## RULES FOR PLAYING HORSE RACE

1. Horse Race shall be played on a layout mat which is marked in a manner similar to that shown in the diagram.

2. The game shall be played with one full deck of cards less the jokers with backs of the same colour and designed from which the following cards have been removed:-

- ace of diamonds
- ace and 2 of spades
- ace, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of clubs
- ace, 2 and 3 of hearts

3. The horses are to be represented by markers. Each marker shall contain a representation of the suit it pertains to.
4. The game shall be controlled by a dealer who is not permitted to wager.
5. Before each round of play the dealer shall shuffle the cards.
6. After shuffling the cards the dealer shall turn the top card of the deck face up on the table, announce the suit of the card and move the corresponding horse one space. The dealer shall continue turning the top card of the deck face up on the table, announcing the suit and moving the corresponding horse one space until one horse moves in to the "finish" space.
7. No person other than the dealer shall handle the cards.
8. A wager on a particular horse shall win if that horse is the first horse to move into the "finish" space.
9. Winning wagers shall be paid at odds not less than:-

| If the $1^{\text {st }}$ horse is diamond | 1 to 1 |
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| If the $1^{\text {st }}$ horse is spades | 2 to 1 |
| If the $1^{\text {st }}$ horse is hearts | 3 to 1 |
| If the $1^{\text {st }}$ horse is clubs | 10 to 1 |

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10. Minimum and maximum wagers shall be prominently displayed on a sign at the table.
11. The odds payable shall be displayed on the table.
12. A new deck of cards shall be introduced when:-
a) A majority of players request a change; or
b) If a card or cards become mutilated.
13. Before introducing a new deck of cards the dealer shall prove to the satisfaction of all players that:-
a) the deck being placed is completed; and
b) the new deck is complete.
14. The new deck of cards shall be of different colour and backs to the previous deck.
15. The dealer shall invalidate the outcome of any round of play if it is established that the deck in use contains an incorrect number of cards.
16. Persons under the age of 18 years shall not participate in the game or be involved in the dealing or conduct of the game.
