

## **GUIDELINE 9: COMPLAINTS, PROTESTS, JURY, AND APPEALS**

(Revised January 2017. Formerly Guideline 19: Juries, Protests, and Appeals)

### **G9.1 THE JURY**

#### **G9.1.1 MEETING PROCEDURE**

- G9.1.1.1 Jurors should be asked to meet at a specific time and place.
- G9.1.1.2 The Organiser shall supply the Jury with a copy of the appropriate Rules, Appendices, and Guidelines.
- G9.1.1.3 The Organiser shall supply the Jury with a copy of the Complaint and Protest Forms.
- G9.1.1.4 The Jury shall appoint a Chairman who shall be responsible for keeping a record of all relevant information.
- G9.1.1.5 If it is not possible for the Jury to consider a protest on the day of the competition then the jurors should make arrangements to hold a meeting as soon as practicable.
- G9.1.1.6 The Chairman shall prepare a written report of the reasons for their decision, a copy of which should be sent to the Organiser, and one to the IOA Executive Committee.
- G9.1.1.7 If an unanimous verdict cannot be reached, a majority verdict from the Jury is acceptable.
- G9.1.1.8 Any expenses incurred by the Jury shall be reimbursed by the event Organiser.