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BHUTAN OLYMPIC COMMITTEE



## RULES & REGULATIONS

### **1. Conduct of Riders**

Any misconduct on part of any rider, in breach of any of the guidelines given below, will result in disqualification of the individual from the race as may be decided by the Organizing Committee. The decision of the Organizing Committee will be final and binding.

- 1.1 All riders must at all times respect the existing road traffic rules and regulations.
- 1.2 All riders must wear their helmets and fasten chinstrap during the race while they are riding their bicycles. The helmet must be fastened before the participant first mounts the bicycle, at all times when the participant is on the bicycle, and must not be unfastened until the rider has dismounted.
- 1.3 All participants shall demonstrate proper sporting spirit and shall, in whatever capacity, participate in the race in fair and sporting manner. They shall all endeavor to contribute fairly to the sporting success of the race.
- 1.4 Carrying and using glass containers are forbidden during the race.
- 1.5 All riders must respect the environment and must make sure that they do not pollute the course venue.
- 1.6 All riders may render each other such minor services as lending or exchanging food, drink, spanners or accessories. The lending or exchanging of bicycles are not acceptable.
- 1.7 All Riders shall ride with utmost caution. They shall be held responsible for any accidents that they may cause.
- 1.8 No rider including, but not limited to, race officials and marshals shall consume alcoholic beverages or any other intoxicants while the race is in progress and any such person who appears to be under the influence of alcohol or other intoxicant shall be promptly relieved of responsibilities/disqualified.



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## 2. Punishable Offenses

The following offenses shall be punishable by disqualification in the current race and suspension from the next edition of the Dragon's Fury, as may be decided by the organizing committee. The decision of the Organizing Committee will be final and binding:

- 2.1 The pushing of one rider by another or any sort of physical aggression toward another rider.
- 2.2 Intentionally making abrupt motion so as to interfere with the forward progress of another rider. All riders must permit any following or faster rider to overtake without obstructing such a rider.
- 2.3 No acts of unsportsmanlike conduct in conjunction with the event will be allowed.
- 2.4 Entering the competition under an assumed name or falsifying documentation at the time of registration.
- 2.5 Assaulting or committing a violent injury on other rider or official.
- 2.6 Pushing or pulling other riders. No rider may hold back or pull an opponent by any part of his/her clothing, equipment or body.
- 2.7 Behavior dangerous to the rider or other competitors.
- 2.8 Holding on to a motor vehicle.
- 2.9 Failing to ride the entire course, by taking a short cut, riding in a motor vehicle, or by other means.
- 2.10 Pulling or pushing another rider or another rider's equipment during a sprint.
- 2.11 Fraud or attempted fraud during the race;

## 3. Results

At the end of the race, results will not be announced until all the checklists are crosschecked and verified by the technical official.

All participants are requested to be present during the prize awarding ceremony.