

Penalties

- Rule 71.** When any race is in dispute both the horse that was first past the post and any horse claiming the race shall be liable to all the penalties attaching to the winner of that race till the matter be decided.
- Rule 72.** Penalties for winning a fixed sum shall be understood to mean for winning it in one race unless specified to the contrary.
- Rule 73.** Penalties are not cumulative unless so declared by the conditions of the race.

Entries, Acceptances, Subscriptions Sale with Engagements

Entries and Acceptances

- Rule 74.** (1) Every entry, acceptance and declaration shall be fixed to close at a place and time appointed by the Stewards of the Jockey Club and is subject to withdrawal or alteration up to the time of closing.
- (2) The list of entries shall be closed at the advertised time and no entry shall be admitted on any ground after that time, always excepting that any race or section of a race may be reopened for a further period.
- (3) Every entry is accepted in accordance with the conditions of entry as amended from time to time and the race conditions published in the race prospectus for each race. No withdrawal is permitted once entries are accepted except for the reasons stipulated in the conditions of the entry published in the race prospectus.
- (4) If a horse be entered for a race or started in a race for which it is ineligible, either under the conditions of such race or for any other reason, such horse shall either be removed from the list of entries or be disqualified for such race and the Stewards may disqualify, or otherwise penalise the owner, trainer and nominator of such horse.

Form of Entry or Nomination

- Rule 75.** (1) Entries and alterations or withdrawals of such entries before the time of closing shall be made in writing and signed by the owner of the horse or his Authorised Agent.
- (2) For the purposes of this Rule a facsimile or e-mail transmission shall be deemed to be in writing.

Rule 76. Each entry shall state the registered name and brand number of the horse that is entered.

Rule 77. Entries and subscriptions shall not become void on the death of the person in whose name they are made or taken and all rights, privileges and liabilities that could have attached to the deceased person had he been alive shall attach to his personal representative.

Rule 78. (1) Any accidental error or violation of Rules affecting entries may be corrected on payment of a fine, the amount of which may be determined by the Stewards of the Jockey Club or the Stewards.

(2) If any horse runs without the prescribed correction having been made the Stewards of the Jockey Club or the Stewards may impose penalties upon any persons responsible for such errors.

Striking Out of Engagement

Rule 79. (1) A striking out of engagements shall be made in writing by the owner or his authorised agent, subject to the Rules relating to sales with engagements; and for the purpose of this Rule a facsimile or e-mail transmission shall be deemed to be in writing.

(2) The document striking a horse out of engagements shall state the name of the horse and give details of the engagement.

(3) The notification of the death of a horse to the Registry Office shall withdraw the horse from all engagements.

Sale with Engagements

Rule 80. When a horse is sold with its engagements or any part of them the seller cannot strike the horse out of any of such engagements.

Rule 81. (1) In case of changes of ownership the engagements can only be transferred by the written acknowledgement of both parties or their authorised agents that the horse was transferred with engagements together with details of the engagements transferred, which must be lodged before the horse starts for such engagements. If only certain engagements are specified those only are sold with the horse.

(2) If a horse starts for any race without such transfer having been lodged it shall on a protest/objection be disqualified unless it be proved to the satisfaction of the Stewards of the Jockey Club that the omission was accidental, in which case the persons responsible may be fined by the Stewards of the Jockey Club.