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AUSTRALIAN HARNESS RACING RULES

Summary Of All
National Rules Amendments Since November 1999

NATIONAL RULES
Adoption of Australian Harness Racing Council's National Rules and Regulations as from 1st September 1999. (AHRC 99015-021, 16th March 1999).

DICTIONARY

Definition of "Anabolic Androgenic Steroid Clearing Certificate"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 1 May 2014)

Definition of "Agricultural Show"
Repeal Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)

Definition of "Approved Instrument"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2001/058 30 April 2001)
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 14 September 2010)
Repeal Definition (HRA approved 1 June 2022)

Definition of "Approved method"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Definition of "Artificial breeding"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Definition of "Australian Bred"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Definition of "Australian Racing Board"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
Delete Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Definition of "Australian Trotting Stud Book"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Definition of "Bet" or "Betting"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

Definition of "Breeder"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Definition of "Breeding Season"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 17 August 2020)

Definition of "Connections"
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
Definition of "Controlling Body"
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 September 2017)

Definition of "Co-owner"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Definition of "Disqualification"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)

Definition of "Driver"
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Definition of "Drug of Abuse"
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 1 March 2012)
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 13 October 2014)
Repeal Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Definition of "Foal Died"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Definition of "Foreign horse"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Definition of "Interest"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)

Definition of "Keeper of the Stud Book"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Definition of "Legal Practitioner"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)

Definition of "Live Foal"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Definition of "Log Book"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
Amend Definition (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)

Definition of "Manager"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Definition of "Meeting"
Amend Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)

Definition of "Microchip"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 September 2017)

Definition of "Offence Provision"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Definition of "One Clear Day"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
Definition of "Owner"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Definition of "Place"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2007027 30 March 2007)

Definition of "Race"
Amend Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2003/021 8 April 2003)

Definition of "Race day" or "day of the race"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

Definition of "Racing Year"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 12 May 2020)

Definition of "Recognised harness racing authority"
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Definition of Registered" or "Registration"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Definition of "Registered Training Establishment"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 October 2012)

Definition of "Registrar"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Definition of "Registration Certificate"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Definition of "Reprimand"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)

Definition of "Rules" or "these Rules"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Definition of "Sample"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Definition of "Standardbred"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Definition of "Start"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 12 October 2009)

Definition of "Stud Book Regulations" or "SBR"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Definition of "Suffering"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2005/015 11 March 2005)

Definition of "Suspension"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)

Definition of "Therapeutic Substances"
Add Dictionary Definition (AHRC 2002/031 26 July 2002)
Amend Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 14 December 2018)

Definition of "Veterinarian" or "registered veterinarian"
Add Dictionary Definition (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Definition of "Training Track"
Add Dictionary Definition of "Training Track" (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)

Definition of "Warned Off"
Amend both Dictionary Definition & Rule 259 (1). (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)

Notes: (2)
Amend (2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

1. CLUBS

Registration of Clubs and Other Bodies
- Repeal Rule 3(1), (2), (3), (4), (5) (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)
- Repeal Rule 3A(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6) (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)
- Delete Form R3-A

Qualifying/Requalifying Supervisors
- Amend Rule 6(1) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 6(5)(a) (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)

Offences and Other Related Matters
- Repeal Rule 11(1), (2), (3), (4) (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)

2. STEWARDS

Appointment

- Amend Rule 14(2) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Powers

- Renumber existing Rule 15 as Rule 15(1) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend Rule 15(1)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new sub-rule 15(1)(af) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Amend Rule 15(1)(d) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 15(1)(k) (HRA approved 1 July 2015)
- Amend Rule 15(1)(p) (HRA approved 1 July 2015)
- Amend Rule 15(1)(t) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Add new sub-rule 15(2) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend Rule 15(2) (HRA approved 12 October 2009)
- Add new Rule 15A(1)(a) – (h) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 15A(1)(d) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 15A(1)(g)(ii) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 15A(1)(g)(iii) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 15A(1)(g)(v) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 15A(1)(g)(vi) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 15A(i) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 15A(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 15A(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 15B(1)(a), (b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 15B(1)(a) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 15B(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 16 (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)

Entry Upon Land

- Repeal heading (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 15A(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Presence of Stewards at meetings

- Amend Rule 18 (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

3. MEETINGS AND RACES

Nominations and Acceptances

- Amend Rule 23(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 23(6) (AHRC 99236 29 October 1999)
- Repeal Rule 23(11) (AHRC 99361-362 29 October 1999)
- Amend Rule 23(13) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Add new rule 23(14) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 23B (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Stable Returns

- Amend Rule 25(1) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)

- Amend Rule 25(1) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 25(1)(a) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 25(1)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 25(1)(b) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 25(1)(b) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 25(1)(b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 25(2) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 25(2) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 25(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Add new Rule 25(5) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Amend Rule 25(5) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Renumber Rule 25(5) to 25(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Renumber Rule 25(4) to 25(5) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 25A(1) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Repeal Rule 25A(2) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Repeal Rule 25A(3) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)

Change of Horse Location – Trainer Obligations

- New heading (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 25B(1)(a), (b), (c) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 25B(2)(a), (b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 25B(3)(a)(i), (ii) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 25B(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 25B(5)(a), (b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Change of Horse Location – Owner Obligations

- New heading (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 25C(1)(a), (b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 25C(2)(a), (b) Add new Rule 25B(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Security of horses

- Amend Rule 26(1) (HRA approved 13 October 2014)
- Amend Rule 26(1) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 26(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 26(2) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 26(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 26(4) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 26(5) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 26(6) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 26(8) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 26(9) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Unfitness To Race

- Repeal existing Rule 30 (1), (2), (3), (4) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Replace with new Rule 30 (1), (2), (3) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Amend Rule 30(1) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Amend Rule 30(3) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)

Notification of Win
- Amend Rule 33 (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)

Conditions and Restrictions
- Repeal Rule 35A(1) (HRA approved 13 May 2020)
- Repeal Rule 35A(2) (HRA approved 13 May 2020)
- Amend Rule 35A(3) (HRA approved 25 September 2020)

Appointed Times
- Amend Rule 41(1), (2) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 41(1) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Add new Rule 41(3) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 43(1). (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Repeal existing Rule 43(1), (2), (3) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Add new Rule 43(1), (2) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)

Licensed Persons Reporting Before Leaving Course
- Add new Rule 43A(1) & (2). (AHRC 2002/135 25 October 2002)

Tactics
- Repeal Rule 44(1) (HRA approved 15 May 2018)
- Repeal Rule 44(2) (HRA approved 15 May 2018)
- New sub-rule Rule 44(3) and renumber existing sub-rule Rule 44 (3) to 44 (4) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Amend Rule 44(3) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Repeal Rule 44(3) (HRA approved 15 May 2018)
- Repeal Rule 44(4) (HRA approved 15 May 2018)
- Add new Rule 44(5) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Repeal Rule 44(5) (HRA approved 15 May 2018)

