1. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT

**Venue** :

**Dates** :  **NF:**

**Indoor:** **[ ]**

**CAI-W (Leg)** [ ]

**CAI-W Final** [ ]

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS
* FEI Statutes, 24th edition, effective 19 November 2019
* FEI General Regulations, 24th edition, 1st January 2020
* FEI Veterinary Regulations, 14th edition, effective 1st January 2018, updates effective 1st January 2020
* **FEI Driving Rules, 11th edition, effective 1st January 2014, updates effective 1st January 2020**
* **The FEI World CupTM Driving Rules – Season 2020/2021**
* Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 2nd Edition, changes effective 1st January 2020
* FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), based upon the 2015 WADA Code, effective 1st January 2015
* The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic, effective as of 1 July 2020 and until further notice
* All subsequent published revisions, the provisions of which will take precedence.

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Approved by the FEI, Lausanne, on

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Manuel Bandeira de Mello

FEI Director Endurance & Driving

Given the current Covid-19 situation, please note that the FEI’s approval of a Schedule should not be taken as an absolute guarantee that the Event will definitely go ahead. The decision whether the Event can take place must be made by the OC and NF in close consultation with the applicable domestic government and public health authorities. It is the responsibility of each Participant to check the status of the Event prior to planning his/her travel to the Event.

**NB: No modifications to the approved Schedule will be accepted less than two weeks prior to the event.**

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1. THE FEI CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE WELFARE OF THE HORSE

The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) expects all those involved in international equestrian sport to adhere to the FEI’s Code of Conduct and to acknowledge and accept that at all times the welfare of the horse must be paramount and must never be subordinated to competitive or commercial influences.

1. At all stages during the preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery and tack, and transportation.
2. Horses and Athletes must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids.
3. Events must not prejudice horse welfare. This involves paying careful attention to the competition areas, ground surfaces, weather conditions, stabling, site safety and fitness of the horse for onward travel after the event.
4. Every effort must be made to ensure that horses receive proper attention after they have competed and that they are treated humanely when their competition careers are over. This covers proper veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia and retirement.
5. The FEI urges all involved with the sport to attain the highest levels of education in their areas of expertise.

The Long version of this Code can be obtained from the Fédération Equestre Internationale, HM King Hussein I Building, Chemin de la Joliette 8, 1006 Lausanne, Switzerland. Telephone: +41 21 310 47 47. The Code is available in English. The Code is also available on the FEI’s website: <http://inside.fei.org/>.

1. GENERAL INFORMATION
2. ORGANISER

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Fax:

Email:

Website:

Contact Details Show Ground:

Address:

Telephone:

GPS Coordinates:

Accessibility details (directions by road, nearest airport / train station):

1. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Honorary President:

President of the Event:

Show Secretary:

Press Officer:

1. EVENT DIRECTOR

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Mobile:

Fax:

Email:

1. OFFICIALS

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| **Ref.** | **Panel**  | **Function** | **FEI ID** | **Name** | **NF** | **Level** | **Email/mobile** |
| **1** | **Ground Jury** | Ground Jury President\* |  |  |  |  | \* |
| Ground Jury Member\* |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ground Jury Member |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ground Jury Member |  |  |  |  |  |
| **2** | **Foreign Judge** | Foreign Judge |  |  |  |  | \* |
| **3** | **Technical Delegate** | Technical Delegate\* |  |  |  |  |  |
| **4** | **Assistant Technical Delegate** | Assistant Technical Delegate |  |  |  |  |  |
| **5** | **Course Designer** | Course Designer\* |  |  |  |  | \* |
| **6** | **Assistant Course Designer** | Assistant Course Designer |  |  |  |  |  |
| **7** | **Appeal Committee** | Appeal Committee President |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Appeal Committee Member |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Appeal Committee Member |  |  |  |  |  |
| **8** | **Chief Steward** | Chief Steward\* |  |  |  |  | \* |
| **9** | **Assistant Stewards** | Assistant Steward |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | Assistant Steward |  |  |  |  |  |
| Assistant Steward |  |  |  |  |  |
| Assistant Steward |  |  |  |  |  |
| **10** | **FEI Veterinary Delegate** | FEI Veterinary Delegate |  |  |  |  | \* |
|  | **FEI Veterinary Delegate or Veterinary Commission** | Veterinary Commission President |  |  |  |  |  |
| Assistant FEI Delegate |  |  |  |  |  |
| Assistant FEI Delegate |  |  |  |  |  |
| **11** | **Veterinary Service Manager (VSM) Treating Veterinarian****(VR Art 1010)** | Veterinary Service Manager |  |  |  |  | \* |
| FEI Permitted Treating Veterinarian |  |  |  |  | \* |
| **12** | **Medical Doctor** |  |  |  |  |  | \* |
| **13** | **Farrier** |  |  |  |  |  | \* |
| **14** | **NF Delegate** | NF Delegate (if applicable) |  |  |  |  |  |

