

## ASCOT BOOKMAKERS POSITIONS DURING REMEDIAL WORKS

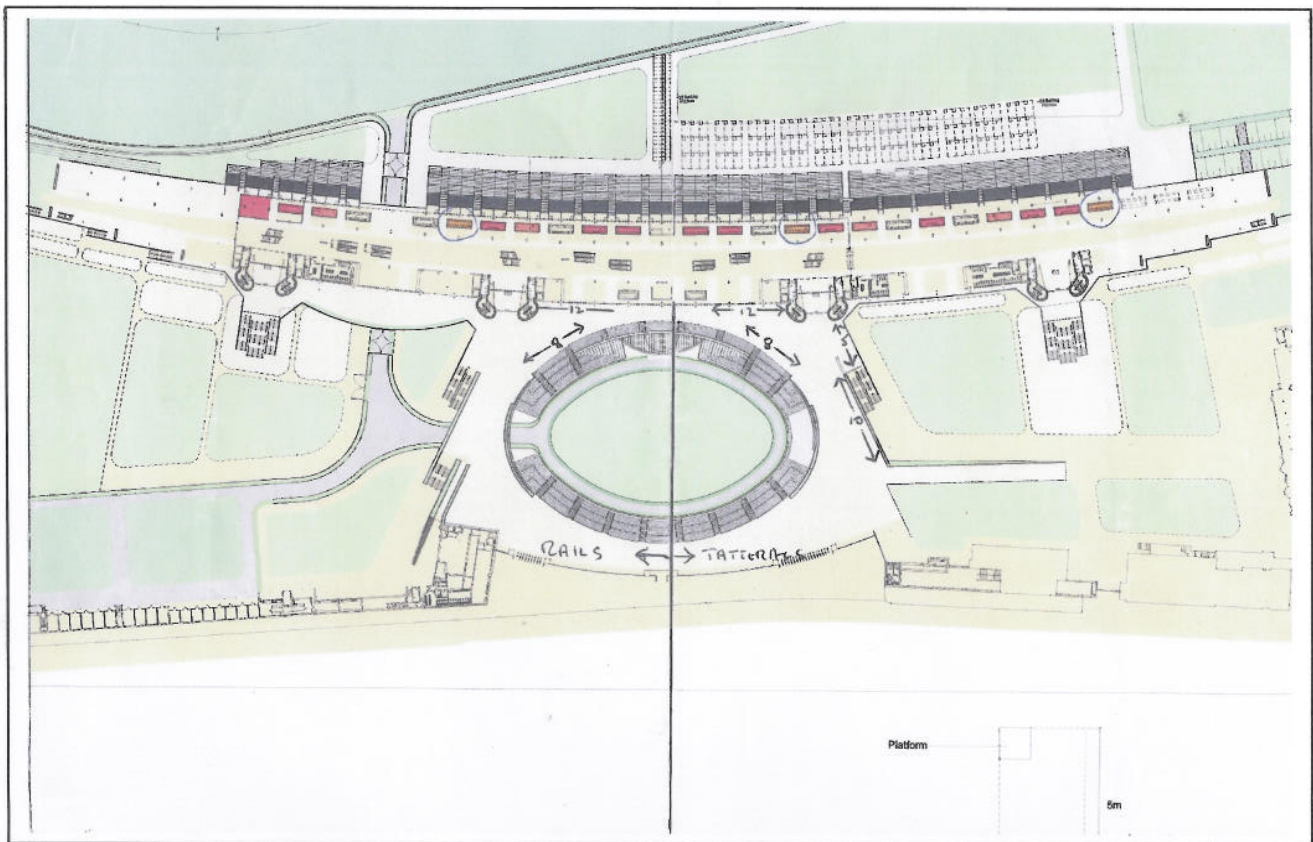
Our Ascot LJPC representative, John Turner, makes the undermentioned report following a recent Ascot LJPC meeting:

It was decided that as soon as work started on the remedial works on the viewing problems, the bookmakers for the three meetings, 17 February, 30 March and 31 March, would be positioned behind the Grandstand on an area overlooking the Parade ring,

There would be 20 Rails pitches situated on the Western end of the Ring, and 35 Tattersalls pitches at the Eastern end of the Ring. A further 15 pitches would be made available but these would be in rather more remote areas.

As the remedial work entails digging up the area in front of the Grandstand stepping and replacing with prefabricated steppings, the viewing areas will be severely restricted. However, Ascot do not expect a big crowd at any of the three days racing.

Further news relating to the Royal Meeting is that Ascot would like to make eight pitches in the Old Paddock area, divided into two groups of four. However, there is some difficulty in organising this from Ascot's management, so we are awaiting more news from them.



**PLAN SHOWING THE REVISED POSITIONS FOR BOOKMAKERS DURING REMEDIAL WORKS  
(Numbers shown on the plan indicate the number of bookmakers and new position)**