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Rule Change Intent

The committee would like to add the requested language to ensure that the Connemara Dressage horse/rider combinations are in compliance with DR120 and DR121 when warming up or in Dressage areas of the competition. The language will also specify that a Dressage warmup ring may be within a shared larger ring but this can only occur when the Dressage warmup section is clearly marked as to keep it separate. This will aid competitions which may be limited on warmup space to combine areas while still complying with the Dressage chapter rules.

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SUBCHAPTER CO-3 PERFORMANCE CLASSES

CO112 Dressage Section

- 1. The rules of the Dressage Division shall apply to all Connemara and Halfbred Connemara Dressage classes.
- 2. Adults may show ponies in a Connemara class unless the class specifications state otherwise. (See also GR825.1)
- 3. Stallions may be shown in all performance classes. Stallions may be shown in Ladies and Children classes unless the prize list stipulates otherwise.
- 4. When cross entry by rider or horse/rider combination is permitted between Connemara Dressage and other Connemara and/or Halfbred Connemara classes at a competition, DR120 and DR121 apply only to the designated Dressage warmup and competition areas. A Dressage warmup area may be within a shared ring with other class types if there is a physical barrier, such as cones, to designate the separation.
- **5.** 4. When the Dressage chapter is referenced herein, any rule or portion of a rule that is in direct reference to USEF/USDF or USEF National Championships shall be disregarded for the purpose of breed Dressage classes.