

Chapter 11. MEDICATION AND TESTING

Section 6. Androgenic-Anabolic Steroids (AAS)

1. No AAS shall be permitted in test samples collected from racing horses except for residues of the major metabolite of Stanozolol. Nandrolone and the naturally occurring substances Boldenone and Testosterone at concentrations less than the indicated thresholds.
2. Concentrations of these AAS shall not exceed the following urine threshold concentrations for total (i.e. free drug or metabolite and drug or metabolite liberated from its conjugates):
 - A. 16B-hydroxystanozolol (metabolite of Stanozolol (Winstrol) – 1ng/ml in urine for all horses regardless of sex;
 - B. Boldenone (Equipose is the undecylenate ester of Boldenone) in male horses other than geldings- 15ng/ml in urine. No Boldenone shall be permitted in geldings or female horses;
 - C. Nandrolone (Durabolin is the phenylpropionate ester and Deca-Durabolin is the decanoate ester)
 1. In geldings- 1 ng/ml in urine
 2. In fillies and mares- 1 ng/ml in urine
 3. In male horses other than geldings- 5a-Estrane-3b, 17a-diol (a metabolite of Nandrolone) at 45 ng/ml in urine
 - D. Testosterone
 1. In geldings- 20 ng/ml in urine
 2. In fillies and mares- 55 ng/ml in urine
 3. In Male horses other than geldings will not be tested
3. All other AAS are prohibited in race horses.
4. The presence of more than one of the four AAS as identifies in subsection 2 above at concentrations greater than the individual thresholds indicated above shall not be permitted.
5. Post-race urine samples collected from intact males must be identified to the laboratory.
6. Any horse to which an anabolic steroid has been administered in order to assist in the recovery from an illness or injury may be placed on the veterinarian's list in order to monitor the concentration of the drug or metabolite in urine. After the concentration has fallen below the

designated threshold for the administered AAS, the horse is eligible to be removed from the list.

7. Implementation of this rule shall commence on July 1, 2009.
8. During the first forty-five (45) calendar days beginning after the implementation date, no positive test establishing the presence of an anabolic steroid shall be considered a violation of this rule and, accordingly, shall not result in a penalty, disqualification, or a forfeiture of any purse, trophy or award. Trainers shall be notified of any positive test during the forty-five (45) day grace period.
9. In the absence of mitigating circumstances, the finding of test results in excess of acceptable limits shall impose penalties as found in Chapter 17, Section 6 for Class 4 drugs.