

PART 1 – GENERAL ORGANISATION OF CYCLING AS A SPORT

Rules amendments applying on **11.02.2020**

Chapter I LICENCE-HOLDERS

§ 1 Licences

Categories of licence holders

1.1.010 A licence shall be required for:

1.1 A rider (man or woman, all disciplines, all categories)

1.2 A participant in cycling for all

1.3 A pacer

A motor-cycle-mounted pacer (motorcycle, moped, derny)

1.4 Rider's agent

1.5 Staff

1. general manager

2. team manager

3. coach

4. doctor

5. paramedical assistant

6. mechanic

7. driver

8. other function to be specified on the licence.

1.6 Officials

1. federation administrator (status to be specified on the licence)

2. commissaire, **judge** (status to be specified on the licence)

3. para-cycling classifier (status to be specified on the licence)

4. other role (e.g. timing/photo-finish operator, announcer, race radio operator, etc.) to be specified on the licence.

1.7 Organiser

1. organisational administrator

2. other function to be specified on the licence.

1.8 Other

1. Vehicle driver (car, motorbike, etc.) in a road event.

Should a licence holder carry out multiple roles within cycling, he must apply and be licensed for each of these roles. It shall be the responsibility of the national federation to issue the licence corresponding to the primary role as per the order set out above. In addition to the licence, the national federation shall issue a certificate setting out the other roles for which the licence holder is recognised.

A rider belonging to a team registered with the UCI may not carry out another role.

(text modified on 01.01.00; 15.10.04; 25.06.07; 01.07.11; 01.01.13; 11.02.20)

§ 4 Commissaires

UCI international commissaires

Conditions of appointment

- 1.1.053** The title of UCI international commissaire shall be conferred by the UCI to persons having passed the examination and the practical assessment referred to in article ~~1.1.058~~ ~~1.1.060~~.

(text modified on 01.01.07; 11.02.20)

§ 7 Miscellaneous

(§ introduced on 01.01.19)

Betting

- 1.1.088** Anyone subject to the UCI regulations may not be involved in the organisation of bets on cycling competitions. **In particular, it is forbidden to:**

- hold direct or indirect financial interests in betting activities insofar as such betting activity concerns cycling;
- take part in or assist in the determination of the betting odds offered on a cycling event.

In addition, it is forbidden for licence-holders to place bets or agree with a third person for a bet to be placed in relation to the following events:

- a) events in which his team may participate or in relation to which he is directly involved in another manner;
- b) all national, continental and world championships of his discipline(s); and
- c) all multisport events in which he participates in relation to which he is otherwise involved.

Violations to the present article may be sanctioned with a fine of CHF 2'000 to CHF 200'000 and/or a suspension of 8 days to 1 year. Violations to the first paragraph of the present article by an organiser may also be sanctioned with a withdrawal of its events' registration.

(text modified on 11.02.20)

- 1.1.090** 1. Sponsorship by betting companies (including national lotteries) is forbidden if the betting company holds any shares or any contractual arrangements which grant it a right to take part directly or indirectly in the management or decision-making of the organiser, team or licence-holder concerned, unless ~~the betting operator abstains from organising bets in relation to events of the organiser concerned or in relation to the events in which the team~~ ~~or the licence-holder~~ concerned takes part. ~~;~~ and

2. In all other cases, sponsorship by betting companies is authorised provided the sponsor complies with the list of authorised bets drawn up by the UCI Management Committee, published as Annexe A of the present Part of the UCI Regulations. It is consequently forbidden to be sponsored by a betting company which organises bets on

events which do not appear on the said list and/or types of bets which do not appear on the list.

