

April 7, 2021

Ms. Alina Brazzil, USEF Director of Licensed Officials and Education US Equestrian Federation 4001 Wing Commander Way Lexington, KY 40511

Dear Ms. Brazzil:

Thank you for submitting a request for a Presidential Modification to the application of GR1034.4 and GR1034.5 on behalf of the USEF Licensed Officials Committee. A Presidential Modification is granted in cases of substantial, extraordinary circumstances. When measured against that criterion, it has been determined that your request meets the standard for a Presidential Modification and is, therefore, approved.

As a result of this modification, any competitions that took place prior to December 1, 2021 will not count for the purposes of GR1034.4 and GR1034.5 and will be modified as outlined below.

In effect 2022-2024:

GR1034.4. Except in Hawaii, no Steward may officiate for more than three consecutive years at the same competition or at more than three consecutive competitions run by the same Licensee. When three or more Stewards are officiating, one Steward will not be subject to these restrictions and will be eligible to serve as Steward for a fourth consecutive competition run by the same Licensee.

In effect for 2022 and 2023:

GR1034.5. Except in Hawaii, no Technical Delegate may officiate for more than two consecutive years at the same competition or at more than two consecutive competitions run by the same Licensee. In Alaska, no dressage Technical Delegate may officiate more than three consecutive years at the same competition, but are not otherwise is restricted from officiating at consecutive competitions run by the same Licensee. For the purposes of this rule, multiple, consecutive day Dressage Competitions held within a six-day period will be counted as one competition, if they are run by the same Licensee.

Sincerely,

Thomas F. X. O'Mara

President

cc: William J. Moroney, USEF CEO

