I. DENOMINATION OF EVENT

VENUE:		TSARATSOV	0	
DATE:		31/08/2023	-03/09/2023	
NF:		Bulgaria		
Indoor:		Outdoor:	\boxtimes	
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II. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- FEI Statutes, 24th edition, effective 17 November 2021.
- FEI General Regulations, 24th edition, 1st January 2020, updates effective 1st January 2023.
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 15th edition, effective 1st January 2023.
- FEI Dressage Rules (26th edition, effective 1st January 2023) and if applicable the FEI Dressage World Cup[™] Rules 2022/2023 and 2023/2024 and FEI Dressage Nations Cup[™] Rules 2023.
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 3rd Edition, effective 1st January 2021.
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), based upon the 2021 WADA Code, effective 1st January 2021.
- All subsequent published revisions, the provisions of which will take precedence.
- 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 in consideration of the Covid-19 situation 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 and Covid-19 related measures, if any, prior to planning their travel to the Event. It is the responsibility of the OC/NF to elaborate, communicate and enforce a Covid-19 mitigation plan if requested by the locally applicable laws and policies.

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Approved by the FEI, Lausanne, on 24/07/2023. Updated 21/08/2023.

Ronan Murphy Director Dressage

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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.

A full copy of this Code can be obtained from the Fédération Equestre Internationale, Chemin de la Joliette 8, CH-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: <u>http://inside.fei.org/</u>

IV. GENERAL INFORMATION

1.ORGANISER

Name:	Bulgarian Equestrian Federation, Equestrian Events and
	DRESSAGE.BG
Address:	1040 Sofia, 75 Vasil Levski Blvd.
Telephone:	+359 2 986 5399
Email:	bef@horsesportbg.org
Website:	www.dressage.bg, www.horsesportbg.org

Contact Details Show Ground:

Address:	village Tsaratsvo, Plovdiv region, Riding Center Frigopan			
Telephone:	+35983556005			
GPS Coordinates:	42°11'35.8"N 24°41'51.6"E			
Accessibility details (directions by road, nearest airport/train station):				
Plovdiv Airport 30 km, Sofia Airport 150 km highway				

2.ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Honorary President:	N/A
President of the event:	Mr. Dimitar Angelchev
Show Secretary:	Mrs. Teodora Kostova
Press Officer:	Liyana Pandelieva

3.EVENT DIRECTOR

Name:	Mr. Stanislav Raykov
Address:	1616 Sofia, 8 Kumata str.
Telephone:	+359 888 509 931
Mobile:	+359 888 509 931
Email:	info@dressage.bg

V. OFFICIALS

Please note that the schedule has been approved under the provision that all appointed Officials have successfully passed the on-line FEI Competency Evaluation Test, and that the appointed VSM fulfils the requirement of being listed as Level 1 OV before the start of the event.

	Panel	Function	FEI ID	Name	NF	Level/*	Contact Email
		Ground Jury President	<mark>10058407</mark>	Trond ASMYR	NOR NOR	L3/4*/YH	tasmyr@hotmail.com
		Ground Jury President	10048949	Peter HANSÁGHY	HUN	<mark>L3/4*/YH</mark>	peter@hansaghy.hu
1	Ground Jury	Ground Jury Member	10050246	Maja STUKELJ	SLO	L3/4*/YH	stukelj.maja1@gmail.com
		Ground Jury Member	10053689	Yuri VALEV	BUL	NAT	<u>yurivalev@abv.bg</u>
		Foreign Judge	10050589	Barbara ARDU	ITA	L3/4*/YH	barbarardu@fise.it
2	Foreign Technical Delegate	Foreign Technical Delegate					
3	Chief Steward	Chief Steward	10052841	Anastasia MATSINOPOULOU	GRE	2	anmatsinopoulou@yahoo.gr
		Assistant Steward	10168821	Ivanka MINCHEVA	BUL	1	van4eto pv@abv.bg
	A seistent Chausende	Assistant Steward	10164836	Deniz Halide ERDIL	TUR	1	denizzerdil@hotmail.com
4	Assistant Stewards	Assistant Steward	10284735	Velyana ZHELYAZOVA	BUL	1	zhelyazova@gmail.com
		Assistant Steward	10301298	Frosyni KOUMPETSOU	GRE	1	efi.stelios@gmail.com
	FEI Veterinary Delegate	Veterinary Delegate	10014970	Gergana ANGELOVA	BUL	3	gga@gbg.bg +359888707373
_		Additional Veterinary Delegate					
5		Veterinary Commission President					
	FEI Veterinary Commission	Foreign Veterinary Delegate					
		Veterinary Commission Member					
6	Veterinary Services Manager / Treating Veterinarian	Veterinary Services Manager	10053803	Kroum RACHKOV	BUL	2	k.rachkov@horsesportbg.org +359878226106
		Permitted Treating Veterinarian (one for every 200 horses)	10273935	Gabriela VENEVA	BUL		gabriela veneva@abv.bg +359899614438
		Permitted Treating Veterinarian (one for every 200 horses)					
7	Doctor/Medical Service	Doctor/Medical Service		Bulgarian Emergency Service			+359 112
8	Farrier	Farrier		Ivan Dobrev	BUL		+359 893556008
9	NF Delegate	NF Delegate (if applicable)					

