

### **Whip Review Committee Decisions 2026:**

On 28 August 2026 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 24 August 2026 – 26 August 2026, inclusive. A summary of their findings is outlined below.

#### **Musselburgh 25 August**

##### **Race 5 - THE AAB GROUP AND BIBBY FINANCIAL SERVICES HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6)**

Andrew Mullen, the rider of the winner, NOVAK, was found to have used his whip twice above the permitted level of six from inside the final three furlongs. He will be suspended for 7 days from Friday 11 to Thursday 17 September 2026, inclusive

##### **Panel:**

Sam Angell (Chair)

Michael Eyre,

Phillip Spottiswood