Inspection
- Add new Rule 45(5) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Add new Rule 45(6) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)

Medical Matters
- Amend Rule 46 (AHRC 2006/014 31 March 2006)

Judging
- Amend Rule 49(4) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Repeal Rule 49(5) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 49(5)(a), (b) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Repeal Rule 49(6) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 49(7) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Renumber existing Rule 49(7) to 49(6) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 49(6) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Renumber existing Rule 49(8) to 49(7) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 49(7) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Renumber existing Rule 49(9) to 49(8) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)

- Amend Rule 49(8) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 49(9) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)

Recording Races
- Amend Rule 51(1) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Repeal Rule 51(2) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)

Review of Racing Performance
- Add new Rules 63(5), (6) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)

Disqualification
- Amend Rule 65 (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 66 (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Amend preamble Rule 66 (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 66(g) (AHRC 2004/245 19 November 2004)
- Add new Rule 66(h) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Add new Rule 66(i) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Claiming races
- Repeal existing Rule 75(2)(a) (AHRC 2007/020 30 March 2007)
- Add new Rule 75(2)(a) (AHRC 2007/020 30 March 2007)
- Amend Rule 75(2)(a) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Amend Rule 75(2)(d) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Amend Rule 75(2)(d) (AHRC 2001/193-194 19 October 2001)
- Add new Rule 75(2)(dd) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 75(2)(f) (AHRC 2002/135 25 October 2002)
- Amend Rule 75(2)(k) & (kk) (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Add new Rule 75(2)(kkk) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 75(2)(ll) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Add new Rule 75(2)(lll) (HRA approved 18 Octoaber 2010)
- Amend Rule 75(2)(ll) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 75(2)(m) (AHRC 2003/020 8 April 2003)
- Amend Rule 75(2)(o) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Amend Rule 75A(1) (AHRC 2004/245 19 November 2004)
- Add new sub-rule 76(6) and renumber existing sub-rule 76(6) to 76(7) (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Add new Rule 77A (AHRC 2004/136 19 March 2004)

4. LICENCES

Grant of Licenses and other Matters
- Add new sub-rule 90(3) and renumber existing sub-rules 90(3), (4), (5), (6) & (7) to 90(4), (5), (6), (7) & (8) (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Amend Rule 90(5) (a) & (b) (AHRC 2001/091 30 April 2001)
- Amend Rule 90(6) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rule 90(6) to 90(7) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 90(7) (AHRC 2002/135 25 October 2002)

- Renumber existing Rule 90(7) to 90(8) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rule 90(8) to 90(9) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Drivers Licence
- Amend Rule 90A(1.9)(a) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Amend Rule 90A(1.9)(a) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend Rule 90A(1.9)(a) (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)
- Amend Rule 90A(1.9)(a) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 90A(1.9)(a) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)

Trainers Licence
- Amend Rule 90A(2.7)(b) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Amend Rule 90A(2.8) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Add new Rule 90A(2.9)(a), (b) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Add new Rule 90A(2.10)(a)-(e) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)

Stablehands Licence
- Amend Rule 90A (3.4)(a) (HRA Executive approved, 25th August 2008)
- Amend Rule 90A (3.4)(a) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)

Offences
- Amend Rule 91(1) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend Rule 91(1) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 91(3) (AHRC 2001/193-194 19 October 2001)
- Amend Rule 91(3) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Add new sub-rule 91(4) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Repeal Rule 91(4) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Amend Rule 91(4) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)

5. HORSES

Age
- Amend Rule 92 (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 92(1) (HRA approved 13 May 2020)
- Amend Rule 92(2) (HRA approved 13 May 2020)

Eligibility for Registration and naming
See Stud Book Regulations 3 and 4
- Amend heading (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 93(1) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 93(1)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 93(1)(a) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 93(1)(b) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 93(1)(c) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 93(1)(d)(i), (ii) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 93(2) (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Repeal Rule 93(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

- Amend Rule 93(3) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 93(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 93(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 93(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new Rule 93(5) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 93(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new Rule 93(6) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 93(7) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 93(8) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 93(9) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 94(1) (HRA approved 8 September 2017)
- Amend Rule 94(1) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 94(1)(a), (b) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 94(2) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 94(3) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 94(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 94(4) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 94(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 94(5) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 94(5)(a)(i) to (xiii), (b)(i), (ii), (c), (d), (e) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 94(6) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 94(6)(a), (b), (c), (d) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 94(6)(b) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 94(6)(c) (HRA approved 9 December 2021
- Amend Rule 94(6)(d) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 94A (HRA approved 1 May 2014)
- Amend Rule 94A(1) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Naming and Registration

See Stud Book Regulations 5

- Repeal Rule 95(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new sub-rule 95(4) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Renumber existing sub-rule 95(4) as sub-rule 95(5) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend Rule 95(4) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 95(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Renumber existing sub-rule 95(5) as sub-rule 95(6) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend Rule 95(5) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 95(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 95(6) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 95(6) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new sub-rule 95(7) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Renumber existing Rule 95(7) to 95(8) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 95(7) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 95(7) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95(8) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Naming and Registration – Foreign horses

See Stud Book Regulations 6 & 7

- Add new heading (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 95A (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend preamble Rule 95A(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 95A(1)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 95A(1)(a) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 95A(1)(b) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 95A(1)(b) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 95A(1)(c) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 95A(1)(c) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(1)(d) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(1)(e) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(1)(f) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Renumber existing Rule 95A(2)(a) to 95A(1)(e) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rule 95A(2)(c) to 95A(1(d) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 95A(1)(d) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rule 95A(2)(b) to 95A(1)(f) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rules 95A(3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), (11) to 95A(2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (10) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 95A(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(6) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(7) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(8) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(9) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 95A(10) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new Rule 95AB (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 95AB(1), (2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Registration certificate

See Stud Book Regulations 8

- Repeal Rule 96(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 96(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 96(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 96(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 96(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 96(6) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Retirement and Death of a Horse

See Stud Book Regulations 11

- Repeal heading – Deregistration of a horse (HRA approved 9 October 2022)
- Add new heading – Retirement and Death of a Horse (HRA approved 9 October 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(1) & (2), (AHRC 2001/193-195 19 October 2001)
- Repeal Rule 96A(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 96A(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

- Add new Rule 96A(3) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Renumber existing 96A(3) to 96A(3)(a) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 96A(3)(a) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Repeal Rule 96A(3)(a) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(3)(b) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 96A(3)(b) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(4) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend preamble to Rule 96A(4) approved 27 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 96A(4)(a) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 96A(4)(a) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 96A(4)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 96A(4)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 96A(4)(b) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 96A(4)(b) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 96A(4)(b) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 96A(4)(b) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 96A(4)(b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(5) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 96A(5) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Repeal Rule 96A(5) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(6) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Repeal Rule 96A(6) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(7) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Repeal Rule 96A(7) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(8) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 96A(8) (HRA approved 27 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 96A(8) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(9) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 96A(9) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 96A(9) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96A(10) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Repeal Rule 96A(10) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96B (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 96B (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Repeal Rule 96B (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Horse Retired to Industry Participant

