

Rolex Grand Slam of Show Jumping

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Schedule Cross Country













# This document contains:

- The Event Covid-19 risk assessment and risk mitigation plan in accordance with the <u>FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19</u> Pandemic
- · The Event Approved Schedule

Given the current covid-19 situation, please note that the FEI's approval of a Schedule should not be taken as an absolute guarantee that the Event will definitely go ahead. The decision whether the Event can take place must be made by the OC and NF in close consultation with the applicable domestic government and public health authorities. It is the responsibility of each Participant to check the status of the Event prior to planning his/her travel to the Event.



# **Risk assessment for COVID-19**

The questions below will enable OCs to review the additional considerations specific to sports, and thus inform their risk assessment of COVID-19 associated with their Event. This will help OCs understand and manage any additional risk from COVID-19.

The risk assessment should be reviewed and reassessed regularly during the planning phase and updated immediately prior to the transition to the operational phase, especially in light of the rapidly evolving nature of the outbreak. Reference should be made to the latest technical guidance and situation reports on the WHO website.

The risk assessment for COVID-19 associated with the Event must be coordinated and integrated with the host country's national risk assessment for COVID-19. The person completing the questionnaire should include input from the local public health authorities, consult WHO's latest technical guidance and ensure that there is an up-to-date evaluation of the epidemiological situation.

# Please answer Yes (1) or No (0) to the following questions to determine a risk assessment score that incorporates factors specific to sporting events

incorporates factors specific to sporting events		-
Additional risk of COVID-19 to the sporting	Yes (1)/No (0)	Score
event		
Will the event be held in a country that has documented active local transmission of COVID-19 (community spread)?	1	1
Will the event be held in a single venue or		
multiple venues/cities/countries?	0	0
(single venue = 0; multiple venues = 1)	·	•
Will the event include international participants (athletes and spectators) from countries that have documented active local transmission of COVID-19 (community spread)? (NB: if the Events does not involve spectators, please clarify this in the comments to the questions in relation to spectators in the "Mitigation Checklist" sheet)	1	1
Will the event include a significant number of participants (athletes or spectators) at higher risk of severe COVID-19 disease (e.g., people over 65 years of age or people with underlying health conditions)?	0	0
Will the event include sports that are considered at higher risk of spread for COVID-19 (eg, contact sports)?	0	0
Will the event be held indoors? (Yes = 1; No = 0)	1	1
Total COVID-19 risk score		3

# Mitigation checklist for COVID-19

Mitigation measures assess the current effort and planning to reduce the risk of spread of COVID-19 disease for the event. As mitigation measures can reduce the overall risk of the sporting event contributing to the spread of COVID-19, they should be taken into account after the risk assessment has occurred to gain a clearer understanding of the overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19, should the event be held. Together with the risk assessment score, the mitigation measure will contribute to the decision matrix and influence the assessment of the overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the event.

Topic	Key consideration	Score Yes/Completed (2), Maybe/In progress (1), No/Not considered (0)	Weighting	Total score	Comments
	Have the relevant OC and responsible staff been informed about the <b>latest available guidance on the COVID-19 outbreak</b> (official web resources available from WHO, CDC, ECDC, UN, local public health authorities)? And are the OC and staff concerned committed to following the available guidance?	2	1	2	
Understanding of the overview of the current COVID-19	Is the OC aware of global and local daily situation reports as provided by WHO or local public health authorities?	2	1	2	
situation by the OC	Do the OC and responsible staff understand the risks and transmission routes of COVID-19, the steps that Event attendees can take to limit spread, the recognized best practices (including respiratory etiquette, hand hygiene, physical distancing, etc.), and the travel restrictions adopted by different countries that may affect the Event?	2	1	2	
	Has a <b>contingency medical response plan for COVID-19</b> been developed for the Event?	2	3	6	
Event emergency preparedness and response plans	Does the contingency medical response plan include <b>information about how attendees should interact with the host country healthcare system</b> (e.g. hotline/helpline telephone number, medical teams and first-aid points for the Event, local health care system)?	2	3	6	
	Is there an <b>Emergency COVID-19 Outbreak Response Coordinator/Team</b> in the OC or other structure structure for the Event with defined roles and responsibilities, coordinating the health preparedness and response planning for the outbreak?	2	2	4	
	Has the host country or OC requested support from WHO and/or local public health authorities?	2	3	6	
	Has the OC acquired the following supplies to help reduce the risk of transmission of COVID	-19?			
	Personal protective equipment (e.g. masks, gloves, gowns) for onsite medical personnel	2	3	6	

Hand sanitizer and alcohol rubs/gels, tissues, frequently replaced soap canisters and closed bins for safe disposal of hygienic materials (e.g. tissues, towels, sanitary products) in washrooms and changing rooms	2	3	6	
Hand sanitizers and alcohol rubs for all entrances and throughout the venue	2	3	6	
If a person feels unwell/ shows symptoms of an acute respiratory infection during the Even	t:			
Is there a procedure for athletes or spectators to clearly identify <b>whom to contact and how to do so</b> if they or other Event participants feel unwell?	2	3	6	
Is there a protocol on whom the OC should contact in the host country to report suspected cases and request testing and epidemiological investigations?	2	3	6	
Are <b>first-aid services or other medical services</b> in-place and equipped to support patients with respiratory symptoms?	2	2	4	
Are there <b>isolation rooms or mobile isolation units</b> available onsite?	2	2	4	
Are there any <b>designated medical facilities</b> that manage patients with COVID-19 infection in the host country?	2	2	4	
Are there <b>transporation services with trained medical professionals</b> available to transport critically ill patients with severe acute respiratory infections to a hospital or to evacuate them from the host country, if necessary?	2	2	4	
Has a <b>cleaning schedule</b> been developed to ensure the venue is clean and hygienic – wiping surfaces and any equipment regularly with disinfectant is strongly recommended (before, during and after the event and between each round of competition)?	2	3	6	
Are there established <b>screening measures</b> , including temperature checks in place for participants at the point of entry, venues, routes and on-site medical facilities (first-aid points)? (Please specify in Comments what these screening measures include)	0	3	0	
Is the host country conducting COVID-19 <b>laboratory diagnostic tests</b> ? (If Yes, please specify in comments the type of COVID-19 diagnostic test used)	2	3	6	CHI Geneva is colaborating with the Hopital de la Tour able to provide all services/treatments regarding Covid-19.
Does the host country have a <b>national public health emergency preparedness and response plan</b> that can address severe respiratory diseases, including COVID-19?	2	2	4	
Is there a preliminary agreement by the host country to provide care for any COVID-19 cases connected with the Event?	2	3	6	Health plan will be validated by the Canton of Geneva
If the Event is for a duration of 14 days or longer, does the medical response plan for the event include resources and protocols for managing all public health interventions that would be necessary and supporting the national public health authorities if participants are infected and become unwell at the Event? (If the event is for less than 14 days, please score 0)	0	3	0	
If the Event is for less than 14 days, does the medical response plan include protocols for OCs to notify all participants of possible exposure to COVID-19 if the OCs are made aware of any suspected or confirmed cases that attended the Event? (If the event is for 14 days or longer, please score 0)	2	3	6	