3. In addition, any organiser, team or licence-holder wishing to be sponsored by a betting company shall:

- ensure that the betting operator is affiliated to one or several ~~the~~ competent national monitoring authorities for the regulation and supervision of sports betting sports bets (as well as other gaming and gambling as the case may be) and holds an ~~licence~~ authorisation to organise ~~bets on cycling events, amongst others~~ bets in accordance with the definitions of the Council of Europe Convention on the Manipulation of Sports Competitions. In the event of absence of a ~~national~~ monitoring authority for the supervision of sports betting and/or ~~licensing system~~ in the country or countries where the betting operator is affiliated, the UCI may authorise such sponsorship provided that the betting operator is contractually affiliated to a monitoring agency approved by the UCI and which agrees to provide reports concerning atypical or suspicious betting to the UCI.
- ensure that any such sponsorship contract explicitly prohibits the betting company from i) collecting insider information and/or any other information that could be used to manipulate a cycling event and ii) participating in any decision of a sporting nature.

4. The organiser, ~~or~~ team or licence-holder wishing to be sponsored by a betting company shall provide documentation establishing compliance with the conditions above along with its request for registration before the UCI or the national federation, if applicable, and as determined by the applicable provisions. In the event the organiser, ~~or~~ team or licence-holder is already registered at the time it wishes to obtain sponsorship by a betting operator, the documentation shall be submitted without delay for approval to the UCI or the national federation and in any case no later than two months prior to the event during which the organiser, ~~or~~ team or licence-holder wishes to grant visibility to the betting operator.

~~For any sponsorship contract which does not comply with the conditions of the first paragraph and was signed prior to entry into force of the present article, the relevant sponsor may be granted visibility on cycling events up until 31 December 2019 at the latest.~~

(text modified on 11.02.20)

1.1.091 Breaches of articles 1.1.089 and 1.1.090 may be sanctioned as follows:

- Refused start and/or fine of CHF 1'000 to 25'000 for a licence-holder (art. 1.1.089 only);
- Refusal or withdrawal of the registration, refused start and/or fine of ~~45'000~~ 2500'000 à 2500'000 for a team;
- Refusal or removal from the calendar and/or fine of CHF 5'000 to 500'000 for an organiser.

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Chapter II RACES

Section 4: supervision of races

§ 2 Commissaires' panel

1.2.116

TRIALS

Position and status	Appointed by	CM	CDM	HC	C1	CC	JMJ	CN
President of the commissaires' panel, UCI international commissaire	UCI	1						-
	NF	-						1**
Secretary of the commissaires' panel	UCI	1		-		1		-
	NF	-		1*		-		
Minimum section zone commissaire, depending on the number of participants and the nature of the course	UCI	4		-				
	NF	5**						

* UCI international commissaire

** In absence of UCI international commissaire in the country, national commissaire must be appointed

PARACYCLING

Position and status	Appointed by	PG	CM	CDM	C1	C2
President	UCI	1				-
	NF	-				1*
Secretary	UCI	1			-	
	NF	-				
Member	UCI	4-6		1	-	
Minimum additional commissaires, depending on the number of participants and the nature of the course	NF	10	7		3	

* UCI international commissaire

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Chapter III EQUIPMENT

Section 3: riders' clothing

§ 6 World champion's jersey

1.3.063 Until the day before the world championship of the following year, the world champions must wear their jersey in all events in the discipline, speciality and category in which they won their title, and in no other event.

The world champion team of the UCI Team Time Trial shall wear the distinctive logo on their jerseys in all road events from 1 January until 31 December in the year following the World Championship event.

The world champion in the individual time trial is not authorised to wear the world champion's jersey during team time trial events.

In track races, in Madison, if one of the teammates is not World Champion, then both riders shall wear the same team jersey or one World Champion jersey with one plain white jersey.

In six-day races, only madison world champions may wear the jersey, even if they are not paired together.

In para-cycling, for Tandem (B), Team Relay (TR) and Team Sprint (TS), only world champion athletes must wear the rainbow jerseys even if the pair or the team subsequently dissolve.

In non-individual events in Indoor Cycling, if one of the teammates is not World Champion, then no rider shall wear the World Champion jersey.

The world champion jersey, or the distinctive logo for the UCI Team Time Trial World Champions, must be worn at every opportunity with public exposure, in particular during competitions, awards ceremonies, press conferences, television interviews, autograph sessions, photo sessions and other occasions.

