

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

RULES OF RACING

Revised for the 2025/2026 racing season

PREAMBLE

Rule 1. These Rules and Instructions may be cited as the Rules of Racing and Instructions of The Hong Kong Jockey Club.

These Rules and Instructions have been made by the Stewards of the Jockey Club in accordance with Article 66 of the Articles of Association of the Club.

These Rules and Instructions shall become effective on and from the first day of the 2025/2026 Season.

The Stewards of the Jockey Club shall have the power to make, repeal and amend these Rules and Instructions as they may deem necessary in accordance with Article 66 of the Articles of Association of the Club.

The objects of these Rules and Instructions are to regulate race meetings and racing matters held under the control and direction of the Stewards of the Jockey Club; to stringently enforce such Rules and Instructions; and to provide domestic laws and procedures for the fair, equitable and proper control and supervision of the sport of horse racing.

Any matter or matters arising during the currency of the previous Rules of Racing and Instructions, which are superseded by these Rules, shall be subject to the Rules of Racing and Instructions as they existed on the date on which any such matter or matters arose, and all decisions made under the superseded Rules and Instructions shall, unless otherwise determined by the Stewards of the Jockey Club, have validity under these Rules and Instructions.