	Is there an established mechanism for collaboration and coordination between <b>the health</b> and security sectors, which is considered as crucial?	2	2	4	
Stakeholder and partner coordination	Are there agreed, clear and easily understood processes in place for <b>reporting to external multi-sectoral stakeholders</b> (including surveillance authorities, WHO, CDC, ECDC, etc.) and disseminating risk communication messages (Media)?	2	2	4	
	Is there a decision-making authority/body and an agreed procedure to <b>modify</b> , <b>restrict</b> , <b>postpone or cancel the</b> Event related to the evolving COVID-19 outbreak?	2	3	6	
Command and control	Are there arrangements to activate a <b>strategic health operations centre</b> if there are suspected COVID-19 cases in connection with the Event?	2	2	4	
	Have the OC and staff undergone training and exercises on personal safety procedures and emergency mitigation measures (including those specifically listed in this checklist)?	1	3	3	
	Is there a <b>risk communication strategy</b> for the Event in regard to COVID-19?	2	3	6	
	Is there a <b>designated person(s) to lead media</b> activities and tasked with managing all external communications with national and international government officials, the general public, and the media? (If yes, please identify the spokesperson in comments)	2	2	4	Press Officer Corinne Druey
Risk communication	Has there been monitoring of national and international media and social media established for rumours to be able to counter them early? (Please explain in the comments what protocols are in place for counter messaging)	2	2	4	Coordinate by the press officer, the communication manager and the digital marketing manager.
	Has coordination been set up with major official media channels and social media sites such as Twitter, Facebook and Instagram so that messaging can be coordinated with, and assisted by, the platforms to provide targeted messaging from OCs (including messaging to counter fake news and rumours, and proactive messaging about the status of thesporting event, including changes)?	0	2	0	
Public health	Has <b>public health advice</b> on clinical features of COVID-19, preventive measures, especially respiratory etiquette, hand hygiene practices, and physical distancing, been shared with all staff involved in the Event, athletes, the public, and personnel of all relevant stakeholders?	2	3	6	
awareness of COVID- 19 before and during the event	Has information on the <b>at-risk populations</b> been provided to all athletes, the public and others so they may make an informed decision on their attendance based on their personal risks?	2	3	6	
	Has public advice included information on the meaning of the following measures: quarantine, self-isolation and self-monitoring?	2	2	4	
	Are there any surge arrangements in place in the event of a public health emergency during and confirmed cases of COVID-19?	the Event - (i.e. suspected			
Surge capacity	Do these surge arrangements include funding for mitigation measures?	1	3	3	
Juige capacity	Do these surge arrangements include stockpiles of equipment (e.g. personal protective equipment, etc.)	1	3	3	
	Do these surge arrangements include training of extra staff?	0	2	0	
l	Do these surge arrangements include volunteers?	0	2	0	

	Will there be daily health checks of athletes/competitors?	2	2	4	Covid Test for non vaccinated/recovered person
	Will the <b>athletes be separated from other groups</b> , such as officials, support staff and spectators, to limit transmission?	1	2	2	
	Are there measures in place to <b>limit the sharing of equipment</b> , <b>water bottles</b> , <b>towels</b> , etc.?	2	3	6	
Specific mitigation	Will athletes be given closed <b>containers to allow for the safe disposal or storing of all hygienic materials</b> (e.g. tissues, towels, etc.)?	0	3	0	
measures	Will the Event have designated seating for all spectators?	2	3	6	
	Does the designated <b>seating provided allow for physical distancing</b> between spectators (minimum of 1 metre)?	1	2	2	If asked by the Swiss and Geneva Government
	Have <b>pre-travel health checks</b> been performed on all athletes to ensure underlying comorbidities, medications, allergies, etc. are documented?	0	2	0	

Sum of mitigation measures	179
Total mitigation score (%)	81

# **Event overall risk score**

The decision matrix takes the risk score and the mitigation score to provide a colour determination. This colour determination identifies the total risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event. The "Colour Determination" key below the decision matrix describes the total risk for each colour.

Total COVID-19 risk score (from "Risk Assessment" Tab)	3
Total mitigation score (from "Mitigation Checklist" Tab)	81

# Risk Vs. Mitigation Matrix

Total Risk Assessment Score	Very Prepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (76-100)	Somewhat Prepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (51-75)	Somewhat Unprepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (26-50)	Very Unprepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (0-25)
0 - Negligible	Very low	Very low	Very low	Very low
1 - Very Low Risk	Very low	Very low	Low	Low
2 - Low Risk	Low	Low	Low	Moderate
3 - Moderate Risk (low-moderate)	Low	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
4 - Moderate Risk (high-moderate)	Moderate	Moderate	High	Very High
5 - High Risk	High	High	Very High	Very High
6 - Very High Risk	Very High	Very High	Very High	Very High

KEY FOR COLOUR DETER	MINATION OF OVERALL RISK
VERY LOW	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered <u>very low</u> .
LOW	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered <u>Iow</u> . Recommend checking whether mitigation measures can be strengthened.
MODERATE	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered moderate. Recommend significant efforts to improve mitigation measures or reduce risk of transmission (decrease risk assessment score).
нідн	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered high. Recommend significant efforts to improve both mitigation measures and reduce risk of transmission (decrease risk assessment score).
VERY HIGH	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered <u>very high</u> .



# COVID-19 SAFETY REGULATIONS CHI GENEVA 2021 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> December Palexpo





- Covid Certificate mandatory for all people entering the event (proof of vaccination, recovered, tested less than 48 hours antigenic and 72 hours PCR Test). Identity Card must be presented at the same time at the control points.
- Masks must be worn when social distancing cannot be respected.
- Everyone is called upon to respect social distancing of 1.5 meters.
- Sanitising gel will be available for public use at entrances and around the venue. Please wash and sanitise your hands regularly.
- Health procedure notices will be in evidence around the Palexpo venue.
- Contactless payment is preferred.
- All affected objects will be regularly disinfected by professionals.
- Ventilation of the premises in open circuit (no recirculation of indoor air).
- Security staff will be appointed to ensure compliance with the measures.

These rules must be applied in every sectors and could be adapted if required by the Government.



# I. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT

Venue:	Geneva		
Date:	10 <sup>th</sup> December 2021	NF:	SUI
Indoor:		Outdoor:	
EVENT CATEGO	ORIES:		
CIX-Arena:	$\boxtimes$		

# II. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- FEI Statutes, 24<sup>th</sup> edition, effective 19 November 2019
- FEI General Regulations, 24<sup>th</sup> edition, effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2020, updates effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 14<sup>th</sup> edition, effective 1 January 2018, updates effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021
- FEI Eventing Rules and its Annexes, 25<sup>th</sup> edition, effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019, updates effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), based upon the 2021 WADA Code, effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021
- The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic, effective as of 1 July 2020 and until further notice
- All subsequent published revisions/updates, the provisions of which will take precedence.

