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OFFICIAL NOTICE

CHANGE TO HORSEMEN'S LICENCES REGULATIONS - GRADUATION DRIVERS' THRESHOLD

At its meeting on 10 April 2019, the HRNZ Board approved an increase in the Graduation Drivers' threshold to \$20,000, effective 10 April 2019. The Board felt that this threshold increase was appropriate in light of the recent stakes increases for Auckland Trotting Club meetings.

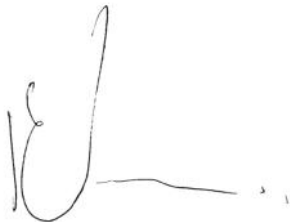
The relevant extract from the Horseman's Licences Regulation will now read as follows (with changes marked):

“6. Graduation Horseman

The applicant must:

- (a) *Have held a trials or junior horseman's licence for a minimum of 12 months.*
- (b) *Have had a minimum of 25 satisfactory drives as a trials or junior horseman.*
- (c) *Still be driving actively.*
- (d) *Have an ongoing involvement in harness racing and driving.*

Any person licensed as a graduation horseman shall only be eligible to drive in races with total stake money advertised up to and including \$20,000, provided those races are not part of a meeting designated as Premier.”



Peter Jensen
Chief Executive