



2016/17 AIDE MEMOIRE FOR CHAIRMAN OF PANEL

APPENDIX F OF THE REGULATIONS – MIS-USE OF THE WHIP

(Section 8.1 (H) of the BHA Instructions)

INTRODUCTION

Good afternoon Mr The Stewards are enquiring into your use of the whip during therace. The Stewards acting on this enquiry are on my right, on my leftand my name is

[The Chairman will conduct the enquiry and start questioning (see section 8.1 (E) of the BHA Instructions].

N.B Owner to be present too, and Vet if applicable – see section 8.1 (H) of the BHA Instructions.

INFORMING THE JOCKEY OF THE DECISION

Ask if this is the rider’s first whip offence in Point to Points this season.

If the rider is in breach:

Mr having considered your use of the whip, we find you are in breach of British Horseracing Authority Point-to-Point Regulations Appendix F in that you used your whip e.g.

WITH EXCESSIVE FREQUENCY

WITH EXCESSIVE FORCE

WHEN OUT OF CONTENTION

WITHOUT GIVING THE HORSE TIME TO RESPOND etc.

.....

(where/when/from)

See Whip Restrictions and Associated penalties in section 8.1 (H) of the BHA Instructions

As a penalty, you will be fined £.....

Can you please pay the money to (e.g. fixture secretary) before leaving today. Thank you.

You do have the right to appeal and if you wish to appeal this decision you should contact the British Horseracing Authority, 75 High Holborn, London.

NB: Cheques should be made payable to “British Horseracing Authority”.