organising FEI high level Events must first successfully organise a CSI4\* at the same venue before permission to host a CSI5\* will be granted. Prize money for the new CSI5\* must be secured by a deadline established by the FEI prior to the Event. Permission to host a new CSI5\* without first organising a CSI4\* at the same venue may be granted, upon application from the NF of the OC, to OCs with proven experience at organising FEI high level Events. For new CSI5\* Events, and/or for new OCs of existing CSI5\* Events, the FEI reserves the right to appoint a Technical Delegate to visit the venue prior to the Event, at the OC's expense, to ensure the organisation and infrastructure meet the technical standards for a CSI5\* before the Event will be accepted in the calendar. At the discretion of the Jumping Committee the same may apply to new CSI4\* Events. CSI5\* Events may not clash with the FEI World Cup™ Final; CSI5\* Events may not clash with any FEI World Cup™ Western European League Event unless the Organising Committees involved are in agreement.

The FEI reserves the right to appoint a Technical Delegate to visit the venue of CSIs held consecutively over several weekends at the same venue ("Tours") prior to the start of the first Event, at the OC's expense, to ensure that the infrastructure and organisation meet the required standard to cope with the large number of Athletes and horses invited to these Events.

Height restrictions for CSI1\* and CSI2\* Events: In countries hosting numerous CSI3\* and higher level Events exemptions for the maximum height of obstacles at CSI1\* and CSI2\* Events will only be granted for sporting reasons, not for prize money reasons. If NFs need an exemption in order to provide their Athletes with the opportunity to obtain Certificates of Capability, an exemption will be granted, but if NFs that regularly host CSIs of 3\* level and higher wish to organise Competitions at a height greater than 1.45m without offering minimum 3\* prize money an exemption will not be granted.

\*- Max entry fee for Young Horses € 250.- per horse for all categories. Maximum entry fee for Young Rider, Junior and Pony Events € 350.- per horse.

Following the right to be heard, a warning may be issued by the FEI to organisers not respecting the above requirements and their names may be published indicating such non-compliance. Further infringements by an organiser may result in the Event being deleted from the FEI calendar.

WEL = Western European League; b/fast = breakfast; max. = maximum; min. = minimum; n/a = not applicable



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Max. height of Obstacles (worldwide)	As per rules for Amateur Owners	CSI1*: 1.40m CSI2*: 1.45m; Upon request FEI may grant dispensation to height restrictions.	According to rules	According to rules	According to rules
FEI Horse passport (worldwide)	Required for Cat. A	Required for all horses	Required	Required	Required
Maximum entry fee per horse <b>VAT incl. (stabling included)</b>	€ 1500.-	CSI: 4% of total PM CSIO: max € 500	CSI: 3% of total PM CSIO: max € 500	CSI: 2% of total PM CSIO: max € 500	CSI: 1% of total PM CSIO: max € 500
Starting fee Nomination fee	A Nomination Fee and a starting fee may be charged.				

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Bedding – Shavings	CSI: All bedding will be charged CSIO: n/a	CSI: All bedding will be charged CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: All bedding will be charged CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: All bedding will be charged CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: \$50 per horse credit, then will be charged CSIO: All bedding free
Maximum disposal fee manure	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse
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Border crossing expenses		CSI: n/a CSIO: According to FEI General Regulations & Jumping Rules			
Invitation System		CSI: Open to all, as specified in the approved Schedule CSIO: as per Jumping Rules Art. 249.3			

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