VI. INVITATIONS

Number of NFs invited:	ALL
State which NFs are invited:	ALL
Reserve NFs:	N/A
Total Number of athletes:	UNLIMITED
Number of home athletes:	UNLIMITED
Number of athletes per NF:	UNLIMITED
Number of horses per athlete:	2 per category
Athletes are invited by the Organiser through their NF.	

One (1) groom per athlete.

VII. ENTRIES

- You must use the FEI Entry System for all categories of this Event: <u>https://entry.fei.org/index.php?page=PFO Entries NF EventSearch</u>
- You will find additional documentation on: <u>https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-platforms/fei-entry-system</u>
- All Athletes and Horses participating in any International Competition must be registered with the FEI.
- <u>Athletes and/or Horses present at the Event without having been entered through</u> <u>the FEI's Online Entry System will automatically be disqualified unless compelling</u> <u>circumstances warrant otherwise.</u>

1.ENTRY DATES AND FEES:

Deadlines for entries

Definite Entries:	28.08.2023
Last date for substitutions:	30.08.2023

Entries have to be in accordance with the FEI Dressage Rules and the FEI General Regulations.

Entry fee per horse:

CDICh	- EUR 280,00 (VAT excluded)	
CDIJ/CDIY/CDIYH	- EUR 330,00 (VAT excluded)	
CDI 1*	- EUR 350,00 (VAT excluded)	
Stabling fee per horse:	- Included in the Entry fee	
VAT:	20%	
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Total fee per horse:	CDICh	- EUR 336,00
		- EUR 336,00 - EUR 396,00

All cost for entry fee to be paid in € (Euro) with definite entries by28/08/2023 to the following bank account:Equestrian Events Ltd.United Bulgarian Bank8 Kumata str.7A Sveta Sofia str.Bulgaria 1616 Sofia,Bulgaria 1040 Sofia, BulgariaIBAN: BG51UBBS80021021606250UBB SWIFT/BIC: UBBSBGSFPlease Remember to specify the NAME OF RIDER AND NAME OF HORSE on thepayment document of the bank transfer.ONLY CASH ACCEPTED ON SHOW GROUND! Bank cards and cheques are notaccepted.

2.NO-SHOWS/LATE WITHDRAWALS:

NB: In the case of withdrawals after the date of definite entries or no-shows the athlete or the respective NF will be held liable to reimburse the Organiser for the actual financial loss incurred by the Organiser (i.e., stabling and hotel expenses) as a result of the late withdrawal or no-show.

Amount charged: EUR 360

3.ADDITIONAL FEES/CHARGES BY ORGANISING COMMITTEE:

All other fees must be listed hereunder with the details of the amounts to be charged and approved by the FEI. (refer to FEI Dressage Rules) <u>Only fees approved by the FEI</u> and listed in the approved Schedule can be charged by the Organiser.

EADCMP Fee:

Included in compulsory entry fee

Not included in compulsory entry fee \boxtimes

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 CIM)

Stabling fee per horse:	Included in the Entry fee (bedding with straw)
Manure disposal:	EUR 30,00
Hay:	EUR 8,00 per bale
Straw:	EUR 5,00 per bale
Shavings:	EUR 15,00 per pack
Health/customs documents per horse:	EUR 50,00 (if requested by the Athlete)
Lorry Parking:	FREE per lorry (if requested by the Athlete)
Electricity:	EUR 20,00 per day
Non-competing horses:	EUR 80,00 per day/per box

First bedding with shavings Athlete)

EUR 35,00 additional (if requested by the

All aforementioned amounts not including VAT 20%.

