Whip Review Committee Decisions 2025:

On Thursday 17 April 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 14 April 2025 – 16 April 2025, inclusive. A summary of their findings is outlined below.

Pontefract 14 April 2025:

Race 2 - The Racing TV Sky Channel 424 EBF Restricted Novice Stakes (Bands C/D) (GBB/IRE Incentive Race) (Div II) (Class 5)

Billy Garritty, the rider of BRAVO HOTEL, placed third, was found to have used his whip in the incorrect place on the run to the line. Allowing for the fact that Garritty has had over 100 rides in Great Britain since his previous whip breach, mitigation on penalty was applied. He will be suspended for 3 days as follows; Thursday 01, Friday 02 and Monday 05 May 2025.

Panel:

Sam Angell (Chair)

Gregory Pearson

Phillip Spottiswood