

# RULES AND REGULATIONS

## Rule Corrections and Additions FEI Rules for Dressage Events 2006 1 January 2007

as approved by the FEI Bureau 17 November 2006.

### **Art 420 CATEGORIES OF INTERNATIONAL DRESSAGE EVENTS** Add:

1. CDI4\* and CDI5\*

### **ART 424 DECLARATION OF STARTERS** Add:

2. In the event of an accident or illness of a competitor and/or horse declared as starter, this competitor and/or horse may, up to two (2) hours before the start of the competition and on production of a certificate from the doctor and/or the FEI Veterinary Delegate, after approval of the Ground Jury, be replaced by another competitor and/or another horse formally entered and/or qualified. The competitor or horse withdrawn may not then start either as a member of a team or as an individual.

The replacement rider shall start first in the competition and the rest of the starting times shall be adjusted accordingly for the other riders.

For CDIOs and the final Individual Grand Prix Freestyle competition where 4 riders have qualified within the first 15 for one NF and only 3 riders may participate, in cases of certified illness of one of the qualified riders/horses, the 4<sup>th</sup> rider will replace one of the qualified riders from the same NF.

### **Art 425 DRAW FOR THE ORDER OF STARTING** Add:

3.1. For teams of three riders only, a further draw will be made to determine which starting position shall remain vacant. Numbers from 1 to 4 will be placed in a receptacle (A) and the names of nationalities competing with teams of three riders only will be placed in a second receptacle (B). A draw is made for the name of a team, which will be followed by a draw for a number, giving the team its vacant starting position.

3.2. When the competition is held over two days the individual starters shall be drawn in the reverse order of the World Dressage Ranking list and in two groups the highest placed competitors drawn on the second day. When the competition is held in one day the starting field will be divided in two groups and the highest placed riders on the world ranking list will be drawn last.

### **ART 427 DRESS** Add:

4. Under penalty of elimination, the use of earphones by riders are strictly forbidden at all FEI dressage events when competing. Earphones are however permitted during training and warm-up.

### **Art 434 CLASSIFICATION** Add:

3. The Individual Classification is decided as follows:

.....In case of equality of percentage for the first three places, the higher collective marks will decide on the better placing. If these marks are tied, placings remain tied. (For CDIOs, Championships and Olympic Games, refer to Article 451+459.) In case of equality of percentage for remaining places, the competitors are given the same placing.

4. The Team Classification is decided as follows: In all team competitions the winning team is the one having the highest total points of their three best riders, the second placed team is the one with the next highest total and so on. In case of equality of points, the winning team is the one whose lowest classified competitor out of the three has the best result. **Teams that are incomplete with only 2 results will not receive a final total score.**

**ART 437 FOREIGN JUDGE DELETE/Add:**

Foreign Judge. A President or a member of a Jury is considered to be a Foreign Judge if he/she is of another nationality ~~and is domiciled in a different country from that in~~ **from that** the international event is taking place.

**Art 448 PARTICIPATION Add:**

2. .... **For substitutions of riders/horses refer to General Regulations Arts 121.7.3 and 126.**

**Art 454 PARTICIPATION**

Reserve Riders/Horse **Move the text below to top under Participation**

The Team Dressage Competition and the Individual Dressage Competitions are held under the rules contained in Chapter II, except where stated differently under this chapter.

**ART 456 DRAW FOR THE ORDER OF STARTING Add:**

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**ANNEX III**

**International Dressage Judges Delete:**

15. Sit-in. International Candidate Judges and ~~non-European~~ International judges may sit in with higher-level officiating judges if they give their permission thereto.

**ANNEX XII CATEGORIES OF DRESSAGE EVENTS**     **Add:**

	<b>CDI 4*</b>	<b>CDI 5*</b>
<b>Participation</b>	As CDI3*	As CDI3*
<b>Age</b>	As CDI2*	As CDI2*
<b>Horses</b>	As CDI2*	As CDI2*
<b>Riders</b>	As CDI3*	As CDI3*
<b>Competitions</b>	As CDI3*	Grand Prix + Grand Prix Special / Grand Prix + Grand Prix Freestyle
<b>Horse Passports</b>	As CDI3*	As CDI3*
<b>Stable Security</b>	As CDI3*	As CDI3*
<b>Entry fee per horse, stabling included</b>	Max. CHF 525 (EUR 350)	Max. CHF 600 (EUR 400)
<b>Bedding-Straw</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> bedding at OC expense	Bedding at OC expense
<b>Prize money</b>	Minimum Grand Prix CHF 9'000 (EUR 6'000), Grand Prix Special and/or Grand Prix Freestyle CHF 15'000 (EUR 10'000)	Minimum Grand Prix CHF 15'000 (EUR 10'000), Grand Prix Special and Grand Prix Freestyle CHF 30'000 (EUR 20'000)
<b>Meals grooms</b>	At OC expense, breakfast + one meal	As CDI4*
<b>Meals riders</b>	At OC expense, breakfast + one meal	As CDI4*
<b>Accommodation for riders</b>	At own expense	At OC expense
<b>Footing</b>	Acc. to min. AIDEO	Same standard as CDI4*
<b>Officials</b>	Judges: 5 judges from FEI list; 2 Official judges, at least 3 foreign judges of different nationalities in each test.	Judges: 5 judges from FEI list; 3 Official judges, as CDI4*
<b>Appeal Committee</b>	As CDI3*	as CDI3*

**Art YR-9 PRIZES Add:**

3.3. In the Individual Championship competitions (Prix St Georges and Young Rider Freestyle), FEI medals (see General Regulations). In addition prize money and/or prizes in kind, plaques and rosettes at a rate of one prize for each commenced four competitors with a minimum of five prizes.

**ART YR-14 COMPETITIONS AND TESTS Add:**

..... In case of certified illness of rider and/or horse, the next rider/horse combination in the respective classification will move up to fill the number of combinations allowed.

In CDIOs/Championships classes where 4 riders have qualified for one NF and only 3 riders may participate within the first 15, in cases of certified illness of one of the qualified riders/horses, the 4th rider will replace one of the qualified riders. See also Art. 424.

.....The draw for starting order

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| A1 | Team Competition | Refer to Article 425/456   |
| B1 | Individual Test  | Draw in reverse order of result from the Team competition, in groups of 5. |
| B2 | Freestyle Test   | Refer to Article 425.  |

**ART J-13 COMPETITIONS AND TESTS Add:**

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