

## 97. Interpretation: general

### 97.1 Definitions of

- 97.1.1 terms used in only one Rule are set out in that Rule,
- 97.1.2 terms used in only Part 2 or 3 of the Manual are set out at the beginning of that Part, and
- 97.1.3 terms used in more than one Part of the Manual are set out in Rule 96 and in the following provisions of this Rule.

### 97.2 In this Manual, unless the context otherwise requires

#### **Authorised agent**

- 97.2.1 in the case of a recognised company, means the registered agent of the company under Rule 41;
- 97.2.2 otherwise, means any person authorised by the Authority to act as agent or sub-agent for another person in exercise of the Authority's powers under Rule (A)94;

**the Authority** means the British Horseracing Authority;

**the Authority's Office** means the office for the time being appointed by the Authority as the office of the British Horseracing Authority (the present address is 75 High Holborn, London, WC1V 6LS);

**Clear Day** means, in determining the number of days:

- 97.2.2A The day on which the period begins; and
- 97.2.2B If the end of the period is defined by reference to an event, the day on which that event occurs

are excluded.

**Clear Working Day** means, in determining the number of days:

- 97.2.2C The day on which the period begins; and
- 97.2.2D If the end of the period is defined by reference to an event, the day on which that event occurs; and
- 97.2.2E Saturday, Sunday, Bank Holiday, or day on which the Authority's office is not open for non-automated commercial business

are excluded.

**Disciplinary Action** means any action taken by the Authority under Part (A)6 or by the Stewards under Part (B)1;

**the Forfeit List** means the list maintained by the Authority under Rule (A)87;

**Person** includes a body corporate;

**Prescribed** means prescribed by the Authority;

**Racing Administration Internet Site** means the internet based administration service provided by the Authority;

**The Racing Calendar Office** means the office appointed for the time being as The Racing Calendar Office by the Authority (the present Racing Calendar Office is at Weatherbys, Sanders Road, Wellingborough, Northamptonshire, NN8 4BX);

**Recognised Racing Authority** means a racing authority of a country which is for the time being recognised by the Authority under Rule (A)93;

**these Rules** means all the Rules of Racing, including provisions which are contained in any other Manual;

**Trainer**

- 97.2.3 means any Person who holds a licence or permit to train which is granted by the Authority or whose authorisation by a Recognised Racing Authority corresponds to such a licence or permit; and
- 97.2.4 includes any Person who is treated as a trainer in accordance with Rule(C)1.2.

97.3 Words importing the masculine gender include the feminine.

97.4 The singular includes the plural (and vice versa).