VAT Number of the Organiser: BG206600580

According to the relevant Bulgarian tax regulations, the Organising Committee must charge 20% VAT on all fees to be paid by athletes. Athletes will receive an invoice, showing VAT specified separately.

ONLY CASH ACCEPTED ON SHOW GROUND! Bank cards and cheques are not accepted.

4. DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY – FLOORPLAN GRAND PRIX FREESTYLE

DoD will be used. DoD will not be used. \boxtimes Not Applicable. credentials on Athletes are required to login using their own to http://dressagefreestyle.fei.org to create or assign their Grand Prix Freestyle floorplan at the latest 2 hours prior to:

the horse inspection.

the draw of the Grand Prix / Short Grand Prix.

VIII. TIMETABLE

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

The current edition of Dressage Tests at the date of the show will be used and all tests must be ridden from memory.

https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/dressage/tests

	Day	Date	Time
• Opening of stables	Wednesday	30.08.2023	12:00
Horse Inspection	Thursday	31.08.2023	11:00-13:00
Familiarization	Thursday	31.08.2023	13:30-16:00
Chef's d'Equipe Meeting	Thursday	31.08.2023	16:30
Declaration and draw of the Teams	Thursday	31.08.2023	16:30
Declaration of Starters	Not later than one (30) min after the horse inspection.		
• Draw:			
(Competitions No: 1)	Thursday	31.08.2023	17:00
(Competitions No: 2,3,4,5,6,7,8) for the individual athletes	Thursday	31.08.2023	Not later than one hour after last competition.
(Competitions No: 9,10,11,12,13,14)	Friday	01.09.2023	Not later than one hour after last competition.
(Competitions No: 15,16,17,18)	Saturday	02.09.2023	Not later than one hour after last competition.

Competitions CDICh:	Day	Date	Time	Prize Money
Competition No 1				
Children Preliminary B	Thursday	31.08.2023	17:00	In kind
Competition No 2				
Children Team	Friday	01.09.2023	8:30	In kind
Competition No 16				
Children Individual	Sunday	03.09.2023	follow	In kind
Total Prize Money				-
Prizes in Kind				In kind

Competitions CDIJ:	Day	Date	Time	Prize Money
Competition No 3				
Juniors Team	Friday	01.09.2023	8:30	300 EUR
Competition No 9				
Juniors Individual	Saturday	02.09.2023	follow	400 EUR
Competition No 15				
Juniors Freestyle	Sunday	03.09.2023	08:30	500 EUR
Total Prize Money				1200 EUR
Prizes in Kind				-

Competitions CDIY:	Day	Date	Time	Prize Money
Competition No 4				
Young Riders Team	Friday	01.09.2023	follow	In kind
Competition No 10				
Young Riders Individual	Saturday	02.09.2023	follow	In kind
Competition No 17				
Young Riders Freestyle	Sunday	03.09.2023	follow	In kind
Total Prize Money				-
Prizes in Kind				In kind

Competitions CDI1*:	Day	Date	Time	Prize Money
Competition No 5				
Prix St Georges	Friday	01.09.2023	follow	450 EUR
Competition No 11				
Intermediate I	Saturday	02.09.2023	follow	550 EUR
Competition No 18				
Intermediate I Freestyle	Sunday	03.09.2023	follow	800 EUR
Total Prize Money				1800 EUR
Prizes in Kind				-

Competitions CDIYH:	Day	Date	Time	Prize Money
Competition No 6				
Preliminary Competition 5YO	Friday	01.09.2023	follow	In kind
Competition No 12				
Final Competition 5YO	Saturday	02.09.2023	follow	In kind
Competition No 7				
Preliminary Competition 6YO	Friday	01.09.2023	follow	In kind
Competition No 13				
Final Competition 6YO	Saturday	02.09.2023	follow	In kind
Competition No 8				
Preliminary Competition 7YO	Friday	01.09.2023	follow	In kind
Competition No 14				
Final Competition 7YO	Saturday	02.09.2023	follow	In kind
Total Prize Money				-
Prizes in Kind				In kind

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GENERAL CLASSIFICATION AT THE END OF THE COMPETITIONS:

Leading athlete award –	N/A
Best foreign athlete -	N/A
Best home athlete –	N/A
Team awards –	N/A

IX. COMPETITIONS DETAIL

FIRST DAY: Thursday DATE: 31.08.2023

COMPETITION No 1

Test:	CHILDREN PRELIMINARY B
Number of horses per athlete:	2
Open to:	all
Draw/Art:	According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1
Prize money:	in kind
Breakdown:	Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters,
	however at least 3 prizes

