3.14 Non-Approved Equipment - Equine

Leather / Buckle Reins

The use of leather or bucklereins are not permitted in races or in training.

Nasal Dilators / Nasal Strips

Nasal Dilators / Nasal Strips are not permitted to be worn by horses in races or in training.

Rugs / Blankets

The use of rugs on a horse when exercising during the months of May to September, inclusive is not permitted. Further, every horse brought into the parade ring prior to a race must be free of a rug.

Any horse undergoing a veterinary inspection which requires a trot up in hand and visual inspection of the horse must be free of bandages, rugs, or anything else covering any part of the horse's body.

'Full Spoon' Bit

'Full Spoon' bit is not permitted in races or in training. The use of 'Half Spoon' bit in races is subjected to prior inspection and authorisation by the Stewards or their authorised representative.

