



## NOTES OF THE NATIONAL SPORT COMMITTEE MEETING –11<sup>th</sup> October 2018

(Please see handbook for full rules)

- **203.2 Retiring**

A competitor who decides to retire must signal their intention to the Judge by raising their hand. It is the rider's responsibility to ensure the Judges have seen the signal to retire, retiring without clearly signalling to the judges will incur elimination.

Effective date: 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019

- **261.1 Outside Assistance**

At any time after the signal to start has been given any outside assistance to a competitor by voice, signs, electronic, training device or remote assistance, except as listed below, whether solicited or not, whether from outside or inside the arena, which in the opinion of the Judge might improve the competitor's performance, incurs elimination at the Judge's discretion.

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- **262 Interference**

Where multiple riders have been allowed in the arena during competition. Any rider that in the opinion of the judges, whether intentionally or unintentionally are considered to have interfered, impeded or aided the competitive rider, he/she will be eliminated at the judge's discretion.

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- **34.6.5 Officials Deployment**

1. British Showjumping reserves the right to appoint a Chair Of Judges, Lead Official, Judge's Panel and or Course Designer to any show at their discretion and it will be considered a condition of affiliation to agree to the acceptance of the British Showjumping appointed Officials.

The duties of the of the British Showjumping Appointed Officials are to assist and advise the show Organiser/Organising committee on all aspects of Showjumping, to ensure that all aspects of the event are run in accordance with the rules of the Association, to act as adjudicator on formal objections, in accordance to Rule 198.5 and to submit a show report to British Showjumping in a timely fashion. British Showjumping appointed Officials will have overall authority at the appointed affiliated event.

2. Expenses for British Showjumping appointed Officials - The Show Organiser shall meet the travelling, accommodation and meals Expenses of all Officials as follows:

- Reimbursement of Travel Costs - Mileage @0.40ppm
- Meals - Two proper meals a day (in addition to breakfast) must be provided to all Officials during the period of the Event, (Plus 1 day (build day), for Course Designers and Builders).
- Accommodation - should include breakfast, to be arranged by British Showjumping in line with the association's expenses policy. Officials shall not be required to share a room with another Official(s).

3. Remuneration for British Showjumping appointed Officials - In addition to expenses there will be daily remuneration for all Officials, per day, per Official, to be met by the Show Organiser, as follows:

- Appointed as Level 3 Judge (Chair/Lead Official) min £100 per diem
- Appointed as Level 2 judge (Lead/Panel member) min £70 per diem
- Appointed as level 5 Course Designer min £200 per Diem, plus one day (build day)
- Appointment as Assistant Course Builder min £70 per Diem
- All expenses and fees to in relation to an appointment under Rule 34.6.5 are to be invoiced by the officials to British Showjumping directly. British Showjumping will reimburse and remunerate the appointed officials and then invoice the Show Organiser accordingly.

- **Table 191**

Table	First Round	First Jump-off	Second Jump-off
A1	Not against the clock. Those placed first equal divide the prize money		
A2	Not against the clock. Those placed equal qualify for the jump-off	Not against the clock. Those placed first equal divide the prize money	
A3	Not against the clock. Those placed equal qualify for the jump-off	Not against the clock. Those placed equal qualify for the second jump-off	Not against the clock. Those placed first equal divide the prize money
A4	Against the clock. Competitors placed on faults and time		
A5	Not against the clock, the course is divided into two sections (one round). Faults cumulative over the whole course. Those placed first equal divide the prize money.		
A6	Not against the clock. Those jumping clear in the first round go immediately to the jump-off section of the course	Not against the clock. Those placed equal divide the prize money in accordance with Rule 192A 5 and 6	
A7	Those placed first equal qualify for the jump-off. Other competitors placed according to their penalties and time	Against the clock. Competitors placed on faults and time	

A8	Those placed first equal qualify for the first jump-off. Other competitors placed according to their penalties	Those placed first equal qualify for the second jump-off. Other competitors placed according to their penalties and time	Against the clock. Competitors placed on faults and time
A9	The best five scores, or if necessary, all clear rounds qualify for the second round. In the event of equality, faults and time will decide, i.e. the fastest four faulters will qualify. All scores in the first round will be carried forward to the second round. Other competitors placed according to their penalties and time.	Against the clock. Competitors will start in reverse order of merit or the slowest four faulters will go first, the fastest clear last.	
A10	Those placed first equal qualify for the jump-off. Other competitors placed according to their penalties and time	Against the clock. Competitors placed on faults and time	
A11	Not against the clock. Top “No” (Number stipulated in the schedule) to go forward to the second round. All scores in the first round will be carried forward to the second round. Other competitors placed according to their penalties and time.	Not against the clock. Those placed equal qualify for the second jump-off. . Other competitors placed according to their penalties and time	Against the clock. Competitors placed on faults and time
286 Two Phase	Those jumping clear, continue directly onto the 2 <sup>nd</sup> phase, without interruption. Other competitors placed according to their penalties and time	Against the clock. Competitors placed on faults and time	
287 Single Phase	The course is divided into two sections (one round). First section - Time Allowed, second section - Against the clock, Faults cumulative over the whole course. Those placed first equal on faults will be split by the time in the second section		

- **Table A5**

1. In competitions judged under Table A5 the course is divided into two sections (one round). Both sections are judged under Table A, not against the clock, but with a time allowed.
2. The competitor will jump the whole course unless they are eliminated.

3. Number of fences: Five to seven fences in each section (minimum 10 fences maximum 13 fences overall).
4. Minimum of 12 numbered fences are mandatory for qualifying competitions.
5. The second section must only comprise of new obstacles not previously used in the first section. The height of the second section should be set higher than those set for the first section.

- **33.10.2 Visiting Membership**

A competitor who satisfies these requirements, and wishes to compete in a British Showjumping affiliated event, must apply for Visiting membership in the British Showjumping membership category appropriate to his or her age and circumstances. This application must be accompanied by the written approval of the National Equestrian Federation of the country whose passport the applicant holds. All categories of foreign riders permanently resident in England, Scotland, Wales or the Channel Islands may compete in National Qualifiers and Finals relevant to the membership category. Foreign riders in all categories, who are not permanently resident in England, Scotland, Wales or the Channel Islands may compete in National Qualifiers and win prize money but not gain qualification. Visiting Members who are ineligible for selection for British Teams may compete in the British Showjumping National Championships but are not eligible to win the title of senior National Champion.

- **402.6 Equithème Pony Showjumper of the Year**

Numbers to qualify:

Horse of the Year Show:

The top four pony/rider combinations disregarding those already qualified. To be eligible for qualification, combinations must not exceed a total of four faults in the First Round. Please note qualification for HOYS only is pony/rider combination.

National Championships:

The top eight ponies will qualify for the British Showjumping National Championships disregarding those already qualified. To be eligible for qualification, ponies must not exceed a total of four faults in the first round. Please note qualification for HOYS only is pony/rider combination. (a) Once the five pony/rider combinations have competed at the Pony European Championships they have automatically qualified for Horse of the Year Show and the British Showjumping National Championships. Should a pony/rider combination subsequently qualify then the qualification would go down the line. (b) Up to four pony/rider combinations will qualify from the British Showjumping National Championships for Horse of the Year Show disregarding those already qualified, in accordance with Rule 427.

- **34.6.4 Competition Eligibility**

The following competitions require at least one level 3 judge, in addition to the min requirement as stated in 34.6.2.2

- Classes of £1,000 or over first prize.
- Second Round Classes which qualify for HOYS or RIHS.
- Direct Qualifier Classes which qualify for HOYS or RIHS.
- National Finals