- Add new heading (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96C(1)(a), (b), (c) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96C(2)(a), (b), (c), (d) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96C(3)(a)(i), (ii), (b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96C(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Status Update for Inactive Horse

- Add new heading (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96D(1)(a), (b), (c) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96C(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

- Add new Rule 96C(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96C(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Breach of Traceability Rules
- Add new heading (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 96E(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 96E(1) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 96C(2)(a), (b), (c) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Gait Change
- Amend Rule 97(1), (2) & (3). (AHRC 2002/135 25 October 2002)
- Amend Rule 97(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 97A (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Medical & Surgical Procedures
- Add new sub-rules 98(3) & 98(4). (AHRC 2002/135 25 October 2002)
- Repeal Rule 98(1), (2), (3), (4) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Add new Rule 98(1)(a), (b), (2), (3)(a), (b), (c), (4) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Amend Rule 99(1) & (2), (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Repeal Rule 99(1), (2) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Add new Rule 99(1), (2), (3)(a), (b), (c), (4) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Add new Rule 99A (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 99A(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 99A(2) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Renumber existing 99A(3) to 99A(5) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 99A(3)(a), (b) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 99A(4) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 99A(5) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 99B(1), (2)(a), (b), (c), (3)(a), (b), (4) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 100(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 100(2) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 100(2) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 100(3) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 100A (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 100A (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 100A (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 100A(1)(a), (b) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 100A(2) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)

Bleeding Attacks
- Amend Rule 101(3) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule preamble 101(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 101(4) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Add new Rule 101B (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 101B (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 101B(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 101B(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

- Add new Rule 101BB(1) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 101BB(2) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)

Atrial Fibrillation

- New sub-heading Cardiac Arrhythmia (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Change sub-heading Cardiac Arrhythmia to Atrial Fibrillation (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Add new Rule 101C (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 101C(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 101C(2) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 101C(2)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 101C(2)(a) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 101C(2)(b) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 101C(2)(b) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 101C(2)(c) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing 101C(2)(c) to 101C(2)(e) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 101C(2)(c) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 101C(2)(d) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 101C(2)(d) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 101C(2)(e) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 101C(2)(f) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 101C(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 101C(3) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)

Pregnant Mares

- Add new Rule 103B (AHRC 2001/193-194 19 October 2001)
- Amend Rule 103B (HRA approved 7 December 2017)

Notification of disease or death

- Add new Rule 104A (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9) – Date of Effect 14 September 2007). Ratified by AHRC (AHRC 2007/119) 26th October 2007
- Amend Rule 104(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 104(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 104A(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 104A(2) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Repeal Rule 105 (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Repeal Rule 105A (HRA approved 11 December 2005)

Ownership, legal interests, leases

- Repeal Rule 109A (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 110A(1), (2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 111(2)(a), (b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 111A (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Passing of engagements and related matters

- Amend Rule 113(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Syndicates and Groups

- Amend Rule 114(2) (HRA approved 7 December 2017, date of effect 12 December 2019)

- Amend Rule 115(3) (HRA approved 7 December 2017, date of effect 12 December 2019)
- Amend Rule 115(5) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)

Relinquishment of training
- Amend Rule 119(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Temporary transfer of horse
- Add new sub heading: Temporary transfer of horse
- Under new sub-heading, add new rule 119A(1) and (2) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Repeal existing rule 119A (1), (2) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Replace with new rule 119A (1), (2), (3) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Amend Rule 119A(1), (2), (3) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Renumber existing Rule 119A(3) to 119A(4) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Amend Rule 119A(2) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 119A(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Eligibility for Nomination
- Add new sub heading: Eligibility for Nomination
- Add new Rule 119B (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Amend Rule 119B (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Location of Horse
- Add new sub-heading, and new rule 119C (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Amend Rule 119C(1) (HRA approved 13 October 2014)

Transfer from disqualified trainer
- Amend Rule 120(2) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 120(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 120(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 120(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rule 120(3) to 120(5) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rule 120(4) to 120(6) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rule 120(5) to 120(7) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 120(5) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Offences
- Amend Rule 122(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

7. STARTING

Starters
- Amend Rule 128(1) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 128(2) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Amend Rule 128(2) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Renumber Rule 128(3) to 128 (4) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Add new Rule 128(3) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 128(3) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)

- Renumber existing Rule 128(4) to 141(4) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Add new Rule 128(4) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 129 (HRA approved 10 October 2011)

Barrier Positions
- Renumber Rule 132 to 132(1) and amend (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Add new Rule 132 (2) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Amend Rule 132(1) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Add new Rule 132(3) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)

Outside Draw
- Amend Rule 134A(1) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)

Starter's Orders
- Amend Rule 135(1) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 135(5) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)

False Start
- Amend Rule 141(1) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Amend Rule 141 (HRA approved 12 October 2009)
- Amend Rule 141(1) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Renumber existing Rule 141(1) to 141(1)(a) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 141(1)(b) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 141(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 141(4) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)

Approvals
- Amend Rule 143(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

8. REQUIRED RACING STANDARD

Race to win or for best position
- Amend Rule 149(1) & (2) (AHRC 2002/135 25 October 2002)
- Add new Sub Rule 149(3) (AHRC 2002/135 25 October 2002)
- Add new sub-rules 149(4) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Amend Rule 149(4) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 149(4) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Add new sub-rules 149((5) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Amend Rule 149(5) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Add new sub-rules 149(6) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Add new sub-rules 149(7) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)

9. DRIVERS

Priorities concerning horse to be driven
- Amend Rule 152 (2) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)

- Add new Rule 152(3) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Renumber existing Rule 152(3) to 152(4) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Renumber existing Rule 152(4) to 152(5) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Renumber existing rule 152(5) to 152(6)) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Add new Rule 152A (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 152A(1), (2) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)

Pregnant Driver

- Amend Rule 153(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 153(2) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 153(3) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Repeal existing Rule 153(3) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Renumber existing Rule 153(4) as 153(3) and amend (HRA approved 21 October 2016)

Horse breaking gait

- Amend Rule 154(1) (AHRC 2005/015 11 March 2005)
- Amend Rule 154(1) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 155(1) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 155(2) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- New Rule 155A (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 155A(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 155A(2) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Repeal Rule 155A(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Whips

