New Frangible Device development progress in HKG

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Frangible Device were implemented into HKG from 2019. Even though it was not compulsory for all CCI at that moment. From the perspective of rider safety, our Eventing competition organizer feel that the introduction of frangible device is a must.
However, due to the pandemic from early 2020, all scheduled competitions included national and international events were all cancelled. Until September this year that we gradually resumed national events.
Before this competition season start, we have installed the Frangible Device to certain number of Cross Country jumps, and included it in our national Eventing competition.
At this moment, the cross country jumps in HKG do meet the standard required by the FEI Eventing Rules (2021). In the four national Eventing competitions that have been completed, every XC course also includes a couple of jumps with Frangible Device and the device operates normally without any problem. We will keep track on it, hopefully we can share more information with all NFs while we are accumulated more data.
Reference:

- Competition photos credits to Ms. Amanda Bond and HKJC Beas River Equestrian Center

- Dates of National Eventing Competition held in HKG from September to December is as below:
  
  26\textsuperscript{th} September 2021
  
  23\textsuperscript{rd} October 2021
  
  27\textsuperscript{th} November 2021
  
  11\textsuperscript{th} December 2021
Thank you!