## EMERGENCY AMENDED RULE Rule 1217(C)

## Effective January 12, 2018

## Amended Rule

1217(C). Prohibited Practices – Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy or Radio Pulse Wave Therapy

The use of Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy or Radio Pulse Wave Therapy shall not be permitted unless the following conditions are met:

- a) Any treated horse shall be placed on the vet's list and will not be permitted to race or breeze for a minimum of 10 days following treatment;
- b) The use of Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy or Radio Pulse Wave Therapy machines shall be limited to veterinarians licensed to practice by the Commission;
- c) Any Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy or Radio Pulse Wave Therapy machines on the association grounds must be registered with and approved by the Commission or its designee before use;
- d) All Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy or Radio Pulse Wave Therapy treatments must be approved in advance by the official veterinarian on the prescribed form not later than the time prescribed by the official veterinarian.
- e) Any horse treated with Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy or Radio Pulse Wave Therapy shall be added to a list of ineligible horses for a minimum of 10 days following treatment. That list shall be kept in the racing office and accessible during normal business hours.
- f) Any person participating in the use of Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy or Radio Pulse Wave Therapy and/or the possession of Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy or Radio Pulse Wave Therapy machines in violation of this rule shall be considered to have committed a Prohibited Practice and is subject to a Class A Penalty.