- Amend Rule 156(1) (HRA approved 12 October 2009, date of effect 1.01.2010)
- Amend Rule 156(1) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Amend Rule 156(1) (HRA approved 21 June 2016)
- Amend Rule 156(2)(a) (HRA approved 11 June 2020)
- Amend Rule 156(2)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 156(2)(a) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 156(2)(b) (HRA approved 11 June 2020)
- Repeal existing Rule 156(2)(b)(ii) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Renumber existing Rule 156(2)(b)(iii) to 156(2)(b)(ii) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 156(2)(c) (AHRC 2003/090 8 April 2003)
- Add new Rule 156(2)(d) (AHRC 2003/090 8 April 2003)
- Numbering of existing Rule 156(2)(d) changed to Rule 156(2)(e) (AHRC 2003/090 8 April 2003)
- Numbering of existing rule 156(2)(e) changed to Rule 156(2)(f) (AHRC 2003/090 8 April 2003)
- Repeal Rule 156(2)(e) (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)
- Add new Rule 156(2) (HRA approved 12 October 2009, date of effect 1.01.2010)
- Amend Rule 156(2) (HRA approved 1 October 2010)
- Amend Rule 156(2) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Amend Rule 156(2) (HRA approved 21 June 2018)
- Add new Rule 156(3) (AHRC 2003/090 8 April 2003)
- Renumber existing Rule 156(3) to 156(4) (HRA approved 12 October 2009, date of effect 1.01.2010))
- Renumber existing Rule 156(3) to Rule 156(4) (AHRC 2003/090 8 April 2003)
- Amend Rule 156(3) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)

- Amend Rule 156(3) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Renumber existing Rule 156(4) to 156(5) (HRA approved 12 October 2009, date of effect 1.01.2010)
- Repeal Rule 156(4)(a) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Add new Rule 156(4)(a) (previously 156(4)(f) and amended (HRA approved 13.06.2018)
- Amend Rule 156(4)(a) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Repeal Rule 156(4)(b) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Add new Rule 156(4)(b) (previously 156(4)(g) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Amend Rule 156(4))b) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 156(4)(c) and 156(4)(d) (HRA approved 12 October 2009, date of effect 1.01.2010))
- Amend Rule 156(4)(c) (HRA approved 18 March 2011)
- Amend Rule 156(4)(c) – (HRA approved 20 May 2011)
- Repeal Rule 156(4)(c) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Add new Rule 156(4)(c) (previously 156(4)(d) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Repeal Rule 156(4)(c) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 156(4)(a)-(g) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Add new Rule 156(4)(d) (HRA approved 11 June 2020)
- Add new Rule 156(4)(h) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Repeal Rule 156(4)(h) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Amend renumbered Rule 156(5) (HRA approved 12 October 2009, date of effect 1.01.2010))
- Amend Rule 156(5) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Add new Rule 156(6) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Add new Rule 156(7) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Add new Rule 156(8) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Repeal Rule 156(8) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Add new Rule 156(8) (previously 156(10) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Add new Rule 156(9) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Repeal Rule 156(9) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Add new Rule 156(10) (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)
- Renumber existing 156(10) to 156(8) (HRA approved 21.06.2018)
- Amend Rule 156A (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Amend Rule 156A (AHRC 2003/092 8 April 2003)
- Amend Rule 156A (HRA approved 12 October 2009, date of effect 1.01.2010))
- Amend Rule 156A (HRA approved 11 June 2020)
  Note: Amendment to Rule 156A parked – HRA Industry Notice 21/08/2020)
- Add new Rule 156B (HRA approved 11 December 2015, date of effect 1.05.2016)

Offences - relating to eligibility to drive

- Add new Rule 157A(1), (2) (AHRC 2004/202 19 March 2004)

Offences – relating to dress - helmets

- Add new heading – relating to dress – helmets (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 159(1), (2), (3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new heading – relating to dress – helmets (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 159A(1) (HRA approved 5 March 2010)
- Repeal Rule 159A(1)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(1)(a), (b), (c)(i), (ii) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

- Amend Rule 159A(1)(a), (b)(i), (ii) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Amend Rule 159A(1)(a) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Renumber Rule 159A(1)(c)(i), (ii) to Rule 159A(1)(b)(iii) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Amend Rule 159A(1)(b)(iii) (HRA approved 15 December 2023
- Amend Rule 159A(2) (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Repeal Rule 159A(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 159A(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(3)(a), (b), (c) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 159A(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(4)(a), (b) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 159A(5) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(5) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 159A(6) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(6) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 159A(7) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(7) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 159A(7) (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Amend Rule 159A(7) (AHRC 2002/135 25 October 2002)
- Amend Rule 159A(7) (AHRC 2004/193 19 March 2004)
- Amend Rule 159A(7) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Add new Rule 159A(8) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 159A(8) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Repeal Rule 159A(8) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(9) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 159A(9) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159A(10) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 159A(10) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Offences – relating to dress – protective vests

- Add new heading – relating to dress – protective vests (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159B(1)(a), (b), (c) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 159B(1)(a), (b)(i), (ii) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Amend Rule 159B(1)(a) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Renumber Rule 159B(1)(c) to Rule 159B(1)(b)(iii) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Amend Rule 159B(1)(b)(iii) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Add new Rule 159B(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159B(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 159B(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Offences - relating to the preliminary

- Amend Rule 160(1) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

Offences - relating to matters at the start and during the race

- Amend Rule 162(1)(l) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(m) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(r) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)

- Add Rule 162(1)(rr) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(u) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(u) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(v) (HRA approved 18 March 2011)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(v) (HRA approved 20 May 2011)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(v) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Add new Rule 162(1)(vv) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Repeal Rule 162(1)(vv) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 162(1)(vvv) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 162(1) (ww) (AHRC 2001/193-194 19 October 2001)
- Add new Rule 162(1)(www) (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(www) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Amend Rule 162(1)(www) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Repeal Rule 162(1)(www) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 162(1)(www) HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 162(1) (z) (AHRC 2001/193-194 19 October 2001)
- Amend Rule 163(1)(b) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Amend Rule 163(1) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Renumber existing Rule 163(1)(b) to 163(1)(b)(i) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 163(1)(b)(ii) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 163(1)(c) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Amend Rule 163(2) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Add new Rule 163(4) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Renumber existing Rules 163(4) to 163(5), 163(5) to 163(6) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Amend Rule 163(5) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Amend Rule 163(5) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Amend Rule 163(6) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Add new Rule 163A(1), (2) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 164A (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Amend Rule 165(1) (AHRC 2004/128 19 March 2004)

Offences – relating to matters at the start and during the race - Sprint Lanes

- Renumber existing Rule 166(2) to 166(3) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 166(2) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 166(3) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 167(1) (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Add new Sub-Rule 167(2) & (3), (AHRC 2001/193-194 19 October 2001)

Offences - relating to careless driving

- Amend Rule 168(1) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Amend Rule 168(1) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Repeal Rule 169(1) & (2) (AHRC 2001/091 30 April 2001)

Offences - relating to sulkies

- Amend Rule 170(1) (HRA approved 5 September 2015 - effective 1 November 2016)
- Amend Rule 170(1) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Amend Rule 170(1)(a) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)

- Add new Rule 170(1)(c) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Amend Rule 170(3) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Renumber existing Rule 170(3) to 170(4) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 170(4) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 170(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 170(5) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 170(5) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Offences – relating to production of licence
- Repeal Rule 172(1) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Repeal Rule 172(2) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)

Offences – relating to mobile phone use
- Add new heading (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 172(1) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 172(2) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 172(3) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

