

2026: REMIT SIX (6) –

RIDERS UNDER 17YEARS TO WEAR SHORT RIDING BOOTS

NAME OF ORGANISATION	
<i>Association / Society or District proposing Remit</i>	Horse Stewards Council Executive
PROPOSER	
<i>Name, designation, email &amp; phone # so you can receive any enquiries.</i>	RAS Head Office - <a href="mailto:enquiries@ras.org.nz">enquiries@ras.org.nz</a>
REMIT	
<i>Outline the Remit proposal that you are putting forward.</i>	New Rule regarding short riding boots for Riders under 17yrs in riding classes
CURRENT RULE(s)	
<i>Rule(s) number(s) and wording of current rule(s) this remit seeks to change.</i>	None
PROPOSED NEW RULE(s)	
<i>Rule(s) number(s) and wording of new proposed rule(s).</i>	<b>GR 9. RIDING GEAR</b> All Riders under 17yrs in riding classes must wear jodhpur boots. No long boots, chaps or gaiters.
RATIONALE	
<i>Outline the reason for the remit – eg “the current rules states 3 days. Our proposal states 2. The proposal reduces the waiting period by 1 day. Also note any circumstances or event which may have prompted this remit.</i>	This rule brings us into line with England and Australia where riders on Ponies must wear jodhpur boots. No long boots, chaps or gaiters
CONTRA	
<i>Outline what might be the downside or negative.</i>	None.