

1 SUBJECT: Walk/Jog Trail Amendment (USEF/EC)

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3 (STANDARD)

4 Refer to Chapter 9, RULE 101 for submission requirements

5 Committee Action:
6 Committees required to review: (This section to be completed by the Agenda & Resolutions Committee) Approve Disapprove

Competition Advisory Committee			
Working Western Committee			
USEF Arabian Division			
Youth Committee			
Youth National Show Commission			

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8 CONVENTION ACTION:

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10 Approved _____ Approved with Modification _____ Disapproved
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12 _____ Withdrawn _____ Referred to Committee _____

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14 PROPOSED CHANGE: (Check one) _____ Add new rule _____ Delete existing rule Change existing text
15 Indicate affected Article/Rule number (AHA/USEF/EC) USEF AR234

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17 RESOLUTION: Use ***bold/italic*** for new wording, ~~strike through~~ to indicate deletion

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19 Whereas, Working Western Committee has been charged with better defining the Walk-Jog Trail Obstacles;
20 Therefore, Be It

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22 Resolved, That USEF AR234 Walk-Jog Trail Class Requirements WALK-JOG TRAIL be amended by striking out
23 and inserting as follows:

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25 WALK-JOG TRAIL – Riders may not be more than ten years of age as of December 1 of the current competition year. Horse
26 and rider must follow the appointments as set forth in the Arabian Western Pleasure Sub-Chapter. The rider must never have
27 been judged in a class at a Licensed Competition that required a canter or lope. Exception: Short Stirrup Reining Riders and
28 Cross Rails 10 & Under. ~~Obstacles are to consist of no more than three non-elevated poles and no more than three jog over~~
29 ~~poles, serpentine(s), open gates, straight back through, and a bridge. Prohibited obstacles include water, tarps, drags, pick up~~
30 ~~objects and closed gates.~~

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32 **Acceptable Obstacles:**

- 33 1. ***Walk-overs*** – No more than 5 consecutive poles, of which no more than 2 may be elevated with a maximum height
34 of 8”.
- 35 2. ***Jog-overs*** - No more than 5 consecutive non-elevated poles.
- 36 3. ***Serpentine – Walk Around*** – No more than 5 consecutive pylons a minimum of 6 feet apart (base to base).
37 *Guardrails, if used, should be 3 to 4 feet to either side of pylons. (English Trail Walk Trot – minimum 8 feet apart*
38 *with guardrails, if used, 4 to 5 feet either side of pylons).*
- 39 4. ***Serpentine – Jog Around*** – No more than 5 consecutive pylons a minimum of 10 feet apart (base to base).
40 *Guardrails, if used, should be 8 to 10 feet on either side of pylons. (English Trail Walk Trot – Trot Serpentine*
41 *minimum 12 feet apart with guardrails, if used, 10 to 12 feet on either side of pylons).*
- 42 5. ***Open Gates*** – *The actual opening and closing of a gate may not be negotiated, however, simulation of doing so by*
43 *touching gate standards is encouraged. A single non-elevated walk over pole may be placed in the “open” gate.*
- 44 6. ***Bridge*** – *A safe unobstructed bridge (no poles or obstacles on the bridge) Bridges should be of sturdy design with a*
45 *non-slip surface.*
46 a. *Minimum 40” wide*
47 b. *Minimum 6 feet long*
48 c. *Maximum 8” in height*
- 49 7. ***Straight Back Through*** – *of reasonable width 40” or greater.*
- 50 8. ***Turns of 90 or 180 degrees within a box or confined area no smaller than 8’ x 8’; 270 or 360 degrees within a box***
51 ***or confined area of no less than 10’ x10’.***

53 *Prohibited Obstacles – Water, water boxes (empty), drags, pick-up objects, closed gates, side pass.*

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55 Effective: December 31, 2018 or when approved by USEF/EC

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57 (If a Standard resolution, the effective date will be December 31 of the year after the Convention)

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59 RESOLUTION TYPE (REQUIRED): Standard Extraordinary _____ “If indicated as

60 “Extraordinary”, the proponent must list reasons which establish Chapter 9, RULE 101.2 has been met)

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63 PROPONENTS FINANCIAL IMPACT (REQUIRED): Refer to Chapter 9, RULE 101.3.e. for financial requirements

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67 AHA IMPACT STATEMENT: None

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71 SUBMITTED BY: Working Western Committee

Region Number:

72 Member Organization Committee Commission Board Region (check one)

73 Who voted: Members Board Delegates (check voting body)

74 Total Number Eligible to Vote: 68 Number of Yes votes: 41 Number of No votes: 3

75 How vote was taken: mail email phone meeting (check one) (Must have Quorum with majority of yes votes)

76 Where documentation of this vote is recorded: At the AHA office (Must have printed documentation on file)

77 Date vote taken: August 9 – 12, 2017

78 Contact Person: Jim Hitt (Has authority to amend, combine or withdraw)

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