Offences – relating to betting
- Amend Rule 173(1) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Renumber existing Rule 173(3) to 173(6) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Renumber existing Rule 173(4) to 173(3) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 173(4) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Add new amended Rule 173(4) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 173(4) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Amend Rule 173(4) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 173(5) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 173(5) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Amend Rule 173(6) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)

Disqualification of Horse and Related Matters
- Amend Rule 174(1) (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)

Relating to Capacity to Drive
- Add new sub-heading (HRA approved 12 October 2009)
- Add new Rule 174A(1) and 174A(2) (HRA approved 12 October 2009)

10. OBJECTIONS AND PROTESTS

Lodgment
- Add new Rule 176(6) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 176(6) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 176(6)(b) (HRA approved 1 June 2022)
- Add new Rule 177(4) (AHRC 2003/022 8 April 2003)
- Existing Rule 177(4) changed to Rule 177(5) (AHRC 2003/022 8 April 2003)

11. INQUIRIES AND INVESTIGATIONS

Legal Representation and Other Matters

- Amend Rule 182(a) (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)

Action pending outcome

- Add new Rule 183(e) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 183A (AHRC 2005/015 11 March 2005)
- Amend Rule 183A (HRA Executive approved, 25th August 2008)

12. PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES

Determination of Prohibited Substances

- Amend Rule 188A(1)(a),(b) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 188A(1)(a) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 188A(1)(b) (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Add new Rule 188A(1)(d) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 188A(2) (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Amend Rule 188A(2) (HRA approved 1 May 2014)
- Amend Rule 188A(2) (a) (AHRC 2001/048 30 April 2001)
- Amend Rule 188A(2), (a), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g) & (h) (AHRC 2002/031 9 May & 26 July 2002)
- Repeal Rule 188A(2)(d) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 188A(2)(d) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new sub-rule 1881(2)(g)(iii) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Amend Rule 188A(2)(g) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Amend Rule 188A(2)(g)(ii) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 188A(2)(g)(iv) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new sub-rule 188A(2)(i) (AHRC 2007/027 30 March 2007)
- Add new sub-rule 188A(2)(j) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Repeal Rule 188A(2)(j) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 188A(2)(j) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new sub-rule 188A(2)(k) (HRA approved 13 October 2014)
- Amend sub-rule 188A(2)(k) (HRA approved 5 September 2016 - effective 1 November 2016)
- Amend sub-rule 188A(2)(k) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Repeal Rule 188A(2)(k) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new sub-rule 188A(3) (AHRC 2004/150 19 March 2004)
- Amend Rule 188A(3) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend Rule 188A(3) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Amend Rule 188A(3) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 188A(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Renumber Rule 188A(3) to 188A(4) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 188A(3) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new sub-rule 188A(4) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Renumber existing Rule 188A(4) to 188A(5) (HRA approved14 December 2024)
- Add new sub-rule 188A(5) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Renumber existing Rule 188A(5) to 188A(6) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 188A(6) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)

- Add new Rule 188B (HRA approved 14 December 2018)

Testing
- Add new Rule 189A (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 189A (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 189A(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 189A(1) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 189A(2)(a), (b)(i), (ii) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 189A(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Renumber existing Rule 189A(3) to 189A(4) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 189A(3) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)

Presentation free of prohibited substances
- Amend rule 190(6) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003

Out of Competition Testing
- Add new Rule 190A(1) & (2) (AHRC 2002/138 25 October 2002)
- Repeal existing Rule 190A (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Add new Rule 190A (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 190A(1) preamble (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 190A(1)(a) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 190A(2)(a) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 190A(2)(c) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 190A(2)(l) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 190A(2)(r) (HRA approved 1 May 2014)
- Renumber existing Rule 190A(2)(r) to 190A(2)(s) (HRA approved 1 May 2014)
- Amend Rule 190A(2)(s) (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Renumber existing Rule 190A(2)(s) to 190A(2)(t) (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Amend Rule 190A(2)(t) (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Amend Rule 190A(2)(t) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Renumber existing 190A(2)(t) to 190A(2)(u) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Renumber existing Rule 190A(2)(u) to 190A(2)(v) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 190A(2)(v) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 190A(2)(u) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 190A(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 190A(5) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Anabolic Steroids
- Add new heading (HRA approved 1 May 2014)
- Add new Rule 190AA (HRA approved 1 May 2014)
- Amend Rule 190AA(1) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 190AA(2)(a), (b), (c), (d) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 190AA(3) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule190AA(4) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 190AA(4)(a), (b) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 190AA(5) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 190AA(5) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)

- Renumber existing Rule 190AA(5) to (6) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Renumber existing Rule 190AA(6)(a), (b) to (7)(a), (b) and Amend (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Renumber existing Rule 190AA(7) to (8) and Amend (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Renumber existing Rule 190AA(8)(a), (b) to (9)(a), (b) and Amend (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Amend Rule 190AA(8)(a), (b) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)

Bisphosphonates

- Add new heading (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Add new Rule 190AB(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6) (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Amend Rule 190AB(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 190AB(2)(a) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 190AB(2)(b) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 190AB(2)(c) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 190AB(2)(d) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 190AB(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 190AB(5)(a) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 190AB(5)(b) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Renumber existing Rule 190AB(6) to 190AB(8) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 190AB (6) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 190AB (7) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 190AB(8) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Transfer Restrictions

- Add new Heading
- Add new Rule 190AC (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Log Book

- Numbering of existing Rule 190A(1), (2), (3) changed to Rule 190B (1), (2), (3) (AHRC 2002/138 25 October 2002)
- Amend Rule 190B(1) (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Amend Rule 190B(1) preamble (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 190B((1)(b) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 190B(1)(b)(ii) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Amend Rule 190B(2) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 190B(2) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 190B(2)(xvi) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 190B(2)(xvii) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 190B(2)(xviii) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Amend Rule 190B(3) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Renumber existing Rule 190B(3) to 190B(4) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend new updated Rule 190B(3) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Renumber existing Rule 190B(4) to 190B(6) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 190B(4) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Add new Rule 190B(5) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 190B(6) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)

Evidentiary Certificates

- Amend Rule 191(2) (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)

- Add new Rule 191A (AHRC 2001/058 30 April 2001)
- Repeal Rule 191A (HRA approved 1 June 2022)

Possession On Course
- Add new Rule 192(1)(c) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)

Stomach Tubing, Atomisers and Other Devices
- Amend Rule 193(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Renumber existing Rule 193(3) to 193(7) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Add new Rules 193(3), (4), (5), (6) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Amend Rules 193(1), (2) (HRA Executive approved, 25th August 2008)
- Amend Rules 193(1), (2) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rules 193(3), (4), (5), (7) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Renumber existing 193(7) to 193(8) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 193(5) (HRA approved 13 October 2014)
- Add new Rule 193(6) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing Rule 193(6) to 193(7) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new updated Rule 193(7) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 193(7) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Renumber existing Rule 193(7) to 193(8) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 193(8) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 193(8) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 193(8) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Renumber existing Rule 193(8) to 193(9) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 193(9) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Unregistered Substances
- Change heading from Holding of Drugs to Unregistered Substances (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 194 Amend Rules (HRA approved 2 October 2009)
- Amend Rule 194 (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 194 (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 194 (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 194 (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Amend Rule 194 (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 194 (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 194 (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 194A (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 194A (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 194A (HRA approved 14 December 2024)

