

## Team Roping- Heeling (SC-285) Penalty Reference Sheet

- **Scoring:** On a basis of 0-100, 70 denoting an average run
- **Maneuver Scores:** +3 Excellent, +2 Very Good, +1 Good, 0 Average or Correct, -1 Poor, -2 Very Poor, -3 Extremely Poor
- **Maneuvers:** Box & Barrier, Run & Rate, Position, Stopping
- **Legal Catches:**
  - **Heeler:** A catch which holds from behind the steer's shoulders and back, around the flank, or on one or both heels, but not by the tail only
  - **Header not being judged:** Around both horns, half a head or around the neck

### 2 POINT PENALTIES

- Header breaking barrier

### 3 POINT PENALTIES

- Three or more loop run

### 5 POINT PENALTIES

- Assuming position on the wrong side of the steer
- Running into the steer
- Failure to stop on the hindquarters and hold position through the completion of the run
- Blatant disobedience including kicking, biting, bucking, rearing and striking
- Refusing to enter the box
- Rearing up in box

### DISQUALIFICATION (0 SCORE)

- Excessive schooling at any time in the arena
- Whipping or hitting the horse with the rope
- If both the header and heeler fail to catch within one minute from the time the steer leaves the chute
- Loss of rope by either the header or the heeler
- Failure of the roper on the horse being judged to catch with no more than two loops. If more than one loop is thrown, exhibitor must recoil rope and build an additional loop
- Failure to maintain a dally through the completion of the run. The rope must be wrapped around the saddle horn at least one complete turn before it is considered a dally.