

CHECKLIST FOR DRAFT SCHEDULE ENDURANCE 2009



Event (cat.): CH-EU-E 4* 160 OPEN
(Place): ASSISI (PG) (NF): ITALY

Date: 26 SEPTEMBER 2009

GENERAL CONDITIONS

This event is organised in accordance with:

- FEI Statutes, 22nd edition, effective 15 April 2007, updated 21 November 2008
- FEI General Regulations, 23rd edition, effective 1 January 2009
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 11th edition, effective 1 January 2009
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), 2nd edition, effective 1st January 2009
- Equine Anti-Doping And Medication Control Rules (EADMC), effective 1 June 2007, updated 10 April 2008
- **The FEI Rules for Endurance Riding, 7th edition, effective 1 January 2009**

▪ And all subsequent corrections and modifications to the above Rules and Regulations as published by the FEI.

• An arbitration procedure is provided for in the FEI Statutes and General Regulations referred to above. In accordance with this procedure, any appeal against a decision rendered by the FEI or its official bodies is to be settled exclusively by the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) in Lausanne, Switzerland.

• It is the responsibility of NFs to ensure their participants are of the correct age, and that riders and horses are registered with the FEI.

This schedule is approved, provided the corrections and additions as made by the FEI have been made. The National Federation and Organising committee are obliged to ensure that the mandatory sections in the approved schedule is forwarded to guest NFs and Officials for their information.

APPENDIX IS PART OF THIS APPROVED AND SIGNED FEI DRAFT SCHEDULE

The following must be printed in the definite schedule:

Approved by the FEI:

Date: 14.05.09

Signature : _____

Ian Williams
Director
Non-Olympic Sports Department

N.B. All text shown in GREEN must be carefully noted by Organising Committees and NF and may be deleted from the schedule before printing, ONLY after the final approval of the FEI.

NOTICE FOR ALL INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

Any competitions other than those covered in the Rules for Endurance Events must be approved by the FEI before they may be added to the schedule

Schedules for CEI4*/CEI3*/CEI2*/CEI1* and Championships are approved by the FEI.

Schedules for these events must be sent to the FEI Secretariat for approval by the NF concerned, at least 8 weeks before the event is due to take place.

Definite schedules must be sent to the FEI Secretariat by the NFs concerned at least 4 weeks before the event takes place.

Final approval of the draft schedule by the FEI, in accordance with the General Regulations, denotes only that the contents conform to the FEI Statutes, General Regulations and Rules. By no means does this entail implicit acceptance of any liability by the FEI for any damages to third parties caused by the Organising Committee and its officials, riders, drivers, owners, and their horses.

IMPORTANT

The Definite schedules must be sent to the FEI Secretariat by the NFs concerned, no later than 4 weeks before the event takes place.

CEI 1* - ONE DAY EVENTS

CLASSES	ETOILES	KM
CEI	1*	80
CEI	1*	90
CEI	1*	100
CEI	1*	110
CEIJYR	1*	80
CEIJYR	1*	90
CEIJYR	1*	100
CEIJYR	1*	110

CEI 2* - ONE DAY EVENTS

CLASSES	ETOILES	KM
CEI	2*	120
CEI	2*	130
CEIJYR	2*	120
CEIJYR	2*	130
CEIOJY	2*	120
CEIOJY	2*	130

CEI 3* - ONE DAY EVENTS

CLASSES	ETOILES	KM
CEI	3*	140
CEI	3*	150
CEI	3*	160
CEIO	3*	160

CEI 4* - ONE DAY EVENTS

CLASSES	ETOILES	KM
CEI-CH	4*	160
CEIJY-CH	4*	120
CEIJY-CH	4*	130

CEI 2* - 2 DAYS OR MORE EVENTS

CLASSES	ETOILES	KM
CEI	2*	70 + (2)
CEIJY	2*	70 + (2)

CEI3* - 2 DAYS OR MORE EVENTS

CLASSES	ETOILES	KM
CEI	3*	90+ (2)
CEI	3*	70+ (3)

TO BE PUBLISHED VERBATIM IN ALL SCHEDULES**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 competitors 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.

