

AHORA Inc Code Of Conduct

- 1. Abusive Language, Profanity, and/or Misconduct:** The use of abusive language, profanity, and/or misconduct by competitors towards race officials, track marshals, other competitors, or members of the public, shall not be tolerated at an AHORA Inc sanctioned race event or its immediate surrounds. A verbal warning shall be issued to the offending competitor, or competitors, by the AHORA Inc appointed Race Director as penalty for a first offence. Should an offending competitor, or competitors, be issued with a second warning from the AHORA Inc appointed Race Director than such competitor, or competitors, shall be disqualified from the AHORA Inc sanctioned race event. Any act of violence, be it initiated, or retaliated (other than in self defence), involving any persons attending an AHORA Inc sanctioned race event shall be grounds for immediate disqualification and removal of the offender(s) from the AHORA Inc sanctioned race event and its immediate surrounds. The AHORA Inc appointed Race Director, and AHORA Inc appointed Assistant Race Director(s), officiating at such AHORA Inc sanctioned race event shall have the final judgement in how such disqualification and removal shall take effect.
- 2. Unsportsmanlike Conduct:** Unsportsmanlike conduct on the part of any competitor, track marshal, race official, or member of the public attending an AHORA Inc sanctioned race event shall result in lap penalties, and/or disqualification, and/or removal from the AHORA Inc sanctioned race event as determined by the AHORA Inc appointed Race Director, and AHORA Inc appointed Assistant Race Director(s), officiating at such AHORA Inc sanctioned race event. The AHORA Inc appointed Race Director, and AHORA Inc appointed Assistant Race Director(s), officiating at such AHORA Inc sanctioned race event shall have the final judgement in how such lap penalties, and/or disqualification, and/or removal shall take effect. Serious or repeated unsportsmanlike conduct shall result in the offender(s) being prohibited from competing in or attending future AHORA Inc sanctioned race events for such period of time as determined by a vote of the AHORA Inc Committee at an AHORA Inc Committee Meeting.
- 3. Track Marshal Duties:** All competitors shall take turns serving as a track marshal unless otherwise authorised by the AHORA Inc appointed Race Director. Substitute track marshals shall only be permitted in exceptional circumstances and shall be approved by the AHORA Inc appointed Race Director prior to commencing said track marshal duties. Failure to fulfill track marshal duties shall result in lap penalties and/or disqualification as determined by the AHORA Inc appointed Race Director. The sole duty of the track marshal is to replace de-slotted cars in the fastest time possible, and in the safest method so as to not hinder or obstruct other cars in the race. Track marshals shall adopt the 'first car off, first car back on' principle other than in cases where the track marshals actions have resulted in a rival car being de-slotted, in which case that car must be replaced first. Track marshals shall not repair cars, but shall return the car together with any parts (if available) to the competitor.
- 4. Protests:** Protests shall be made in writing, by the protesting competitor, to the AHORA Inc appointed Race Director within one hour of the perceived offence having occurred. A Protest Fee equal to the protesting competitors entry fee for that race event shall be lodged with the Protest. The Protest shall be immediately acted upon by the AHORA Inc appointed Race Director, and AHORA Inc appointed Assistant Race Director(s), and their decision shall be final. Should the Protest be upheld, the protesting competitor shall have the Protest Fee refunded. Should the Protest be lost, the Protest Fee shall be forfeited to AHORA Inc. A Protest shall follow these guidelines to be considered valid. Should AHORA Inc approve a race event that contains the rule and/or term "no protests shall be entered into" in its rules and regulations submitted to AHORA Inc than that rule shall be deemed final.