* **Compulsory**

**Please select the FEI Officials from the list provided by the FEI for FEI Driving World CupTM (available in the FEI Driving World CupTM Rules)**

1. INVITATIONS
2. GENERAL

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Number of qualified drivers |       |
| Number of Wild Cards that may be allocated |       |
| Number of horses per driver |       |

**Competitors are invited by the Organizing Committee through their NF**

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| Square for OC to include details if necessary      |

1. ENTRIES

**IMPORTANT**

* Entries must be made through the FEI Entry System for all categories of this event (<https://entry.fei.org>)
* Additional documentation can be found at:
 <http://www.fei.org/fei/your-role/nfs/entry-system-driving>
* All Athletes and Horses participating in any International competition must be registered with the FEI.
* Athletes and/or Horses present at the Event without having been entered through the FEI’s Online Entry System will automatically be disqualified unless compelling circumstances warrant otherwise.
1. ENTRY DATES AND FEES

**Deadlines for Entries**

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| **Definite entries:** |       |
| **Last date for substitutions**: (one hour prior the Horse Inspection)*Entries have to be in accordance with article 946.1.1 of the Driving rules and 116 of the General regulations* | Date :      Time:       |

**LIST OF COMPULSORY FEES:**

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| * **Entry Fee per Turnout**
 |  |
| Four-in-hand |  |
| * **Stabling fee per horse/pony**
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| **VAT:** |  |
|  |  |
| **Total fee per Turnout:** | (total amount) |

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| * **EADCMP Fee:**
 | [ ]  Included in entry fee |
|  | [ ]  Not included in entry fee |
| *Lower Level Events (CIMs) CHF 18 for Driving per turnout per event**(For definition of CIMs see Appendix E of the FEI General Regulations)* *Higher Level Events CHF 25 for Driving per turnout per event**(All other events not defined as CIMs)*  |

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| Details entry procedure fee / Payment: |       |
| Square for OCs to include details if necessary      |

1. **OTHER FEES/CHARGES BY ORGANISING COMMITTEE:**

All other fees must be listed hereunder with the details of the amounts to be charged and approved by the FEI. Only fees approved by the FEI and listed in the approved schedule can be charged by the OC.

Electricity for boxes (upon request):

Manure disposal (maximum € 40 per horse per Event):

Health/customs-related documents for Horses if applicable:

Hay:

Straw:

Shavings:

Other (please specify):

Lorry/Caravan:

Power supply: provided by the OC [ ]  Not provided by the OC [ ]  Price:

Water supply: provided by the OC [ ]  Not provided by the OC [ ]  Price:

Sanitary facilities: provided by the OC [ ]  Not provided by the OC [ ]  Price:

Catering facilities: provided by the OC [ ]  Not provided by the OC [ ]  Price:

**All aforementioned amounts are including VAT**

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| VAT number of the Organiser | To be completed by the OCs      |

1. NO-SHOWS/LATE WITHDRAWALS:

**NB**: In the case of withdrawals after the date of definite entries or no-shows the athlete or the respective NF will be held liable to reimburse the OC for the actual financial loss incurred by the OC (i.e. stabling and hotel expenses) as a result of the late withdrawal or no-show.