SECOND DAY: Friday DATE: 01.09.2023

COMPETITION No 2

Test:	CHILDREN TEAM
Number of horses per athlete:	2
Open to:	all
Draw/Art:	According the starting order of the teams, athletes who are not part of any team or with second horse start after the team athletes
Prize money:	in kind
Breakdown:	Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters, however at least 3 prizes
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COMPETITION No 3

Test:	JUNIORS TEAM
Number of horses per athlete:	2
Open to:	all
Draw/Art:	According the starting order of the teams,
	athletes who are not part of any team or
	with second horse start after the team athletes
Prize money:	300 EUR
Breakdown:	1 st place 90 EUR
	2 nd place 70 EUR
	3 rd place 60 EUR
	4 th place 50 EUR
	5 th place 30 EUR
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COMPETITION No 4

Test:	YOUNG RIDERS TEAM
Number of horses per athlete:	2
Open to:	all
Draw/Art:	According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1
Prize money:	Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters,
	however at least 3 prizes

COMPETITION No 5

Test:	PRIX St. GEORGES
Number of horses per athlete:	2
Open to:	all
Draw/Art:	According the starting order of the teams, athletes who are not part of any team or with second horse start after the team athletes
Prize money:	450 EUR
Breakdown:	1 st place 130 EUR 2 nd place 110 EUR 3 rd place 90 EUR 4 th place 70 EUR 5 th place 50 EUR

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COMPETITION No 6

Test:	PRELIMINARY FOR 5-YEAR-OLD HORSES
Number of horses per athlete:	2
Open to:	all
Draw/Art:	According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1
Prize money:	Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters, however at least 3 prizes

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COMPETITION No 7

Test: Number of horses per athlete: 2 Open to: Draw/Art: Prize money:

PRELIMINARY FOR 6-YEAR-OLD HORSES all According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1 Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters, however at least 3 prizes

COMPETITION No 8

Test:

Open to:

Draw/Art:

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PRELIMINARY FOR 7-YEAR-OLD HORSES Number of horses per athlete: 2 all According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1 Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters, Prize money: however at least 3 prizes

THIRD DAY: Saturday

DATE: 02.09.2023

COMPETITION No 9

Number of horses

Test:

Open to: Draw/Art:

Prize money: Breakdown:

	JUNIORS INDIVIDUAL
per athlete:	2
	all
	According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1
	400 EUR
	1 st place 120 EUR
	2 nd place 100 EUR
	3 rd place 80 EUR
	4 th place 60 EUR
	5 th place 40 EUR

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COMPETITION No 10

Test:YeNumber of horses per athlete:2Open to:alDraw/Art:AePrize money:Pr

YOUNG RIDERS INDIVIDUAL 2 all According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1 Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters, however at least 3 prizes

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COMPETITION No 11

INTERMEDIATE I

Test:INNumber of horses per athlete:2Open to:alDraw/Art:AdPrize money:55Breakdown:1°

INTERMEDIATE I 2 all According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1 550 EUR 1st place 170 EUR 2nd place 130 EUR 3rd place 110 EUR 4th place 80 EUR 5th place 60 EUR

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COMPETITION No 12

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Test:	FINAL FOR 5-YEAR-OLD HORSES
Number of horses per athlete:	2
Open to:	all
Draw/Art:	According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1
Prize money:	Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters,
	however at least 3 prizes

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COMPETITION No 13 Test:

Test:FINAL FOR 6-YEAR-OLD HORSESNumber of horses per athlete:2Open to:allDraw/Art:According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1Prize money:Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters,
however at least 3 prizes

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COMPETITION No 14

Test:FINumber of horses per athlete:2Open to:alDraw/Art:AcPrize money:Pr

FINAL FOR 7-YEAR-OLD HORSES 2 all According to a random draw FEI Art. 417.3.1 Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters, however at least 3 prizes

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FOURTH DAY: Sunday

DATE: 03.09.2023

COMPETITION No 15 Test: JUNIORS FREESTYLE Number of horses per athlete: 1 Open to: and compulsory for: the best 15 athletes/horse combinations from Competition 9 acc. to Article 417.6 Draw in groups of five (5) Draw/Art: in reverse order from competition 9. Music: Sound carrier (2 copies) have to be given to the show office the previous evening. Prize money: 500 EUR Breakdown: 1st place 150 EUR 2nd place 120 EUR 3rd place 90 EUR 4th place 70 EUR 5th place 40 EUR * * * * * * * * * * * **COMPETITION No 16** CHILDREN INDIVIDUAL Test: Number of horses per athlete: 1 and compulsory for: the best 15 athletes/horse Open to: combinations from Competition 2 Draw/Art: 417.3.3 Prize money: in kind Breakdown: Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters, however at least 3 prizes * * * * * * * * * * *