A full copy of this Code can be obtained from the Fédération Equestre Internationale, Avenue Mon-Repos 24, CH-1005, Lausanne, Switzerland. Telephone: +41 21 310 47 47. The Code is available in English & French. The Code is also available on the FEI's website: www.fei.org.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. FEI EUROPEAN ENDURANCE CHAMPIONSHIP OPEN 2009 (Please refer to page 3)

Status (Art. 814): CEI1* km / CEI2* Km
 CEI3* Km
 CEIJY1* Km / CEIJY2* Km
 CEIO3* Km / CEIOJY2* Km
CEI-CH4* 160 Km ✓ / CEIJY-CH4* 120 Km
 CEIJY-CH4* 130 Km

Place:
 Country:
 Dates: - ✓

2. ORGANISER (Complete Address)

Name:
 Address:

 Phone: Fax:
 Email:
 Website:

3. ORGANISING COMMITTEE (See GR)

Honorary President
 President of the Event:
 Email:
 Show Secretary:
 Showground address:
 Scoring:

Timing of FEI European Endurance Championship Open 2009 will be managed with a GPS system to mark exactly every competitor to know live position, rank and average, available anywhere with an internet connection.

Every time registration will be automatically take by transponder system to have ranks and every kind of competitors reports will be available in real time.

4. SPONSOR(S)

Name(s):

II. OFFICIALS (For duties of officials, see Art. 824-825) (Name and nationality)

1. GROUND JURY (See GR and Art. 824.1, 825.1.1, 825.2.1, 825.3.1, 825.4.1, Annexes 1-2-5)

President:
 Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:
 Email:

Foreign Judge:
 Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:

Members:
 Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:

Members:
 Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:

2. TECHNICAL DELEGATE (FOREIGN) (Art. 156, 157, 824.2, 825.1.4, 825.2.4, 825.3.4, 825.4.4, Annexes 3-5) (For CEI 4* Championships the DT must be foreign)

Name:
 Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:
 Email:

3. APPEAL COMMITTEE (See GR, 824.5, 825.1.6, 825.2.6, 825.3.6, 825.4.6)

President:
 Nationality:
 Email:
 Members:
 Members:

4. CHIEF STEWARD (See GR, 824.4, 825.1.5, 825.2.5, 825.3.5, 825.4.5)
(Must be selected from the FEI Directory, list of Chief Steward for Endurance)

Name: ✓
 Nationality:
 Email:

5. STEWARDS (See GR, 824.4)

Name:
 Name:
 Name:
 Name:
 Name:

6. VETERINARY COMMISSION / DELEGATE (See GR, 824.3, 825.1.2, 825.2.2, 825.3.2, 825.4.2, See Vet. Regulations, Annexes 4-5)

President:
 Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:
 Email:

Foreign Veterinary:
 Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:

Associate Member(s): (one member for 15 horses) **NAMES + NATIONALITIES**

Name: Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:

Name: Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:

Name: Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:

Name: Level: 1* 2* 3* 4*
 Nationality:

Name:	<input type="text" value="MR. ARTS FRANS"/>	Level:	1* <input type="checkbox"/>	2* <input type="checkbox"/>	3* <input type="checkbox"/>	4* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Nationality:	<input type="text" value="NETHERLANDS"/>					
Name:	<input type="text" value="MR. POCHESCI FABRIZIO"/>	Level:	1* <input type="checkbox"/>	2* <input type="checkbox"/>	3* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4* <input type="checkbox"/>
Nationality:	<input type="text" value="ITALY"/>					
Name:	<input type="text" value="MR. ROMANTZOFF PIERRE"/>	Level:	1* <input type="checkbox"/>	2* <input type="checkbox"/>	3* <input type="checkbox"/>	4* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Nationality:	<input type="text" value="FRANCE"/>					
Name:	<input type="text" value="MR. GRECO ALFREDO"/>	Level:	1* <input type="checkbox"/>	2* <input type="checkbox"/>	3* <input type="checkbox"/>	4* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Nationality:	<input type="text" value="ITALY"/>					
Name:	<input type="text" value="MR. DANERI STEFANO"/>	Level:	1* <input type="checkbox"/>	2* <input type="checkbox"/>	3* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4* <input type="checkbox"/>
Nationality:	<input type="text" value="ITALY"/>					
Name:	<input type="text" value="MR. TEOBALDELLI GIANPAOLO"/>	Level:	1* <input type="checkbox"/>	2* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3* <input type="checkbox"/>	4* <input type="checkbox"/>
Nationality:	<input type="text" value="ITALY"/>					

