

RIDING ESTABLISHMENTS

Licence Conditions

1. Any horse found on the premises by an authorised Officer to be in need of veterinary attention shall not be returned to work until the holder of the licence has obtained at his/her own expense and has lodged with the Local Authority a veterinary certificate that the horse is fit for work.
2. No horse will be let out on hire for riding or used for providing instruction in riding without supervision by a responsible person of the age of 16 years or over unless (in the case of a horse let out for hire for riding) the holder of the licence is satisfied that the hirer of the horse is competent to ride without supervision.
3. The carrying on of the business of a riding establishment shall at no time be left in the charge of any person under 16 years of age.
4. The licence holder shall hold a current insurance policy which insures him/her against liability for any injury sustained by those who hire a horse from him/her for riding and those who use a horse in the course of receiving from him/her, in return for payment, instruction in riding and arising out of the hire or use of a horse as aforesaid and which also insures such persons in respect of any liability which may be incurred by them in respect of injury to any person caused by, or arising out of, the hire or use of a horse as aforementioned.
5. A register shall be kept by the licence holder of all horses in his/her possession aged three years and under which are normally kept on the premises. This register shall be available for inspection by an authorised Officer at all times.
6. The total number of horses permitted by this licence to be kept at the Establishment is «**uwnum1**»
7. There will be available at all times for the horses accommodation suitable as respects construction, size, number of occupants, lighting, ventilation, drainage and cleanliness.
8. Where the horses are maintained at grass, adequate pasture, shelter, water and supplementary feeds shall be provided.
9. All stabled horses shall be adequately supplied with suitable food drink and bedding material.
10. All horses shall be adequately exercised, groomed and rested and so far as is necessary, visited at suitable intervals.
11. All reasonable precautions shall be taken to prevent and control the spread of infectious or contagious diseases and veterinary first-aid equipment and medicines shall be provided and maintained in the premises.

12. Appropriate steps shall be taken for the protection and extrication of horses in case of fire or other emergency. In particular, the name, address and telephone number of the licence holder or some other responsible person shall be kept displayed in a prominent position on the outside of the premises and instructions as to the action to be taken in the event of fire with particular regard to the removal of horses shall be kept displayed in a prominent position on the outside of the premises.
13. All horses shall be maintained in a good state of health and shall be suitable for the purposes for which they are kept.
14. Adequate storage accommodation shall be provided for forage, bedding, stable equipment and saddlery.
15. The feet of all animals shall be properly trimmed and if shod, their shoes are properly fitted and in good condition.
16. Suitable storage facilities shall be provided for the storage of manure, these facilities to be to the satisfaction of the Director of TEC Services.
17. A copy of this licence shall be suitably displayed to the public in a prominent position within the Establishment.

NOTES

- (a) Any person aggrieved by the conditions (except conditions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5) subject to which this licence is granted may appeal to the appropriate Sheriff Court; and the Court may on such an appeal give such directions with respect to the conditions as it thinks proper.
 - (b) Any person who wilfully obstructs or delays any person in the exercise of his powers of entry and inspection under the Acts, shall be guilty of an offence.
 - (c) If any conditions subject to which a licence is granted in accordance with the provisions of the Acts is contravened or not complied with, the person to whom the licence was granted shall be guilty of an offence.
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