Country: CYPRUS

Article 27 (Racing)

Health and Safety of Riders (Professional and Amateur)

Regulations relating to Rider's Equipment

Protective equipment

Each rider when mounted on a horse shall wear appropriate protection for the head, body and eyes. This equipment must comply with the following standards:

Helmets

A skull cap is approved by the Cyprus Turf Club if it meets CE EN1384/ 2017 or certified by one of these notified body statement of expert – PAS015:2011, SNELL E2016, VG1 01.040 2014-12, UTAC/CRITT 04/2015.

The skull cap must be of the correct size for the Rider and must be correctly fitted and fastened. The face harness must be correctly adjusted and the chin strap fastened at all times when the Rider is mounted on a horse.

Body protectors

A safety vest must conform to EN13158: 2009 or 2018. The minimum acceptable standard for safety vest is Level 2.

A safety vest must not be modified in any way or attached to the horse or any equipment carried by the horse.