

Rule Change Type	Effective Date	Draft Received	Board Action
FEI Rule Change	9/1/2024	2/16/2024	

Rule Change Intent

To make USEF rules for visually impaired riders reflect current FEI rules.

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Linked Rules Comments

Committee Actions

DR310 Athletes who are Blind or Have Visual Impairment, Commanders (Readers) and Callers (Living Letters).

6. Callers (Living Letters) may only call the name of the letter(s). Only the lead caller (who may also Command (Read) where approved) may be in the center of the arena. All other Callers must be positioned outside the arena, and may move from one marker to another, provided they do not obscure the judge's line of vision. There shall be no more than ~~thirteen (13) Callers, in a 20 x 60 meter arena and nine (9) Callers in a 20 x 40 meter arena~~ **four (4) Human Callers placed around the arena and one (1) Caller at X**, but Athletes with visual impairment are encouraged to use as few Callers as possible. **Electronic callers can be placed at every letter.** The Caller at C may be exchanged for a beacon or beeper which is to be provided by the Athlete.