

Rule Change Type	Effective Date	Draft Received	Board Action
Standard	12/1/2024	12/12/2023	

Rule Change Intent

The Western Committee would like to remove the definition of a simple lead change with a count on steps, as they do not feel the step count is necessary and would like to allow for more lenience and best judgement on the execution of a flying or simple lead change.

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Linked Rules	Comments
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Committee Actions

SUBCHAPTER WS-6 RANCH SECTION

WS138 General Rules

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3. Class definitions

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f. Green Exhibitor: Open to any exhibitor who has not trained a ranch horse for remuneration, has not won a World, Reserve World, Grand National or Reserve Grand National title in a ranch class. The exhibitor does not have to own the horse being shown. The horse may be shown multiple times with different exhibitors but is limited to being shown 3 times per class. An exhibitor may show either one or two handed with any permissible bit but may not switch back and forth upon entering the arena. Entry may execute either a flying lead change or a simple lead change. ~~A simple lead change is defined as a break to a trot for one stride (2 steps with front feet).~~ The intent is to have an introductory class for new ranch exhibitors. Classes may be subdivided by age of exhibitor status (Open/Amateur/Non-Pro) if desired by Show Management.