III. SPECIFIC TECHNICAL CONDITIONS

1. COMPETITION (Art. 801, 805, 812, 813)

Team	<input type="text" value="YES"/>	Individual	<input type="text" value="YES"/>
Time limit	<input type="text" value="13 hours 20 minutes + hold times"/>		
Starting method	<input type="text" value="MASS"/>		
Type of ground	<input type="text" value="Country Lanes, Country tracks, grass fields"/>		
Altitude differentials	<input type="text" value="320 meters maximum"/>		

2. MINIMUM DISTANCE PER DAY (Art. 800.2)

Km	<input type="text" value="160"/>	Number of phases (2 to 6)	<input type="text" value="6"/>
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Vet Gates

Bastia – Green Loop	Km <input type="text" value="35"/>	Into a hold of <input type="text" value="40"/> min.	(Resort Valle di Assisi)
Collemancio – Red Loop	Km <input type="text" value="35"/>	Into a hold of <input type="text" value="40"/> min.	(Resort Valle di Assisi)
Bevagna – Yellow Loop	Km <input type="text" value="34"/>	Into a hold of <input type="text" value="50"/> min.	(Resort Valle di Assisi) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Bettona – Blue Loop	Km <input type="text" value="24,5"/>	Into a hold of <input type="text" value="40"/> min.	(Resort Valle di Assisi)
S.M.Angeli – Orange Loop	Km <input type="text" value="17,5"/>	Into a hold of <input type="text" value="30"/> min.	(MISURA Colussi Village)
Assisi – White Loop	Km <input type="text" value="14"/>	Into finish <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(MISURA Colussi Village)

(For CEI 1* and 2* at least one timed hold not shorter than 40 minutes / for CEI 3* at least one hold not shorter than 50 minutes)

For all 160Km rides must have min. 5 Vet gates.

3. HEART RATES (814.1.5)

Maximum Pulse at Vet Gates: 64 bpm within 20 minutes. At Final Exams, the Maximum Pulse shall be 64 within 30 minutes ✓

4. MINIMUM WEIGHT

(no minimum weight for Children, Juniors and Young Riders competitions)

Kg ✓

Weighing method ✓

5. PLACE AND TIME OF START

Place ✓

Time ✓

6. LOGOS

allowed ✓

not allowed

7. INVITATIONS

a) Championships & CEIOs

Please refer to Art. 817

The FEI European Endurance Championship 2009 is open to All National Federations ("NFs") being a member of the Fédération Equestre Internationale ("FEI").

Country invited ✓

Number of competitors per country 6 riders per country only (host country 6)

Number of horses per competitor/country 6 riders per country only (host country 6)

Number of grooms: 2 per horse

Reserve horses per Team: max. 2

A nation which cannot send a team may send a maximum of 2 Individual competitors with 1 horse each

Nations engaging a team can send a Chef d'Equipe and 1 Team Vet

b) CEIs Art. 817

Country invited

Number of competitors per country

Number of horses per competitor/country

CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

The riders and horses must fulfil the FEI criteria qualification (see document at the end of the schedule)

Horses must be 7 years or more ✓

Chefs d'Equipe must declare in writing at the entry office at the latest 60 minutes after the first horse inspection on Friday, 25th September the members of their team. ✓

REMINDER: All Riders & Horses participating in any International competition must be registered with the FEI.

See General Regulations, 23rd Edition, effective 1 January 2009, Art. 113.3:

“Any Athlete and/or Horse who is not registered with the FEI shall be automatically disqualified.