Injectable product containing Cobalt Salts
- Add new Rule 194B(1), (2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new heading above Rule 194B (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Renumber existing Rule 194B(2) to 194B(3) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 194B(2) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)

Disqualification
- Add new Rule 195(A), (1), (2) & (3). (AHRC 99233, 29 October 1999)

- Amend Rule 195A(2) (AHRC 2005/085, 090 & 098 21 October 2005)

Administering Substances

- Add new Rule 196A(1), (2) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Add new Rule 196B(1), (2), (3) (HRA approved 10 June 2015)
- Amend Rule 196B(1) (HRA approved 28 September 2015)
- Amend Rule 196B(2) (HRA approved 28 September 2015)
- Repeal Rule 196B(2)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 196B(2)(b) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Renumber existing Rule 196B(2)(b) to 196B(2)(a) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Renumber existing 196B(2)(c) to 196B(2)(b) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 196B(3) (HRA approved 28 September 2015)
- Add new Rule 196B(3) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Renumber existing Rule 196B(3) to 196B(4) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Add new Rule 196C(1), (2), (3), (4) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Amend Rule 196C(3) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 196C(4) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Renumber existing Rule 196C(4) to 196C(5) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 196C(4)(d) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Repeal Rule 196C(5) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 196D (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Repeal Rule 196D(4) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 196E(1)(a), (b), (c), (d) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 196E(1) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 196E(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 196E(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)

13. PRIZEMONIES

Objections

- Amend Rule 201(2) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 201(3) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 201(4) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

14. GENERAL OFFENCES

Racecourses

- Amend Rule 202 (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 203 (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 204 (HRA approved 14 December 2018)

Information

- Amend Rule 206 (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 209 (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)

Notifications
- Amend Rule 210 (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)

Horses
- Amend Rule 211 (AHRC 2005/105 11 March 2005)
- Amend Rule 211 (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 213 (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Add new Rule 213A (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Add new Rule 213B (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Amend Rule 213B (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Repeal Rule 213B(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 213B(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 213C (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 213(C)(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 213(C)(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 216 (HRA approved 18 October 2010))
- Add new Rule 218A (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Add new Rule 218A(1)(a)(i), (ii), (b), (c), (d), (2), (3) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Amend Rule 218A(1)(c) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Renumber existing 218A(1) to 218B(1) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Renumber existing 218A(2) to 218B(2) (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Renumber existing 218B(1) to 218C(1) and Amend (HRA approved 18 July 2025
- Renumber existing 218B(2) to 218C(2) and Amend (HRA approved 18 July 2025)
- Add new Rule 218B (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 220 (HRA approved 7 December 2017)

Protective Gear
- Repeal Rule 224 (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Trainers
- Amend Rule 226 (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Association with Disqualified Persons
- Amend Rule 230 (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 230 (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Assault and interference
- Amend Rule 231(1) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Amend Rule 231(1) (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Add new Rule 231(1)(g) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Add sub-rule 231(2) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)

Illegal Betting
- Add new Sub-Rule 235A (AHRC 2004/120 19 March 2004)
- Repeal Rule 235A (AHRC 2006/090 20 October 2006)
- Add new Rule 235A(1), (2), (3), (4) (HRA approved 1 March 2012)
- Add new Rule 235A(4) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend existing Rule 235A(4) and renumber as 235A(5) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

- Renumber existing Rule 235A(5) to 235A(6) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Add new Rule 235B (HRA approved 14 December 2018)

Employment
- Amend Rule 236 (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 236 (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Registration
- Amend Rule 237 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Orders and Related Matters
- Amend Rule 238 (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Amend Rule 238 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 239 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new Rule 239A (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)

Corruption and related matters
- Amend Rule 240 (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Amend Rule 240 (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 240 (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Amend Rule 243 (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Amend Rule 245 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 246 (HRA approved 12 October 2009)
- Amend Rule 246 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Publications and Related Matters
- Amend Rule 248 (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 248 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 249 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Alcohol and Related Matters
- Repeal existing Rule 250 and replace with new Rule 250 (AHRC 2004/123 19 March 2004)
- Repeal existing Rule 250 and replace with new Rule 250 (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 250(1)(b) HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 250(2) HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 250(3) HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Repeal Rule 250(5) HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 250A (AHRC 2004/123 19 March 2004)
- Renumber existing Rule 250A as Rule 252C (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Add new Rule 250A (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Repeal existing Rule 251 and replace with new Rule 251 (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Renumber existing Rule 251 as Rule 252D (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 251 (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 251A (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 251A (HRA approved 2 May 2016)
- Amend Rule 251A (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 252 (HRA approved 1 March 2012)
- Repeal existing Rule 252 and replace with new Rule 252 (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

- Renumber existing Rule 252 as Rule 252E (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Add new Rule 252A (AHRC 2004/123 19 March 2004)
- Amend Rule 252A (HRA approved 12 October 2009)
- Add new sub-rule 252A(b) (HRA approved 12 October 2009)
- Add new sub-rule 252A(b) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Renumber existing sub-rule 252A(b) to 252A(c) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)
- Repeal existing Rule 252A and replace with new Rule 252A (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend and renumber existing Rule 252A as Rule 252F (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 252A (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 252B (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Amend Rule 252B(d) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 252B(e)(i) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 252B(e)(i) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Add new Rule 252BB (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 252BB(d) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 252BB(e)(i) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 252C (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 252D (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Repeal Rule 252E (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 252E (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 252F (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Children's Access to Stabling Areas On-Course

- Add new Rule 254A (HRA Executive approved, 25th August 2008**)**
- Amend Rule 254A (HRA approved 13 October 2014)
- Repeal Rule 254A (1), (2), (3) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)

Blood Doping

- Add new heading (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Add new Rule 254A(1), (2), (3), (4) (HRA approved 1 September 2019)
- Amend Rule 254A(2) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)

Creation of Offences

- Renumber Rule 255 to 255(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Add new Rule 255(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Possession

- Add new heading (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Add new Rule 255A (HRA approved 21 October 2016)

15. PENALTIES

Penalties

- Amend Rule 256(2)(j) (AHRC 2007/119 26 October 2007)
- Amend Rule 256(5)(a) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

16. DISQUALIFIED PERSONS

Restrictions
- Amend Rule 259(1) (AHRC 2000/116 25 August 2000)
- Amend Rule 259(1) by adding sub-rule (i) (AHRC 2004/126 19 March 2004)
- Amend Rule 259(1)(a) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 259(1)(j) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 259(k) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 259(7) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Add new Rule 259A (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Ineligibility of horse
- Amend Rule 261(2) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Sale of Horses
- Amend Rule 265(1) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 265(4) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 265(5) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)

