



NOTICE TO PARTICIPANTS

AMENDMENT – APPRENTICE JOCKEY CLAIMING ALLOWANCES

Effective: Start of Taif Season 2026

Following approval by the JCSA Board and resolutions adopted by the Gulf Horse Racing Cooperation Council (GHC) relating to the harmonisation of racing rules within GCC jurisdictions, Article 25.12 of the Rules of Racing has been amended.

Effective from: Taif Racing Season 2026

The Apprentice Jockey claiming allowance scale will now apply as follows:

New Scale

- 4 kg until the Apprentice Jockey has ridden 5 winners
- 3 kg until the Apprentice Jockey has ridden 20 winners
- 2 kg until the Apprentice Jockey has ridden 40 winners
- 1 kg until the Apprentice Jockey has ridden 60 winners

Participants are advised that:

- Apprentice Jockeys, who have already ridden more than 50 winners and have ceased claiming under the previous Rules will not regain claiming status under the amended scale.
- For all other Apprentice Jockeys currently claiming, their existing number of winners at the date of implementation will determine the applicable claiming allowance under the amended scale.

This amendment is intended to align the JCSA Rules of Racing with the harmonised apprentice allowance structure adopted by GCC racing jurisdictions.

LIST OF APPRENTICE JOCKEYS WITH CURRENT WINS AND CLAIMS WILL BE PUBLISHED IN WEIGHING ROOMS AND CIRCULATED THROUGH CHANNELS.

Stewards Committee,