

Indoor
Cycling
Commissaires
Meeting

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2013

Artistic cycling; English Version



General

Peter Vandeberg did welcome the participants and touched shortly the passed season. The composition of the new UCI Indoorcycling commission was presented ones again; Marian Stetina (President and Member of the UCI Management Committee), and the members Yuki Taenaka (JPN), Hanspeter Flachsmann (SUI), Claudia Bee (GER), Peter Vandeberg (NED), and Observers Kurt-Jürgen Daum (GER) and Hilmar Hessler (GER). Claudia Bee was present on saturday afternoon as guest of this Commissaires Seminar.

Next all participants had the chance to look back on the past season and to present their experiences. Main topics were:

- Judging diferences between the commissaires groups
- Structures (working groups)
- Amount of nations within Indoorcycling disciplines
- Disciplines present within Nations
- Education for commissaires
- Courses for new commissaires
- Team cycling
- Old/new (same) problems
- Computer Judging
- New thoughts

The items which were noted after the Worlds 2013 (Aschaffenburg) were discussed. Peter Vandeberg concluded that also at the Basel Worlds the „traffic“ during the competitions near the competition area was rather high. Very positiv was the placement of the commissaires. They were located in a „first“ row, so basicly the judges could work without disturbances. The Moderator, Sound and IT staff was situated in a second row. Reserved places for commissaires at the grandstand were near and had easy access.

Discussed items

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Not allowed announcement of excersises; is difficult to judge. This issue is clearly written on page 17; item 8.7 of the regulations, but needs „tenderness“ because of practical use. It was discussed if the existing rules need to be adapted in future, but it was concluded that currently no major problems exist during competitions.

2

Multiple turning jump; from which point will there be a devaluation of 50% or 10%, if it occurs that the exercises is interrupted by a fall ?
Devaluation always according the stretch which was performed. For ex. when 5 turning jumps are interrupted at the last half turn the devaluation will be 10%. This because of the fact that 90% was showed in a correct way. For all other turning jump variant this example can be used as basic.

Devaluation matrix Turning jump

	0 %	10%	50%	100%
1 Turning jump	360°	<36°	>36°-180°	>180°-360°
2 Turning jump	720° (2x 360°)	<72°	>72°-360°	>360°-720°
3 Turning jump	1080°(3x360°)	<108°	>108°-540°	>540°-1080°
4 Turning jump	1440°(4x360°)	<144°	>144°-720°	>720°-1440°
5 Turning jump	1800°(5x360°)	<180°	>180°-900°	>900°-1800°

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Tasks of the Chief Commissaire.

When is adjustment of the results needed, on advice of the chief commissaire ?

Is it an obligation to correct the judging of a group(s) when this is required by the chief commissaire ? (See regulations; Page 14; item 7.2).

If clear judging mistakes occur and were noticed these have to be adjusted (if possible) before the next competitor starts. This by majority.

For ex. Chief Commissaire is certain that an exercise was tactical extended, but the announcing commissaires are sure that their was no tactical extention, the chief commissaire is not able to change the result (majority based).

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Stretch jump (final exercise)

Situation; the Stretch jump was devaluated with 100%, but also the bicycle drops at The surface. Will their be an additional performance devaluation of a „strike“.

(See regulations; Page 24, item 12.7.6).

Yes, devaluation of this „strike“ is correct. The devaluation of 100% is because of the „execution“ . the „strike“ is devaluated Because of the fact that the bike is lying at the riding area. So two separat errors.

Besides this discussion it was mentioned that the stretch jump in general should be studied at a next update of the regulations. Probable the giving points are rather high (if compared with the general, practical execution at competitions).

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Task of the Chief Commissaire at Worlds and Continental Championships Artistic-cycling)

Which special tasks have to be excuted by the Chief commissaire at mentioned Int. Championships ? Which tasks have to be performed by Chief or Technical Delegate ? Are written instructions available because of Indoorcycling ?

Some instructions are available, but have to be checked and corrected/adapted. (will be available later this year).

Trainingschedule;

Basicly produced in advance by technical delegate (based on registrations)

Extra trainingschedules at competitionarea (if possible).

