



International Mounted Games Association Rules Committee

Rule Change Request Document

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Country:	IMGA Rules Committee
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Summary of Change Requested:

A rule change that I have been asked to put forward by several riders is a change for individual bottle.
They would like it to be played with just one bottle which riders place on middle bin on the way up the arena, and then collected on the return to finish line after turning around top bin.

Current Rule Book Wording:

1 bottle on 1 inverted bin on the centre line, 1 inverted bin on the 2 metre mark at the changeover end, offset between the bending pole lines. Rider starts with a bottle.

The rider rides to the bin at the changeover end, places the bottle on it, rides to the bin on the centre line, collects the bottle, and rides to cross the Start/Finish line.
Bottles must remain upright on bins throughout the game.

Suggested New Rule Book Wording:

1 inverted bin on the centre line, 1 inverted bin on the 2 metre mark at the changeover end, offset between the bending pole lines. Rider starts with a bottle.

The rider rides to the bin on the centre line, places the bottle on it, rides around the bin at the changeover end, rides to the bin on the centre line, collects the bottle, and rides to cross the Start/Finish line.
Bottles must remain upright on bins throughout the game.

Reason for Change Request:

Makes the race more interesting and skilful.

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Reference:	2015-04
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Submission Date:	14/01/2015
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Decision Date:	15/01/2015
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Votes	
Jens Martin	Not in Favour
Younes Ahlbom	Not in Favour
Nikki Carter	Not in Favour
Lois Hamilton	Not in Favour
Philippe Gargallo	Not in Favour
Iain Hopkins	Not in Favour
Total In Favour:	0
Total Not In Favour:	6

Result:	Change Rejected
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Actual Adopted New Rule Book Wording:

N/A

Reason for Decision:

With a separate rule change request to come (2015-10) which essentially suggests adding this very same game rather than replacing the existing Bottle Shuttle, as this request does, there was unanimous agreement that the existing Bottle Shuttle race should remain as it is and this request should be rejected.
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Implementation Date:	N/A
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