**Refund procedure:**

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| To be completed by the OCs      |

1. TIMETABLE

(to be provided per category/level if multiple events)

 Day Date Time

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1. Opening of stables
 |       |       |       |
| 1. 1st Horse Inspection: *All horses taking part at this event must be present during the first horse inspection, unless unable to do so due to “force majeure”*
 |       |       |       |
| 1. Declaration of Starters
 |       |       |       |
| 1. Draw (location)
 |       |       |       |
| 1. FEI Driving World CupTM Competition 1
 |       |       |       |
| 1. FEI Driving World CupTM Competition 2
 |       |       |       |

1. COMPETITION DETAIL

**International Competitions must not start before 8:00 and should not finish after 23:00 unless otherwise approved by the FEI.**

1. PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE

**FIRST DAY: DATE :**

 **TIME :**

COMPETITION 1 – FEI Driving World CupTM

**Time Obstacle Competition (1 round)**

**Opening Competition World Cup**

Competition 1: acc. to Art. 971.2

Equipment: acc. to Art. 940

Obstacles: see Art. 4 (FEI Driving World CupTM Rules – season 2020/2021)

[ ]  **Qualifier/Leg acc. to Art. 5.2** of the FEI Driving World CupTM Rules – season 2020/2021

Starting order: draw, in presence of Athletes

 Athletes with a Wild Card are required to start first in order

Format: [ ]  Competition with a Drive Off open to all Drivers

 [ ]  Competition with a Drive Off open to the best three Drivers

[ ]  **Final acc. to Art. 6.1** of the FEI Driving World CupTM Rules – season 2020/2021

Starting order: An Athlete with a Wild Card is required to start first in order, then the starting order is in reverse order of standings after Phase 1 (Legs).

Format: [ ]  Competition in one round subject to Rule 3.7 will be run in reverse order of the standings after Phase 1 (Legs)

50% of the score differential between each Athlete and the leading Athlete from Competition 1 (converted into seconds) will be carried forward by that Athlete into Competition 2.

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**SECOND DAY: DATE :**

 **TIME :**

COMPETITION 2 - FEI Driving World CupTM

Competition 2: acc. to Art. 971.2 of the FEI Driving Rules

Equipment: acc. to Art. 940 of the FEI Driving Rules

Obstacles: see Art. 4 (FEI Driving World CupTM Rules – season 2020/2021)

[ ]  **Qualifier/Leg acc. to Art. 5.3** of the FEI Driving World CupTM Rules – season 2020/2021

Round 1: 1st round according to the reverse order of standings after Competition 1.

Drive Off: Drive Off open to the top three Athletes after the Round 1.

 [ ]  1. The Time of the Drive off will be added to the time of the first round.

 [ ]  2. The Drive-Off 2 will start from zero

**[ ]  Final acc to Art. 6.3** of the FEI Driving World CupTM Rules – season 2020/2021

Round 1: 1st round according to the reverse order of standings after Competition 1.

Drive Off: Drive Off in reverse order of standings (acc. to WC 6.3) after the first round for top three Drivers. Scores from Competition 2 will be carried forward by the top 3 Athletes into the Drive Off.

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1. PRIZE MONEY

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| **TOTAL PRIZE MONEY** | **EUR** | **CHF** |
|  |  |

**Breakdown of prize money - FEI Driving World CupTM** **Competition 1**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **PRIZE MONEY** | **EUR** | **CHF** |
|  |  |  |
| **1st place** | **2nd place** | **3rd place** | **4th place** | **5th place** | **6th place** | **7th place** | **8th place** |
|       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |

**Breakdown of prize money – FEI Driving World CupTM** **Competition 2**

|  |  |  |
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| **PRIZE MONEY** | **EUR** | **CHF** |
|  |  |  |
| **1st place** | **2nd place** | **3rd place** | **4th place** | **5th place** | **6th place** | **7th place** | **8th place** |
|       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |

**GENERAL CLASSIFICATION AT THE END OF THE COMPETITIONS**

Leading athlete award – (Prize description and value)

Best foreign athlete - (Prize description and value)

Best home athlete – (Prize description and value)

Team awards – (Prize description and value)

**PRIZE - CLASSIFICATION**

The value of the 1st prize must not exceed 1/3 of the total prize money distributed for the competition. The minimum number of prizes offered for each competition must be allocated on the basis of one prize for every commenced four Athletes, with a minimum of five prizes.

