

Online Frangible Device Seminar, 30 March 2021

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To: National, Level 2 and 3 Course Designers from selected NFs

Dear Course Designers,

As mentioned in our e-mail sent to you on 16 December 2020, the compulsory use of frangible devices on certain type of fences has been extended to all levels as from 1st January 2021, as published in the 2021 Eventing Rules.

Extract of the 2021 Eventing Rules Article 547.2.4 published on the [FEI website](https://inside.fei.org/node/3822/) (<https://inside.fei.org/node/3822/>)

“For all levels, all open oxers, open corners, verticals or near verticals with open rails, top rail on triple bars and gates where the rail dimensions and weight fit the acceptable parameters of an FEI approved frangible device, must be fitted with frangible devices”.

The Eventing Risk Management Steering Group (RMSG) is organising an **Online Frangible Device Seminar** to provide assistance to Course Designers with little or no experience with frangible devices.

It will take place on **Tuesday 30 March 2021, 14:00 – 15:30** (Swiss Time – CET / UTC +1) via Cisco WebEx App. We would be grateful if you could confirm your participation before **Monday 15 March 2021**.

The [video](https://inside.fei.org/fei/online-frangible-device-seminar) (<https://inside.fei.org/fei/online-frangible-device-seminar>) prepared by Mike Etherington-Smith, Member of the Risk Management Steering Group and FEI Level 3 Course Designer as well as the enclosed agenda will provide you details on the specific topics which will be covered during this Online Seminar.

The following documents should be consulted **before** the Online Seminar:

1. [2021 Eventing Rules](https://inside.fei.org/node/3822/) (<https://inside.fei.org/node/3822/>) (in particular articles 515.4.1, 547.2.4, 547.2.7)
2. [Cross Country Guide for Officials](https://inside.fei.org/node/3822/) (<https://inside.fei.org/node/3822/>)
3. [Updated Standard for frangible/deformable Cross Country fences](https://inside.fei.org/fei/disc/eventing/risk-management/devices) Version 2.(5) (<https://inside.fei.org/fei/disc/eventing/risk-management/devices>)
4. [FAQs - General Information for Cross Country Course Designers & Builders, Technical Delegates, and Ground Juries regarding MIM Clips](https://inside.fei.org/fei/disc/eventing/risk-management/devices) (<https://inside.fei.org/fei/disc/eventing/risk-management/devices>)
5. [MIM Devices Instruction Manuals and Videos](https://inside.fei.org/fei/disc/eventing/risk-management/devices) (<https://inside.fei.org/fei/disc/eventing/risk-management/devices>)
6. [FEI Campus Eventing Webinars](https://campus.fei.org/course/index.php?categoryid=6) (<https://campus.fei.org/course/index.php?categoryid=6>) in particular: [The Cross Country Guide for Officials](#) and [The importance of Ground Lines in a XC Course](#) (you can use your FEI ID to log in. If you don't know your FEI ID, please search

your name in the [FEI database](https://data.fei.org/Person/Search.aspx) (<https://data.fei.org/Person/Search.aspx>) it will provide you with your FEI ID).

In addition, please send us the **questions** you would like to see addressed **before 23 March 2021**, this will allow us to prepare the Online Seminar in the most efficient way. During the Online Frangible Device Seminar, you will be able to ask questions using the chat box.

We hope you will join the Online Frangible Device Seminar and look forward to your answer.

Should you have any question or need additional information, please don't hesitate to contact us.

With kind regards,

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