



OBSERVER'S REPORT

Location : _____ Observer Name: _____

BREAK OF PACE – Section A is any pace, Walk Section is Walk only; Sections B is trot only for Training and Preliminary; Intermediate & Advanced are any pace. All horses must either walk or trot from the lessor distance of the last obstacle or 300 meters to the finish of Section B. All time at the incorrect pace is penalized once 5 seconds is exceeded at 1 penalty per 5 completed seconds. Eg. 4 seconds = 0 penalty; 7 seconds = 1 penalty; 10 seconds = 2 penalties; 14 seconds = 2 penalties. (Pace on course = Article 964.4; Pace in obstacles = Article 965.1). Record the total time under “Break of Pace” below for each occurrence over 5 seconds.

HALTS – stopping in sections A or B, other than for an accident, repairs to harness or vehicles or a delay beyond driver’s control, will be penalized 1 penalty point for every commenced 10 second period at the halt. (Article 964.6)

DEVIATION FROM COURSE – All divisions must not deviate from the direct track from the lessor of the last obstacle or the 300 meter remaining marker to the finish of Section C – no stops, circles, zig-zags or leave the designated track. (Article 964.3).

COMPULSORY TURNING FLAGS – must be passed in sequence and in the correct direction (red on the driver’s right). A competitor may miss a Compulsory Turning Flag without penalty, provided he does not drive any other CTF or Obstacle before correcting the mistake. EG. Missing CTF #5 and arriving at CTF #6. As long as the Competitor does not drive through #6, he may return to take #5 without penalty (other than time lost) and then proceed to #6. (Article 964.2).

DISMOUNTING – Grooms or passengers may leave the vehicle at any time outside the obstacles without penalty, provided that the vehicle is stationary. If the vehicle is moving, either or both grooms dismounting will incur 5 penalty points, the driver dismounting will incur 20 penalty points (Article 964.5). The driver and required grooms must be on the vehicle crossing Start and Finish lines and passing through Compulsory Turning Flags (CTFs). Failure to do so = 10 penalties for grooms; 20 penalties for driver for each occasion. (Article 964.5.2)

ENTRY #	DESCRIPTION	BREAK OF PACE (TOTAL TIME)	HALTS/DEVIATION FROM COURSE/ DISMOUNTING <i>(Time Reason)</i> / MISSED COMPULSORY FLAGS/NOTES	PENALTIES <i>(Judge Only)</i>