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Rule Change Intent

Effective Sept 1, 2026. This is what happens now when the last competitor is the only one to go clear therefore no need for a jump-off but spelling it out makes it abundantly clear.

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Linked Rules

Comments

Member Comments

JP146 TABLE II—Classes scored on Faults and Time

3. Time first jump-off

b. Table II, Sec. 2 (b)—The first round and first jump-off, if any, are decided by adding together the faults incurred over the course and any penalties for exceeding the Time Allowed. If a competitor has gone clear in the first round, the competitor will, without leaving the ring, upon an audible signal, commence the designated jump-off course. A competitor with a clear round may dismount, and with assistance if necessary, adjust tack and/or equipment; however, upon the audible signal to begin their round, the competitor is responsible to adhering to the 45 seconds rule as per JP137.3. In case of a fall of a Rider and/or Horse after crossing the finish line of the first round, the Rider/Horse combination may not continue to the jump-off, and will be placed according to their Score in the first round. A competitor who leaves the arena after a clear round (before or after the tone) will be considered to have withdrawn from the jump-off (exception JP138.1). If there are no clear rounds and a tie exists for first place, the results will be determined by the scores and time from that round. ***If the final competitor is the only one to complete the round without penalty, there is no jump-off.*** It is recommended that no more than twelve numbered obstacles be included in the first round when the class is scored under this table.