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Approved by the FEI, Lausanne, on 5 October 2021

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FEI Director Eventing and Olympic

Draft schedules are to be sent by e-mail to eventingschedules@fei.org



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Pres	S EQUIPMENT AND OTHER ITEMS LEFT IN THE PRESS WORKROOM, PRESS LOCKERS, THE PRESS TRIBUNE OR ANYWHERE ON THE	
SHOV	ngrounds are left entirely at the owner's risk. The Organising Committee does not accept any responsibility for any	1
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# III. THE FEI CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE WELFARE OF THE HORSE

The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) expects all those involved in international equestrian sport to adhere to the FEI's Code of Conduct and to acknowledge and accept that at all times the welfare of the horse must be paramount and must never be subordinated to competitive or commercial influences.

- 1. At all stages during the preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery and tack, and transportation.
- 2. Horses and Athletes must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids.
- 3. Events must not prejudice horse welfare. This involves paying careful attention to the competition areas, ground surfaces, weather conditions, stabling, site safety and fitness of the horse for onward travel after the event.
- 4. Every effort must be made to ensure that horses receive proper attention after they have competed and that they are treated humanely when their competition careers are over. This covers proper veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia and retirement.
- 5. The FEI urges all involved with the sport to attain the highest levels of education in their areas of expertise.

The Long version of this Code can be obtained from the Fédération Equestre Internationale, HM King Hussein I Building, Chemin de la Joliette 8, 1006 Lausanne, Switzerland. Telephone: +41 21 310 47 47. The Code is available in English. The Code is also available on the FEI's website: http://inside.fei.org/.



# IV. GENERAL INFORMATION

### 1. ORGANISER

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## Contact Details Show Ground:

Address: Palexpo

CHI Geneva

Route François-Peyrot 30 CH – 1218 Grand-Saconnex

Telephone: +41 22 738 18 00

GPS Coordinates: Latitude 46.2366903 / Longitude 6.118672899999999

### Accessibility details

# By road (for grooms & lorries):

Coming from Basel/Lausanne: Highway A1 towards Geneva.

Stay on the right lane and follow: France, Genève-la Praille, Aéroport, Palexpo.

Take exit 7: Grand-Saconnex, Ferney, Palexpo-Arena, Fret-Cargo.

Take the right lane and follow: Fret-Cargo, not Palexpo.

Turn left 50 meters before the traffic lights towards: France, Aéroport, Fret-Cargo.

Then follow: P-49, Fret-Cargo, and CHI along the runway. Shortly after P-49, drive up the ramp on your left hand side.

Entrance for international lorries with horses is at door: 620

# Coming from France: Highway A1 towards Lausanne.

Do not take exit Palexpo! Follow Fret-Cargo. After passing under Palexpo, take exit 7: Grand-Saconnex, Ferney, Fret-Cargo.

Take the left lane on the round-about towards 'Ferney'.

Turn left at the traffic lights, towards: France, Aéroport, Fret-Cargo.

Then follow: P-49, Fret-Cargo, and CHI along the runway. Shortly after P-49, drive up the ramp on your left hand side.

Entrance for international lorries with horses is at door: 620

# Nearest airport:

Geneva Cointrin (walking distance 15 minutes)

### **Nearest train station:**

Geneva airport (walking distance 15 minutes)



### 2. **ORGANISING COMMITTEE**

Sophie MOTTU MOREL General Director Alban POUDRET Sports Director Michel SORG Vice Director

Frédérique DE LINT General Secretary Corinne DRUEY Press Officer

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Name of Manufacturer:

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# V. OFFICIALS

Please note that the schedule will be approved under the provision that all appointed Officials have successfully passed the online FEI Competency Evaluation Test.

Ref.	Panel	Function	FEI ID	Name	NF	Level	Contact details
1	Ground Jury	Ground Jury President	10003852	Christian Landolt	SUI	3*	+44 7825 129387
2	Technical Delegate*	Technical Delegate	10093559	Giovanni Masci	SUI	2*	
		Cross Country Course Designer	10051096	Peter Hasenböhler	SUI	3	
3	Course Designer*	Course Builder (& company name if applicable)		Christian Aschard Equibois Création			
		Jumping Course Designer	10053146	Gérard Lachat			

<sup>\*</sup> Compulsory experienced FEI Technical Delegate or FEI Cross Country Course Designer appointment



# VI. INVITATIONS

# 1. GENERAL

CIX-Arena: (Refer to Eventing Rules Annex I, 25th Edition, effective 1st January 2019, updates effective 1st January 2021.)

Number of NFs invited:

Number of Athlete per NF:

Number of Horse per Athlete:

Maximum number of athletes to be invited:

All

Max. 6

1

16

The Indoor Cross Country of Geneva is by invitation only. The riders for this competition are selected by the Organizing committee of the CHI Geneva.

Athletes are invited by the Organiser through their National Federation.

One (1) groom per athlete.

# 2. QUALIFICATION

Competition will be opened to:

a) A, B or C Athletes

Horses entered in the Indoor Cross Country Competition must have CIC3\* qualifications. The OC decides if the horse entered has the required qualifications.

# 3. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS/ACCREDITED PERSONS

Entry right to the stable area according to FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1008-1009.

NUMBER OF ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athlete: One (1)
Partner: One (1)
Groom: One (1)

Horse Owner: Two (2) accreditations per horse acc. to FEI-Passport.

Only people accredited by the OC have the right of entry to the CHI Geneva. Private veterinaries (other than the veterinarian of the CHI Geneva) or any other person providing therapeutic or prophylactic care of any nature are asked to submit their request to the Veterinary Commission. Furthermore, they must then report to the official FEI Veterinary Delegate, upon arrival at the show grounds before they will be accredited and allowed to enter the restricted area. No veterinarian or other person providing therapeutic or prophylactic care of any nature, is permitted to treat horses without having specifically requested authorization from the Veterinary Commission. The OC reserves the right to withdraw, confiscate or otherwise any



passes whether issued with entry or purchased, without refund, immediately in the event that they are either cut, removed, in any way damaged or misused. Passes are non-transferable once issued.

# VII. ENTRIES

# **IMPORTANT**

- Entries must be made through the FEI Entry System (<a href="https://entry.fei.org">https://entry.fei.org</a>);
- Additional documentation can be found at: http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/nfs/entry-system-eventing
- All Athletes and Horses participating in any International Competition must be registered with the FEI;
- Athletes and/or Horses present at the Event without having been entered through the FEI's Online Entry System will automatically be disqualified unless compelling circumstances warrant otherwise.

## 1. ENTRY DATES AND ENTRY FEES

Entries have to be in accordance with Art.509 of the FEI Eventing Rules, 25th edition, effective 1st January 2019, updates effective 1st January 2021.

