

Reining Self-Test Practice on Penalties – updated 12/1/17

Abuse of animal _____
Equipment failure that delays pattern _____
Over/under spin up to 1/8 turn _____
Blatant disobedience _____
Failure to remain a minimum of 20' from side of arena
when approaching stop or rollback _____
Failure to complete pattern as written/
performing maneuvers out of order _____
Break of gait _____
Using romal with finger(s) between reins _____
Walk in pattern: failure to stop or walk
prior to canter departure or cantering
prior to reaching center of arena _____
Use of either hand to instill fear or praise _____
Holding saddle with either hand _____
Out of lead each 1/4 circle or part of _____
Use of illegal equipment _____
Over/Under Spin up to 1/4 _____
Failure to completely pass specified marker before
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Jogging beyond 2 strides but less than
1/2 circle or 1/2 length of arena _____
Balking or refusal that delays pattern _____
Not providing horse for inspection _____
Backing more than 2 strides when not
called for in pattern _____
Spurring in front of cinch _____
Running away or failure to guide where
you cannot tell if he is on pattern _____
On run in pattern failure to be at canter
or break of gait prior to 1st marker _____
Delayed change of lead by 1 stride when
lead change required in pattern _____
Disrespect by exhibitor _____
Turn of 90 Degrees when not called for _____
Use of two hands or changing hands _____
Freezing up in spins or rollback _____
Fall to ground by horse or rider _____
Over spin beyond 1/4 _____
Dropping rein that contacts ground while
horse in motion _____
Jogs more than 1/2 circle or 1/2 length of arena while
starting circle, circling or exiting roll back _____
Jogging up to 2 strides when
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Use of any attachment which alters
movement or circulation of tail _____
Use of more than index or first finger
between reins _____
Complete stop before 1st marker in
run in pattern _____
Failure to be on correct lead for 1/2 turn or less when
rounding end of arena for run-around _____
Failure to be on correct lead for more than 1/2 turn when
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