



USHJA Horse and Rider Advocates Committee
Monday, November 18, 2019 2:00pm ET
Teleconference: 888-392-4560 Access Code: 39235

Members Present: Dayle Eldredge, Arly Golombek (Vice), Susan Lyman, Dr. Richard Mitchell, Sheila Murphy, Jo-Ann Schaudies, Eric Straus, Gay Talmey, and Katie Young (Chair) (9)

Members Not Present: Dr. Mark Baus, Maria Biancone, Dr. Sarah Cohen, Dr. Stephen Soule, and Leslie Terry (5)

Also Present: Whitney Barnard (Committee Liaison)

I. Welcome and Roll Call

- Katie Young called the meeting to order at 2:15pm ET. Whitney Barnard performed roll call and a quorum was met with 9 voting members present.

II. Approval of meeting minutes from July 29, 2019

- *Ms. Schaudies moved to approve the minutes from July 29, 2019. Ms. Talmey seconded and the motion passed unanimously.*

III. 2019 Rule Change Proposal Review/Action

Ms. Schaudies made a motion to put all the rules on the table as approved pending discussion. Ms. Eldredge seconded and the motion passed.

Rule Number	Tracking Number	Draft	Date	Action	Comment
GR411	128-19	1	11/18/19	Approve	
GR414	127-19	1	11/18/19	Disapprove	Committee approves #5 but disapproves #4. Would approve #4 if the use of bisphosphonates were not limited to only horses with navicular disease. Off label use of this product can be helpful in treating other bony conditions in mature animals.
GR846	126-19	1	11/18/19	Disapprove	Committee disapproves because the rule is unclear: who is responsible for reporting? who do they report

					to? and how does the competition know if an owner were to take their horse from the show grounds with an infectious disease?
GR1131	131-19	1	11/18/19	Approve	
EQ109.13	153-19	1	11/18/19	Approve	
HU112.5	152-19	1	11/18/19	Approve	
HJ105.1	164-19	1	11/18/19	Approve	
HU100	136-19	1	11/18/19	Disapprove	The committee does not feel that this is a topic that requires a rule. They are in favor of education supporting unclipped horses.
HU106	055-19	1	11/18/19	Disapprove	The committee feels that this would be a drastic change in the current tradition. The committee may consider use in inclement weather and would want there to be boot regulations put in place prior.
HU106	075-19	2	11/18/19	Approve	
HU118.3	165-19	1	11/18/19	Approve	
HU146	176-19	1	11/18/19	Approve	
JP111.1	160-19	1	11/18/19	Approve	
JP138.1	106-19	2	11/18/19	Disapprove	The rule is unnecessary for the Jumper discipline. This decision is already call made by the judge.

IV. Old Business

- There was no old business to discuss

V. New Business

- There was no new business to discuss

VI. Adjourn

- *There was motion to adjourn and the meeting adjourned at 3:34pm ET.*

Respectfully Submitted,

Whitney Barnard
 USHJA Assistant Managing Director of Education/Committee Liaison