**Applicable government tax to be deducted from Prize Money:      %**

**DEDUCTIONS FROM PRIZE MONEY AT COMPETITIONS:**

**Full details of any deductions from prize money must be outlined in the schedule. This includes government taxes. If it is necessary for Organisers to deduct such taxes, they must provide participants with an official form indicating the amount of tax deducted.**

**The tax form must be provided to the athletes upon arrival and returned to the Organiser prior to departing.**

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| Space for organiser to include details if necessary |

**IMPORTANT**

**The total amount of prize money shown for each Competition in the schedule must be distributed. (FEI General Regulations articles 127 and 128)**

1. FACILITIES OFFERED
2. ATHLETES

 **Accommodation**

Hotel:

Address:

Telephone:

At the expense of: The Organiser [ ]  or Athletes [ ]

Accommodated (bed and breakfast) from       to

**Meals**

At the expense of: The Organiser [ ]  or Athletes [ ]

Meals provided from       to       . Where

1. GROOMS

 **Accommodation**

Requests for accommodation must be sent with entries.

Accommodation will be at the cost of: Organiser [ ]  Athletes [ ]

from       to      .

**Meals**

At the expense of: The Organiser [ ]  or Athletes [ ]

Meals provided from       to       . Where

**NB**. If applicable, Organiser must provide proper sanitary conditions The showering facilities should be sufficient for both male and female grooms with hot and cold water. Shower facilities as well as restrooms should at all times be in a state of cleanliness.

1. LOGISTICAL/ADMINISTRATIVE/TECHNICAL CONDITIONS
2. COMPETITION ARENA

Length:       m Width:       m

1. PRATICE ARENA

Length:       m Width:       m

1. STABLES

Size of boxes       m x       m

**(minimum 3m x 3m+20% 3m x 4m)**

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| Space for organiser to include details if necessary |

1. TIMING DEVICE

Name of Manufacturer:

Model:

FEI Report number:

1. SCORING/TIMING PROVIDER

Name of the Company:

Name contact person:

Contact email:

The FEI may require to be provided with real time results data feed of your events according to FEI requirements; in this case you and your provider will be informed accordingly.

1. PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

The owner(s) of the winning horse(s)/pony(ies) is/are invited to the prize giving ceremony:

Yes [ ]  No [ ]

The number of athletes required to present themselves for the prize-giving ceremony of each competition is      .

1. ADVERTISING ON ATHLETES AND HORSES

Advertising in Marathon Competition: The competitors are: [ ]  authorised [ ]  not authorised (please indicate) by the OC to display the logo of their personal sponsor on the marathon carriage and on the back(s) of the groom(s) in accordance with GR and Art. 941.2.

The Chief Steward will check that the advertising on athletes and horses complies with these Articles.

1. TICKETING

Are you selling ticket for spectator to attend your event: Yes [ ]  No [ ]

Name of your ticketing provider:

Web address to buy ticket:

1. BETTING

Betting will be authorised by the Organiser: Yes [ ]  No [ ]

1. TRANSPORT REIMBURSMENT HORSES/PONIES

Transport expenses to be paid by:

The Organiser [ ]  at       per km.

The Athlete [ ]

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| Space for organiser to include details if necessary |

1. WELCOME

The time and date of arrival of athletes, horses and their means of transport must be given to the Organiser in order to facilitate their arrival.

1. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION - ARRANGEMENTS FROM HOTEL TO SHOW GROUNDS

Walking distance [ ]

Organiser Shuttle Service [ ]
Public Transport [ ]  to be paid by the Organiser [ ]  / the Athlete [ ]
If paid by Athlete approximate cost per round trip:
Other:

1. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS/ACCREDITED PERSONS

**Entry right to the stable area according to FEI Veterinary Regulations**

**Art. 1023 VI.**

NUMBER OF ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athlete:

Partner:

Groom:

Horse Owner:

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| Square for OC to include additional details if necessary      |

Four grooms per driver for Four-in-Hands in CAI-W

1. LORRY / CARAVAN FACILITIES

Lorry or caravan can be parked close to the stables: Yes [ ]  No [ ]

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| Square for OC to include additional details if necessary      |

1. SUSTAINABILITY

“Please consider the environment when organising an FEI Event. Please find useful information on FEI Sustainability here:” <http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/handbook>

1. VETERINARY MATTERS
2. CUSTOMS FORMALITIES

Contact details for Customs Formalities:

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Fax:

Email:

Opening hours:

1. HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

**GENERAL**

In accordance with the FEI Code of Conduct for the welfare of the horse it is imperative that all Horses at FEI Events are physically fit and free from infectious disease before being allowed to compete.

