

Rule Change Type	Effective Date	Draft Received	Board Action
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### Rule Change Intent

At Federation licensed competitions, a large amount of Veterinarian and Stewards' time is spent on measurement. Many horses competing in the large Junior Hunter sections are well over 16.0 hands; the owners/trainers/riders understand these animals are not contenders for the small Junior Hunter sections, but are required to follow protocol and obtain measurement cards for any horse competing in a Junior Hunter section, class or division. Requiring a measurement card for only the small Junior Hunter divisions would reduce redundancy for USEF staff, and allow Stewards and Veterinarians more time for other duties required at Licensed Competitions.

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2. All horses showing in the **small** Junior Hunter Section at Regular Competitions must have a Federation measurement card.

a. A large Junior Hunter is over 16 hands, **or any horse without a Federation measurement card, regardless of size.**

b. A small Junior Hunter is 16.0 hands and under **with a Federation measurement card.**

c. **Any Junior Hunter measuring from one section to another will not maintain points from prior section.**