

Rule Change Type	Effective Date	Draft Received	Board Action
Extraordinary	4/1/2025	5/9/2024	

Extraordinary Change Reason

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Rule Change Intent

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Linked Rules	Comments
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Committee Actions

Driving

EV145 Cross-Country Phase Obstacles

8. FRANGIBLE TECHNOLOGY

a. ~~Whenever possible, Obstacles for which frangible technology (e.g., frangible pins, MIM Clips, or any other load relieving device) is appropriate must be constructed or retrofitted with frangible technology for the Training level and above.~~ *For Training level and above, all open oxers, open corners, verticals or near verticals with open rails, top rail on triple bars and gates where the rail dimensions and weight fit the acceptable parameters of an FEI approved frangible device, must be fitted with frangible devices (e.g., frangible pins, MIM Clips, or any other load relieving device). At a minimum, frangible technology devices used at national Events must meet the FEI Updated Standard for Frangible/Deformable Cross Country Fences.*