For ex. because of finals. Technical Delegate; if needed in cooperation with the chief Commissaire.

Winner ceremony = Technical Delegate

Publishing official results = Chief Commissaire

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Coaching zone

Position (See regulations; Page 6; item 3.3) of the coaching zone has to defined in cooperation with the chief commissaire.

Note; The Technical Delegate can/must arrange the position in advance with the organizer. This could be an important issue because of the „entrance flow of competitors“ during the competition! If, in advance, problems are expected it is always possible that the TD contacts the Chief in advance (this to avoid problems).

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Pair artistic cycling; Changing bicycles (Regulations: Page 26; item 2.3)

Pushing or catching the bicycle by trainer of competitor into, or out of the coachingzone is allowed.

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L-shape hold-Swiss Handstand

Obligated 2 metres are not performed for the L-Shape hold. Devaluation; according the stretch (as stated in the Commissaires seminar report 2007).

If legs are not stretched during the move from L-Shape hold to Handstand the *Swiss Handstand* is not performed (so a different exercise is showed); the devaluation is 100%.

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After Saddlestand „8“ the Maute Jump is performed

The „8“ has to be performed/completed to the end; before the jump is executed.

If not; a devaluation is needed because of execution; missing stretch.

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How many starters/countries are needed at Worlds; to compete for a Worldtitle ?

For this moment it is not regulated in the rules.

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Presentation at the start of the program

Devaluations if the rider(s) leave(s) the bicycle before calling „start“. Basicly „Circles and strikes“ because of „falling“ ; (voluntary or unvoluntary) for ex. at switching directions (forward to backward riding or reverse) or going up to handlebarstand, have to be executed by the commissaires.

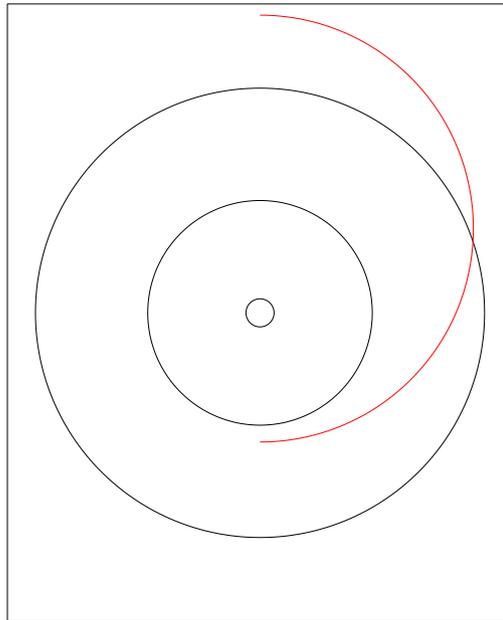
If the competitor leaves, at that moment, the bicycle because of removing an „obstacle“ which is lying on the riding area of course no devaluation is executed.

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Deviations of the distance to the centre of the riding area at circles of half circles
(Regulations; Page 16; item 12.6.3.4; devaluation; wave))

Please note that this rule still exists within the regulations. Please attention for all commissaires.

At national commissaires education sessions this rule should be discussed.



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From Czech Republic (trainer vera Brinkova) **some written remarks** were sent (to Peter Vandenberg) regarding the devaluations and performances by commissaires at the Basel Worlds 2013. Some issues were discussed (already) during this years commissaires seminar and reported. Other mentioned devaluations were checked, using some video's, which were shot at Basel, with the conclusion that devaluations were correct.

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Time recording/display

How is the competitor informed ? Who is responsible ?

If; display stops from start of performance ?

If; display stops during performance ? (for ex. after 2 minutes)

Within the seminar report 2007 was already reported because of this item:

The display shows the official time; connected to the Chief commissaires computer.

An alternative time recording will be always done (by the Chief Commissaire).

(Regulations; Page 14; item 7.1.2)

It is no obligation to show a display with the time or for acoustic signals during the performance of the competitor. According the regulations only at the end of the official time there is an official end of time signal from side of the Chief Commissaire.