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COMPETITION No 17

Test:	YOUNG RIDERS FREESTYLE
Number of horses per athlete:	1
Open to:	and compulsory for: the best 15 athletes/horse combinations from Competition 11
Draw/Art:	acc. to Article 417.6 Draw in groups of five (5) in reverse order from competition 11.
Music:	Sound carrier (2 copies) have to be given to the show office the previous evening.
Prize money:	Prizes in kind to 25% of the starters, however at least 3 prizes
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COMPETITION No 18	
Test:	INTERMEDIATE I FREESTYLE
Number of horses per athlete:	1
Open to:	Open to and compulsory for: the best 15

Draw/Art:

Music:

Prize money: Breakdown: Open to and compulsory for: the best 15 athletes/horse combinations from Competition 10 acc. to Article 417.6 Draw in groups of five (5) in reverse order from competition 10. Sound carrier (2 copies) have to be given to the show office the previous evening. 800 EUR 1st place 250 EUR

2nd place 200 EUR 3rd place 200 EUR 4th place 160 EUR 5th place 80 EUR

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X. FACILITIES OFFERED

1.ATHLETES

Accommodation.

Hotel: Frigopan Hotel Address: Tsaratsovo, Frigopan Riding Center Telephone: +359 882 452 525 At the expense of the Organiser 🗌 or the Athlete 🖂

• Hotel: Park Hotel Sankt Peterburg

Address: Bulgaria,4000 Plovdiv, 97 Bulgaria Blvd

Website: https://sphotel.net/

Telephone: +359 32 203 333

Hotel: Holiday Inn Plovdiv

Address: Bulgaria,4003 Plovdiv, 109 Vasil Levski Str.

Website: https://www.ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels/us/en/plovdiv/pdvhi/hoteldetail Telephone: +359 32 203 333

• Hotel: Plaza Hotel Plovdiv

Address: Bulgaria,4003 Plovdiv, 125 Bulgaria Blvd.

Website: https://www.plazahotelplovdiv.com/en-us

Telephone: +359 32 949 999

<u>Meals.</u>

At the expense of the Organiser \Box or the Athlete igtimes

2.GROOMS

Accommodation.

Requests for accommodation must be sent with entries.

At the expense of the Organiser \Box or the Athlete igtimes

<u>Meals.</u>

At the expense of the Organiser \Box or the Athlete igwedge

N.B. Organisers 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.

As much as possible in accordance with the Organisers Guide, Point 4.7.2 -Facilities, Services & Conditions for Grooms" <u>https://knowledgebase.fei.org/index.php?action=artikel&cat=11&id=132&artlan</u> <u>g=en</u>

XI. LOGISTICAL/ADMINISTRATIVE/TECHNICAL INFORMATION

1.DRAW

Location of the draw: VIP Area

2.COMPETITION ARENA(S)

Total dimensions:	90 x 50 m (Competition arena - dimensions: 20 x 60 m)
Type of Footing:	Sand and textile

3.PRACTICE ARENA(S)

Total dimensions:	70 x 30 m (Competition arena - dimensions: $20 \times 60 m$)
Type of Footing:	Sand and textile

4.STABLES

Size of boxes: 3,50 m x 3,00 m (at least 3m x 3m)

An adequate number of stables must be at least 4m x 3m to accommodate the larger Horses.

5.PAPERLESS JUDGING

It is compulsory to have a certified software/solution in order to offer Paperless Judging at FEI Dressage Events.

Will you use a FEI Certified Paperless Judging Software/Solution to manage judging at your Event? (The list of Certified Service Providers is available here: <u>https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-providers/list</u>)

No \boxtimes and as OC, we confirm that no Paperless Judging Software/Solution will be used.

6.SCORING PROVIDER/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: https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-providers)

No 🖂

Contact person at Event:

Name: Stanislav Raykov

FEI ID number: 10175130

Contact email: info@dressage.bg

The FEI may require to be provided with real time results data feed of your Events

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according to FEI requirements; in this case you and your provider will be informed accordingly.

