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### Proposed Rule Changes Due January 1<sup>st</sup> of the Current Convention Year

Proposed Rule Changes to be brought before the National Convention must be sent to the Director of Operations to send to the Rules Committee who will review the submissions for duplication, clarity and conflict with existing rules.

All submissions must be postmarked on or before January 1 of the current Convention year. All items **MUST BE** submitted on the following proposal form. All copies **MUST** be in type format, signed and **MUST** include the submitter's ASPC/AMHR membership number.

#### NO ITEMS WILL BE INTRODUCED FROM THE FLOOR AT CONVENTION!

Proposed ASPC/AMHR Rule Change (Must be typed – Must include Section, Article Part & Item Info)

Section, Article, Part & Item Number: XV, 4

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Indicate: Add or Delete: Add

Proposed Rule Change (provide desired language and intent of rule):

#### New Part: Definition of Junior and Senior Pony Under Saddle

Any pony that is 2-5 years will be considered a "Junior" pony under saddle.

Any pony that is 6 years or older will be considered a "Senior" pony under saddle.

Ponies under the age of 2 shall not be allowed under saddle.

Reason/Justification for Rule Change (provide brief description)

Many NSPPR have not completely finished growing until their 5th year. It takes

significant time to train ponies to a level of riding considered acceptable for a

"senior" pony (think shank bits, neck reining, jumping with rider's weight, etc.)

Proposed Effective Date: 1/1/2026 Submitted by (Membership #) 114937

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