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Bicycle damage and interruption of performance (time stop) after falling

Today and in the past there were often uncertainties in which way the performance should be continued. Please see the commissaires seminar reports 2009, 2010 and 2012.

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Actions Chief Commissaires

a Covering lid from riding area becomes loose and is lying at the riding area.

b Part of the bicycle falls on riding area and becomes an obstacle.

A lot of different situations can occur. A spontaneous, quick reaction of the Chief Commissaire is needed.

Basically, referring to the above mentioned examples, the Chief Commissaire should solve the „a“ problem. Probably the time has to be stopped because of danger for the competitor. The problem should be solved without consequences for the competitor; it's not his/her mistake.

Problem „b“ is basically the mistake of the rider and should be solved by rider, or from the Coaching zone (devaluations are possible on account of the rider).

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ACT4 stars

Based on experiences so far the conclusion was made that also a devaluation of 50% is possible because of mistakes during performing stars.

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Doors; with simultaneous pass with change of direction

(Regulations; Page 217-219 with definition „Wechselschleife“)

According to the description riders must pass the door twice. But the riders have also the obligation to complete all conditions of the exercise. This means that the stretch of the „Wechselschleife“ must be completed by both the riders.

The missing part will be devaluated because of missing stretch.

Concluded was that the text within the regulations is not clear and should be adapted with following text:

„The exercise ends at least at 2 metres after the second pass of the door“ and „The exercise starts latest at 2 metres before the first pass of the door at the start of the exercise“

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Passage Raiser regularseat raiser – Handlebarseat

The exercise starts at leaving the starting position „Regularseat raiser“ and ends at the end position „Handlebarseat raiser“. Probable devaluation according to difficulty has to be executed based on missing stretch between start- and end position.

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Tactical extension; for ex. Turning jump

Performed is a turning jump with 5 turns, which is extended by in a correct way by turn nr. 6. The rider does continue with turn nr. 7, but at turn 6 ½ the rider falls.

Devaluation in this case:

The rider receives points for 1 tactical extension, a devaluation of 10% (calculated Based on the points for turning jump 5 turns) and a circle because of falling.

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Tactical extensions

A tactical extension at a not correct executed exercise is basically possible. In this case the devaluation regarding difficulty should be devaluated on the basic exercise and the successfully performed extension(s) should be granted.

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Raiser passages (Regulations: Page 10; item 5.1.1)

According the regulations should after a raiser passage the next exercise be a raiser with the name of the endpostion of the passage.

Does this vice versa mean; that before a raiser exercise a raiser passage should be on the evaluation sheet ?

Answer is: no

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Single artistic cycling; exercise 1282a; Passage Fronthang – Standraiser reverse

During the execution of the exercise the rider ends this exercise at the position Headtube-raiser reverse.

The devaluation will be 50%. Even when after this situation the next exercise „Standraiser reverse“ correctly is performed. (this because of a to long positon at Headtube raiser rev.).

Question

What devaluation if after the not completed passage the exercise „Handtube raiser rev.“ Is executed ?

Answer

Based on regulations (Page 32; item 4.13) after the raiser passage as written on the evaluationsheet the next exercise should be a raiser exercise named by the endpostion of this passage.

If the endpostion of the passage was Standraiser reverse, the next exercise at the evaluationsheet must be „Standraiser reverse“, and must be performed. If not, the instead performed „Headtube raiser“ (in this case) must be devaluated with 100%.



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Spinnings (Regulations Page 32; item 3.3.11)

According to the regulations at least 3 complete „successive“ spinnings must be executed. What does mean „successive“ ?

Answer:

All 3 spinnings must be executed after each other at a spot with a maximum diameter of 50 cm. If the spinnings are executed as mentioned above the spinnings are successive; so correct performed

Remarks

Uni cycling

From 01-01-2014 the UEC Regulations for Uni Cycling will change. The changes are available on the home pages of www.kunstradreglement.com and www.hallenrad.eu.

Report UCI Commissaires Seminar Indoorcycling 2014

This and former reports can be downloaded from the UCI Extranet for Commissaires.

Reservation

If an UCI Commissaires seminar Indoorcycling will be organized during 2014; it will be the weekend of dec.13-14.