

Dear Competitor

You have received a decision of the Championship Stewards together with this document which sets out a Judicial Process summary which is for Competitor guidance only.

This does not replace the detailed Regulations set out in the National Competition Rules (NCR), which take precedence over any guidance issued. It is the sole responsibility of Competitors to be familiar with and follow the published NCR.

Please note, all Officials have been instructed not to provide you with any advice on the Appeal process.

APPEAL TO THE NATIONAL COURT AGAINST A DECISION OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP STEWARDS

Appeals must be submitted in accordance with NCR Ch. 2 App. 5 Art. 1.16 and Ch. 2 App. 5

Ch. 2 App. 5 Art. 1.19 – Submitting the Appeal

Notice of Intention to Appeal must be submitted in writing stating the grounds for appeal. There are two grounds of Appeal permitted which are listed in Ch. 2 App. 7 Art. 5.3. The Appeal must be signed and accompanied by an undertaking to pay the correct fee (See Ch. 1 App. 2) which must be settled within the Appeal period (Ch.2 App.5 Art.1.20)

Appeals must be lodged with the Championship Coordinator within 7 days of the written decision being transmitted to the Competitor. A copy must also be sent to nationalcourtadmin@motorsportuk.org.

Ch. 2 App. 7 Art. 5.10 – Confirmation of Appeal

After submitting your Notice of Intention to Appeal you must submit Confirmation of Appeal within 10 days to nationalcourtadmin@motorsportuk.org.

This confirmation must specify the Grounds of Appeal and all supporting arguments and must be signed. See Ch 2. App. 7 Art. 5.11.

Ch. 2 App. 7 Art. 5.13

On receipt of your Confirmation of Appeal the National Court Administration will refer the matter to a Chair of the National Court who will advise within 10 days as to whether the Appeal meets either of the criteria specified in Ch. 2 App. 7 Art. 5.3.

If it is considered that your Appeal **does not** meet either of the criteria and / or it is not eligible to proceed due to procedural failings, your Appeal shall fail and the Appeal fee will be forfeit.

If it is considered that your Appeal **does** meet the criteria and it is a validly lodged Appeal, arrangements will be made for the National Court to be convened.

Ch. 2 App 7 Art 5.18

In respect of all Appeals admitted to the National Court, not later than 10 days before the Hearing or unless otherwise directed by the National Court, you must submit to the Clerk a skeleton argument, in which you must:

- Identify all regulations referred
- Identify all witnesses, whether to be called in person or submitting a written statement
- Specify the factual basis of the Appeal, including the evidence to be given in support of your Appeal

We recommend Chapter 2 Appendix 6 is reviewed in full together with the relevant parts of Appendix 7.

All correspondence to be sent to:

National Court Administration, Motorsport UK, Bicester Motion, OX27 8FY

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