

# FEI GUIDELINES ON CLASH RULES

The guidelines and rules described below are implemented on the FEI Online Calendar system. An automatic notification message is sent to each of the concerned NFs if one of these guidelines or rules is not respected.

### **Definitions**

#### **CLASHES:**

### A clash can occur due to the following two kinds of situations:

- Rules and guidelines as described below and in the disciplines rules;
- Clashes arisen from art. 112.5 of the FEI General Regulations:
  - (i) For a Late Date Application and/or modification for those Events in Jumping, Dressage and Eventing as specified under paragraph (ii) below and received after the deadline, only a NF and/or OC of another Event that is at the same or higher level that may be deemed to be affected by the acceptance of such Late Date Application and/or modification may be provided the opportunity to give relevant information to the Secretary General.

After an evaluation of the information received (if any) and the Late Date Application or modification request (as the case may be), the Secretary General shall have the right to accept or reject the Late Date Application or modification. Any such Decision by the Secretary General shall be duly motivated.

(ii)

- In Jumping: CSI4\*; CSI5\*; CSIOs; World Cup Events
- In Dressage: CDI4\*; CDI5\*; CDIOs; World Cup Events
- In Eventing: CCI4\*-S or L; CCI5\*-L; CCIOs

# General Regulations applicable for all Disciplines

- 1. In Europe, each NF may only organise one CIO for Seniors in any Discipline in any calendar year, unless otherwise decided by the Board. (art. 103.3 Gen. Reg.)
- 2. For other age groups and for Seniors outside Europe, the number of CIOs must be specifically approved by the Board on the recommendation of the relevant Technical Committee. (art. 103.4 Gen. Reg.)



# Discipline specific



## **Applicable Rules:**

- 1. There shall be no FEI World Cup™ Jumping Competition (worldwide) 10 days prior to, all days during and seven days after the Jumping Events at the Olympic Games. There shall be no FEI World Cup™ Jumping Competition 10 days prior to, all days during and seven days after the Jumping Events at the Pan-American Games on the same continent. (art. 650.1.3 FEI World Cup™ Jumping Rules)
- 2. From the Monday of the week and all days during the World and Continental Jumping Championships for Seniors, it is forbidden to host a CSI4\*, a CSIO4\*, a CSI5\*, a CSIO5\*, an FEI World Cup™ Jumping Competition on the same continent as the Championship. (art. 650.1.4 World Cup Jumping Rules, art. 200.8 Jumping Rules, art. 300.1.3 & 316.1.3 Jumping CH & Games Rules)
- 3. In principle, there may be no FEI World Cup™ Jumping Competitions 14 days prior to the FEI World Cup™ Jumping Final. (art. 650.1.5 FEI World Cup™ Jumping Rules)
- 4. From the Monday of the week preceding and all days during the Jumping World Championship, the Olympic Games and the FEI World Cup™ Jumping Final it is forbidden to host an FEI Nations Cup™ Jumping Event (worldwide). (art. 200.8 Jumping Rules, art. 300.1.3 Jumping CH & Games Rules, art. 3.3 Longines FEI Nations Cup Rules)
- 5. From the Monday of the week preceding and all days during the Continental Championship for Seniors it is forbidden to host an FEI Nations Cup™ Jumping Event on the same continent as the Championship. (art. 200.8 Jumping Rules, art. 316.1.3 Jumping CH & Games Rules, art. 3.3 Longines FEI Nations Cup Rules)
- 6. From the Monday of the week preceding and all days during the Jumping Events of the Pan-American Games it is forbidden to host an FEI Nations Cup™ Jumping Event in the Americas. (art. 200.8 Jumping Rules, art. 3.3 Longines FEI Nations Cup Rules)
- 7. From the Monday of the week preceding and all days during the Jumping Events of the Asian Games it is forbidden to host an FEI Nations Cup™ Jumping Event in Asia. (art. 200.8 Jumping Rules, art. 3.3 Longines FEI Nations Cup Rules)
- 8. CSI5\*, CSIO5\*, CSI5\*-W and CSIO5\*-W Events may not clash with the FEI World Cup™ Jumping Final or the FEI Nations Cup™ Final; Events that are part of a Series may not clash or overlap with the FEI World Cup Final™. (art. 650.1.6 FEI World Cup™ Jumping Rules, art. 200.8 Jumping Rules)
- 9. Not more than two CSIOCh events may be run during the same year in the same NF, one indoor and one outdoor. (art. 4.3.2 Annex XII Jumping Rules)
- 10. Not more than two CSIOPs may be run during one calendar year in the same country, one indoor and one outdoor. (art. 5.3.2 Annex XI Jumping Rules)
- 11. Not more than two CSIOY/CSIOJ may be run during one calendar year in the same country, one indoor and one outdoor. (art. 4.4.6 Annex IX Jumping Rules)



- 12. From the Monday of the week preceding the Continental Championships for Youth (Y/J/Ch/P) it is forbidden to host an FEI Jumping Nations Cup™-Youth Event in the same continent as the Championship. (art. 3.3 FEI Nations Cup™ Youth Rules)
  - 13. In Europe, not more than one FEI Jumping Nations Cup™ Youth qualifier per category may be held per season in the same country, unless an exception is granted by the FEI Board. FEI Jumping Nations Cup™ Youth qualifiers are not permitted to clash. The last qualifying Event must finish at least two weeks prior to the FEI Jumping Nations Cup™ Youth Final. (art. 3.2 FEI Nations Cup™ Youth Rules)
- 14. There shall be no FEI Jumping Ponies' Trophy Competition 10 days prior to, all days during and one week after the FEI Jumping European Championship for Ponies. (art. 3.1.2 FEI Ponies' Trophy Rules)
- 15. FEI Nations Cup™ Europe Division 1 Events may not clash with each other. (art. 4.1 FEI Nations Cup™ Rules).
- 16. Date clashes between FEI Jumping World Cup™ Events within each Sub-League are not permitted, and between Sub-Leagues should be avoided if possible (FEI World Cup™ Rules).



## **Applicable Rules:**

- 1. In case of date clashes, CDI-Ws prevail over other CDI4\*s and above in the same League. (Art 1.13 FEI World Cup™ Dressage Rules; art. 401.3.1 Dressage Rules)
- 2. No CDI5\* is allowed on the same dates as the FEI World Cup™ Dressage Final (art. 1.13 FEI World Cup™ Dressage Rules; art. 401.3.2 Dressage Rules)
- 3. In principle there may be no FEI World Cup™ Dressage Competitions two (2) weeks prior to the FEI World Cup™ Dressage Final. (art. 401.3.2 Dressage Rules)
- 4. There may be no FEI World Cup™ Dressage Competitions, CDI/CDIO5\* or CDI/CDIO4\* Events two (2) weeks prior to the Olympic Games, World Championships as well as to Continental CHs on the same Continent. (art. 402.1.6 Dressage Rules)

### **FEI Guidelines:**

5. CDIO Youth Events should not clash.

Should you have any questions related to the Calendar, please do not hesitate to contact calendar@fei.org