



# International Mounted Games Association Rules Committee

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## *Rule Change Request Document*

Name:	<b>Jens Martin</b>
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Country:	<b>IMGA Rules Committee</b>
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### Summary of Change Requested:

Trainers ought to be allowed to enter the arena for Pairs and Individual competitions in the same way as they currently can do in team competitions.

### Current Rule Book Wording:

GR7.1. Once a competition has started only the following people are allowed to enter the arena: competition organisers, referee, judges, commentators, assistant referees, arena party, competitors and, in the case of team competitions only, one trainer per competing team.

### Suggested New Rule Book Wording:

GR7.1. Once a competition has started only the following people are allowed to enter the arena: competition organisers, referee, judges, commentators, assistant referees, equipment marshal, arena party, competitors and only, one trainer per competing team/Pair/Individual. Anybody else wishing to enter the arena may only do so with permission from the referee.

### Reason for Change Request:

There is no obvious reason why trainers should not be allowed on the field of play for Individual and Pairs competitions.

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Reference:	2012 - 002
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Submission Date:	15/10/2012
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Decision Date:	30/10/2012
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Votes	
Jens Martin	<b>In Favour</b>
Younes Ahlbom	<b>In Favour</b>
Nikki Carter	<b>In Favour</b>
Alun Whitney	<b>In Favour</b>
Melanie Scott	<b>In Favour</b>
Wolfgang Keuter	<b>In Favour</b>
Total In Favour:	<b>6</b>
Total Not In Favour:	<b>0</b>

Result:	Change Accepted
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**Actual Adopted New Rule Book Wording:**

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**Reason for Decision:**

<p>Makes it equal across Individuals, Pairs and Teams.</p>
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Implementation Date:	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2013
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