



TRNT BOARD POLICY NO:

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OVERWEIGHT POLICY

1. Riders are permitted to weight out 1kg overweight when the handicap weight is on the minimum of 54kg. The rider must gain the approval of the relevant trainer and then must seek permission from the Stewards.
2. Riders are permitted to weigh out 1/2kg overweight up to the handicap weight of 55.5kg. The rider must gain the approval of the trainer and can then seek permission from the Clerk of Scales prior to weighing out.
3. At their discretion, the Stewards may grant permission for a rider to weigh out overweight outside these guidelines where no other suitable rider is available and take any action they deem appropriate.
4. Claiming apprentices will not be permitted to utilise the overweight guidelines unless there is no other rider available.