

**DIRECTIVE NO. 131 - 2020**

**STANDARD BRED**

The Rules Governing Horse Racing in Alberta are **AMENDED** as follows:

Chapter 3: General Horse Racing Rules, Part 6 Standardbred Racing,  
Division 5 Placing and Money Distribution

The following Rule 426 s is **AMENDED** to read:

**Rule 426 s Fees may be deducted**

Where an agreement exists between a recognized harness participants' association and a racing association, drivers', trainers' and/or grooms' fees may be deducted from the purses payable to owners and paid to the driver, trainers and/or grooms within 30 days. A copy of such agreement must be filed with the Commission.

**Rule 426 s Fees may be deducted previously stated:**

***Driver's fees for driving payable by an owner to a driver may be deducted from the purses payable to owners and paid to drivers within 30 days when***

***(a) an agreement exists between a recognized standardbred horsemen's association and a licensed operator, and***

***(b) a copy of the agreement is on file with Horse Racing Alberta.***

Dated at the City of Edmonton  
in the Province of Alberta  
this 23 day of March 2020.



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