

PENALTY GUIDELINES FOR OFFICIALS

Offences Against Riders, Spectators & parents/team members	Minimum Penalties
Use of offensive, insulting or abusive language and/or gestures	\$50 on the spot fine.
Serious Unsporting Conduct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$50 fine or • Time penalty or • Exclusion from the results of the event/round.
Use of discriminatory language and/or gestures, including racist, religious, ethnic or a sexist nature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$250 fine & • Eviction from the meeting
Roosting/spraying dirt at a rider, parent or spectator (off the track)	\$500 fine, 6 Months suspension & eviction from the meeting
Inciting a brawl/fight	\$500 fine, 12 month suspension & eviction from the meeting

Specific Offences Against an Official	Minimum Sanction
Use of offensive, insulting or abusive language and/or gestures against an event official	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$50 on the spot fine for each outburst at an official containing offensive language • Eviction from the meeting for Intimidating an official
Unsporting conduct toward an event official	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$50 fine or • Excluded from all results for the meeting or • eviction from the meeting
Roosting/spraying dirt at a an official (off the track)	\$500 fine, 12 month suspension & eviction from the meeting
Assault of an official	\$1000 fine, 2 year suspension, eviction from the meeting & banned from all MQ venues.

Any penalty or determination made by an official at an event **must** be documented on the Clerk of Course Determination or Stewards Determination. A copy **must** be given to the rider/recipient of the determination and the other copy **must** be provided to MQ in the Stewards Report.