

ATTACHMENT A TO POLICY 0800

SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR

HELMETS

Criteria and Disclaimer:

The United States Pony Clubs, Inc. recognizes that riding is an inherently dangerous equestrian sport and consideration of safety is of extreme importance. Participating in any equine activity can result in injury or death and as a result individuals must assume responsibility for their own safety.

Wearing a properly fitted equestrian helmet, securely fastened, containing certification that it meets the criteria established by the following international or national safety bodies is required to participate in any USPC activities:

- ASTM F1163 (North America) (This is required for USEF Competitions)
- AS/NZ 3838 (Australia and New Zealand)
- PAS 015 (United Kingdom)

USPC requires helmets to be worn by members during any mounted activity (except vaulting), and in some un-mounted activities.

The United States Pony Clubs, Inc. requires that the above conditions be met when participating in an activity sponsored by the USPC, its Regions, Registered Clubs or Riding Center Programs. These requirements are not intended to be an endorsement, guarantee or warranty of the products specified.