

CHAPTER 70
HORSE RACING

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SUBCHAPTER 1. GENERAL RULES

13:70-1.1 Applicability

These rules are to apply to all tracks, all race meetings and to all persons and all matters within the jurisdiction of the New Jersey Racing Commission.

Case Notes

Suspension of wife's license due to husband's criminal conviction upheld; rule not assailable on equal protection grounds; full constitutional safeguards observed in suspension. *Niglio v. New Jersey Racing Commission*, 158 N.J.Super. 182, 385 A.2d 925 (App.Div.1978).

13:70-1.2 Gender

The definitions and interpretations of racing terms, as well as the Foreword, are to be considered in connection with the rules and as part of them. Wherever "he" is used, it shall be construed to mean "he" or "she".

13:70-1.3 Scope; authority of Executive Director

(a) The rules, regulations and conditions under which all horse racing shall be conducted in the State of New Jersey are prescribed by the racing law (N.J.S.A. 5:5-22 et seq.) and by the New Jersey Racing Commission.

(g) The number of entries (or starters) required is as follows:

1. As long as at least one horse remains within an entry or the field, that betting interest will not be deemed a scratch. If a betting interest is scratched or declared a non-starter, the actual favorite as evidenced by Breeders' Cup host track win pool at the start of the race will be substituted. If the win pool amounts are equal, the substitute will be the lowest program numbered betting interest.

New Rule, R.1992 d.200, effective May 4, 1992.
See: 23 N.J.R. 1769(b), 24 N.J.R. 1800(b).

13:70-29.58 (Reserved)

13:70-29.59 Cancellations

(a) Cancellations of mutuel tickets are prohibited on wagers purchased on the current race once the patron has left the window on all types of wagers where odds or probable payouts are displayed to the public.

(b) Mutuel clerks shall be permitted to cancel current race mutuel tickets during the delay period provided it is the last transaction before the bell sounds signaling the end of wagering. If it is determined by the Executive Director of the Racing Commission or his or her designee that mutuel clerks are abusing this cancellation privilege, they will be subject to fine and/or suspension.

(c) No cancellation of mutuel tickets is permitted after the delay period.

(d) Cancellation of all advance wagers is permitted up until the race immediately preceding the advance wager becomes official.

(e) Mutuel clerks are permitted to cancel mutuel tickets purchased at self-service terminals provided they are advance wagers or wagers where odds or probable payouts are not displayed to the public.

New Rule, R.1991 d.542, effective November 4, 1991.
See: 23 N.J.R. 2267(a), 23 N.J.R. 3340(a).

13:70-29.60 Expiration of mutuel tickets and vouchers

All mutuel tickets and vouchers shall expire six months and one day from the date of issue (that is, tickets and vouchers purchased on January 1 will expire at the close of business on July 1).

New Rule, R.1991 d.543, effective November 4, 1991.
See: 23 N.J.R. 2267(b), 23 N.J.R. 3340(a).

13:70-29.61 Superfecta

(a) The superfecta (or other approved name) is a form of pari-mutuel wagering where each bettor selects, in order, the first, second, third and fourth placed horses in the designated superfecta race. The superfecta pool shall be held entirely separate from all other pools, and is not part of a daily double, exacta or other wagering pool.

(b) Superfecta tickets shall be sold in not less than \$1.00 denominations.

(c) Races in which superfecta pools shall be conducted shall be approved by the Commission and shall be clearly designated in the program.