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Rule Change Intent

As horses converge from varying barns and locations to licensed competitions, maintaining the health and safety of equine competitors is of paramount importance. In an effort to ensure the continued health and safety of horses at licensed competitions, competitors must agree to comply with disease prevention biosecurity measures imposed by the Federation, competition management, and state or federal animal health officials. This rule change will ensure this requirement is clearly understood.

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| Linked Rules | Comments |
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| Committee Actions |
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| Council - Natl Breed & Discipline Draft 1: Recommends Approval 05/20/2024 |
| Council - Intl Discipline Draft 1: Recommends Approval 05/28/2024 |
| Council - Member Services Draft 1: Recommends Approval 05/20/2024 |

SUBCHAPTER 8-H EQUINE HEALTH AND ISOLATION

GR870 Competitor Biosecurity Requirements

All riders, drivers, vaulters, handlers, owners, trainers, coaches, grooms, agents, and lessors must abide by and comply with biosecurity measures and equine health requirements imposed by the Federation, Competition Management, and local, state, and federal animal health officials.