

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

On Tuesday 22 July 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 17 July 2025 – 20 July 2025, inclusive. A summary of their findings is outlined below.

#### **Chepstow 17 July 2025:**

##### **Race 6 - The Trade Centre Wales Handicap (Class 6)**

Taylor Fisher, the rider of RATING (IRE), placed second, was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from inside the final two furlongs. Allowing for the fact that Fisher 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 from Tuesday 05 to Thursday 07 August 2025, inclusive.

#### **Haydock Park 18 July 2025:**

##### **Race 1 - The Racing To School Haydock Park Apprentice Training Series Apprentice Handicap Stakes (Class 5) (Part of the Racing Excellence Series) (Grassroots Mile Qual)**

Shay Farmer, the rider of CAPTAIN CORELLI (IRE), unplaced, was found to have used his whip with his arm above shoulder height inside the final 2 furlongs. He will be suspended for 4 days as follows: Tuesday 05 to Friday 08 August 2025, inclusive.

#### **Newmarket 18 July 2025:**

##### **Race 3 - The Irish Stallion Farms EBF Fillies' Handicap (Class 3)**

George Wood, the rider of the winner, SHALLOW, was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from inside the final two furlongs. He will be suspended for 4 days from Tuesday 05 to Friday 08 August 2025, inclusive.

##### **Race 7 - The Hallgarten Wines Handicap (GBBPlus Race) (Class 4)**

Liam Wright, the rider of LITTLE SAVER (IRE), placed second, was found to have used his whip twice above the permitted level of six from approximately four and a half furlongs out. He will be suspended for 7 days from Tuesday 05 to Monday 11 August 2025, inclusive.

#### **Redcar 20 July 2025:**

##### **Race 4 - The Sky Bet Go-Racing-In-Yorkshire Summer Festival Apprentice Handicap (Class 4)**

Warren Fentiman, the rider of the winner, DOUBLE PARKED (IRE), was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from one and a half furlongs out. Allowing for the fact that Fentiman 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 from Tuesday 05 to Thursday 07 August 2025, inclusive.

Race 5 - The Celebration Of Tanker Finally Retiring Apprentice Handicap (Class 6)

Rhys Elliott, the rider of the winner, DUE RESPECT (IRE), was found to have used his whip once above the permitted level of six from approximately one and a half furlongs out. Allowing for the fact that Elliott 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 from Tuesday 05 to Thursday 07 August 2025, inclusive.

Panel:

Sam Angell (Chair)

Shaun Parker

Georgina Cartwright