



International Mounted Games Association Rules Committee

Rule Change Request Document

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Country: **IMGA Rules Committee**

Summary of Change Requested:

General rule 3.1 refers to saddlery and says 'must be complete with stirrups'. If there this is so why is no one ever eliminated for losing a stirrup? Perhaps inclusion of wording 'loss of a stirrup or stirrups during a race will not incur elimination but must be replaced immediately after that race'.

Current Rule Book Wording:

GR3.1. Leather or synthetic saddles with a full tree must be used. These must be complete with stirrups and a girth with two buckles on each side.

Suggested New Rule Book Wording:

GR3.1. Leather or synthetic saddles with a full tree must be used. These must be complete, at the start of each race, with stirrups and a girth with two buckles on each side.

Reason for Change Request:

Makes the rule clearer

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Reference:	2008– 01
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Submission Date:	29/03/08
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Decision Date:	08/04/08
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Votes	
Jens Martin	In Favour
Younes Ahlbom	In Favour
Nicola Leese	In Favour
Yvonne Struthers	In Favour
Margaret Welsby	In Favour
Alun Whitney	In Favour
Total In Favour:	6
Total Not In Favour:	0

Result:	Change Accepted
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Actual Adopted New Rule Book Wording:

GR3.1. Leather or synthetic saddles with a full tree must be used. These must be complete, at the start of each race, with stirrups and a girth with two buckles on each side.
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Reason for Decision:

Makes the rule more accurate

Implementation Date:	1 st January 2009
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