

## Session 10 – Tuesday, 26 April, 16:00 – 17:15

### FEI Dressage Rules

**Format:** This session will include a presentation of the main changes proposed for the FEI Dressage Rules full revision as well as the major points brought up by Stakeholders. Each topic will be presented followed by a Q&A session.

**Presenters:** Bettina de Rham, FEI Director Dressage, Para Dressage and Vaulting  
Maribel Alonso, Chair Dressage Technical Committee  
Patrik Kittel, Member Dressage Technical Committee

#### (A) Purpose of Session 10

1. **Introduction** by the Chair of the FEI Dressage Technical Committee

2. **Dressage Rules I**

- i. A revised structure of the Dressage rules, with new Chapters will be proposed.
- ii. A more progressive structure of events will be presented, which should encourage National Federations to hold competitions at every level. Each level proposed would have different sets of tests with progressive technical difficulty. The idea of a qualification system, with the aim of creating a space for progression between \*level Events will be put forward for discussion.
- iii. A review of the Amateurs definitions and requirements will be presented, as well as moving these rules to an Annex in the FEI Dressage Rules.
- iv. A brief overview of the FEI Equipment Experts Working group procedures and future outcomes will be presented by the FEI Legal Director.

3. **Dressage Rules II**

- i. A summary of the main proposals received from NFs will be outlined and open to review and discussion.

4. **Q&A**