

Whip Review Committee Decisions 15 November 2024:

On Friday 15 November 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 11 November – 13 November 2024, inclusive. A summary of their findings is outlined below.

Carlisle 11 November 2024:

Race 5 - The Weatherbys nhstallions.co.uk Graduation Chase (GBB Race) (Class 2)

Danny McMenamin, the rider of the winner, NELLS SON, was found to have used his whip twice above the permitted level of seven from having jumped three out. He will be suspended for 7 days as from Friday 29 November – Thursday 05 December 2024, inclusive and given the value of the race will be fined £550.

Wolverhampton 11 November 2024:

Race 3 - The Win £1M With BetMGM's Golden Goals EBF "Confined" Restricted Maiden Stakes (GBB Race) (Class 5)

Liam Wright, the rider of MOBY QUICK, placed fourth, was found to have used his whip with his arm above shoulder height from turning in. He will be suspended for 4 days as follows: Friday 6, Saturday 7, Monday 9 and Tuesday 10 December 2024. One of these days will be spent receiving specialised coaching.

Southwell 13 November 2024:

Race 3 - The Boost Your Acca At BetMGM EBF Restricted Maiden Stakes (Bands C And D) (GBB Race) (Class 5)

Adam Farragher, the rider of the winner, KILDONAN (IRE), was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from approximately two and half furlongs out. He will be suspended for 4 days as from Monday 2 – Thursday 5 December 2024, inclusive.

Panel:

Sam Angell (Chair)

Gregory Pearson

Steven Drowne