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## Appendix 1 : Contrôle des médicaments

### Medikationskontrolle / Anti-doping regulation

Substances spécifiques / Spezifische Substanzen / Specific substances / Specifika substanser		
<b>Cobalt</b> Cobalt / Cobalt / Kobolt		Threshold : 100 ng/ml in Urine 25 ng/ml in Blood
<b>Antibiotiques</b> Antibiotika / Antibiotics / Antibiotika	✓	Prohibited substance
<b>Antiparasitaires</b> Entwurmungsmittel / Antiparasitic / Avmaskning	✓	Allowed under control; have to be listed in the medicine book and declared before a doping test
<b>Biphosphonates (seuls le Tiludronate et le Clodronate sont autorisés)</b> Biphosphonaten (nur Tiludronat und Clodronat sind erlaubt) / Biphosphonates (only Tiludronate and Clodronate are allowed) / Bifosfonater (Endast Tiludronat och Klodronat är tillåtna)		From January 1, 2021, no treatment containing a substance belonging to the therapeutic class of bisphosphonates can be administered to a horse under 4 years of age.
<b>Altrenogest</b>		Altrenogest is a prohibited substance. Use is allowed on horses in training provided there is a medical indication
<b>Castration Immunologique (vaccination anti-GnRH)</b> Anti-GnRH Impfung / Immunological castration (anti-GnRH vaccination) / Immunologisk kastrering, exempelvis anti-GnRH vaccination	⊗	
Périodes d'interdiction d'administration avant course / Dauer des Verabreichungsverbots vor dem Rennen / Stand down periods before racing / Karenstid inför tävling		
<b>Toute substance prohibée</b> Alle verbotenen Substanzen / All prohibited substances / Alla förbjudna substanser		No specific rules
<b>Dispositions spécifiques le jour de la course</b> Besondere Bestimmungen am Renntag / Specific provisions on the day of the race / Bestämmelser på tävlingsdagen		Nothing else than normal and usual food
<b>Dispositions spécifiques 96 heures avant la course</b> Besondere Bestimmungen 96h vor dem Rennen / Specific provisions 96 hours before the race / Specifika bestämmelser 96 timmar före tävling		No injections, infusions, intubations, inhalations or oral application
<b>Dispositions spécifiques 72 heures avant la course</b> Besondere Bestimmungen 72h vor dem Rennen / Specific provisions 72 hours before the race / Specifika bestämmelser 72 timmar före tävling		All medications are prohibited minimum 72 hours prior to race.
<b>Anti-inflammatoires non stéroïdiens</b> NSAIDS / NSAIDS / NSAIDS		No specific rules
<b>Corticoïdes par voie intra-articulaire</b> Intraartikuläre Verabreichung von Kortikoiden / Intraarticular administration of a corticoid / Ledbehandling med kortison		No specific rules
<b>Toute administration par voie intra-articulaire</b> Jegliche intraartikuläre Verabreichung / All intra-articular administration / All ledbehandling		No specific rules
<b>Corticoïdes par voie générale</b> Jegliche Verabreichung von Kortikoiden / Corticosteroids by general route / Allmän behandling med kortison		No specific rules
<b>Phytothérapie</b> Phytotherapie / Phytotherapy / Fytoterapi, växtbaserade substanser	✓	If contains no prohibited substances
<b>Antibiotiques</b> Antibiotika / Antibiotics / Antibiotika		Allowed under control, have to be listed in the medicine book or declared before a doping test
<b>Autres</b> Others / Annat		

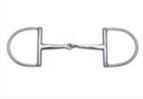
## Appendix 2 : Pratiques prohibées

### Verbotene praktiken / Prohibited practices

<b>Gestation</b> Trächtigkeit / Pregnancy / Dräktighet	⊗	A pregnant mare is not allowed to race
<b>Cryothérapie spray-gaz</b> Kryotherapie / Cryotherapy spray-gas / Nedkylning med spray-gas	⊗	Not allowed on the race day
<b>Immersion des membres dans la glace sur un hippodrome avant la course</b> Kühlen der Beine durch Eis auf der Rennbahn am Renntag / Immersion of legs in ice on racetrack before the race / Nedkylning med is		No rules
<b>Ondes de choc</b> Stosswellentherapie / Schockwave therapy / Stötvågsbehandling	⊗	From January 1st, 2021: forbidden within 5 days before a race