## **Deadlines for Entries:**

Closing date for Definite Entries: Friday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> 2021

Last date for substitutions: Wednesday, December 8<sup>th</sup> 2021

### **FEES FOR HORSES**

LLS I OK HORSES		
Entry fee per horse:	Free	
Stabling fee per horse:	Free	
EADCMP fee		
Lower Level Events (CIMs) CHF 18 per horse per event (For definition of CIMs see Appendix E of the FEI General Regulations) Higher Level Events CHF 25 per horse per event (All other events not defined as CIMs)  Included in entry fee  Not included in entry fee	CHF 25 per horse	
TOTAL fee per horse	CHF 25	
Details entry procedure fee / Payment:	Settled at the same time as prize money at Event Clearing.	

In regard to fees concerning Water, they will no longer be charged. However, please do not drain off sanitary disposals within the grounds of Palexpo unless directly hooked up to a sanitary disposal. Used water may not be evacuated from the trucks and should be stored in the water recovery tank until appropriate disposal is available.

**Entry fees and other fees** will be settled on Event Clearing.

The international horses are stabled in boxes at "Palexpo" in a hall adjoining the show arena which will be strictly controlled and to which access will be restricted in



accordance with the security Veterinary Regulations (Art. 1005). Wood shavings and hay will be sold at a cost price. Straw will be provided free of charge for those who wish it. Any extra horse must be announced well in advance and a fee of CHF 75.- per horse/per day will be charged.

### LOGISTICAL ENTRIES

**Contact** <u>info@chi-geneve.ch</u> **for companions** such as grooms or horse owners who wish to access the venue or for any other questions regarding accreditations.

Any requests for **hotel reservations** have to be specified with the room type (single/double) and the date of arrival and departure must be sent before 15<sup>th</sup> of November to: mpnaz@chi-geneve.ch.

All rooms booked but not used will be billed to the rider following the usual hotel rate.

The OC will **not accept** any other entries or incomplete entries.

### 2. OTHER FEES

All other fees must be listed hereunder with the details of the amounts to be charged and approved by the FEI. Only fees approved by the FEI and listed in the approved Schedule can be charged by the OC.

Electricity (upon request): CHF 100.-

Manure disposal:
Hay:
CHF 43.- per horse
CHF 15.- per bale
Straw:
Free of Charge
Shavings:
CHF 16.- per bale

Adaptor: CHF 12.-

Health certificate: CHF 30.- per horse (n/a for swiss riders)

Extra box: CHF 75.- per day

# All aforementioned amounts are including VAT

VAT number of the organiser: CHE-101.517.192 TVA

# VIII.TIMETABLE

Competitions must not start before 08:00 and must not finish after 23:00, unless prior approval is granted by the FEI.

	Day	Date	Time
Opening of stables	Thursday	09.12.2021	12:00
• Athlete's briefing and draw in the conference room of the official village <b>Compulsory for all athletes.</b>	Friday	10.12.2021	08:30
Horse Inspection on the attraction arena	Thursday	09.12.2021	17:15- 18:00
Arena familiarisation (If applicable)	Friday	10.12.2021	07:45- 08:30
Competition	Friday	10.12.2021	18:30
Prize Giving Ceremony	Friday	10.12.2021	19.30





Practice arena	Attraction arena
	14:30-15:30*
	20:30-22:30
	07:30-13:00
	16:45-19:45*
	Practice arena

# FRIDAY - 10.12.2021

07:45-8:30 warm-up session in the main arena

<sup>\*</sup>Reserved only for eventing riders. Open to other riders during the time slots without a  $\ast$ . Lunging is only authorised on the attraction arena. Max 2 horses are authorised to be lunged together on the arena.



# IX. COMPETITION DETAIL

**DAY: FRIDAY DATE: 10.12.2021** 

COMPETITION No 9 Time: 18:30

Type of Competition: CIX-Arena Cross Country competition according to Annex I, FEI Eventing Rules, 25th edition, effective 1st January 2019, updates effective 1st January 2021

# Scoring method

### **Faults at Obstacles**

Fault	Penalty
First refusal, run-out or circle	20 penalties
Second refusal, run-out or circle at the same obstacle	40 penalties
Third refusal, run-out or circle on Cross Course	elimination
Fall of Athlete or Horse on Cross Course	elimination
Obstacle knocked down while jumping (falling part of an obstacle)	8 penalties

### **Time Faults**

The goal is to reach the ideal time. Each second gap below or above the ideal time will be penalized with one point per commenced second.

Fault	Penalty
Each second gap of the ideal	1 point penalty per commenced second
time	

### Ranking

The winner is the athlete with the lowest total of penalty points. If there is equality between two or more athletes, the classification is decided in favor of the athlete whose course time is the closest to the ideal time.

## Reminded minimum requirements:

- Competition open only to A, B and C FEI categorised Athletes
- ➤ Level: maximum (current) 3\* star level obstacles with speed related to the size of the arena.
- Recommended Competition Format:
- Optimum time if competition runs on fixed obstacles
- Against the clock: ONLY with knockable fences or hedges (min. 1/3 of the height of the obstacle)

Speed:	450m/min
Distance:	Approx. 1800m
Optimum time:	TBD Athletes will be informed during the briefing
Number of efforts:	Approx. 25



Total amount of prize money and currency	CHF 26'000
Breakdown per category / placing (1 prize per 4 athletes, minimum 5 prizes and 1st prize not more than 1/3 of total prizemoney)	1 <sup>st</sup> : CHF 5'000 2 <sup>nd</sup> : CHF 4'000 3 <sup>rd</sup> : CHF 3'000 4 <sup>th</sup> : CHF 2'000 5 <sup>th</sup> to 16 <sup>th</sup> : CHF 1'000 (only if the rider finishes the course)
Other details on PM distribution (including tax)	See page 27-28

The distribution of the sum allotted to each class shall be fixed according to the importance of the class and the number of competitors in such a way as to reward at least one out of five competitors. If several horses are equally placed, the cash prizes due to them shall be added together. The sum of this total shall be distributed in equal parts to the horses equally placed.

## « EventClearing »

Entry fees and prize money transfer will be administered by « EventClearing». The entry fee plus additional fees and charges must be paid by bank transfer prior to the event, by wiring the amount concerned to the following bank account:

Beneficiary: EventClearing S.à r.l., 2, Massewee, L - 6186 Gonderange

EUR: LU38 0025 4101 2925 8200 BIC/SWIFT: BILL LULL XXX

Reference: CHI Geneva, Athletes FEI ID

Contact: <a href="mailto:info@eventclearing.lu">info@eventclearing.lu</a>
Web: <a href="mailto:www.eventclearing.lu">www.eventclearing.lu</a>

<u>Applicable government tax to be deducted from Prize Money:</u>
see page 27-28



# X. FACILITIES OFFERED

### 1. ATHLETES

### Accommodation

Hotel: Name of the Hotel TBC

Address: TBC Telephone: TBC

At the expense of: The Organiser

Accommodated (bed and breakfast) from 9th to 11th December 2021.

