- (9) A horse in which a syndicate is interested shall not be eligible to be entered for or to run in any race whilst any member of the syndicate is a disqualified person and in the event of any such member becoming a disqualified person the registration of any syndicate agreement in respect of the horse shall automatically lapse.
- (10) Applications for renewal of registration of a syndicate shall be made annually in the month of August subject to payment of a prescribed fee which shall be determined by the Stewards of the Jockey Club.
- (11) Every registration of a syndicate with names of all the current managers and members shall be published on a regular basis in such manner as the Club may decide from time to time.
- (12) Every member of a syndicate shall in all respects and for all purposes be bound by the Rules of Racing and Instructions and Bye-laws of the Jockey Club irrespective of the nature or extent of the interest or rights of such member in the syndicate and irrespective of the provisions of any constitution governing the syndicate or any agreement between the members of the syndicate.
- (13) Any member of a syndicate committing a breach of any of the Rules of Racing and Instructions and Bye-laws of the Jockey Club relating to syndicates or failing to comply with any of the requirements there of may be penalised by the Stewards of the Jockey Club who may also disqualify any horse owned by the syndicate.
- (14) Every provision contained in these Rules governing syndicates shall also apply to Trainer Syndicates.

## **Authorised Representatives**

- Rule 44. (1) An owner may seek the approval of the Stewards of the Jockey Club to the appointment of an Authorised Representative to represent the owner when the owner is to be absent from Hong Kong and during any such absences the Authorised Representative may exercise all rights with respect to the owner's horse in all dealings with the owner's Authorised Agent.
  - (2) If an owner is unable to manage his horse, his Authorised Representative may, with the permission in writing of the Stewards of the Jockey Club, manage the owner's horse in his place or stead.
  - (3) The Stewards of the Jockey Club shall maintain a register of the name of each Authorised Representative.