

USATF RULES COMMITTEE SCORECARD

Committee Actions as of _____ 3 November, 2016 – Final Report _____

	Action	Item	Action	Item	Action
1	T	21	A	41	T
2	AA	22	A	42	A
3	A	23	A	43	R
4	T	24	AA	44	W
5	A	25	A	45	T
6	A	26	A	46	A
7	A	27	A	47	W
8	A	28	A	48	A
9	A	29	W	49	R
10	A	30	A	50	A
11	A	31	AA	51	AA
12	A	32	A	52	A
13	R	33	W	53	A
14	A	34	A	54	A
15	R	35	R		
16	R	36	A		
17	A	37	A		
18	A	38	A		
19	A	39	T		
20	A	40	AA		

Conference Call Actions:

1=Grammar / Punctuation
5=Discuss / Refer

2=Housekeeping
6=Recommend Reject

3=Current Practice
7=Recommend Table

4=Recommend Approval
W=Withdrawn a=amended

Final Actions: A=Accepted AA= Accepted As Amended R=Rejected T=Tabled W=Withdrawn

Item 2 – Amend Rule 13.1 as follows:

Women

- (a) Heptathlon (see Rule 200)
- (b) Indoor Pentathlon (see Rule 200)
- (c) Decathlon (see Rule 200)
- ~~(e)~~(d) Club Relay Championships (all events listed under Men (b) above).

Amend Rule 200.2(c) as follows:

The Decathlon, which shall be conducted on two consecutive days according to the order in rule 200.1(b) or the following order:

Item 24 – New rule 243.2(f)

In Trail or Mountain races of 100km or greater, the Games Committee may permit monitors for part or all of the race. Such monitors shall be designated and properly identified. Except for hands-on medical examination, or in designated refreshment stations, a monitor shall remain behind the competing athlete at an interval of at least 10 meters.

NOTE: *Verbal or other pacing, conveying advice, exchanging supplies or providing non-safety related assistance is subject to Rule 144 and the athlete may be disqualified.*

Item 40 – Add new rule 305 and renumber:

INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP

1. The Youth Regions Are divided into 5 zones:

- Northeast Zone [regions covered 1 & 2].
- South Zone [regions covered 3, 4 & 6].
- Midwest Zone [regions covered 5, 7, & 8].
- West Zone [regions covered 10,11,13,14 & 15].
- Southwest Zone [regions covered 9 &12].

2. Indoor Track and field qualifying procedures –

- (a) An athlete must compete in one of the five Zone Championships to be eligible to compete in the Youth Indoor National Championship. The host association shall qualify a like number.
- (b) Athletes who compete in the Junior National Championships indoor, World Youth Track and Field indoor, United States Olympic Selection Competition, Youth Olympic Games Trials-Track & Field or any additional event authorized by the National Youth Executive Committee may be entered in the National Indoor Championship without having to compete in the Zone Championship provided they meet the Youth Athletics age limits. Acquisition of the waiver and completion of the entry to the National Championship must be made at least two weeks prior to the Indoor Championships
- (c) Athletes from the Department of Defense Dependent Schools (DODDS) may be entered in the National Indoor Championship without having to compete in a Zone Championship provided they meet the Youth Athletics age requirements. They must enter through the Association hosting the National Indoor Championship.
- (d) Track and field shall advance eight individuals and eight relay teams from each Zone Championship to the National Championship. These shall be the top eight finishers in each event.
- (e) High school relays and competitors in the 15-16 and 17-18 age groups automatically qualify without competing in a zone.
- (f) Revise qualification procedure. (Item (f) tabled for consideration in 2017)

Item 51 – Amend Rule 133

The Marshal shall have full charge of the areas used for competition, shall allow only persons with valid accreditations to enter or remain therein, and shall limit all persons from interfering with the fair, orderly and sportsmanlike conduct of the meet. Marshals shall be easily identifiable. The Chief Marshal shall supervise and assign respective duties to the Marshal's assistants.

Item 31 – Amend Rule 267

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S LONG DISTANCE RUNNING – ((ALL)) DIVISIONS: 16 – 19*, Open and Masters

Track Events

15,000 Meters	100,000 Meters	1 Hour
20,000 Meters	200,000 Meters	2 Hours
25,000 Meters	10 Miles	12 Hours
30,000 Meters	50 Miles	24 Hours
50,000 Meters	100 Miles	

Road Events

5 km	25 km	10 Miles
8 km	30 km	50 Miles
10 km	50 km	100 Miles
12 km	100 km	12 Hours
15 km	200 km	24 Hours
20 km	1 Mile – Masters Only	Half-Marathon Marathon

Road and/or Track Events

1000 Miles	48 Hours	144 Hours
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*** 18 and 19 for Ultra-Marathon and 2 hours and longer**