<b>Dispositif modifiant le passage de l'air dans les voies respiratoires (Cornell collar, nasal strips...)</b> <i>Vorrichtung, die den Luftstrom in den Atemwege beeinflusst (Cornell collar, Nasal Strips...)</i> / <i>Device for altering air flow in the respiratory tract (Cornell collar, nasal strips...)</i> / <i>Mekanisk påverkan av luftflödet i respirationsorganen (Cornell collar, nästejp...)</i>	⊗	
<b>Feux (chauds/froids) / vésicatoires</b> <i>Feuer (kalt / warm) – scharfe Einreibungen / Fire (cold / hot) – Blistering / Blistring</i>		Fire is not allowed, Blistering is allowed under control; have to be listed in the medicine book and declared before a doping test
<b>Fixation de poids sur les sabots</b> <i>Anbringen von Gewichten im Hufbereich / Weight balancing on hooves / Balansering med hovvikter</i>	⊗	Weight balancing on hooves are not allowed
<b>Attacher la langue</b> <i>Zunge anbinden / Use of tongue-tie / Tungband</i>	⊙	<p>A tongue-tie must be made of leather, rubber or other synthetic material, where the flexibility of the material is restricted. A tongue-tie must have a minimum width of 15 mm, also during use, and it is important to ensure that the tongue-tie is just used for attachment at the lower jaw.</p> <p>Tongue-tie is allowed in Germany except in 3 racetracks in the land of « Nordrhein-Westfalen » : Gelsenkirchen, Dinslaken and Mönchengladbach, in which Tongue-tie is forbidden.</p>

### Appendix 3 : Équipements 1, Mors Gebisse / Bits / Kuolaimets

<b>Mors de filet simple brisé à anneaux</b> <i>Wassertrense (einfach gebrochen) / Tränsbett</i>	⊙	
<b>Mors de filet simple brisé à olives</b> <i>Olivenkopftrense (einfach gebrochen) / Tränsbett med fasta ringar</i>	⊙	
<b>Mors de filet simple brisé verdun</b> <i>D-Ring Gebiss oder Renntrense / D-bett</i>	⊙	
<b>Mors de filet brisé simple à aiguilles</b> <i>Knebeltrense einfach gebrochen / Bett med parerstänger</i>	⊗	 <p>Only one limb allowed which has to be right-angled and not longer than 8 cm</p>
<b>Mors de filet brisé simple à spatules ou à crocs</b> <i>Schenkelrense einfach gebrochen / Snaffle / Travbett</i>	⊙	
<b>Mors de filet brisé et releveur</b> <i>Aufziehtrense einfach gebrochen / Gagbett/hissbett</i>	⊗	
<b>Mors de filet brisé, dit mors lecomte</b> <i>Lecomte Trense einfach gebrochen</i>	⊗	
<b>Mors de filet à double brisure plate</b> <i>Trense doppelt gebrochen / Tredelat bett</i>	⊙	
<b>Mors de filet bristol à spatules, aiguilles, olives ou anneaux</b> <i>Doppelt gebrochene Trensen mit Schenkeln, Knebel, Olivengebiss oder Wassertrense / Dr. Bristol / Tredelade bett</i>	⊙	 <p>Except the second one</p>   
<b>Mors de filet brisé à double capons</b>		

<b>Mors à tringle</b> <i>Gebiss mit Braymontigel / Australiensiskt entöms-bett</i>	⊗	
<b>Mors gene</b> <i>Gebiss gene / Australiensiskt entöms-bett</i>	⊗	
<b>Mors à cuillère, palette et abaisse-langue</b> <i>Löffel-Gebisse, Zungenstrecker-Gebiss / Tungefelsbett, tungfels-gummi</i>	⊙	 
<b>Mors à attache</b> <i>Gebiss zum Befestigen</i>	⊗	
<b>Mors Papillon (mors cage) uniquement le mors droit comme ce modèle est autorisé</b> <i>Schmetterlingstrense (Käfigtrense) nur dieses Model als Stangengebiss ist erlaubt / «Butterfly» bit (cage bit) only the straight bit as this model is authorized</i>	⊗	

### Appendix 3 : Équipements 2, Enrênements Oberchecks / Overchecks / Obertsekits

<b>Enrênement automatique</b> <i>Automatischer Scheck / Automatcheckrem</i>	⊗	
<b>Enrênement panurge</b> <i>Seitenscheck / Nackcheck</i>	⊙	
<b>Releveur sous-barbe ou mors « Frisco June »</b> <i>Frisco June Gebiss / Frisco June / Frisco June</i>	⊙	 
<b>Releveur élastique</b> <i>Elastischer Scheckriemen / Elastisk checkrem</i>	⊗	
<b>Releveur canadien / américain</b> <i>Kanadascheck / Kanadacheck, O'Mara-check</i>	⊗	
<b>Releveur Hutton</b> <i>Hutton-Scheck / Overcheckbit Hutton</i>	⊗	 
<b>Releveur finlandais</b> <i>Bügelscheck (Ramond-Scheck) / Raymond Check</i>	⊙	
		Chin strap has to be leather or plastic or upholstered
<b>Releveur TSF</b> <i>TSF-Scheck</i>	⊗	

### Appendix 3 : Équipements 3, Mors d'enrênement Check-Gebiss / Checkbit

<b>Mors de releveur droit ou légèrement courbé</b> <i>Scheck-Gebiss gerade oder leicht gebogen / Plain standard</i>	⊙	 
		Just for straight bits with or without tongue protection ; curved bits not allowed
<b>Mors de releveur brisé</b> <i>Gebrochenes / Scheck-Gebiss / Mini-bit Lillbett-minibett</i>	⊙	

