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Incorporated Association INC1301237

Uniting Modern Equestrians in Australia

About Bitless Inc

Bitless Inc is a National Equestrian Association that provides the legal framework for individual Members to pursue their chosen interests and sports with their horses. Bitless Inc does not organise events, but Members of Bitless Inc do, as part of their club activities. Members may form clubs, informal groups and run equestrian events. Bitless Inc provides a Code of Conduct, General Safety Guidelines, and some event guidelines to assist clubs in running safe, successful competitions and events. Bitless Inc encourages diversity in Equestrian sports, and promotes high horse welfare standards.

Activities Insured 2013-2014:

The following activities will be notified to the underwriter as standard:

All Affiliate clubs, groups and other organisations may hold meetings, publish journals, newsletters, promotional or instructional material, and do other activities such as training and practice that contribute to their main activities/aims, which include:

Activities: Non-commercial equestrian activities: competitive, formal and informal use of horses, ponies, donkeys, mules and other domesticated animals, such as, but not limited to cattle, llamas and goats. 'Use' encompasses the riding of, carriage driving, herding, handling from the ground, liberty (with no ropes or leads), and the general care of animals. Animals may be may be bitless or bridleless. All activities comply with any relevant legislation, such as registration and state road rules; as part of,

- **Events:**, Organised equestrian competitions and shows, meetings, working bees, training sessions/drills and practices, public demonstrations (parades, expos), educational presentations (to equestrian groups and the general public), lectures and talks, camping, events run by other organisations (for example Agricultural Shows, Equitana), documentary filming activities, and other similar occasions;

which take place at a variety of locations including;

- **Locations:** Private property, public land (such as council owned equestrian centres, bridleways, rail trails, reserves, parks, state forests, national parks), public footpaths, verges and roads, schools, hired venues (such as showgrounds and community halls), and other locations.

Members also participate in activities that may not be equestrian in nature, but promote or

demonstrate equestrian activities as part of another event (for example, Australian Pioneer Village Horse's Birthday Weekend or Sydney Royal Easter Show)

All the above activities are conducted within Bitless Inc General Safety Principles, Code of Conduct and General Safety Guidelines.