Riders must pay their own extras (bar, tel, meals at the hotel)

In case riders arrive before Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> of December or leave on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> of December, the OC will organise a hotel room but at the riders own expense (from 8<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> of December and/or 11<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> of December). Please specify your request to <a href="mailto:mpnaz@chi-geneve.ch">mpnaz@chi-geneve.ch</a>.

Accompanying parties may book their hotel by contacting: <a href="mpnaz@chi-geneve.ch">mpnaz@chi-geneve.ch</a> or calling +41 22 738 18 00 before 15<sup>th</sup> of November.

All rooms booked but not used will be billed to the rider following the usual hotel rate.

# **Meals**

At the expense of: The Organiser

Meals provided from 9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> December 2021 at the Riders' Corner.

# 2. GROOMS

### Accommodation.

Requests for accommodation must be sent with entries to <a href="mpnaz@chi-geneve.ch">mpnaz@chi-geneve.ch</a> before 15<sup>th</sup> of November.

Accommodation will be at the cost of Athletes from 9th to 11th December 2021.

# Meals.

At the expense of: The Organiser

Meals provided from  $9^{th}$  to  $11^{th}$  December 2021 at the Stable Restaurant.

The OC provides sufficient sanitary and showering facilities on site, with hot and cold water for male and female grooms.

**NB**: If applicable, Organiser must provide proper sanitary conditions. The showering facilities should be sufficient for both male and female grooms with hot and cold water. Shower facilities as well as restrooms should at all times be in a state of cleanliness.



# XI. LOGISTICAL/ADMINISTRATIVE/TECHNICAL INFORMATION

# 1. DRAW

List of Draws, time, date and location: Friday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at 8:45 in the conference room of the official village. Two groups according to the World Rankings.

# 2. COMPETITION ARENA(S)

Dimensions: 97 x 55m

Type of Footing: Sand with synthetic fibers

Dimensions: 52 x 36m

Type of Footing: Sand with synthetic fibers

3. PRACTICE ARENA(S)

Dimensions: 40 x 26m

Type of Footing: Sand with synthetic fibers

4. STABLES

Size of boxes 3 m x 3 m (minimum 3m x 3m+20% 3m x 4m)

Information:

Anastasia Scherz, stable manager +41 79 386 07 00 ascherz@chi-geneve.ch

# 5. SCORING/TIMING PROVIDER

Will you use a FEI Certified Service Provider to manage the scoring and timing at your Event?

(The list of certified Service Providers is available here: <a href="https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-providers/list">https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-providers/list</a>)

No 🖂

Name of the company: Sport Computer Graphics

Contact person at Event

Name: Arend Tolner FEI ID number: 10199930

Contact email: arie@scgvisual.com

Should this person have OC Consult access to the FEI Entry System? Yes No XI If so, please fill in Annex XV - FEI Entry System.

The FEI may require to be provided with real time results data feed of your events according to FEI requirements; in this case you and your provider will be informed accordingly.

# 6. OTHER TECHNOLOGY/SERVICE PROVIDER(S)

Will you use other technology/service provider(s) at your Event?



Yes 🖂

Name of Company: Alogo Analysis SA

Contact person:

Name: David Deillon

FEI ID number (if applicable):

Contact email: david@alogo-analysis.ch Activity/Function: Equestrian Statistics

(i.e.: Accreditations, Stable Management, Camera system, Sensors, etc...)

Name of Company: Equinis

Contact person:

Name: Andreas Steidle FEI ID number (if applicable): Contact email: steidle@equinis.com Activity/Function: Accreditations

(i.e.: Accreditations, Stable Management, Camera system, Sensors, etc...)

### 7. PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

The number of athletes required to present themselves for the prize-giving ceremony of each competition is 6.

All Prize Giving Ceremonies must strictly follow the **Covid-19 Guidelines for Prize giving protocols and media activities.** 

## 8. ADVERTISING ON ATHLETES AND HORSES

At CI events, and all competitions except for the Nations Cup, athletes are authorised to carry the logo of their personal sponsor in accordance with article 541 of the FEI Eventing Rules. The Chief Steward will check that the advertising on athletes and horses complies with these Articles.

# 9. TICKETING

Are you selling tickets for spectators to attend your event: Yes  $\boxtimes$  No  $\square$  Name of your ticketing provider: Ticketcorner

Web address to buy ticket: www.chi-geneve.ch

# 10. BETTING

Betting will be authorised by the Organiser: Yes  $\square$  No  $\boxtimes$ 

# 11. TRANSPORT REIMBURSMENT HORSES / PONIES

Transport expenses to be paid by:

The <u>Organiser</u>

The amount will be communicated directly to the athletes the week before the show at the latest.

### 12. WELCOME

# **Athletes**

**Please contact** the Show Secretariat

Email: info@chi-geneve.ch



Tel: +41 22 738 18 00

# **Horses**

Please contact: Anastasia SCHERZ (Stable Manager)

Email: ascherz@chi-geneve.ch

Tel: +41 79 386 07 00

Horses may not arrive earlier than Thursday  $9^{th}$  of December at 12:00 and must depart no later than Saturday  $11^{th}$  of December at 12:00 unless otherwise agreed upon with OC. The time and date of arrival of athletes, horses and their means of transport must be given to the Organiser in order to facilitate their arrival.

# 13. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION - ARRANGEMENTS FROM HOTEL TO SHOWGROUNDS

Organiser Shuttle Service

# 14. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS/ACCREDITED PERSONS

Entry right to the stable area according to FEI Veterinary Regulations Art. 1009.

NUMBER OF ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athlete: One (1)
Partner: One (1)
Groom: One (1)

Horse Owner: Two (2) accreditations per horse acc. to FEI-Passport



# XII. VETERINARY MATTERS

### Admission:

**Thursday, December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021 as from 12:00.** (only in exceptional cases shall a horse be admitted before then, and this must be pre-arranged).

**Horse examination** (Art. 1011 of the Veterinary Regulations and Annex VII of the FEI Rules for Jumping Events).

Will take place upon the horse's arrival, before entering into the stables. Horses in transit (held in show stables but not competing) are subject to this examination too.

Horses should be led by the halter, accompanied by their passport. This examination only serves to identify and disclose possible diseases which could be contagious.

# **Horse Inspection:**

Date: Thursday, December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Time: 17:15-18:00 All horses taking part in this event must be presented during the first horse inspection otherwise, they will not be permitted to participate. Custom papers, ATA Carnet and custom permits must be presented at the veterinary inspection.

No order will be posted. Stallions should be presented early!