7.AVERAGE SCORE/OPEN SCORING

Average Score and Open Scoring: Yes \Box No \boxtimes

8.OTHER TECHNOLOGY/SERVICE PROVIDER(S)

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

No 🖂

9.PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

The number of athletes required to present themselves for the prize giving ceremony of each competition is 5

10. ADVERTISING ON ATHLETES AND HORSES

The athletes are authorised to carry the logo of their personal sponsor. The Chief Steward will check that the advertising and publicity on athletes and horses complies with the FEI General Regulations.

11. TICKETING

Are you selling ticket for spectator to attend your event: Yes \Box No igtimes

12. BETTING

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

13. TRANSPORT REIMBURSMENT HORSES/PONIES

Transport expenses to be paid by the Organiser \Box at per km or to be paid by the Athlete \boxtimes

14. WELCOME

The time and date of arrival of athletes, horses and their means of transport must be given to the Organiser in order to facilitate them on arrival.

15. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION - ARRANGEMENTS FROM HOTEL TO SHOWGROUNDS

Walking distance 🛛

Public Transport \boxtimes to be paid by the Organiser \square or the Athlete \boxtimes

Taxi igodot to be paid by the Organiser \Box or the Athlete igodot

16. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS/ACCREDITED PERSONS

Entry right to the stable areas according to the FEI Veterinary Regulations.

NUMBER ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athlete:	1
Partner:	1
Groom:	1
Horse Owner:	two (2) accreditations per horse acc. to FEI Passport

17. SUSTAINABILITY

Please consider the environment when organising an FEI Event. Please find useful information on FEI Sustainability here: <u>http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/handbook</u>

XII. VETERINARY MATTERS

1.CUSTOMS FORMALITIES

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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

Carnet ATA : needed if coming not from EU countries or in the case the horse will pass through not EU Countries (crossing not communitarian nations) For further information see: http://www.atacarnet.com/ Official veterinary health certificates on the International Form issued from the official Veterinary Health Authorities of the Country of origin: a) for horses from EU Countries according to Annex II of Council Directive 2009/156/EC and subsequent amendments (Attention: valid only for 10 days). b) for hor ses NOT from EU Countries according to Annex II of Council Directive 92/260/EEC and Commission Decision 2004/211/EC and respective subsequent amendments. Health certificates and FEI Horse passports for all horses are to be handed to the Secretariat upon arrival to the venue, ONLY ORIGINAL documents must be presented, not a copy. Only trucks certified and accompanying persons possessing documents for horse transport can cross borders to enter EU countries. Athletes that need the health certificates for transport of the horses to their destination abroad validated from an official state Veterinarian, must declare it at the Secretariat upon arrival. OC will secure the presence of an official state Veterinarian at a certain time frame only on one day of the Event. Day and time will be announced at the Secretariat. For questions or problems, please contact your Government Veterinary Services.

3.NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

All competing horses must be serologically tested (Coggins Test) for Equine Infectious Anaemia (EIA). This test must have been carried out within the last 12 months. The certificate showing a negative test must be presented to the veterinarian examining the horse on arrival. Horse that have no such certificate or have a positive test will not be allowed to enter the showground and will not be allowed to compete in the event.

4.PONIES

Ponies must be in compliance with the Veterinary Regulations Chapter IX to be eligible to compete in pony events.

5.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.

6.TRANSPORT OF HORSES

Horses must be fit to travel and be transported in suitable vehicles. 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.

7.VENUE ARRIVAL INFORMATION & FITNESS TO COMPETE

7.1 PASSPORTS. FEI General Regulations.

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 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 (FEI General Regulations).

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.

7.2 VACCINATIONS - EQUINE INFLUENZA. FEI Veterinary Regulations, Art. 1003

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

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

7.3 EXAMINATION ON ARRIVAL. FEI Veterinary Regulations, Art. 1029

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. PRs must fulfil the Horse Health Requirements via the FEI HorseApp in advance of the event which will be checked at the Examination on Arrival.

7.4 HORSE INSPECTIONS. FEI Veterinary Regulations, Art. 1032-1040

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.

7.5 LIMB SENSITIVITY EXAMINATION. FEI Veterinary Regulations, Art. 1046-1051 and Annex VIII

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.

8. EQUINE ANTI-DOPING AND CONTROLLED MEDICATION PROGRAMME (EADCMP).

8.1 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).

8.2 ELECTIVE TESTING. FEI Veterinary Regulations, Art. 1056

Elective Testing may be carried out prior to an Event to check for the presence of Prohibited Substances. Please refer to <u>https://inside.fei.org/fei/cleansport/horses</u> 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 the FEIs' Anti-doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA).

