

The LISTS of “PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES AND METHODS”, “SUBSTANCES UNDER CONTROL” and “PERMITTED SUBSTANCES”

The substances and methods listed below are divided into:

A. PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES AND METHODS:

A.1 *SUBSTANCES ALWAYS PROHIBITED*

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A.4 *METHODS PROHIBITED DURING THE RACE*

B. SUBSTANCES UNDER CONTROL

(Substances which are permitted to be used before or during the race only after presentation of a veterinary prescription)

C. PERMITTED SUBSTANCES

A. PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES AND METHODS

A.1 SUBSTANCES (AND THEIR METABOLITES) ALWAYS PROHIBITED

1. ANABOLIC STEROIDS
2. HORMONES AND RELATED SUBSTANCES, HORMONE RELEASING FACTORS, HORMONES ANTAGONISTS AND MODULATORS (*OTHER THAN THOSE LISTED IN THE LIST OF “SUBSTANCES UNDER CONTROL”*)
3. BETA BLOCKERS
4. “MASKING AGENTS” AND DIURETICS (*IF A DIURETIC WAS USED FOR CLINICAL REASONS IN THE LAST MONTH BEFORE THE COMPETITION, IT HAS TO BE DECLARED IN THE DECLARATION OF TREATMENT FORM*)
5. OTHER SUBSTANCES WITH EFFECT SIMILAR TO THOSE ABOVE DEFINED

A.2 METHODS ALWAYS PROHIBITED

1. FORCED FEEDING OR WATERING
2. INCREASE OF BLOOD OXYGEN TRANSPORT (ES. AUTOHEMOTRANSFUSION)

A.3 SUBSTANCES (AND THEIR METABOLITES) PROHIBITED DURING THE RACE

(IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SUBSTANCES WAS USED FOR CLINICAL REASONS IN THE LAST MONTH BEFORE THE COMPETITION, IT HAS TO BE DECLARED IN THE DECLARATION OF TREATMENT FORM)

- a.1. ALCOHOL PER OS
- a.2. LOCAL OR GENERAL ANESTHETICS
- a.3. ANALGESICS (“PAINKILLERS”)
- a.4. ANTIBIOTICS (*OTHER THAN THOSE LISTED IN THE LIST OF “SUBSTANCES UNDER CONTROL”*)
- a.5. ANTICHOLINERGICS
- a.6. ANTIHISTAMINES
7. ANTI-INFLAMMATORY (i.e. corticosteroids, NSAIDs, etc.)
8. MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY FOR PAIN ASSOCIATED WITH OSTEOARTHRITIS (*es. lokivetmab*)
9. APPETITE STIMULANTS (i.e. mirtazapine, cyproheptadine, etc.)
10. BRONCHODILATORS
11. CANNABINOID OR OTHER PRODUCT EXTRACTED FROM CANNABIS PLANTS (i.e. CANNABIDIOL - CBD, etc.)
12. COUGH SUPPRESSORS
13. GASTROINTESTINAL MOTILITY REDUCERS (i.e. loperamide, atropine, etc.)
14. IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS AND IMMUNOMODULATORS (i.e. cyclosporine, oclacitinib, etc.)
15. MUSCLE RELAXANTS

16. SEDATIVES, NARCOTICS AND ANTIEPILEPTICS (i.e. phenobarbital, potassium bromide, etc.)

17. STIMULANTS (i.e. caffeine, theobromine, etc.)

18. SUBSTANCES THAT HAVE THE SAME EFFECTS OF THOSE LISTED ABOVE

A.4 METHODS PROHIBITED DURING THE RACE

1. INJECTION OF ANY SUBSTANCES IN ANY WAY (i.e. subcutaneous, intramuscular, intravenous, intraarticular, etc.)

2. ACUPUNCTURE AND OTHER METHOD USED TO STIMULATE ACUPUNCTURE POINTS

3. THERAPY WITH INFRARED, ULTRASOUND, LASER, ELECTROMAGNETIC AND TENS EQUIPMENT

4. CHIROPRACTIC, OSTEOPATHIC AND OTHER TREATMENTS OF SPINAL MANIPULATION

5. REPLACEMENT OR CHEMICAL / PHYSICAL ALTERATION OF BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES TO BE TESTED

