# Whip Review Committee Decisions 12 December 2023

On Tuesday 12 December 2023 the Whip Review Committee convened to consider potential breaches of Rule (F)45 following referrals from the racecourse Stewards for races run from 07 December – 10 December 2023, inclusive. A summary of their findings is outlined below.

## **Chelmsford City 7 December 2023**

Race 4 – The tote Guarantee Now at Chelmsford Handicap Stakes (Class 4)

Hector Crouch, the rider of the winner, RIOT (IRE), was found to have used his whip without giving his mount time to respond. He will be suspended for 4 days from Tuesday 26 to Friday 29 December 2023 inclusive.

### Newcastle 8 December 2023

Race 7 – The Bet £10 Get £40 at BetMGM EBF Restricted Novice Stakes (Class 5) (For horses in Bands B, C, and D) (GBB Race)

Daniel Tudhope, the rider of the winner, SPORTS COACH (IRE), was found to have used his whip in the incorrect place. He will be suspended for 4 days from Tuesday 26 to Friday 29 December 2023 inclusive.

#### Wolverhampton 9 December 2023

Race 3 - The Win £2,000,000 with BetMGM's Golden Goals Handicap Stakes (Class 4)

Joshua Bryan, the rider of LETMELIVEMYLIFE, unplaced, was found to have used his whip without giving his mount time to respond. He will be suspended for 4 days from Tuesday 26 to Friday 29 December 2023 inclusive.

## <u>Panel</u>

Sam Angell (Chair) Richard Fuller Shaun Parker