8. CLOSING DATES OF ENTRIES (See GR, 818.6)

Competitors wishing to compete in an International Event must be provided with a confirmation signed by their NF. (Competitors must be entered for International competitions by their NF). Organising Committees may not accept any other entries.

9. SCHEDULE OF SUBMISSION (See GR, 818.6)

(Compulsory for CEIO,s and Championships only)

Entries in Principle	27.07.2009
Nominated Entries + qualification forms (to FEI and OC)	26.08.2009
Definite Entries	21.09.2009
Opening Ceremony held in Piazza del Comune - Assisi	24.09.2009 at 8 p.m.
Technical meeting:	25.09.2009 at 4 p.m.

Entries have to be sent to: **f.zuccolo@sistemaeventi.it**
with copy to op@fise.it

10. EXPENSE & PRIVILEGES (See GR and Art. 817.5)

Please specify travel, style of accommodation, length of time they are at the expense of the organiser and any compensation scheduled for the following:

A) COMPETITORS

For Accommodation contact: **Centotour S.r.l.**
Mrs. Barbara Mece
Tel. +39 06 33710203 Fax. +39 06 33710096
www.centotour.it/endurance E-mail assisiendurance@centotour.it

☞ we recommend to make the necessary hotel booking as early as possible September being high season.

Accommodated (bed and breakfast) from _____ to _____ at OC competitor ✓
expense

Meals

The OC will provide the following meals for the riders, Chef d'Equipe and Team Vet at Misura Colussi Village in Assisi:
 24th/25th/26th September – Lunch and Dinner
 27th September - Lunch

GROOMS

Requests for accommodation must be sent with entries.

Cost of accommodation will be at the cost of OC competitor from _____ to _____

Meals

The OC will provide the following meals for the grooms at Misura Colussi Village in Assisi:
 24th/25th/26th September – Lunch and Dinner
 27th September - Lunch

B) HORSES

Transport expenses to be paid by the OC competitor . If by the OC, at per km.

Stabling arrangements, from 21/09/2009 to 28/09/2009. Cost to be paid by. OC competitor

Exact dimensions of stables: 3m x 3m

N.B. OCs must provide sufficient sanitary and showering facilities, with hot and cold water for male and female grooms

11. ENTRY FEE (including costs of stabling)

€ 600,00

€ 600,00 - Reserve Horse

The Entry Fee includes the cost of Stabling and straw 1st bedding

Entries can be paid at the Secretary Office on arrival or in advance by bank transfer (please remember to specify the name of the rider in the cause of the bank transfer):

DETAILS FOR THE BANK TRANSFER:

ADS UMBRIA ENDURANCE EQUESTRIAN TEAM

DEUTSCHE BANK

ABI 03104 CAB 03001

C/c. 820971 CIN W

IBAN IT55W0310403001000000820971

LATE WITHDRAWALS:

The OC reserves the right to seek an indemnity of 300 € per horse from definitely-entered participants who withdraw from the event after definite entries deadline - the OC reserves

the right if necessary to seek said indemnity via the rider's NF.

12. GENERAL CLASSIFICATION (See GR and Art. 826)

If a general classification is scheduled please give details on method of allocation, amount of cash prizes and/or type of prizes in kind along with the value of the prizes in kind. **Total value of first place prize may not exceed 1/3 of the total prize money.** The minimum number of prizes offered for each competition must be allocated on the basis of one prize for every commenced four competitors, with a minimum of five prizes.

TOTAL AMOUNT / CURRENCY

Championship

Individual placing: 1st: FEI gold medal 2nd: FEI silver medal 3rd: FEI bronze medal ✓

Team placing: 1st: FEI gold medals 2nd: FEI silver medals 3rd: FEI bronze medals ✓

Open

1st 2nd 3rd placed: **SCULPTURES** ✓

Best condition prize: Yes ✓ No / Amount: TROPHY ✓

Total prize in kind: **PRECIOUS ART WORKS OF IMPORTANT ITALIAN ARTISTS
BY ARTISSE: HORSE SCULPTURES** ✓

13. AWARDS

An award must be given to all competitors who complete the ride. Please describe awards to be distributed.