<p><b>Dispositions spécifiques</b>  <i>Besondere Vorschriften / Specific provisions / Särskilda krav</i></p>	<p>be filled to avoid a horse to put a hoof in this space.  Maximal distance between the fork and the wheel: 6 cm.  Compulsory protection between the top of the fork and the wheel.  Wheels protected by transparent plastic on both sides.  Maximal width of the sulky: 165 cm.</p>
<p><b>En cas d'intempéries</b>  <i>schlechte Wetterverhältnisse / Bad weather conditions / Dåliga väderförhållanden</i></p>	No rules
<p><b>Autres</b>  <i>Others / Annat</i></p>	

## Appendix 4 : Déferrage

### Barefoot racing

<p><b>Cheval déferré</b>  <i>Unbeschlagenes Pferd / Unshod horse / Barfota hov</i></p>	
<p><b>Cheval Protégé – Plaques de protection</b>  <i>Geschütztes Pferd – Hufschutz / Protected horse – Protected Plates / Hov med enbart sula</i></p>	 <p>Shoeing made of aluminium, plastic or GRP (glass fibre reinforced plastic) is also permitted. It is irrelevant whether they are nailed or glued on. Furthermore, shoes that only partially cover the hoof, such as open-toe shoes (e.g. Peter Manning shoes) or toe shoes (e.g. Italian tips) are permitted</p>
<p><b>Cheval ferré</b>  <i>Beschlagenes Pferd / Shod horse / Hov med skor</i></p>	
<p><b>Obligations avant la course</b>  <i>Verpflichtungen vor dem Rennen / Duty before the race / Anmäla skoinformation</i></p>	The type of shoeing has to be specified before the race
<p><b>Dispositions spécifiques en fonction de l'âge</b>  <i>Alterspezifische Bestimmungen / Specific provisions based on age / Särskilda barfotareglor för unga hästar</i></p>	Two and three years old horses may only participate in competition and performance tests if they are shod on all hooves
<p><b>Dispositions spécifiques en fonction de la saison</b>  <i>Nach Jahreszeit spezifische Bestimmungen / Specific provisions depending on the season / Barfotaförbud vintertid</i></p>	None
<p><b>Sanctions en cas de blessure occasionnée par le déferrage</b>  <i>Sanktionen bei Verletzung als Folge des Barfuss Rennens / Sanctions in case of injury caused by barefoot racing / Bestraffning för olämplig behandling av häst vid barfotakörning</i></p>	<p>The equipment permitted by the HVT is regulated in the Harness Racing Regulations (§ 76, par. 3 as well as the Implementing Regulations on Permitted Equipment). The list in the Regulations contains the equipment permitted in the race.  Equipment not included in this list is prohibited.  Violations will be punished with fines and / or lead to the loss of the right to participate</p>
<p><b>Sanctions pour changement non-autorisé de ferrage</b>  <i>Sanktionen für unbewilligte Änderungen des Beschlagszustands / Sanctions for unauthorised change of shoeing status / Bestraffning för att inte ha lämnat korrekt skoinformation</i></p>	<p>The equipment permitted by the HVT is regulated in the Harness Racing Regulations (§ 76, par. 3 as well as the Implementing Regulations on Permitted Equipment). The list in the Regulations contains the equipment permitted in the race.  Equipment not included in this list is prohibited.  Violations will be punished with fines and / or lead to the loss of the right to participate</p>

## Appendix 5 : Vaccinations

### Impfungen

<p><b>Grippe équine</b>  <i>Influenza / Influenza / Influenza</i></p>	Compulsory
<p><b>Injection avant course</b>  <i>Impfvorschriften vor den Rennen / Grundvaccination för tävling</i></p>	Vaccination forbidden within 3 days before a race
<p><b>Protocole</b>  <i>Impfprotokoll / Vaccinationsintervall</i></p>	<p>1st Vaccination recommended in foal age,  2nd Vaccination: 21-60 days after 1st Vaccination,  3rd Vaccination. 120-180 days after 2nd vaccination  Booster after recommended 6 month and maximum 12 month.</p>
<p><b>Autres vaccinations obligatoires</b>  <i>Andere verpflichtende Impfungen / Andra obligatoriska vaccinationer</i></p>	<p>Vaccination against Equine HERPES VIRUS will be compulsory from the 1st of January 2021.  <b>PROTOCOL :</b>  – Primary course: 1st Vaccination  – 2nd Vaccination: 21-60 days after 1st Vaccination  – First booster : 120-180 days after 2nd Vaccination  – Boosters : Booster after recommended 6 month and maximum 12 month.  However the vaccine manufacturer's specifications should be followed. The horse is allowed to race from the forth day after the 2nd vaccination.</p>
<p><b>Sanctions</b>  <i>Sanktionen / Sanktioner</i></p>	<p>The horse is not admitted to a race if incorrectly vaccinated. If vaccination certificate can't be presented at the track (random control), the horse is not allowed to race on that event and banned from further racing until certificate is presented. To unban the horse 55 EUR has to be paid.</p>