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Annexe A UCI LIST OF AUTHORISED BETS

After carrying out an assessment of the risks associated with sports betting in cycling, the UCI Management Committee has defined a list of authorised bets (events and types of bets) for any betting company wishing to act as a sponsor of an organiser, team or licence-holder.

Sponsorship is authorised subject to bets being organised exclusively on the events listed in the first table and the types of bets being in compliance with those listed in the second table below.

Discipline	Men Elite Events	Women Elite Events
Road	UCI Road World Championships - Road Race UCI Road World Championships - Individual Time Trial UCI Road World Championships - Team Time Trial Mixed Relay UCI WorldTour Events UCI ProSeries Events Olympic Games UEC Road European Championships - Road Race UEC Road European Championships - Individual Time Trial UEC Road European Championships - Team Time Trial Mixed Relay National Championships of the top 15 nations of the UCI Road World Ranking by Nations	UCI Road World Championships - Road Race UCI Road World Championships - Individual Time Trial UCI Road World Championships - Team Time Trial Mixed Relay UCI Women's WorldTour Events Olympic Games UEC Road European Championships - Road Race UEC Road European Championships - Individual Time Trial UEC Road European Championships - Team Time Trial Mixed Relay National Championships of the top 15 nations of the UCI Road World Ranking by Nations
Track cycling¹	UCI Track Cycling World Championships UCI Track Cycling World Cup Olympic Games	UCI Track Cycling World Championships UCI Track Cycling World Cup Olympic Games
Mountain Bike	UCI Mountain Bike World Championships (XCO and DHI only) UCI Mountain Bike World Cup (XCO and DHI only) Olympic Games	UCI Mountain Bike World Championships (XCO and DHI only) UCI Mountain Bike World Cup (XCO and DHI only) Olympic Games
BMX Racing	UCI BMX World Championships UCI BMX World Cup Olympic Games	UCI BMX World Championships UCI BMX World Cup Olympic Games
Cyclo-cross	UCI Cyclo-cross World Championships UCI Cyclo-cross World Cup UEC Cyclo-cross European Championships UCI Cyclo-cross - class 1 events (C1) National Championships of the top 3 nations of the UCI Cyclo-cross World Ranking by Nations	UCI Cyclo-cross World Championships UCI Cyclo-cross World Cup UEC Cyclo-cross European Championships UCI Cyclo-cross - class 1 events (C1) National Championships of the top 3 nations of the UCI Cyclo-cross World Ranking by Nations

¹ The UCI Track Cycling Nations' Cup and UCI Track Cycling League events will be added as of 2021.

Discipline	Bet Types
Road	<p><u>One-day races:</u></p> <p>Event top 10 (including winner, podium and any other combination related to the top 10 results)</p> <p><u>Stage races:</u></p> <p>Final general classification top 10 (including winner, podium and any other combination related to the top 10 results) Stage podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results) Final official secondary classification podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results) Team of final general classification and/or secondary classification winner Leader of general classification or any secondary classification Stage winner's team Intermediate sprint winner</p> <p><u>Team time trial events:</u></p> <p>Event podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results)</p> <p><u>World Championships and Olympic Games:</u></p> <p>Event top 10 (including winner, podium and any other combination related to the top 10 results) Number of medals per nation</p>
Track cycling	<p>Event podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results)</p> <p><u>Tournament competitions:</u></p> <p>Qualification for phase of final tournament (quarter-final, semi-final etc.)</p> <p><u>World Championships and Olympic Games:</u></p> <p>Event podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results) Number of medals per nation</p>
Mountain Bike	<p>Event podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results)</p> <p><u>World Championships and Olympic Games:</u></p> <p>Event podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results) Number of medals per nation</p>

BMX racing	Event podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results) Qualification for phase of final tournament (quarter-final, semi-final etc.) <u>World Championships and Olympic Games:</u> Event podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results) Number of medals per nation
CYCLO-CROSS	Event podium (including winner and any other combination related to the top 3 results)

The present document shall be reviewed and confirmed on a yearly basis. Any request for inclusion of an event or type of bet for the following calendar year shall be submitted to the UCI by no later than 30 June.