The ADRHA rules are published on the FEI's website at http://inside.fei.org/content/anti-doping-rules

XIV. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1.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.

1.1 ATHLETES, OWNERS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL

1.1.1 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.

1.1.2 Personal Property Insurance

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

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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.

1.1.3 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.

1.2 ATHLETES AND OWNERS

1.2.1 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.

1.2.2 Additional Liability Information

N/A

1.2.3 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.

2.PROTESTS/APPEALS

To be valid, all Protests and Appeals must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of CHF 150.- or equivalent, as mentioned in the FEI General Regulations: <u>https://inside.fei.org/content/general-regs-statutes</u>

3.DISPUTES

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

4.MODIFICATION TO SCHEDULE

In exceptional circumstances, together with the Approval of the Chefs d'Equipe, host NF delegate, if any, and the Ground Jury, the OC may change the schedule in order to clarify any matters 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 by the Foreign Judge.

5.ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE ORGANISER

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 must 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.

IMPORTANT

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

The value of the 1st prize must not exceed 1/3 of the total prize money announced for the competition. Distribution of prize money: distributed to 25 % of participants. If there are between 5 and 19 athletes in the competition, min 5 prizes must be distributed.

If there are 4 or less athletes in the competition, the table below applies.

Number of Starters	1	2	3	4	From 5 and above
1 st	33%	33%	33%	33%	All the
2 nd		25%	25%	25%	prize
3 rd			20%	20%	money
4 th				15%	scheduled
Total distributed	33%	58%	78%	93%	must be distributed among all placed athletes.

The amount to be given to each athlete must be stated in the schedule.

XV. ANNEXES

1. FEI ENTRY SYSTEM

Please fill the form below in order to provide you and the other members of your committee or your IT Providers access to the FEI Entry System.

FEI ID ¹ :	10053393	
Name*:	KOSTOVA	
First Name*:	Teodora	
E-Mail*:	bef@horsesportbg.org	
Access Rights*:	Admin ²	Consult ³
FEI ID ¹ :	10284735	
Name*:	ZHELYAZOVA	
First Name*:	Velyana	
E-Mail*:	zhelyazova@gmail.com	
Access Rights*:	Admin ²	
Access Rights*: FEI ID ¹ :	Admin ²	Consult ³
		Consult ³
FEI ID ¹ :	10175130	Consult ³
FEI ID ¹ : Name*:	10175130 RAYKOV	Consult ³

¹⁾ If already have an FEI user account.

²⁾ Provide you the required access to manage entries and substitutions and download entries/lists.

³⁾ You are just able to consult and download the entries/lists.

*) Mandatory Fields

2. RESULTS

In order to proceed with the results publication and for qualification purposes the FEI requires results to be uploaded directly on the FEI Database <u>within two days</u> after the conclusion of the event.

All relevant information, file format and tutorial can be found on this page: https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/results/dressage-results-forms

If you or your provider are unable to produce the required files, results will be accepted by e-mail to <u>dressageresults@fei.org</u> in the proper XML format immediately after the event.

Please refer to compulsory format for CDIs; the file can be downloaded using the following link: <u>https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/xml-format</u>

All results must include FEI Passport Registration number of horses and FEI ID number of Athletes.

Please note that as per the FEI Regulations: OCs of International Events must inform the FEI and NFs whose teams or individuals have taken part, of the results and prize money paid to each placed Athlete and team, within two (2) days following the Event for all disciplines managed by an online entry system and five (5) days for all other discipline(s), unless otherwise specified for qualification and ranking reasons as communicated by the FEI.

Failure from organisers of International Events to provide the FEI with the appropriate result(s) and/or prize money information by the aforesaid deadline and/or in the aforesaid format shall entail a warning for the first violation and thereafter a fine of CHF 1'000.- per violation.

3. EEF DRESSAGE EVOLUTION LEAGUE RULES – TEAM COMPETITION.

1.EEF Dressage Evolution League

EEF Dressage Evolution League (EEFDEL) consists of Regional Qualification Events (RQ) and a Final.

EEFDEL season: All EEFDEL RQ are held during the period May to September and are outdoor shows.

The Final may be held as an indoor or outdoor event.

The number of EEFDEL RQs in 2023 is six (6). The venues and dates of the EEFDEL RQs will be communicated before the start of the season but in any case before end of January 2023.

EEFDEL shows are organised as CDIP, CDICh, CDIJ, CDIY, CDI1*.

