

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

This rule change proposal would involve removing the charts located in subchapter *EV6 Rules For Officials* and replacing them with more detailed text that specifically list out the required Licensed Officials at National Horse Trials and National Three-Day Events. The Eventing and Licensed Officials Departments have been receiving a number of questions from competition organizers in regard to the charts and felt this change was necessary to prevent any accidental Rule Violations and ensure that the properly licensed officials are in attendance at events.

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Linked Rules	Comments
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Committee Actions
Council - Intl Discipline
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Council - Member Services
Draft 1: Recommends Approval 04/27/2021
Eventing
Licensed Officials
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1. **The following officials are required at National Horse Trials. A President of the Ground Jury is required for each level of competition. The below listed officials are the minimum required. Higher level licensed officials may serve in the roles listed.**
2. **Beginner Novice, Novice and Training**
 - a. **Ground Jury:** The ground jury must include at least one Federation licensed 'r' Eventing judge.
 - b. **Additional Judges:** Additional judges for the dressage phase must be Federation licensed Eventing or Dressage judges. Additional judges for the show jumping phase must be Federation licensed Eventing judges, Jumper judges, or Eventing Technical Delegates.
 - c. **Technical Delegate:** The technical delegate must be a Federation licensed 'r' Eventing Technical Delegate.
 - d. **Cross Country Course Designer:** The cross country course designer must be a Federation licensed Certified Cross Country Course Designer.
 - e. **Show Jumping Course Designer:** Not applicable
3. **Modified and Preliminary**
 - a. **Ground Jury:** The ground jury must include at least one Federation licensed 'r' Eventing judge.
 - b. **Additional Judges:** Additional judges for the dressage phase must be Federation licensed Eventing or Dressage judges. Additional judges for the show jumping phase must be Federation licensed Eventing judges, Jumper judges, or Eventing Technical Delegates.
 - c. **Technical Delegate:** The technical delegate must be a Federation licensed 'r' Technical Delegate.
 - d. **Cross Country Course Designer:** The cross country course designer must be a Federation licensed 'r' Eventing Course Designer.
 - e. **Show Jumping Course Designer:** Not applicable
4. **Intermediate**
 - a. **Ground Jury:** The ground jury must include at least one Federation licensed 'R' Eventing judge.
 - b. **Additional Judges:** Additional judges for the dressage phase must be Federation licensed 'R' Eventing, 'S' Eventing, or 'r', 'R', or 'S' Dressage judges. Additional judges for the show jumping phase must be Federation licensed Eventing judges, Jumper judges, or Eventing Technical Delegates.
 - c. **Technical Delegate:** The technical delegate must be a Federation licensed 'R' or 'S' Eventing Technical Delegate.
 - d. **Cross Country Course Designer:** The cross country course designer must be a Federation licensed 'R' or 'S' Eventing Course Designer.
 - e. **Show Jumping Course Designer:** Not applicable
5. **Advanced**
 - a. **Ground Jury:** The ground jury must include at least one Federation licensed 'S' Eventing judge.
 - b. **Additional Judges:** If applicable, additional judges for the dressage phase must be Federation licensed 'S' Eventing or 'R' or 'S' Dressage judges. Additional judges for the show jumping phase may be Federation licensed Eventing judges, Jumper judges, or Eventing Technical Delegates.
 - c. **Technical Delegate:** The technical delegate must be a Federation licensed 'S' Eventing Technical Delegate.
 - d. **Cross Country Course Designer:** The cross country course designer must be a Federation licensed 'S' Eventing Course Designer.
 - e. **Show Jumping Course Designer:** The show jumping course designer must be a Federation licensed 'R' Eventing Jumping Course Designer, Jumper Course Designer, or FEI Jumping Course Designer.

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1. **The following officials are required at National Three-Day Events. A President of the Ground Jury is required for each level of competition. The below listed officials are the minimum required. Higher level licensed officials may serve in the roles listed.**

2. **Ground Jury:** *The ground jury must include at least two Federation licensed officials.*
 - a. *If the Ground Jury consists of one Federation licensed 'r' Eventing judge, then the President of the Ground Jury or the technical delegate must be a Federation licensed 'R' or 'S' judge or TD.*
3. **Technical Delegate:** *The technical delegate must be a Federation licensed 'r' or higher Eventing Technical Delegate*
 - a. *If the technical delegate is a Federation licensed 'r' Eventing technical delegate, then the President of the Ground Jury must be a Federation licensed 'R' or 'S' Eventing judge.*
4. **Cross Country Course Designer:** *The cross country course designer must be a Federation licensed 'r' or higher Eventing Course Designer.*