

USE OF THE WHIP MAXIMUM ALLOWED 4 TIME DURING THE RACE FROM 1ST OF MAY 2023

USE OF THE WHIP 5 TO 6 TIME DURING THE RACE (ALL RACES EXCEPT GROUP RACES)			
Offence	Jockeys	Apprentices Young riders	Amateurs
1st offence	At least 150 euros	At least 2 days	At least 4 days
2 nd offence	At least 1 day	At least 4 days	At least 8 days
3rd offence	At least 2 days	At least 6 days	At least 12 days
4th offence	At least 4 days	At least 8 days	At least 16 days
Next offences	etc.	etc.	etc.
USE OF THE WHIP 7 TO 9 TIME DURING THE RACE (ALL RACES EXCEPT GROUP RACES)			
Offence	Jockeys	Apprentices Young riders	Amateurs
1st offence	At least 6 days	At least 8 days	At least 12 days
2 nd offence	At least 8 days	At least 12 days	At least 16 days
3rd offence	At least 10 days	At least 16 days	At least 20 days
4th offence	At least 12 days	At least 20 days	At least 24 days
Next offences	etc.	etc.	etc.
USE OF THE WHIP 5 TO 6 TIME DURING THE RACE (GROUP I – II - III)			
Offence	Jockeys	Apprentices Young riders	Amateurs
	At least 2 days	At least 4 days	At least 4 days
There is not notion of recidivism for Group races			
USE OF THE WHIP 7 TO 9 TIME DURING THE RACE (GROUP I – II - III)			
Offence	Jockeys	Apprentices Young riders	Amateurs
	At least 8 days	At least 16 days	At least 16 days
There is not notion of recidivism for Group races			
USE OF THE WHIP 10 TIME OR MORE DURING THE RACE / ALL RACES			
Offence	Jockeys	Apprentices Young riders	Amateurs
10 hits	At least 10 days	At least 20 days	At least 20 days
11 hits	At least 11 days	At least 22 days	At least 22 days
12 hits	At least 12 days	At least 24 days	At least 24 days
Next offences	etc.	etc.	etc.
ELBOW ABOVE THE LINE OF THE SHOULDER (from the 1st elbow above the line during the race)			
Offence	Jockeys	Apprentices Young riders	Amateurs
1st offence	Warning	Warning	Warning
2 nd offence	At least 150 euros	At least 1 day	At least 1 day
3rd offence	At least 1 day	At least 2 days	At least 2 days
4th offence	At least 2 days	At least 4 days	At least 4 days
Next offences	etc.	etc.	etc.
The sanction must be doubled in Group races for the elbow above the line of the shoulder			
Use of the whip must be counted if the jockey does not hold the reins with both hands.			
Very important: must be considered as 2 nd , 3 rd , or 4 th offence, offences within 2 months after the 1 st one.			
Art. 161: Any jockey who makes inappropriate use of the whip to help his horse to be loaded into the gates must be sanctioned by at least one day of suspension. The penalty must be doubled for apprentices, young-riders, and amateurs.			