



## **Rule Change Proposal Form**

This proposal is a (circle one): **NEW RULE, DELETION, CHANGE, CLARIFICATION**

**Rule Proposal:**

**Change – Dress Code**

All contestants shall wear western attire in the arena, chutes and warm up areas, one hour before and during any performance or slack. Western attire is a western cowboy hat, long sleeve shirt with cuffs and collar, pants and western cowboy boots. Exceptions are:

- Runners in the Ribbon Roping event are not required to wear western boots but must use some type of footwear. Runners are also not required to wear a western cowboy hat but other headgear is not permitted
- Barrel workers (for the Barrel Racing event) may set timers, barrels etc., using the same exceptions as the Ribbon Roper runners, except at the CSPRA finals where a western cowboy hat is required

**Please give reason and examples which support the necessity of this rule change:**

- The only place that we could find the dress code addressed was Page 12, 2.a.1 – an offence. Before an offence, the rule needs to be clearly stated and would be very helpful to all if it were to located in a logical place like Contestant Rules
- We reviewed the CSPRA current offence, FCA and CPRA dress code. We were unable to review the NSPRA as located in members only section online.
- Many female members of our association have brought this concern forward because they are may cowgirl western shirts that do not have buttons/snaps, as our current wording states
- While contestants do need to be neat, clean and professional, we do not think that directors need to regulate current fashion trends, making the wording slightly more generic will be helpful to all

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Rule Proposal: Deletion of Rule:Page 19 Ebf

Late Entries shall be allowed until noon the day following phone in entries for a charge of \$ 25.00

Please give reason and examples which support the necessity of this rule change:

To allow the office to have enough time to prepare the rodeo package to be sent to the committee. It is felt that the current 8 days that the members have to enter should be enough time. When having to mail the packages to the committee's it would be beneficial to have the extra time to prepare.

If this is a deletion, what is the page # and rule # in question: Page 19, Ebf



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Rule Proposal:

Change dress code to read shirts to have collar & cuffs and button, snap or zipper closer ( as long as they are western style.

Please give reason and examples which support the necessity of this rule change:

MR Sports produce an equine line of shirts that are being worn at all levels of competition in the rodeo world

If this is an amendment, what is the page # and rule # in question: Page 12, Offenses 1) Dress Code



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**Rule Proposal:**

**Change - Barrel Racing Page 41 Ground Conditions**

- a) The ground conditions will be worked to assure fair *conditions* for each barrel racer whether in slack or performance.
- b) The barrel pattern/arena shall be groomed/raked at the beginning of each age category. Subsequent grooming/raking shall occur consistently throughout the barrel race and after the designated runs in the program, NOT by actual runs on the ground, as directed by the Barrel Racing Director,
- c) Once barrel makers have been placed, no practicing is allowed within 10 feet (3m) from the markers.
- d) No contestant shall run/practice a barrel pattern within one hour of show time.
- e) No more than six (6) barrel racers should be in each age category in any performance if rodeo is run with slack.
- f) Stock shall not be fed or watered within 25 feet of the permanent barrel markers
- g) Remove current (f); now redundant with (b) amended

**Please give reason and examples which support the necessity of this rule change:**

- The age divisions are separate events with separate entry fees, payouts & draw. By *not* raking at the beginning of each age division, the draw has been compromised
- Multiple requests from barrel racers to ensure raking is on the draw/designated runs, not ground, as it was last year
- Other association rulebooks clearly address issues (c & d); nothing in ours currently and has been ongoing issues – easier for barrel racing directors to refer to clearly identified rules than vague references

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