Whip Review Committee Decisions 13 September 2024:

On Friday 13 September 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 09 September – 11 September 2024, inclusive. A summary of their findings is outlined below.

Carlisle 11 September 2024:

Race 5 - The Assa Abloy Supporting Andersons Celebrate 135yrs Maiden Stakes (GBB Race) (Class 5)

Callum Shepherd, the rider of the winner SOUTH POLE (IRE), was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from approximately two furlongs out. Allowing for the fact that Shepherd has had over 200 rides in Great Britain since his previous whip breach, mitigation on penalty was applied. Therefore, he will be suspended for 2 days, Friday 27 and Sunday 29 September 2024.

Worcester 11 September 2024:

Race 1 - The Play Coach And Referee Football @worcsfa Handicap Chase (Class 5)

William Maggs, the rider of BLUEBERRY WINE (IRE), unplaced, was found to have used his whip when his mount was out of contention from jumping the last fence. He will be suspended for 8 days as follows; Friday 27, Saturday 28, and Monday 30 September and Tuesday 01, Thursday 03, Friday 04, Sunday 06 and Monday 07 October 2024.

Race 3 - The FBC Manby Bowdler Handicap Hurdle (Class 4)

Jack Tudor, the rider of the winner OCEANLINE (IRE), was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of seven from jumping the last hurdle. Allowing for the fact that Tudor has had over 150 rides in Great Britain since his previous whip breach, mitigation on penalty was applied. Therefore, he will be suspended for 2 days, Friday 27 and Saturday 28 September 2024.

Panel:

Sam Angell (chair)

Adrian Sharpe

Adam Barker