

### **Whip Review Committee Decisions 2025:**

On Friday 08 August 2025 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 run from 04 August 2025 – 06 August 2025, inclusive. A summary of their findings is outlined below.

#### **Ripon 04 August 2025:**

##### **Race 4 - The Wilmot-Smith Memorial Handicap (Class 3).**

Warren Fentiman, the rider of KODIAC THRILLER (IRE), placed third, was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from approximately two furlongs out. He will be suspended for 4 days from Sunday 24 to Wednesday 27 August 2025, inclusive, and one of these days will be spent receiving specialised coaching.

##### **Panel:**

Sam Angell (Chair)

Shaun Parker

Henry Pelly