B. SUBSTANCES UNDER CONTROL

(Substances which are permitted to be used before or during the race only after presentation of a veterinary prescription)

1. ORAL ANTIBIOTICS *(Not injectable !)*

2. ANTIBIOTICS and ANTIINFLAMMATORY FOR TOPICAL USE *(solutions, gel and cream for dermatological use; drops and ointments for ophthalmic use; ear drops; foot ointments etc.)*

3. ORAL ANTI-ACID, H₂ RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST AND PROTON PUMP INHIBITORS - for gastric ulcers *(es. omeprazole and derivatives, ranitidine, cimetidine, famotidine, sucralfate, etc.)*

4. ORAL OR INJECTABLE REPRODUCTIVE HORMONES, HORMONAL RELEASE FACTORS OR RELATED SUBSTANCES:

a) *HORMONES FOR INDUCTION OF TEMPORARY INFERTILITY IN FEMALE, NOT CONTAINING TESTOSTERONE*

b) *HORMONES FOR INDUCTION OF TEMPORARY INFERTILITY IN MALE OR FEMALE DOG (es. deslorelin)*

c) *SUBSTANCES FOR THE TREATMENT OF URINARY INCONTINENCE IN SPAYED FEMALE (es. estriol or phenylpropanolamine)*

d) *ESTROGEN FOR THE INDUCTION OF ABORTION IN CASE OF ACCIDENTAL MATING (es. estradiol)*

e) *ANTIPIGESTINIC FOR INDUCTION OF ABORTION IN CASE OF ACCIDENTAL MATING (es. aglepristone)*

f) *PROLACTIN INHIBITORS FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF LACTATION (es. cabergoline, metergoline)*

g) *HORMONES ANTIANDROGENS FOR TREATMENT OF BENIGN PROSTATIC HYPERTROPHY (es. osaterone)*

5. MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY FOR ATOPIC DERMATITIS *(es. lokivetmab)*

6. THYROID HORMONE (*)

() EXPLANATORY NOTE ON THE USE OF THYROID HORMONE:*

The oral use of thyroid hormones before and during the race, for dogs with hypothyroidism, due to specific diagnosis and prescription by the treating Veterinarian, is allowed only if the FORM OF EXEMPTION is presented (at least one hour before the pre-race veterinary inspection) to the Chief Veterinarian, together with a laboratory report bearing the identification of the subject being treated and the identification data of the laboratory itself.

The laboratory reports must include the values determined for T4, Free T4 and cTSH:

a) at the time of diagnosis (these values that must be lower than the minimum limit indicated as normal range by the laboratory)

b) at least 4 weeks after the start of hormone therapy (values that must not be higher than the maximum limit set as normal range by the laboratory).

C. PERMITTED SUBSTANCES

The substances listed below can be used before and/or during the competition without presentation of any form., as long as they do not contain PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES or SUBSTANCES UNDER CONTROL,

ALL COMPETITORS MUST BE AWARE THAT SOME OF THESE HALLOWED SUBSTANCES MAY COINTAIN PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES OR SUBSTANCES UNDER CONTROL, EVEN IF NOT LISTED IN THE DECLARATION OF INGREDIENTS, WHICH CAN CAUSE A POSITIVE DOPING TEST.

1. "NATURAL", HERBAL, HOMEOPATHIC, "TRADITIONAL CHINESE" REMEDIES

- 2.** NUTRITIONAL SUPPLEMENTS
- 3.** ANTIDIARRHEAL ADSORBENTS - not containing antibiotics (es. bentonite, kaolin, pectin, etc.)
- 4.** PREBIOTICS AND PROBIOTICS
- 5.** JOINT PROTECTION SUPPLEMENTS
- 6.** SOLUTIONS, OIL, GEL, CREAM etc. FOR DERMATOLOGICAL USE - not containing antibiotics or anti-inflammatory
- 7.** SOLUTIONS, OIL, GEL, CREAM etc. FOR MASSAGE - not containing antibiotics or anti-inflammatory
- 8.** EYE AND EAR DROPS AND OINTMENTS - not containing antibiotics or anti-inflammatory
- 9.** ANTIHELMINTICS
- 10.** INSECT REPELLENTS, INSECTICIDES, ACARICIDES