

APPENDIX (8)E

FENCE ATTENDANTS – DUTIES AND AUTHORITY

EQUIPMENT

FLAGS:

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| 1. | DOCTOR | Red & White Chequered (S)RMO required |
| 2. | AMBULANCE | White AMBULANCE required |
| 3. | VET | Orange VS required |
| 4. | WARNING | Black & White Chequered WARNING TO RIDERS |

DIRECTION MARKER X 2 - BLACK BOARD WITH DISTINCTIVE FLUORESCENT YELLOW CHEVRONS

DISTINCTIVE VEST/ARMBAND - TO IDENTIFY THE FENCE ATTENDANTS

DEALING WITH FALLEN HORSES/RIDERS

1. If the fence is obstructed by a fallen horse or rider or deemed unsafe to jump (e.g. Broken Guard Rail) during the race, IMMEDIATELY place the DIRECTION MARKERS in the top of the fence opposite the centre of the hazard. These DIRECTION MARKERS signal to the riders that they must not jump the fence. The yellow chevrons on the marker must be pointing towards the side of the fence the field is to pass. Ensure that there are no obstructions, members of the public or vehicles, on the part of the course beside the fence where the horses and riders are to pass.
2. If a (S)RMO, AMBULANCE or VET is required wave the appropriate flag.
3. Use the BLACK AND WHITE CHEQUERED FLAG to signal to the riders as they approach the fence, that there is a hazard ahead. Wave the flag in a figure of eight motion. Stand on the opposite side of the fence to that which the runners are going to pass and wave the flag above your head. You should position yourself around 70yds before the fence, however must have regard for course topography and crowd congregation in ensuring that you are seen by all riders, whilst also not putting yourselves or participants in danger.
4. Once a fence has already been by-passed during the course of a race, the Direction Markers should remain in situ until the end of the race.

Note: It is NOT recommended that these procedures are implemented whilst some horses have still to jump the fence on the same circuit of the course, unless it is absolutely safe to do so.

When the Direction Markers are not in use they must be stored away from the fence and with the legs pointing downwards. They must not be leant against the fence or the wings.

NOTICE TO BE DISPLAYED IN WEIGHING ROOM

ISSUED BY THE BRITISH HORSERACING AUTHORITY

SAFETY AT FENCES

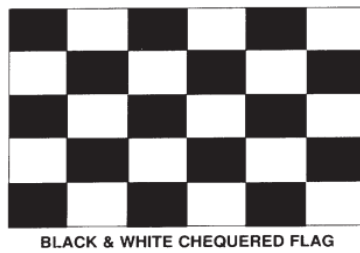
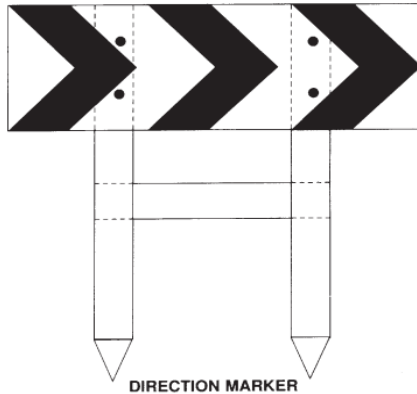
THE FENCE ATTENDANTS, IDENTIFIED BY THEIR DISTINCTIVE VESTS/ARM BANDS , HAVE THE AUTHORITY OF THE STEWARDS OF THE MEETING AND ARE FULLY BRIEFED ON THE PROCEDURES AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR DEALING WITH ALL INCIDENTS AT FENCES.

THE PUBLIC MUST KEEP OFF THE COURSE AT ALL TIMES AND MUST NOT INTERFERE IN ANY WAY WITH ANY RACE OR THE ACTIVITIES OF THE FENCE ATTENDANTS OR THE EMERGENCY SERVICES, DOCTORS, AMBULANCES, VETERINARY SURGEONS.

**ALL PARTICIPANTS AND THE PUBLIC MUST OBEY ANY INSTRUCTIONS
GIVEN TO THEM BY A FENCE ATTENDANT**

APPENDIX (8)F

DIRECTION MARKER AND FLAG FOR BY-PASSING



APPENDIX (8)G

BY-PASSING PROCEDURES

