APPROVAL TO RIDE IN THE METROPOLITAN AREA - APPRENTICE JOCKEYS



Apprentices licensed by Racing SA Limited

An apprentice seeking permission to ride in the metropolitan area in South Australia must make application on the form provided and be endorsed by his / her employer. The apprentice may apply for either of the below levels.

<u>Midweek Metropolitan and Saturday Metropolitan Race Meetings held at Provincial Tracks</u> The apprentice must be able to satisfy the following minimum standards for permission to ride at midweek metropolitan and / or a metropolitan Saturday meeting held at a provincial track. -

- A minimum of one hundred (100) race rides with the sixty (60) at TAB race meetings.
- A minimum of 15 (fifteen) winning rides.
- Has been riding in races for a period of at least six (6) months.

Saturday Metropolitan Race Meetings

The apprentice must be able to satisfy the following minimum standards for permission to ride at Saturday Metropolitan race meetings -

- A minimum of one hundred and fifty (150) race rides with ninety (90) at TAB race meetings.
- A minimum of twenty (20) winning rides.
- Has been riding in races for a period of at least six (6) months.

Black Type Races

An apprentice must be able to satisfy the following minimum standards for permission to ride in Black Type Races -

- Ridden in the Metropolitan area for a minimum of one (1) month or
- A minimum of 10 metropolitan rides.

Approval to ride in the metropolitan area will be upon the consensus of the Stewards, taking into account the apprentice's -

- Skills and competency
- Riding record
- Disciplinary record
- Demeanour

Permission to ride in the metropolitan area shall be conditional upon the apprentice being subjected to ongoing assessment by the Stewards, Apprentice Academy Supervisor and Apprentice Jockey Coach and may be withdrawn for any period should the Stewards determine.

Interstate Apprentices

An apprentice licensed by another Principal Racing Authority, to be eligible to ride in the metropolitan area in South Australia, must have previously ridden in the metropolitan area on a Saturday in the state in which he/she is licensed; unless otherwise permitted by the Chairman of Stewards.

J.C. PETZER CHAIRMAN OF STEWARDS

