

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

Incorporate some, not all the FEI boot rules for classes that will be included in the Rolex/USEF Ranking List. For example, only permit Velcro, stud type, or hook type fasteners and not those that can crank or be pulled back on themselves. This would be implemented in the same way as the boot rules for 5, 6, and 7 year old classes where any boot in question can be checked.

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Linked Rules

Comments

Committee Actions

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5. The total maximum weight of equipment allowed to be added to a Horse's leg, front or hind (single or multiple boots, fetlock rings, etc.), is 500 grams or 17.637 ounces (shoe excluded). Failure to comply with this paragraph will incur disqualification. ~~See JP117.2 for Classes Restricted by Age of Horse.~~

a. See JP 117.2 for Classes Restricted by Age of Horse.

b. For classes to be included in the USEF Ranking List, the following will also apply to hind boots. Fasteners may only be Velcro, stud type, or hook type. No mechanism that allows the fastener to double back on itself or any kind of leverage to be applied to the fastener is permitted. No additional elements may be added to or inserted in the boot itself. The inside of the boot must be non-abrasive and smooth, that is, the surface must be even and there may not be any pressure points on the inside of the boot. Sheepskin linings are allowed.

JP151 Classes Offering \$25,000 or more in prize money

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7. Tack and Equipment. Only running martingales, used in the conventional manner, are permitted. Standing martingales, draw reins or restricted running martingales are prohibited. ***See JP 111.5.b for Boot Rules in Ranking List classes.***