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Proposed Rule Changes Due January 1st 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 so that they may go through the appropriate process and be able to be printed in the October issue of *The Journal*. All items **MUST BE** submitted on the following proposal form. All copies must be 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 (Please type or print – Must include Section, Article Part & Item Info)

Section, Article, Part & Item Number: X, 4.7 - A Page # 246

Indicate: Add or Delete: Add

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

Add - New Tack and Equipment in its entirety

See Attached

Reason/Justification for Rule Change (provide brief description of why this needs changed/added)

*updating Tack and Equipment for
ASPC - ASPR - NSPPR*

Proposed Effective Date: 1-1-2020

Committees/Rules that will be effected by change: Carriage, Rules

Submitted by (please provide best contact info for questions/clarifications)

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Tack and Equipment-ASPC-ASPR-NSPPR

1. Light harness (breast or collar type)
2. To be shown in a suitable two or four wheeled carriage pleasure type driving vehicle. Wooden Wheels, Solid Spoke, or Steel Wheels are acceptable, **NO pneumatic or wire wheels permitted, Boot removed**
3. Type of bit(s) optional, Snaffle, Liverpool's, French link, Mullen, Butterfly or Myler are acceptable driving bits. No leverage bits, Curb chains or Curb straps are allowed and can only be driven in the half cheek. Blinkers appropriate to type of harness.
4. Martingales and Overchecks are prohibited for all vehicles. False Martingales are acceptable.
5. Side checks are optional, breeching or thimbles or shaft stops or brakes are preferred. Tying down of tongues is prohibited. Bridles should fit snugly to prevent catching on the vehicle or other pieces of harness. A throatlatch and noseband or cavesson is mandatory. Open bridles are permitted, but are not encouraged.
6. Whip required. The thong (lash) of the whip should be long enough to reach the shoulder of the farther horse.
7. Braiding of mane and forelock is optional but not required in any carriage driving class.
NOTE: ASPC Moderns, ASPC Modern Pleasures, ASPR Show Ponies and NSPPR ARE NOT required to wear braids in the carriage division but MUST wear them in accordance to their other division rules when participating in those other divisions.
8. Fly Bonnets are optional but not required in any carriage driving class
9. Spares Kits are optional, but not required