**ENTRY OF HORSES**

Required health tests and vaccinations

Quarantine period:

Specimen Import Licence applied:

For questions or problems, please contact your Government Veterinary Services.

1. NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

If applicable please provide:

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| Space for organiser to include details if necessary |

1. PONIES

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter IV:

For all Pony Events, Ponies must be available for Pony Measurement if requested by the FEI.

1. INJURY SURVEILLANCE

FEI Veterinary Regulations, articles 1036, 1039 and 1040:

Horses participating in FEI Events are subject to injury surveillance protocols; and in the event of fatality, a post mortem examination.

1. TRANSPORT OF HORSES

Horses must be fit to travel and be transported in suitable vehicles. Any government requirements for disease testing and control must be requested well in advance, to ensure that the horse is in compliance by the time of arrival at the border of the country where the Event is taking place. Athletes, or their representatives, have the responsibility to comply with national legislation in both their country of origin and the host nation of the Event. Where necessary athletes must contact local government authorities or veterinary advisors for information regarding animal health requirements and transport legislation. Within the European Union (EU), this includes EU Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 concerning the protection of animals during transport within the Member States of the EU

1. VENUE ARRIVAL INFORMATION & FITNESS TO COMPETE
	1. PASSPORTS. FEI General Regulations Article 137

**For all issues relating to FEI Horse Passports/FEI Recognition Cards please contact your National Federation**

All Horses competing at FEI Events must be registered with the FEI.

FEI Passports or FEI Recognition Cards (for those Horses with a national passport approved by the FEI) are compulsory for FEI Events.

Athletes who do not present a Horse’s Passport and/or Recognition Card, or one that is not correctly validated, or fail to meet other passportrequirements will be **subject to Sanctions in accordance with Annex II of the Veterinary Regulations** and may not be allowed to compete.

**NB** for Horses permanently resident in a Member State of the European Union: all Horses must have a national EU passport in compliance with EU Regulations to which a FEI Recognition card is applied. The exception to this being Horses in possession of an FEI passport which has been continually revalidated without interruption.

* 1. VACCINATIONS - EQUINE INFLUENZA. FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1028

Horses competing at FEI Events must comply with the requirements for Equine Influenza vaccination in accordance with the Veterinary Regulations and as summarised below.

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| **VACCINATION** | **PROTOCOL** | **ELIGIBILITY TO ENTER VENUE** |
| **Primary Course** | 1st Vaccination: day 02nd Vaccination: day 21-92 | May compete 7 days after the 2nd Vaccination  |
| **First Booster** | Within 7 months of the 2nd vaccination of the Primary Course | May compete for 6 months +21 days after the 2nd vaccination of the Primary CourseMust not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination |
| **Boosters** | **MINIMUM:** within one year of previous booster vaccination**IF COMPETING:** must be in the 6 months +21 days ofthe booster previous vaccination | Must have been vaccinated within 6 months +21 days before arriving at the EventMust not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination |

All FEI registered Horses intending to compete at FEI Events (including CIMs) must be vaccinated against Equine Influenza in accordance with these VRs. The exception being if the applicable domestic legislation prevents the use of Equine Influenza vaccines within the relevant territory.

* 1. **EXAMINATION ON ARRIVAL. FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1032**

On arrival at an Event venue all Horses must undergo an examination by a veterinarian to confirm their identification from their passport and micro-chip ID (where present), their vaccination status and general health. To protect all horses attending events, any Horse with a questionable health status concerning vaccination, disease or other concerns, must be stabled within the isolation facilities provided by the Organising Committee pending a decision on entering the venue.

**7.4 HORSE INSPECTIONS. FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1033, Table 2**

All Horses will be assessed for their fitness to compete during the Horse Inspection. Any Horse demonstrating questionable fitness may be referred to the Holding Box for further veterinary examination. Horses not deemed fit to compete by the Inspection Panel will not be permitted to compete.

**7.5 LIMB SENSITIVITY EXAMINATION. FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1034**

All Horses are subject to examination under the protocol for abnormal limb sensitivity throughout the period of an Event, including, but not limited to, between rounds and before the Jump Off. Horses may be examined once or on multiple occasions during the Period of an Event.

