



**Horse Sport Ireland**  
**Board Summary Report of Key Decisions from the**  
**May 2026 Board meeting**

Dear Affiliates, Stakeholder Groups and members of the Equestrian Community,

The Board of Horse Sport Ireland held its most recent board meeting on 26<sup>th</sup> May 2026 in HSI Head Office, Naas.

Recent resolutions taken and discussions on this occasion relevant to the equestrian community are listed below.

1. The Board welcomed Mr. David Markey and Dr. Robert Huey who have been appointed to the Board of HSI by the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine, Minister Martin Heydon.
2. The Board received an update from the Chair of the Audit & Risk Committee on current matters.
3. The Board were advised that a further round of Equine Traceability Funding has been launched by DAFM.
4. The Board conveyed their thanks to the team for their preparation of the Horse Sport Ireland Strategic Plan and the associated launch event held on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2026 at Sport Ireland.
5. The Board approved updates to the Conflicts of Interest & Loyalty Policy and the Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Policy.
6. The Board resolved to hold the Annual General Meeting of the company on 28<sup>th</sup> July 2026.
7. The Board received quarterly departmental operational reports.
8. The Board were provided with updates from the Advisory Forums by the Industry representative Board Members, together with receiving copies of the minutes of the recently held meetings.

Regards,

Horse Sport Ireland Communications Team