

CHAPTER 7875
MINNESOTA RACING COMMISSION
HORSE RACING; FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT

7875 0100 FACILITIES

7875 0200 EQUIPMENT

7875.0100 FACILITIES.

[For text of subps 1 to 5, see M R]

Subp 6 Jockey's and driver's rooms.

A he use of public, portable, or cellular telephones, or transmitters, or other electronic communications devices is prohibited in the jockey's and driver's room for one-half hour prior to the first post and until the last race is official

B he association will establish and post the hours that the jockey's or driver's room will be open The association will be responsible to secure the jockey's or driver's room when open.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 240 23*

History: *33 SR 8*

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[For text of subps 1 to 5, see M R]

Subp. 6 **Timing.** An association must use an electric timing system An official shall be designated to use a handheld stopwatch to record the time should the electric timing system fail

[For text of subps 7 and 8, see M.R]

Subp 9 **External communications.** An association may have telephone systems on the premises during a race meeting for the benefit of the public, the press, or for transacting ordinary business

No information regarding the results of any race shall be transmitted out of the race-track until the results are official except for races that are broadcast or televised live. Under no circumstances shall any message be sent over said systems transmitting money, or other things of value, or directing the placing of any wager on the result of a race

The use of public or portable telephones, transmitters, electronic communications devices, or any other instrument that can be used for transmitting or receiving messages off the grounds to transmit wagering information of any kind is strictly prohibited Anyone deemed to have used such an instrument to transmit or receive wagering information is subject to ejection and the equipment is subject to confiscation

No telephone calls or messages of any kind for any person attending or participating in the conduct of a race meeting shall be accepted, nor shall any notice be given pertaining to such message or telephone call during the hours indicated unless permission is first given by the stewards or the authorized representative of the commission

A telephone on a private line shall be provided in the offices of the commission All costs of the telephone service shall be borne by the association and the service shall not be interrupted at any time At the request of the commission, TDD devices shall be installed on all commission telephones at the track, and costs associated with the devices shall be borne by the association

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At least one of the public telephones allowed at an association shall be equipped with a TDD device

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