Horses may be selected for examination under the protocol randomly or they may be targeted. All Horses selected to be tested must submit promptly to the examination or are subject to immediate disqualification. There is no obligation to examine any specific number of Horses at an Event.

1. EQUINE ANTI-DOPING AND CONTROLLED MEDICATION PROGRAMME

**(EADCMP). FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter VI**

**8.1. SAMPLING. FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS ARTICLES 1057 AND 1058**

All horses competing at FEI Events may be subject to sampling for the presence of FEI Equine Prohibited Substances in accordance with the FEI Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMRs). Horses may be selected for sampling in accordance with obligatory testing, targeted or random sampling procedures. Refer to Chapter VI, paragraph 3 for details of fees relating to Equine and Human Anti-Doping program (EADCMP), which OCs/NFs have the right to charge to the athlete (applicable for all FEI events worldwide).

* 1. **ELECTIVE TESTING. FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS ARTICLE 1056**

Elective Testing may be carried out prior to an Event to check for the presence of prohibited substances. Please refer to <http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/veterinarians> for information and details.

1. HUMAN ANTI-DOPING

Athletes can be tested at any FEI Event, by the FEI or by other Anti-Doping Organisations with Testing jurisdiction. Organisers will have the responsibility to provide facilities and staff/volunteers to facilitate such Testing if requested by the FEI as outlined in article 22.3 of the FEIs’ Anti-doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA)

The ADRHA rules are published on the FEI’s website at <http://inside.fei.org/content/anti-doping-rules>

1. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
2. **The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic**

The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic (“Policy”) <https://inside.fei.org/fei/covid-19/return-to-play/policy-tools> is mandatory and applies for any FEI Event taking place **as of 1 July 2020**. The Policy has been developed based on currently accepted best practices by the WHO and US Center for Disease Control (CDC) and will be continually reviewed and updated as more information becomes available. It is not intended to replace the applicable guidance and policies from domestic government and health authorities, but to supplement their recommendations with sport specific considerations.

The OC shall submit the risk assessment and mitigation plan (including name and contact details of the person in charge) to the FEI as an annex to the Event Schedule, **at the latest ten (10) working days before the event’s deadline for Definite Entries**.

Events for which the FEI has not received the documented risk assessment and mitigation measures plan in accordance with article 2.1.g) of the Policy **will be removed from the FEI calendar** in accordance with Article 112.3 of the FEI General Regulations.

**ASSUMPTION OF RISK / WAIVER OF LIABILITY**

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Event and related activities, all Participants (as defined in the Policy) acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. Participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not limited to COVID-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist; and,
2. The Participants knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the OC or others, and assume full responsibility for their participation; and,
3. The Participants willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation as regards protection against infectious diseases. If, however, a Participant observes any unusual or significant hazard during his/her presence or participation, the Participant will remove himself/herself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. The Participants, for themselves and on behalf of their heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE OC AND THE FEI, their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event (“RELEASEES”), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL ILLNESS, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

The Participants confirm to have read this release of liability and assumption of risk agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that they have given up substantial rights.

1. **INSURANCES AND NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

Equestrian sports involve inherent dangerous risks. To the greatest extent permitted by law, the FEI and the FEI Event Organiser shall NOT be liable for any damages relating to loss of property or injury of any kind to Athletes, Owners, Support Personnel or Horses at or in connection with an FEI Event and the FEI expressly excludes all such liability.

* 1. **ATHLETES, OWNERS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL**
		1. **Personal Accident and Health Insurance**

It is your responsibility as an Athlete/Owner/ Support Personnel to ensure that you have adequate personal accident insurance in place to cover your participation at FEI Events and in particular to insure against any personal injury or medical expenses arising from an accident, injury or illness which may occur at a FEI Event.

You should check with your National Federation to confirm if your National Federation’s insurance policy (if any) covers personal accidents and/or illnesses which may occur when you are attending/participating in FEI Events.

If your National Federation does not have a personal accident/health insurance policy or if the National Federation’s insurance policy does not cover personal accident or health claims, then you should obtain your own personal accident and health insurance policy to cover your attendance/participation at FEI Events.

* + 1. **Personal Property Insurance**

You should also ensure that you are insured against property loss, theft or damage which may occur at an FEI Event.