### 1. CUSTOMS FORMALITIES

Contact details for Customs Formalities:

Name: Fert & Cie Transport S.A. – Mr Jean David

Address: Rue Barton 7

CH-1211 Genève

Telephone: +41 22 798 02 51

Fax: +41 22 798 90 76

Mobile: +41 76 320 91 50

Email: j.david@fert.ch

Opening hours: 8:00-18:00

# **MANDATORY**

Due to swiss rules applied since 2016, all horses taking part in an international competition in Switzerland must have an ATA carnet to enter and leave the country during the weekend. It is no longer possible to cross the border on Saturday or Sunday with the document called DDAT used by some of the participants in the past few years.

Please contact Fert & Cie for more information.

IMPORTANT: All ATA Carnet must be presented at the custom office of Palexpo.



# 2. HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

### **GENERAL**

In accordance with the FEI Code of Conduct for the Welfare of the Horse it is imperative that all Horses at FEI Events are physically fit and free from infectious disease before being allowed to compete.

# **ENTRY OF HORSES**

Required health tests and vaccinations: Information below

Quarantine period: n/a

Specimen Import Licence applied: Information below

For questions or problems, please contact your Government Veterinary Services.

Please note the conditions to be met and the documents to be completed prior to importing horses into Switzerland for the period of the competitions.

# **Entry into Switzerland:**

# From France and other European Community countries (EC)

- FEI Passport
- ATA Carnet mandatory
- Health certificate: Document TRACES or APPENDIX "II" of the Directive 90/426/ CEE

These three documents must be presented at the Swiss Customs' Office upon entry.

# From other countries (outside the EC)

- FEI Passport
- ATA Carnet mandatory
- Health certificate (form 95/23)

These three documents must be presented at the Swiss Customs' Office upon entry.

NO veterinary inspection at the border for horses with an ATA Carnet.

When filling in the ATA document (provided by the Chamber of Commerce), do not forget to mention details of equipment accompanying the horses.

Custom papers, ATA Carnet and custom permits must be presented at the veterinary inspection.

In case of problems with pre-issued ATA Carnets which need to be amended, the official customs agent FERT & Cie will charge CHF 50.- for entry into Switzerland and CHF 50.- for return into the EC. This fee is to be paid directly to FERT & Cie, through Event Clearing.

Please remember that horses arriving with ATA Carnets must be presented to the French customs and then at the Swiss border to the FERT & Cie's,



Mr Jean David (Tel. +41 76 320 91 50).

# **Departure from Switzerland:**

The same documents must be presented at the Swiss Customs' Office when horses leave the country. The re-exportation should take place no later than 7 days after the end of the event.

In principle, there is no veterinary inspection at the border when entering the European Community (EC).

The CHI official export veterinarian will provide a health certificate at the end of the event. **CHF 30.- will be charged** 

Upon their arrival, each participant or their representative will immediately provide all details concerning their departure.

All documents needed for entering Switzerland (ATA Carnet, customs permit, passports, health certificates) are to be handed over to the Veterinarian Commission when the horses are unloaded.

# Return and departure of horses at the end of the CHI

Upon arrival, the competitors will be contacted by the representative of the Transport Commission, who will ask for their instructions.

All documents needed for entering Switzerland (ATA Carnet, customs permit, passports, health certificates) are to be handed over to the Veterinarian Commission when the horses are unloaded.

The time schedules for collecting the equipment from the stables and the departure of the horses will be indicated on the evening preceding departure. Their departure should take place at the latest Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2021, 7:00.

The Committee reserves the right to refuse payment of any additional costs or consequences that could arise due to receiving late information (later than **Monday**, **13**<sup>th</sup> **December**, **2021**, **7:00**.) of changes in departure plans.

The OC reminds you that you will have to foresee fees for the customs agent (FERT) in case of problems with the ATA documents, cost of departure formalities and other problems. For example, customs permits (non-valid ATA Carnets).

**In accordance with French Law**, Trucks weighing more than 7 tons are not allowed to travel on Sunday, December 12th, 2021. Lorries and trucks that intend to do so should obtain a special authorization (issued by *préfectures départementales*). This should be applied for prior to arrival in Switzerland, otherwise departure must take place on Monday morning, before 7 am.

# 3. NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

If applicable please provide: If applicable please provide: Switzerland does not require any specifically requirement. FEI's and European's are allowed. All information mentioned above for the entry and departure in Switzerland.

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter IX:

For all Pony Events, Ponies must be available for Pony Measurement if requested by the FEI.

# 4. INJURY SURVEILLANCE

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter VIII:



Horses participating in FEI Events are subject to injury surveillance protocols; and in the event of fatality, a post mortem examination.

# 5. TRANSPORT OF HORSES

Horses must be fit to travel and be transported in suitable vehicles for the transport of horses. Any government requirements for disease testing and control must be requested well in advance, to ensure that the horse is in compliance by the time of arrival at the border of the country where the Event is taking place. Athletes, or their representatives, have the responsibility to comply with national legislation in both their country of origin and the host nation of the Event. Where necessary athletes must contact local government authorities or veterinary advisors for information regarding animal health requirements and transport legislation. Within the European Union (EU), this includes EU Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 concerning the protection of animals during transport within the Member States of the EU.

### 6. VENUE ARRIVAL INFORMATION & FITNESS TO COMPETE

# 6.1. PASSPORTS. FEI General Regulations Article 137

# For all issues relating to FEI Horse Passports/FEI Recognition Cards please contact your National Federation.

All Horses competing at FEI Events must be registered with the FEI.

FEI Passports or FEI Recognition Cards (for those Horses with a national passport approved by the FEI) are compulsory for FEI Events.

NB: Horses entered in CIMs and in CSIP in their country of residence are not required to have an FEI Passport or FEI Recognition Card but must be properly registered with the FEI and identifiable (GRs 137.2).

Athletes who do not present a Horse's Passport and/or Recognition Card, or one that is not correctly validated or fail to meet other passport requirements will be **subject to Sanctions** in accordance with Annex VI of the FEI Veterinary Regulations and may not be allowed to compete.

**NB** for Horses permanently resident in a Member State of the European Union: all Horses must have a national EU passport in compliance with EU Regulations to which a FEI Recognition card is applied. The exception to this being Horses in possession of an FEI passport which has been continually revalidated without interruption.

# 6.2. VACCINATIONS - EQUINE INFLUENZA. FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1003

Horses competing at FEI Events must comply with the requirements for Equine Influenza vaccination in accordance with the Veterinary Regulations and as summarised below.

VACCINATION	PROTOCOL	ELIGIBILITY TO ENTER VENUE
Primary Course	1 <sup>st</sup> Vaccination: day 0 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vaccination: day 21-92	May compete 7 days after the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vaccination
First Booster	Within 7 months of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> vaccination of the Primary Course	May compete for 6 months +21 days after the 2 <sup>nd</sup> vaccination of the Primary Course Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination
Boosters	MINIMUM: within one year of	Must have been vaccinated



previous booster vaccination

IF COMPETING: must be in
the 6 months +21 days of the
booster previous vaccination

within 6 months +21 days before arriving at the Event Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination

All FEI registered Horses intending to compete at FEI Events (including CIMs) must be vaccinated against Equine Influenza in accordance with these VRs. The exception being if the applicable domestic legislation prevents the use of Equine Influenza vaccines within the relevant territory.

