

| Rule Change Type | Effective Date | Draft Received | Board Action |
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| Standard | 12/1/2019 | 11/20/2018 | |

Proposed Change

GR846 Accident Preparedness Plan [CHAPTER 8-G SAFETY PREPAREDNESS AND REPORTING]

GR846 Accident Preparedness Plan
[...]

2. Competition management is responsible for ensuring that all appropriate competition officials and competition staff, **including but not limited to Safety Coordinator, Medical Personnel, In-gate Starters, Licensed Officials, Announcers, Technical Coordinator, Stable Manager, Veterinarian**, are advised **provided a written copy** of the accident preparedness plan and isolation protocol for horses **prior to the commencement of duties**, and that they are distributed accordingly.

[...]

4. The Steward or Technical Delegate shall submit a copy of the accident preparedness plan and protocol **signed by the Competition Manager, Safety Coordinator, and Medical Personnel**, to the Federation along with his/her Steward or Technical Delegate report.

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Rule Change Intent

To improve rider safety in emergency situations, there is a clear need to formalize and account for communication of the Accident Preparedness Plan and to verify understanding and implementation of the APP between parties at each competition.

| Linked Rules | Comments |
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| | Web: accident preparedness plan |

Committee Actions

| Andalusian/Lusitano | |
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| Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 10/29/2018 Draft 2: No Action | Draft 1: This rule change proposal would create additional work for competition management and officials. To obtain signatures from each of the listed officials and meet the deadline for submission is a concern and would be difficult to meet. Draft 2: No Comments |
| Arabian | |
| Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 10/30/2018 Draft 2: No Action | Draft 1: Concern was raised that this was an unnecessary use of the stewards time, that it would be taking them away from other more pressing responsibilities. The committee recommended that this rule be added to the Hunter Rules rather than the General Rules. Draft 2: No Comments |
| Competition Management | |
| Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 11/08/2018 Draft 2: No Action | Draft 1: The steward or TD already has to submit this to the Federation, a signed copy is overkill. Draft 2: No Comments |
| Connemara | |
| Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 11/08/2018 Draft 2: No Action | Draft 1: Agree with the concept, but this is difficult to implement the requirements in point 4 during the given timeframe. This should be submitted with the rest of the steward or TD report. Draft 2: No Comments |
| Council - Admin & Finance | |
| Draft 1: No Action Draft 2: No Action | Draft 1: No Comments Draft 2: No Comments |

Council - Intl Discipline

Draft 1: No Action
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: No Comments
Draft 2: No Comments

Council - Natl Breed & Discipline

Draft 1: No Action
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: No Comments
Draft 2: No Comments

Friesian

Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 10/25/2018
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: Concern was raised that having an official collect signatures is an unnecessary amount of work for the show management since this information is already posted, distributed, and sent to USEF after the show.
Draft 2: No Comments

Licensed Officials

Draft 1: No Action
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: No Comments
Draft 2: No Comments

Morgan

Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 10/25/2018
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: Concern was raised that having the Accident Preparedness Plan signed by the listed personnel would create unnecessary work for the steward since the plan is already posted, distributed, and sent to USEF after the show. The committee recommended that this rule be added to the Hunter Rules rather than the General Rules.
Draft 2: No Comments

National Hunter Committee

Draft 1: No Action
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: No Comments
Draft 2: No Comments

National Show Horse

Draft 1: No Action
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: No Comments
Draft 2: No Comments

Paso Fino

Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 10/30/2018
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: Currently, competition management effectively communicates the Accident Preparedness Plan to officials. By requiring signatures and a quick submission deadline, this would create additional work for management.
Draft 2: No Comments

Safety

Draft 1: No Action
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: No Comments
Draft 2: No Comments

Shetland

Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 10/23/2018
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: Competition managers currently meet with officials and staff to discuss and review protocol. Requiring signatures on these documents would be a duplication of efforts and the timeline for submission would be difficult to adhere to.
Draft 2: No Comments

USHJA

Draft 1: No Action
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: No Comments
Draft 2: No Comments

Welsh

Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 11/08/2018
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: Approve of point 2, but adding the requirement for signatures and timeline in point 4 will increase the burden to competition management. There is also concern over how this will be regulated.
Draft 2: No Comments

Western Dressage

Draft 1: Recommends Disapproval 10/30/2018
Draft 2: No Action

Draft 1: Concern was raised that this was an unnecessary practice since the Accident Preparedness Plan is already posted and distributed at shows.
Draft 2: No Comments