

# USA Triathlon Protest/Appeal Form

**Part 1:** To be completed by the Protester/Appellant:

Must be filed and signed by the protester/appellant under the conditions outlined in the USA Triathlon Multisport Competition Rules.

Event Name:		Event Date:	
Event Location:		Time Form Submitted:	
Name:		Race Number:	
Address:		Email:	
City, State, Zip:		Telephone:	

<p>A <b>PROTEST</b> is a formal complaint against the conduct of a fellow athlete or official, or against conditions of the competition. Substantial evidence, including witnesses, must be provided, and they must be willing to participate in an interview. All protests denied must provide \$50 USD at the time of the Competition Jury's decision.</p> <p><b>What type of Protest is involved? (Check one only)</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Protest concerning the course</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Protest against another athlete or official</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Protest concerning eligibility</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Protest concerning timekeeping</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Protest concerning equipment</p>	<p>An <b>APPEAL</b> is a request for a review of a decision made by Officials. Substantial evidence, including witnesses, must be provided, and the must be willing to participate in an interview. Appeal must be submitted through the USOPC Grievance Process. That process can be found at <a href="https://www.usatriathlon.org/about/governance">https://www.usatriathlon.org/about/governance</a></p> <p><b>What type of Appeal is involved? (Check one only)</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Appeal against the ruling on a protest</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Appeal against the ruling on a violation</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Other: _____</p>
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**Witness Details (2):**

Witness 1:

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Witness 2:

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**Rule(s)  
Violated:**


**Time of  
Incident:**

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<b>Define the incident/issue including location, time, etc. If required use additional paper and draw a diagram.</b>				
<b>Who was involved in the incident/issue?</b>				
<b>How did the violation occur (brief statement explaining alleged incident/issue)?</b>				
<b>Acknowledgement:</b>	I certify the provided information and statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Furthermore, should this Protest/Appeal be denied, I agree to pay the fee of \$50 USD (cash, check or credit card) to USA Triathlon.			
<b>Signature:</b>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%;"></td> <td style="width: 20%;"><b>Date:</b></td> <td style="width: 20%;"></td> </tr> </table>		<b>Date:</b>	
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**Part 2: Official Use Only**

<b>Competition Jury Members (Names):</b>	1.
	2.
	3.
<b>Competition Jury Action:</b>	
<b>Competition Jury Chair Signature:</b>	
<b>Date/Time:</b>	
<b>Fee Collected:</b>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

**Protest or Appeal Fees are \$50 USD and may be provided as cash, check or credit card.**