GADGETS ✓

IV. VETERINARY MATTERS (See Vet. Regs and Art. 821, 822, 823)**1. VETERINARY EXAMINATION**Date Time ✓**2. FIRST INSPECTION**Date Time ✓**3. FINAL INSPECTION**Date Time ✓**4. BEST CONDITION AWARD**Date Time ✓**5. TREATING VETERINARIAN AT THE EVENT**

CEI4* one treating vet per 20 horses, CEI3* one treating vet per 30 horses, CEI2*/1* one treating vet per 50 horses

Name: ✓Name: ✓Name: ✓Name: ✓**The treating vet may not be a member of the Veterinary Commission****6. CUSTOMS FORMALITIES****Horse transport company representing the OC**Name: ✓Address: Phone: Fax: Email

OC is not responsible for official team transportation/customs fees

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ENTRY OF HORSES

Details on compulsory health tests and, where applicable, quarantine period and protocol, etc. PLEASE APPEND SPECIMEN IMPORT LICENCES WHICH WILL BE APPLIED TO HORSES ATTENDING THIS EVENT. In case of doubt or problems, please contact the FEI Veterinary Department as soon as possible.

From 2007 it is obligatory for all horses based and traveling around Italy to result negative to the serum test on E.I.A. (Equine Infectious Anaemia)

All foreign riders are STRONGLY ADVISED to produce the same negative test on the official documents of their horses.

7. MEDICATION CONTROL LABORATORY

Details of FEI listed laboratory appointed to carry out analyses on samples collected at this event (Vet Regs.)

Name: ✓
Address:
Phone: Fax:

8. NAME OF DOCTOR/MEDICAL SERVICE

Name: ✓

9. NAME OF FARRIER

Name: ✓

Name: ✓

10. PRESS OFFICER

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Qualification Criteria for the 2009 CH-EU-E Open Assisi (ITA)

1. To be qualified to participate in any Championship or any other CEI 4* ride, a rider/horse as a combination has to have successfully completed a CEI 3* (or above) ride, the combination, in doing so, meeting the parameters and conditions as defined in Art 4 below. This minimum qualification must be achieved within 24 months prior to the closing date of nominated entry.
2. If the rider/horse has not qualified as a combination per Art 1 above, to be qualified to participate in any Championship or any other CEI 4* ride, a horse has to have successfully completed a CEI 3* (or above) ride, the horse, in doing so, meeting the parameters and conditions as defined in Art 4 below. This minimum qualification must be achieved within 24 months prior to the closing date for nominated entry.

If the rider/horse has not qualified as a combination per Art 1 above, to be qualified to participate in any Championship or any other CEI 4* ride, the rider has to have successfully completed 3 endurance rides (at least one of them a CEI 3* (or above) ride, the rider, in doing so, meeting the parameters and conditions as defined in Art 4 below. This minimum qualification must be achieved within 24 months prior to the closing date for nominated entry.

3. For national events to be considered as qualifiers, at least one International FEI Judge must be on the Ground Jury. NFs wishing to use national events as qualifiers must, prior to the event, advise the FEI of the International Judge which the NF wishes to appoint.
The International FEI Judge at national events, which are used as qualifiers for Championships, must be foreign and approved prior to the event by the FEI.
4. The rider/horse must:
 1. Successfully complete the ride(s) (as defined above) equal to, or greater than, the published Championship or CEI 4* distance (5kms tolerance allowed).
 2. Successfully complete the ride(s) (as defined above) in a ride time equal to, or less than, 13 hours 20 mins. per 160 kms distance.
 3. Successfully complete the ride(s) (as defined above) in the same *time frame* as the published Championship or CEI 4*.

Time Frame:

- One Day: A ride which has no single hold time in excess of 120 minutes and has a total of all hold times not exceeding 300 minutes.
- Multiple Day: A ride which has one or more single hold times in excess of 480 minutes.

Note: The Qualification requirements above have been extracted from the Rules for Endurance Events, 6th edition, Art. 825.