

Whip Review Committee
Decisions 5 July 2024

On Friday 5 July 2024 the Whip Review Committee convened to consider potential breaches of Rule (F)45 following referrals from the racecourse Stewards and their own independent review of races for races run from 30 June – 3 July 2024, inclusive. A summary of their findings is outlined below.

Uttoxeter 30 June 2024

Race 2 – The bet365 Novices' Limited Handicap Steeple Chase (Class 3) (GBB Race)

Theo Gillard, the rider of DRIPSEY MOON (IRE), placed second, was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of seven from after three fences out. He will be suspended for 4 days as follows: Saturday 20 to Monday 22, and Thursday 25 July.

Brighton 2 July 2024

Race 2 – The Download The Raceday Ready App Handicap Stakes (Class 6)

Mikkel Mortensen, the rider of SHAW PARK (IRE), placed second, was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from approximately two and a half furlongs out. He will be suspended for 4 days from Friday 19 to Monday 22 July inclusive.

Race 4 – The Download The Racecourse App Raceday Ready Handicap Stakes (Class 6)

Dylan Hogan, the rider of CORPORATE RAIDER (IRE), placed second, was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from approximately two and a half furlongs out. He will be suspended for 4 days from Friday 19 to Monday 22 July inclusive.

Stratford-on-Avon 2 July 2024

Race 4 – The Hook Norton Equine Vets Handicap Hurdle Race (Class 5) (Div II)

Tom Cannon, the rider of the winner, ON SE CALME (FR), was found to have used his whip without giving his mount time to respond. Allowing for the fact that Cannon has had over 150 rides in Great Britain since a previous whip breach, mitigation on penalty was applied. Therefore, he will be suspended for 2 days: Saturday 20 and Sunday 21 July.

Hamilton Park 3 July 2024

Race 2 – The Racecourse Live Streams On Racingtv Extra Handicap Stakes (Class 6)

Mohammed Tabti, the rider of CRYSTAL GUARD (IRE), placed second, was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from approximately two and a half furlongs out. He will be suspended for 4 days from Friday 19 to Monday 22 July inclusive.

Panel

Sam Angell (Chair)
Steve Drowne
Shaun Parker