Again, the advice is to check with your National Federation to confirm if they have an insurance policy in place which would cover you in case of such property loss, theft or damage. If not, then you should obtain your own personal property insurance to cover such situations.

* + 1. **Press Equipment**

Press equipment and other items left in the Press workroom, Press lockers, the Press Tribune or anywhere on the showgrounds are left entirely at the owner’s risk. The Organising Committee does not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to such equipment or items. Members of the Press are advised not to leave any equipment or personal items unattended.

* 1. **ATHLETES AND OWNERS**
		1. **Third Party Liability Insurance**

As an Athlete/Owner you are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses. You are, therefore, strongly advised to take out third-party liability insurance providing full coverage in relation to FEI Events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.

The FEI and the Organiser will NOT be responsible for any damage caused to third parties by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses.

* + 1. **Additional Liability Information**

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| Space for organiser to include reference to National Laws when necessary |

* + 1. **Horse Insurance**

As an Owner you should ensure that your Horses are adequately insured against any injuries or illnesses they may sustain while participating at a FEI Event.

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| Space for organiser to include reference to National Laws when necessary |

1. **PROTESTS/APPEALS**

To be valid, all Protests and Appeals must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of CHF 150.- or equivalent.

Protest and appeal forms are available on the FEI website.

Protests: <http://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Protest%20Form.pdf>

Appeals: <http://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Appeal%20Form.pdf>

1. **DISPUTES**

In the event of any discussion concerning the interpretation of the schedule (in translated languages), the English version will be decisive.

1. **MODIFICATION TO SCHEDULE**

 In exceptional circumstances, together with the approval of Chefs d'Equipe, host NF delegate, if any, and Ground Jury, the Organiser may change the schedule in order to clarify any matter arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances. Any such changes must be notified to all athletes and officials as soon as possible and they must be reported to the FEI Secretary General by the Foreign Judge.

1. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE ORGANISER**

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| Space for organiser to include reference to National Laws when necessary* National Rules
* Dogs
* Vehicles
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**Minimum Age Limitation for Athletes and Grooms – Article 912:**

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| **Senior Classes** | **Athlete Minimum Age** |
| Horses Four-in-Hand | 18 years |
| **Grooms** | **Minimum Age** |
| All Classes | Athletes under the age of 18 years must be accompanied by a groom(s) of 18 years or older.Athletes of 18 years and above must be accompanied by a groom(s) of 14 years or older. |

**Minimum Age Limitation for Horses – Article 929:**

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| **Horses** | **Minimum Age** |
| CAI2\* and above | 6 years old or over |

1. ANNEXES
2. **FEI Entry System**

Please fill the form below in order to provide you and the other members of your committee or your IT Providers access to the FEI Entry System.

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| **FEI ID1:**      Name\*:      First Name\*:      E-Mail\*:      Access Rights\*: [ ]  Admin2 [ ]  Consult3**Events4:**       |
| **FEI ID1:**      Name\*:      First Name\*:      E-Mail\*:      Access Rights\*: [ ]  Admin2 [ ]  Consult3**Events4:**       |
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| 1 If already have an FEI user account.2 Provides you the required access to manage entries and substitutions and download entries/lists.3 You are just able to consult and download the entries/lists.4 Leave the field blank if the user deals with the entries of all events in the show.**\* Mandatory Fields** |

1. RESULTS

An online results interface is available to manage Driving results <http://forms.fei.org>

All results must be submitted to the FEI via this online platform or by uploading XML results file(s) directly on FEI Database. For additional information please browse to:

[**http://www.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/driving/results-forms**](http://www.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/driving/results-forms)

In order to proceed with the results publication and for qualification purposes the FEI requires results to be uploaded within five days after the conclusion of the event.

Please note that as per Art. 109.6 (GR):Failure from OCs of International Events to provide the FEI with the appropriate result(s) and/or prize money information by the aforesaid deadline and/or in the aforesaid format shall entail a warning for the first violation and thereafter a fine of CHF 1’000.- per violation.

**All results must include FEI Passport Registration number of horses and FEI ID number of Riders.**

**THE APPENDIX IS PART OF THIS APPROVED AND SIGNED SCHEDULE AND MUST BE DISTRIBUTED TO ALL OFFICIALS AND NFs AND IS AVAILABLE TO OTHERS UPON REQUEST**