RULE-MAKING ORDER
PERMANENT RULE ONLY

CR-103P (October 2017)
(Implements RCW 34.05.360)

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WSR 19-03-078

Agency: Washington Horse Racing Commission

Effective date of rule:

Permanent Rules

X 31 days after filing.

☐ Other (specify) _____ **(If less than 31 days after filing, a specific finding under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required and should be stated below)**

Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?

☐ Yes X No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: To correct the outdated term, "whip", to the industry standard , "riding crop"

Citation of rules affected by this order:

New:
Repealed:
Amended: WAC 260-44-010
Suspended:

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 67.16.020

Other authority:

PERMANENT RULE (Including Expedited Rule Making)

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 18-24-039 on November 28, 2018 (date).

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version:

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The number of sections adopted in order to comply with:

	New	Amended	Repealed
Federal statute:			
Federal rules or standards:			
Recently enacted state statutes:			

The number of sections adopted at the request of a nongovernmental entity:

New	Amended	Repealed

The number of sections adopted on the agency's own initiative:

New	Amended	Repealed
	1	

The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:

New	Amended	Repealed
	1	

The number of sections adopted using:

	New	Amended	Repealed
Negotiated rule making:		1	
Pilot rule making:			
Other alternative rule making:			

Date Adopted: January 11, 2019	**Signature:**
Name: Douglas L Moore	
Title: Executive Secretary	

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-03-060, filed 1/11/13, effective 2/11/13)

WAC 260-44-010 Equipment changes. (1) Permission to change any equipment from that which a horse carried in its previous race must be obtained from the stewards.

(2) Permission for a horse to add or remove blinkers or cheek pieces must be approved by the starter before being granted by the stewards.

(3) A trainer may tie down a horse's tongue but only with materials that are not dangerous or likely to cause injury to the horse. An official veterinarian will decide any question about the appropriateness of the material used for a tongue-tie. The stewards may monitor the use of tongue-ties.

(4) ((~~Whips~~)) Riding crops will be considered standard equipment in all horse races, unless declared at time of entry.