Disqualification by Conviction
- Renumber existing Rule 267 to 267(1) and Amend Rule (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend rule 267(1) (HRA approved 1 July 2015)
- Amend Rule 267(1) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 267(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new sub-rule 267(2) (AHRC 2005/085 & 090 21 October 2005)
- Amend Rule 267(2) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)
- Amend Rule 267(2) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 267(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 267(3) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

17. EQUIPMENT & COLOURS

Application to change gear
- Amend Rule 268A(1), (2) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 268A(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Add new Rule 269 (AHRC 2002/031 9 May & 26 July 2002)
- Amend Rule 269 (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Amend Rule 269A (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Hopples
- Repeal Rule 270 (HRA approved 21 October 2016)

Colours
- Amend Rule 272(7) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 272(8) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new Rule 272B(1), (2), (3) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)

Offences – Gear Changes

- Amend Rule 273(1) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Renumber existing 273(1) to 273(1)(a) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Add new Rule 273(1)(b) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 273(2) (HRA approved 14 December 2018)
- Amend Rule 273(2) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Amend Rule 273(3) (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Amend Rule 273(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Amend Rule 273(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Add new Rule 273(4) & (5), (AHRC 2001/193-194 19 October 2001)
- Add new sub-rule 273(4) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003
- Renumber existing sub-rules 273 (4) and 273 (5) to 273 (5) and 273 (6) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Repeal Rule 273(5) (HRA approved 14 December 2024
- Renumber existing 273(6)(a), (b) to Rule 273(5)(a), (b) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Amend Rule 273(5)(b) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Add new sub-rule 273(6) (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Amend sub-rule 273(6)(a) (HRA approved 10 October 2011)
- Add new sub-rule 273(7) (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Renumber existing Rule 273(7) to 45(5) (HRA approved 21 October 2016)
- Renumber existing sub-rule 273(6) to 273(8) (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Add new Rule 273(7) (HRA approved 9 December 2022)
- Renumber existing Rule 273(7) to 273(6) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)
- Renumber existing Rule 273(8) to 273(7) (HRA approved 14 December 2024)

18. STUDS, SIRES and STUD BOOK

Registration

See Stud Book Regulations 9 and 10

- Repeal Rule 274(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274(6) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274(7) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(3)(a), (b) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(5)(a)(i), (ii), (b) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(6) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(7) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(8) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 274A(9) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Sire summary sheet and related matters

See Stud Book Regulations 13 and 14

- Repeal Rule 275(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 275(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 275(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 275(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 275(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 275(6) (HRA approved 17 August 2020)
- Repeal Rule 275(6)(a), (b)(i), (ii), (iii) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 275(7) (HRA approved 17 August 2020)
- Repeal Rule 275(7) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Renumber existing Rule 275(6) to 275(8) (HRA approved 17 August 2020)
- Renumber existing Rule 275(7) to 275(9) (HRA approved 17 August 2020)
- Repeal Rule 275(8) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 275(9) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 275A(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 275A(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 275A(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Identity Verification

See Stud Book Regulations 15

- Repeal Rule 276(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 276(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 276(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 276(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Notification of Foaling

See Stud Book Regulations 16 and 17

- Repeal Rule 277(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 277(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 277(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 277(4) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 277(5) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 277(6) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 277A(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 277A(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Bodily Samples

- Amend Rule 278(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Ineligibility to race

- Amend Rule 279 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Offences

See Stud Book Regulations 12

Repeal Rule 280(1), (2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Australian Trotting Stud Book

See Stud Book Regulations 2

Amend heading of Part 18 (HRA approved 8 November 2019)

- Add new sub-heading (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Add new Rule 280A (HRA approved 8 November 2019)
- Repeal Rule 280A(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

19. ARTIFICIAL BREEDING

Techniques and Procedures

- Amend Rule 281(d) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Renumber Rule 281 to 281(1) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Amend Rule 281(1) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)
- Add new Rule 281(2) (HRA approved 15 December 2023)

Importation of Semen

- Amend Rule 283(1) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 283(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Artificial Breeding Requirements - Transported Semen

- Amend Rule 285(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 285(3) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Repeal Rule 285A(1), (2), (3) (b), (c), (f) & (g) (AHRC 2002/031 9 May & 26 July 2002)
- Add new Rule 285A(1)(a), (b) (HRA approved 17 August 2020)
- Add new Rule 285A(2) (HRA approved 17 August 2020)
- Amend Rule 285A(3)(a) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)
- Amend Rule 285A(3)(e) (AHRC 2002/031 9 May & 26 July 2002)
- Amend Rule 285A(3)(e) (AHRC 2004/132 19 March 2004)
- Amend Rule 285A(3)(h) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Artificial Breeding Requirements - Semen Generally

- Repeal Rule 285A(9)(a) & (b), (AHRC 2001/094-095 30 April 2001)

Artificial Breeding Requirements - Embryo Transfer

- Amend Rule 285A(10) (HRA approved 13 October 2014)
- Amend Rule 285A(10)(a) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 285A(10)(b) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Repeal Rule 285A(11) (AHRC 99236 29 October 1999)
- Add new Rule 285A(11) (AHRC 99236 29 October 1999)
- Amend Rule 285A(11) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Amend Rule 285A(11) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)
- Amend Rule 285A(12) (AHRC 99236 29 October 1999)
- Amend Rule 285A(12) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)
- Add new Rule 285A(15) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Add new Rule 285A(16) (HRA approved 17 July 2026)

Sperm Sorting

- Add new Rule 286(1) & (2) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)

Notification
- Repeal Rule 286(1) & (2), (AHRC 2002/031 9 May & 26 July 2002)
- Repeal Rule 286A (AHRC 2002/031 9 May & 26 July 2002)

Verification procedures
- Amend Rule 287(2) (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Refusal to register stock
- Amend Rule 288 (HRA approved 31 August 2022)

Offences
- Amend Rule 289(1), (2) & (5) (AHRC 2002/031 26 July 2002)
- Add new sub-rule 289(9) (AHRC 2005/015 11 March 2005)

Legal Use of Unlicensed Premises
- Amend Rule 290(1), (AHRC 2002/031 26 July 2002)

20. UNPAID FORFEIT LIST

Restrictions
- add new sub-rule 295(2)
- existing sub-rules 295 (2), (3), (4), (3) repealed
- existing sub-rule 295(6) amended and renumbered as 295(3)
- existing sub-rules 295(7) and (8) renumbered as 295 (4) and (5)
- (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)

21. GENERAL MATTERS

Matters relating to recognised harness racing authorities
- Add sub-rule Rule 297(5) (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Amend rule 297(8) (AHRC 2003/142 31 October 2003)
- Renumber existing sub-rules 297(5), (6), (7) and (8) to 297(6), (7), (8) and (9). (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Add new Rule 297(9) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)
- Renumber existing Rule 297(9) to 297(10) (HRA approved 7 December 2017)

