

CHAPTER 7897
MINNESOTA RACING COMMISSION
HORSE RACING; PROHIBITED ACTS

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[For text of subps 1 to 14, see M.R.]

Subp. 15. **Removing a horse without permission.** No person shall remove from the stable area of a licensed racetrack any horse without the written permission of the racing secretary or the stewards. No person shall remove from the stable area of a licensed racetrack any horse that is in the entries without written permission of the stewards.

[For text of subps 16 to 19, see M.R.]

Subp. 20. **Possession or use of a drug, substance, medication, biological product, or venom.**

A. No person may possess or use a drug, substance, medication, biological product, or venom on the premises of a facility under the jurisdiction of the commission:

(1) for which a recognized analytical method has not been developed to detect and confirm the administration of such substance;

(2) the use of which may endanger the health and welfare of the horse or endanger the safety of the rider.

B. No person may possess or use, on the premises of a facility under the jurisdiction of the commission, a drug, substance, medication, biological product, or venom that has not been approved by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) or the FDA for any use in human or animal without prior permission of the stewards and commission veterinarian.

C. No person may possess or use venom or blood doping agents, including but not limited to those listed in subitems (1) to (4) on the premises of a facility under the jurisdiction of the commission.

- (1) Hemopure®;
- (2) Erythropoietin;
- (3) Darbepoetin; or
- (4) Oxyglobin®.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 240.23; 240.24*

History: *34 SR 1135*

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[For text of subps 1 to 3, see M.R.]

Subp. 4. **Review or appeal by commission, director, or deputy director.** Nothing in this chapter precludes the commission, director, or deputy director from instituting proceedings to appeal a steward's decision; or the commission from instituting proceedings to review a steward's decision on its own motion.

[For text of subps 5 to 9, see M.R.]

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