Countries eligible to host EEFDEL shows are: AUT, BUL, CRO, CZE, EST, GRE, HUN, LAT, LUT, POL, ROU, SLO, SVK, TUR.

All NFs, which are members of FEI are invited to take part at each CDI and can compete as a Team for the EEF Dressage Evolution League.

The shows shall be hosted in three regions (Baltic, Central and Balkan) and each Region may host a maximum of two (2) RQs.

The Teams are mixed teams with Athletes from different age categories, from Children/Pony Riders to Seniors.

In 2023, the shows will be run as single events, not as a league and they will be named EEF Dressage Evolution Team Competition. This name will be added to the approved schedule.

2.Team competition

2.1. Composition of the teams

Each team consists of a minimum three (3) and maximum four (4) Athletes, from the Pony Riders, Children, Junior, Young Riders or Senior categories, with one representative maximum per category. All Athletes and Horses must be FEI registered and duly entered by their National Federation.

Each OC decides which of the five (5) categories to include at each show and this must be stated in the approved schedule.

The Athletes can be from the same nation, but this is not obligatory. Athletes from different nations can compose a team.

The starting order of the teams is determined by an ordinary draw.

An Athlete who is not part of any team or member of a team but is competing with a second Horse, will start following all team Athletes following their own age group competition.

The starting order of the Athletes is: first start all Pony Riders, then all Children, then all Juniors, then all Young Riders and finally all Seniors.

Athletes will ride the following tests:

- Pony Riders: Team test,
- Children: Team test,
- Juniors: Team test,
- Young Riders: Team test,
- Seniors: Prix St Georges test.

2.2. Ranking:

Team Classification.

In each category, Team Athletes will receive points as follows:

The best ranked Athlete in his category will receive points equal to the number of teams which take part in the competition. The second best placed Athlete receives points equal to the number of teams minus one and so on.

The winning team is the one having the highest total points of their three (3) best Athletes. The second best team is the one with the next highest total points and so on.

If there is a tie for any place, the deciding factor will be the accumulated final score in % of the three (3) best Athletes from the team. If there is still a tie, the teams will be placed equal.

2.3. Team manager

Every team has to declare a Team manager. The Team manager has to be an adult. The Team manager could also be an Athlete member of the team. The Team Manager is the spokesperson and designated representative of a team.

2.4. Declaration of the teams

The Team Manager will declare the name of his team and its members at the technical meeting, but not later than thirty (30) minutes following the horse inspection.

Substitution of Athletes and/or Horses is allowed not later one (1) hour before the start of the team competition. This substitution request has to be presented to the Ground Jury President for approval.

If an Athlete is entered with two (2) different Horses in different categories, the Athlete can decide in which EEF Team competition they will take part. Such Athlete can only take part in one (1) EEF Team competition, but the Athlete is eligible for individual ranking with both Horses in both categories.

3.EEF Dressage Evolution League Final

3.1. Participation

The top two (2) ranked teams from each qualifying event qualify for the EEFDEL Final.

If a team which is already qualified cannot take part at the Final, it will be replaced by the next best ranked team in the RQ, not already qualified for the Final, where the team achieved qualification.

If this team has achieved qualification at more than one (1) RQ, it will be replaced by the next team at the first RQ where the qualification was achieved. If this next team cannot take part, then the qualification for the Final will go to the next team at the second RQ where qualification was achieved and so on.

Teams will have the same Names as they had at the RQs.

In order to be eligible to participate in the final, each Team must include at least two (2) Athletes who participated for the Team in at least one (1) RQ.

Subject to the foregoing, substitution of Athletes and/or Horses are allowed not later than one (1) hour before the start of the team competition. The request for substitution has to be presented to the Ground Jury President for approval.

3.2. Format and Ranking

The format and ranking at the EEFDEL Final is according to Art. 2.2. of these rules.

4.Branding

4.1. Name of the Team competition

Name of the Team competition is: (name of the venue) EEF Dressage Evolution League.

4.2. Logo and Branding

The logo of the EEF and the logo of the League have to appear on all promotional material for the event including but not only: press releases, starting and results list, course plans.

Banners: the OC has to allocate 6 banners (approx. size $0.90 \times 2.00 \text{ m}$) with design provided by EEF at the main arena and two banners at warming up arena.

4.3. Live streaming

The OC has to ensure that live streaming of the all three team competitions is provided.

5.Education

An educative event for national Dressage and Para Dressage Officials will be organized in connection with every EEFDEL show.