Betting
- Add new Rule 300A (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)
- Add new sub-heading "Betting" (AHRC 2004/244 & 245 19 November 2004)

Indemnity Against Claims
- Amend Rule 301 (HRA approved 18 October 2010)

Notification
- Add new Rule 307(1)(d) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)
- Renumber existing Rule 307(1)(d) to 307(1)(e) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

- Amend preamble Rule 307(1) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Add Rule 307(3) (HRA approved 12 October 2009)
- Renumber existing Rule 307(3) to Rule 308(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)
- Renumber existing Rule 307(1)(d) to 307(1)(e) (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

Service of Notices
- Renumber existing Rule 307(3) to Rule 308(3) (HRA approved 30 October 2020)

Singular and plural form
- Add new sub-rule 313(3) (HRA approved 8 October 2012)

22. MONTÉ RACING

Add Monté Racing Rules to Rules Book - Rules 315 to 334 (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

Gear
- Amend Rule 318(1), (2) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)
- Repeal Rule 318(3) (HRA approved 9 December 2021)

Horses
- Amend Rule 331 (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Licences
- Amend Rule 334(2) (HRA approved 11 December 2015)

Screening Limits for Therapeutic Substances

- Amended (HRA Approved 1 May 2020)
- Amended (HRA Approved 10 February 2023 (date of effect 1 April 2023)
- Amended (HRA Approved 22 February 2024)

Reciprocal Agreement 3

Add Clause 4.

Australian Trotting Stud Book Regulations

Definition of "Breeder"
Amend Definition (HRA Executive approved 25 August 2008)
Amend paragraph (b) (HRA approved 18 October 2010)

Definition of "Live Foal"
Add Definition (HRA approved 18 October 2010)

Definition of "Foal Died"
Add Definition (HRA approved 18 October 2010)

Definition of "Microchip"
Add Definition (HRA approved 8 September 2017)

Stud Book Regulation 4(b)
Amend Regulation 4(b) (HRA approved 8 September 2017)

Stud Book Regulation 4(d)(ii)
Amend Regulation 4(d)(ii) (HRA approved 13 October 2014)
Stud Book Regulation 6
Repealed (HRA approved 13 October 2014)

Stud Book Regulation 7
Amend Regulation (HRA approved 13 October 2014)
Stud Book Regulation 9
Repealed (HRA approved 28 October 2013)

Schedule B (Allocation of Names) - Regulation 9(b)
Amended (HRA approved 1 July 2015)

Schedule B (Allocation of Names) - Regulation 10
Amended (HRA approved 1 July 2015)

Schedule B (Allocation of Names) - Regulation 11(b), (g), (h)
Amended (HRA approved 1 July 2015)

From 8 November 2019 the Australian Trotting Stud Book Regulations are Incorporated into the Australian Harness Racing Rules as follows:

Stud Book Regulation 1
Add definitions to AHHR Dictionary:

- Artificial breeding
- Australian Trotting Stud Book
- Breeder
- Foal Died
- Foreign Horse
- Keeper of the Stud Book
- Live Foal
- Registrar

Stud Book Regulations 3, 4, 5 and relevant parts of Schedule B
Refer to Part 5 – Horses - Rules 93, 94, 94A, 95 & 95AB
Naming and registration requirements for domestic horses

Stud Book Regulations 7, 8 and relevant parts of Schedule B
Refer to Part 5 – Horses - Rule 95A
Naming and registration requirements for foreign horses

Stud Book Regulations 2, 11 and Schedule A
Refer to Part 18 – Studs, Sires and Stud Book - Rule 280A

Obligations of the Keeper of the Stud Book as they relate to contacts of the Stud Book

Stud Book Regulation 10
Refer to HRA – Horse Awards Criteria

Stud Book Regulations 6 and 9
Previously repealed or deleted / updated for Rules Book

Stud Book Regulations – Schedule C
Refer to HRA's Service Fees on national website

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Regulations 1 – 19 (1 September 2022)

Australian Trotting Stud Book Regulations
(amendments HRA approved 9 December 2022)

Interpretation
Add Definition "Australian bred"
Amend Definition "Foreign horse"

11. Retirement and Death of a Horse (heading changed)
Amend Regulation 11(3)(a), (b)
Renumber existing Regulation 11(2) to 12(1)
New Regulation 11(2)

12. Re-registration of a Retired Horse (heading changed)
Renumber existing Regulation 12 to 11(2)
Renumber existing 11(2) to 12(1)
New Regulation 12(2)(a)(i), (ii), (iii), (b), (3), (4)

Australian Trotting Stud Book Regulations
(amendments HRA approved 14 December 2024)

4. **Eligibility for Naming**
Amend Regulations 4(3), 5(b), (c)
Renumber Regulations 4(a)(viii), (ix), (x), (xi), (xii), (xiii) to 4(a)(ix), (x), (xi), (xii), (xiii), (xiv)
New Regulations 4(a)(viii), 4(a)(xv), 4(f)

9. Amend heading to **Registration of Studs**
Amend Regulation 9(1)
Renumber and Amend Regulations 9(3) to 9(2), 10(3) to 9(4), 10(5)(a)(i) to 9(5), 9(4) to 9(6), 10(4) to 9(7), 10(8) to 9(10)
Renumber Regulations 10(2) to 9(3), 10(7) to 9(9), 10(9) to 9(11), 9(6) to 9(12)
Repeal Regulation 9(8)
New Regulations 9(8), 9(13)

10. Amend heading to **Registration of Sires**
Repeal Regulations 10(1), 10(5)(b), 10(6)

Renumber Regulations 9(2) to 10(1), 9(3) to 10(2), 10(5)(a)(ii) to 10(3), 9(4) to 10(5), 9(5) to 10(6), 9(7) to 10(7)
Renumber Regulations and Amend 10(10) to 10(4)
New Regulation 10(8)

13. Sire Summary Sheet and Related Matters
Repeal Regulation 13(6)
New Regulation 13(6)(a)(i), (ii), (iii), (b), (c)(i), (i), (iii), (d), (e)

18. Fees
Amend Regulation 18(2)(b)

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(amendments HRA approved 20 February 2026, date of effect 1 September 2026)

14. Sire Forms
Renumber existing regulation 14(2) to 14(2)(a)
Amend regulation 14(2)(a)
Add new regulation 14(2)(b)

16. Notification of Foaling
Amend regulation 16(6)
Add new regulation 16(7)

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(amendments HRA approved 7 May 2026, date of effect 8 May 2026)

13. Sire Summary sheet and related matters
Renumber existing regulation 13(12) to 13(13)
Add new regulation 13(12)

14. Sire Forms
Renumber existing regulation 14(2) to 14(2)(a)
Amend regulation 14(2)(a)
Add new regulation 14(2)(b)

16. Notification of Foaling
Amend regulation 16(6)
Add new regulation 16(7)