

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

Individuals acting as coaches and trainers at Federation licensed competitions must designate themselves as serving in that capacity by signing as coach/trainer on Federation entry blanks. Further, under GR202, individuals acting as coaches and trainers must be Senior Active Members in good standing. This requirement applies at licensed competitions. This rule change aligns the language of Local competitions with that covering other competitions.

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| Linked Rules | Comments |
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Committee Actions

GR310 Restrictions on Local Competitions

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3. The Federation and applicable Federation Recognized Affiliate Association non-member/ShowPass fees will not apply. **Exception: Any individual acting as a Trainer or Coach must be a Senior Active Member of the Federation in good standing. See GR202.**

[...]

7. Lite. Beginning December 1, 2022, Lite Competitions are a subtype of Local Licenses and are to be conducted in accordance with the General Chapters and applicable breed/discipline Chapter, except as stated otherwise below (Exception: Open Dressage classes are not permitted to be held at Lite Competitions):

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3. Safe Sport Requirements

a. Any individual ~~signing acting as a an entry blank as~~ Trainer or Coach, must have completed the ~~Safe Sport~~ **SafeSport** Training prior to the first day of competition.

b. **The** Competition Manager(s), Secretary, and any **other** person acting in the role of a licensed official are bound by all requirements of the USEF Safe Sport Policy, **including the SafeSport Training.**