

# MALAYAN RACING ASSOCIATION

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TO: ALL OWNERS, TRAINERS, JOCKEYS AND APPRENTICES

### ADDITIONS AND AMENDMENTS TO MRA RULES OF RACING AND REGULATIONS

The additions and amendments to the MRA Rules of Racing and Regulations (highlighted in bold) are to be implemented as follows:

#### MRA RULES OF RACING

SECTION	EXPLANATION	AMENDMENT
PART V: TRAINERS	Amended Rule 30(3) to be effective from 28 August 2015.	<b><u>Rule 30(3)</u></b> If any Trainer has a Bankruptcy Order made against him, his licence shall thereupon be deemed to be terminated from the date the Association has notice or knowledge of the Bankruptcy Order. If the Association shall issue a licence to a Trainer currently disqualified or against whom there is a Bankruptcy Order in force or who is an undischarged bankrupt, the licence shall be deemed to be terminated from the date the Association has notice or knowledge of the Bankruptcy Order. The subsequent rescission or setting aside of the Bankruptcy Order shall not affect the termination of the Trainer's licence <b>or any consequences from the termination thereof.</b>
Cancellation or Suspension of a Trainer's licence		
Stable Employees and MRA passes	Added Rule 38 to be effective from 28 August 2015.	<b><u>Rule 38</u></b> <b>Any Trainer who wishes to nominate his Stable Manager and/or Stable Supervisor to ride horses at track work and in trials must sign an indemnity form and obtain the permission of the Local Committee.</b>

SECTION	EXPLANATION	AMENDMENT
PART VII : OWNERSHIP OF HORSES  Disqualification or lapse of Registration of Ownership	Amended Rule 58(6) to be effective from 28 August 2015.	<b><u>Rule 58(6)</u></b>  The registration of an ownership shall be deemed to be revoked under Rule 58(2)(b) from the date the Association has notice or knowledge that the Owner has been declared a bankrupt. The subsequent rescission or setting aside of the bankruptcy shall not affect the revocation of the registration of ownership <b>or any consequences from the termination thereof.</b>
PART VIII  HORSES  Change of name of registered horse	Amended Rule 74 to be effective from 28 August 2015.	<b><u>Rule 74</u></b>  (1) The name under which any horse has been registered shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Committee.  (2) An application for the change of name of a registered horse shall be made to the Secretary of the Association on the required form and shall be accompanied by the appropriate fee as determined and notified by the Committee from time to time.  (3) No application for the change of name of a registered horse shall be permitted within two (2) years from the date of the original registration, <b>except in the event of a horse changing ownership after the registration of such a horse.</b>  (4) The registration of a change of name of <b>a registered horse</b> shall not be accepted more than <b>twice from the date of the original registration.</b>  (5) The registration of a change of name shall not be accepted for any horse which has won any feature race as determined by the Committee.  (6) No change of name for any horse may be made during the course of a race meeting for which it has been entered.

**MRA REGULATIONS**

SECTION	EXPLANATION	AMENDMENT
HORSES  Maiden/Restricted Maiden Races	Amended Regulation 7.1 to be effective from 28 August 2015.	<u>Regulation 7.1</u>  The conditions for Maiden/Restricted Maiden races are as follows:  (a) <u>Malaysia</u>  (i) All horses which have not won a race, both newly registered imports and horses already registered with the Association will be eligible to run in Maiden races which will be held under Handicap conditions. Unraced two (2) and three (3) year old horses (with the exception of Malaysian - bred horses) must have two race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races to be allocated an official MRA rating before becoming eligible for any race held under Handicap conditions.  (ii) All unraced horses registered to race in Malaysia <b>which have turned</b> four (4) years old <b>and</b> have not won or completed two race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races will be allocated a MRA rating of not less than 44 points.  (iii) All Malaysian-bred horses are qualified for handicaps with an initial rating of not less than thirty eight (38) points.



SECTION	EXPLANATION	AMENDMENT
		<p>(b) <u>Singapore</u></p> <p>(i) All horses which have not won a race, both newly registered imports and horses already registered with the Association will be eligible to run in Maiden races which will be held under Handicap conditions. Unraced two (2) and three (3) year old horses (with the exception of Malaysian - bred horses) must have three race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races to be allocated an official MRA rating before becoming eligible for any race held under Handicap conditions.</p> <p>(ii) All unraced horses registered to race in Singapore <b>which have turned</b> four (4) years old <b>and</b> have not won or completed three race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races will be required to complete three race starts before being allocated a MRA rating.</p> <p>(iii) <b>All unraced horses, registered to race in Singapore which have turned (6) years old and have not won or completed three race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races will be allocated a MRA rating of not less than 55 points.</b></p>

## MISCELLANEOUS

### Schedule of Fees

Regulation 47 [Amended regulation to be effective for the 2016 racing season]

		FEES IN S\$	FEES IN RM
1	Registration of Owner Membership (From 1 January to 31 December)	456.00	1,140.00

	<u>FEES IN S\$</u>	<u>FEES IN RM</u>
2 Registration of Owner Membership (From 1 July to 31 December)	<b>240.00</b>	600.00
3 Renewal of Owner Membership	<b>456.00</b>	1,140.00
4 Registration of Horse	<b>40.00</b>	100.00
5 Registration of Assumed Name	<b>40.00</b>	100.00
6 Change of Constitution of Assumed Name	<b>40.00</b>	100.00
7 Change of Name of Horse	<b>800.00</b>	2,000.00
8 Change of Assumed Name	<b>40.00</b>	100.00
9 Registration / Renewal of Racing Colours	<b>40.00</b>	100.00
10 Sale of Horse (Transfer)	<b>80.00</b>	200.00
11 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Stable Supervisor/Stable Manager	<b>40.00</b>	100.00
12 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Syce	10.00	<b>25.00</b>
13 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Track Rider	10.00	<b>25.00</b>
14 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Senior Track Rider	20.00	<b>50.00</b>
15 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Farrier	10.00	<b>25.00</b>
16 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Stable Clerk	10.00	<b>25.00</b>
17 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Valet	10.00	<b>25.00</b>
18 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Trainer	<b>160.00</b>	400.00
19 Registration / Renewal of Licence of Assistant Trainer	<b>80.00</b>	200.00
20 Application for Licence (Professional Trainer and Assistant Trainer)	<b>800.00</b>	2,000.00
21 Registration / Renewal of Spelling Station	100.00	<b>250.00</b>
22 Registration / Renewal of Horse Float	100.00	<b>250.00</b>

	<u>FEES IN S\$</u>	<u>FEES IN RM</u>
23 Lodgement of Appeal to Racing Stewards	1,000.00	2,500.00
24 Lodgement of Appeal to MRA Committee	4,000.00	10,000.00
25 Retrieval of Racing Information for the past 1 year to current	300.00	750.00
26 Retrieval of Racing Information from the past 5 years to current	500.00	1,250.00
27 Retrieval of Racing Information for above past 5 years (maximum up to past 10 years)	1,000.00	2,500.00

2 The full set of the MRA Rules of Racing and Regulations (S\$40.00 or RM80.00 per copy) can be purchased at the MRA Secretariat Offices located at Unit No. A-5-4, Level 5, Block A, Mines Waterfront Business Park, The Mines Resort City, 43300 Seri Kembangan, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia and the Singapore Turf Club or they can be downloaded from the MRA website at [www.malayan-racing.com](http://www.malayan-racing.com).

Best Regards.



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SECRETARY (SINGAPORE)

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Panel of Handicappers  
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