# 6.3. EXAMINATION ON ARRIVAL. FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1031

On arrival at an Event venue, all Horses must undergo an examination by a veterinarian to confirm their identification from their passport and micro-chip ID (where present), their vaccination status and general health. To protect all horses attending events, any Horse with a questionable health status concerning vaccination, disease or other concerns, must be stabled within the isolation facilities provided by the Organising Committee pending a decision on entering the venue.

# 6.4. HORSE INSPECTIONS. FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1034-1042

All Horses will be assessed for their fitness to compete during the Horse Inspection. Any Horse demonstrating questionable fitness may be referred to the Holding Box for further veterinary examination. Horses not deemed fit to compete by the Inspection Panel will not be permitted to compete.

# 6.5. LIMB SENSITIVITY EXAMINATION. FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1048-1053

All Horses are subject to examination under the protocol for abnormal limb sensitivity throughout the period of an Event. For Jumping that includes, but is not limited to, between rounds and before the Jump Off. For Endurance that includes, but is not limited to, pre-ride, during the ride and after the ride. Horses may be examined once or on multiple occasions during the Period of an Event. Horses may be selected for examination under the protocol randomly or they may be targeted. All Horses selected to be tested must submit promptly to the examination or are subject to immediate disqualification. There is no obligation to examine any specific number of Horses at an Event.

# 7. EQUINE ANTI-DOPING AND CONTROLLED MEDICATION PROGRAMME (EADCMP). FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS, CHAPTER V

## 7.1. SAMPLING. FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS CHAPTER VII

All horses competing at FEI Events may be subject to sampling for the presence of Prohibited Substances in accordance with the Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMRs). Horses may be selected for sampling in accordance with obligatory testing, targeted or random sampling procedures. Refer to FEI Financial Charges for details of fees relating to Equine and Human Anti-Doping program (EADCMP), which OCs/NFs have the right to charge to the athlete (applicable for all FEI events worldwide).

# 7.2. ELECTIVE TESTING. FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS ARTICLES 1057 AND 1058

Elective Testing may be carried out prior to an Event to check for the presence of Prohibited Substances. Please refer to <a href="http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/veterinarians">http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/veterinarians</a> for information and details.





# XIII. HUMAN ANTI-DOPING

Athletes can be tested at any FEI Event, by the FEI or by other Anti-Doping Organisations with Testing jurisdiction. Organisers will have the responsibility to provide facilities and staff/volunteers to facilitate such Testing if requested by the FEI as outlined in article 22.3 of the FEIs' Anti-doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA).

The ADRHA rules are published on the FEI's website at <a href="http://inside.fei.org/content/anti-doping-rules">http://inside.fei.org/content/anti-doping-rules</a>.

# XIV. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

# 1. THE FEI POLICY FOR ENHANCED COMPETITION SAFETY DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic ("Policy") (<a href="https://inside.fei.org/fei/covid-19/return-to-play/policy-tools">https://inside.fei.org/fei/covid-19/return-to-play/policy-tools</a>) is mandatory and applies for any FEI Event taking place **as of 1 July 2020**. The Policy has been developed based on currently accepted best practices by the WHO and US Center for Disease Control (CDC) and will be continually reviewed and updated as more information becomes available. It is not intended to replace the applicable guidance and policies from domestic government and health authorities, but to supplement their recommendations with sport specific considerations.

The OC shall submit the risk assessment and mitigation plan (including name and contact details of the person in charge) to the FEI as an annex to the Event Schedule, at <u>the latest</u> ten (10) working days before the event's deadline for Definite Entries.

Events for which the FEI has not received the documented risk assessment and mitigation measures plan in accordance with article 2.1.g) of the Policy **will be removed from the FEI calendar** in accordance with Article 112.3 of the FEI General Regulations.

# **ASSUMPTION OF RISK / WAIVER OF LIABILITY**

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Event and related activities, all Participants (as defined in the Policy) acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

- 1. Participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not limited to COVID-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist; and,
- 2. The Participants knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the OC or others, and assume full responsibility for their participation; and,
- 3. The Participants willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation as regards protection against infectious diseases. If, however, a Participant observes any unusual or significant hazard during his/her presence or participation, the Participant will remove himself/herself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
- 4. The Participants, for themselves and on behalf of their heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE OC AND THE FEI, their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of



premises used to conduct the event ("RELEASEES"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL ILLNESS, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

The Participants confirm to have read this release of liability and assumption of risk agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that they have given up substantial rights.

### 2. MEDICAL INFORMATION FORM FOR ARMBANDS

### Declaration of medical condition

Athletes with medical conditions that may be relevant in the case of a medical emergency are responsible, at every Event when riding, for wearing a medical data carrier\* from a system provider able to communicate information at least in English. Alternatively (and at the minimum) a medical armband of good quality can be used. Athletes who chose to wear an armband should download and fill the form available for this purpose on the FEI's website <a href="http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/officials/eventing/forms">http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/officials/eventing/forms</a>.

\* Medical data carrier (also called "medical identification tag"): small emblem or tag worn on a bracelet, neck chain, or on the clothing, intended to alert paramedics/physicians/ first responders that the wearer has an important medical condition.

Conditions that are relevant include recent head injury, serious past injuries/surgery, chronic health problems such as diabetes, long-term medications and allergies. If in doubt, the athlete should discuss this with his own treating physician."

# 3. INSURANCES AND NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Equestrian sports involve inherent dangerous risks. To the greatest extent permitted by law, the FEI and the FEI Event Organiser shall NOT be liable for any damages relating to loss of property or injury of any kind to Athletes, Owners, Support Personnel or Horses at or in connection with an FEI Event and the FEI expressly excludes all such liability.

# 3.1. ATHLETES, OWNERS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL

### 3.1.1. Personal Accident and Health Insurance

It is your responsibility as an Athlete/Owner/ Support Personnel to ensure that you have adequate personal accident insurance in place to cover your participation at FEI Events and in particular to insure against any personal injury or medical expenses arising from an accident, injury or illness which may occur at a FEI Event.

You should check with your National Federation to confirm if your National Federation's insurance policy (if any) covers personal accidents and/or illnesses, which may occur when you are attending at/participating in FEI Events.

If your National Federation does not have a personal accident/health insurance policy or if the National Federation's insurance policy does not cover personal accident or health claims, then you should obtain your own personal accident and health insurance policy to cover your attendance/participation at FEI Events.

# 3.1.2. Press Equipment

Press equipment and other items left in the Press workroom, Press lockers, the Press Tribune or anywhere on the showgrounds are left entirely at the owner's risk. The Organising Committee does not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to such equipment or items. Members of the Press are advised not to leave any equipment or personal items



unattended.

