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AMA Competition Regulations Rules Change Proposal Form (electronic)

Please complete this form and click on the SUBMIT button at the bottom of the page. This will send the proposal to the Competition Department at AMA HQ. A copy will then be sent to the appropriate Contest Board Chairman. The current issue of the Competition Regulations must be referenced.

Proposal Number: GEN19-03

Received Date: 03/01/2018

Revised Date:

Version Number:

Select Proposal Type:

Basic

Select Applicable Competition Regulations this proposal relates to:

General Section

Give Brief Summary of the Proposed Change:

Change requirement in General Rules that AMA Record Trials require only one timekeeper for record attempts.

State exact wording proposed for the Competition Regulations. List paragraph number where applicable. Example: Change "quote present rule book wording" to "exact wording required".

Change on page 21 of General Rules:
from

"The CD must satisfy himself that every applicable AMA regulation has been complied with. Where a record is established at a record trial and involves a timed flight, the record time must be the average of times recorded by two (2) timers holding valid AMA licenses. The record applicant and the CD may not serve as timers."

to

"The CD must satisfy himself that every applicable AMA regulation has been complied with. Where a record is established at a record trial and involves a timed flight, the

record time must be recorded by any single timekeeper who holds an AMA license. The record applicant and the CD may not serve as timers."

**State logic behind proposed change, including alleged shortcoming of the present rule(s).
STATE INTENT FOR FUTURE REFERENCE:**

Currently National Records may be set at any sanctioned A through AAAA contest with a single timekeeper, but Record Trials require two timekeepers. This is illogical and inconsistent.

If this proposal is for a new event, include all event test data/information here. Please provide information on what testing of this new event has taken place to include number of participants and number of contests.

N/A

State effect, if any, on current AMA records:

none

Note: The Contest Board Chairman may, in coordination with the submitter of the proposal, at any time prior to submitting a proposal to the contest board for Final Vote, Edit proposal wording to increase clarity and to avoid ambiguity provided, the proposal intent is not changed.

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