# 3.1.3. Personal Property Insurance

You should also ensure that you are insured against property loss, theft or damage, which may occur at an FEI Event.

Again, the advice is to check with your National Federation to confirm if they have an insurance policy in place, which would cover you in case of such property loss, theft or damage. If not, then you should obtain your own personal property insurance to cover such situations.

### 3.2. ATHLETES AND OWNERS

# 3.2.1. Third Party Liability Insurance

As an Athlete/Owner you are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses. You are, therefore, strongly advised to take out third-party liability insurance providing full coverage in relation to FEI Events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.

The FEI and the Organiser will NOT be responsible for any damage caused to third parties by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses.

# 3.2.2. Additional Liability Information

All owners and athletes are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses. They are therefore strongly advised to take out third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date. The Committee assumes no responsibility for accidents or illness that might occur affecting the owners, riders, driving teams, grooms or horses, nor for thefts, fires or any damages while travelling, residing or participating in the competition.

# 3.2.3. Horse Insurance

As an Owner you should ensure that your Horses are adequately insured against any injuries or illnesses they may sustain while participating at a FEI Event.

The Committee shall not take out any insurance for the transport of the horses and persons accompanying them, its liability shall not, in any event, exceed that of the transport contractor being used. If, in case of accident, illness of an animal or bad road conditions, the Committee is called upon to hire transport at the request of and on behalf of the competitors, it shall in no case assume liability in case of accident, and this without recourse either against the transporter himself or the Committee and will not cover the relative expenses; the handling of loading and unloading, moreover, devolves upon the grooms themselves and involves their own responsibility.

All horses taking part in the CHI Geneva will benefit from an insurance by Epona in case of an accident. Details and conditions will be written in the information letter that the athletes will receive at their arrival.

# 4. PROTESTS/APPEALS

To be valid, all Protests and Appeals must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of CHF 150.- or equivalent.

Protest and appeal forms are available on the FEI website:



Protests: <a href="http://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Protest%20Form.pdf">http://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Protest%20Form.pdf</a>
Appeals: <a href="http://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Appeal%20Form.pdf">http://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Appeal%20Form.pdf</a>

### 5. DISPUTES

In the event of any discussion concerning the interpretation of the schedule (in translated languages), the English version will be decisive.

### 6. MODIFICATION TO SCHEDULE

In exceptional circumstances, together with the approval of Chefs d'Equipe, host NF delegate, if any, and the Ground Jury, the Organiser may change the schedule in order to clarify any matter arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances. Any such changes must be notified to all athletes and officials as soon as possible and they must be reported to the FEI Secretary General by the Technical Delegate.

### 7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE ORGANISER

COVID-19 CERTIFICATE MANDATORY DURING THE WHOLE EVENT.

PLEASE CHECK REGULARLY THE COVID-19 PAGE ON

WWW.CHI-GENEVE.CH.

ALL INFORMATION REGARDING THE COMPLETE HEALTH PLAN APPLIED

DURING THE EVENT WILL BE PUBLISHED ON THIS PAGE

Any person registering a horse in the CHI Geneva 2021 hereby accepts the conditions of these regulations and this programme for him/her and for the

riders of his/her horse(s).

AND UPDATED TILL THE SHOW STARTS.

**Smoking is prohibited in Palexpo** 



# XV. PRIZE MONEY

# **IMPORTANT**

The amount of money distributed for this CIX-Arena competition is at the discretion of the Organising Committee, however the principle of this Competition is a demonstration class and should not be considered a high level Competition.

The total amount of prize money shown for each Competition in the schedule must be distributed. (FEI General Regulations articles 127 and 128)

The value of the 1<sup>st</sup> prize must not exceed 1/3 of the total prize money distributed for the competition. The minimum number of prizes offered for each competition must be allocated on the basis of one prize for every commenced four Athletes, with a minimum of five prizes.

# DEDUCTIONS FROM PRIZE MONEY AT COMPETITIONS:

Full details of any deductions from prize money must be outlined in the schedule. This includes government taxes. If it is necessary for Organisers to deduct such taxes, they <u>must</u> provide participants with an official form indicating the amount of tax deducted.

The tax form must be provided to the athletes upon arrival and returned to the Organiser prior to departing.

### **DEDUCTIONS:**

# I. TAX AT SOURCE

We inform you that in a letter dated March 28th 1996, the Canton of Geneva stated its intention to apply the Federal Law regarding direct taxation and the Law of taxation at source. These legal provisions concern **all competitors in the CHI who do not have a Swiss residence permit**. This means that on net winnings, after deduction of living expenses indicated on the final statement of account at the end of the competition, **a tax rate of 0 to 25% will be applied**, according to the total balance. Our Sports Financial Service can provide additional information on this matter. An official declaration detailing the fiscal deduction will be given to each competitor concerned, together with his/her final statement. It will facilitate the recovery of this tax in his/her country of residence.

# **DETAILS**

According to the relevant Swiss tax regulations the Organizing Committee has to charge the tax rates listed below from the income (prize money+refunding of any kind of expenses -20% as acquisition costs ) of each rider.

The daily average income for individual riders is calculated from the total income during the event, divided by 5 (days).

The tax rates are as follows:

Daily average income of the rider applicable rate

10.00% below CHF 200.00

12.00% between CHF 201.00 and 500.00

15.00% between CHF 501.00 and 1'000.00

20.00% between CHF 1'001.00 and 3'000.00

25.00% above CHF 3'000.00

# **II. SOCIAL INSURANCE**

The activity of riders is considered as an independent activity by the Federal Insurance Office.



As a consequence all earnings must be included and declared by all competitors in their independent revenue both in Switzerland and abroad.

# **A. SWISS COMPETITORS**

All Athletes living in Switzerland, are requested to hand in a proof of their affiliation as an independent to an official compensation office of the OASI (Old Age and Survivors Insurance-AVS/AHV), or prove that they are employed by a company.

In case you do not provide this document, the earnings of "Prize Money" exceeding the amount of CHF 2'300.- will be subject to contribution of the OASI (AVS/AHV).

The CHI cannot bear the cost of the employers part and the applicable rate will be 15.606% (example: if the prize money is CHF 10'000.-, an amount of CHF 1'560.60 will be deducted and a net amount of CHF 8'439.40 will be paid out to the competitor).

### **B. FOREIGN ATHLETES**

For riders coming from a country which is part of the European Union (EU) or a country from the European Free Trade Association (EFTA), we kindly ask you to hand in the E 101 formula, which proves that you are subject to a social security system as an independent in your country.

In a case where documents are not handed in as required, we remind you that the possible earnings of "Prize Money" must be considered as an income of an independent activity and that it is your responsibility to declare this as such in your country.

We draw your attention to the fact that the Swiss OASI could perform controls in your country.

### C. OTHER FOREIGN ATHLETES

We remind you that the possible earnings of "Prize Money" must be considered as an income of an independent activity and that it is your responsibility to declare this as such in your country.



# **XVI. ANNEXES**

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