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At Kilkare Speedway, we prioritize safety, fairness, and professionalism in all racing events. It is essential for every participant—including racers, mechanics, and pit crew members—to **understand and adhere** to the following track rules. Compliance with these guidelines ensures not only the safety of individuals but also the integrity of the competitions held here.

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Familiarizing yourself with these rules will contribute to a successful and enjoyable experience for everyone involved in our events. Please take the time to read and respect all regulations outlined in this document.

GENERAL RULES

Every participant at Kilkare Speedway, including racers, mechanics, and individuals entering the pits, must adhere to a uniform set of general rules. Understanding these regulations is crucial for ensuring safety, promoting fair

competition, and maintaining professional conduct. Ignorance of the rules will not be accepted as an excuse; all individuals are responsible for familiarizing themselves with the guidelines.

KEY GENERAL RULES

1. **Compliance with Track Rules:** All participants must read, understand, and comply with the established rules and regulations of Kilkare Speedway.
2. **Safety Inspections:** Each driver is responsible for inspecting the racing surface prior to the event. Any detected issues, such as debris or hazards, must be reported immediately to officials for prompt attention.
3. **Conduct in the Pits:** Proper conduct is mandatory in the pits. Any actions considered unsafe or unsportsmanlike may lead to severe consequences, including ejection or suspension from the event.
4. **Prohibition of Substances:** The use of alcohol and controlled substances in the pit area is strictly forbidden. Violation of this rule will result in immediate disqualification and potential future restrictions from the speedway.
5. **Dispute Resolution:** In the event of any disputes regarding race outcomes or conduct, participants must direct their concerns to the officials on duty. The decision of the officials is final.

IMPORTANCE OF COMPLIANCE

Understanding and adhering to these general rules is critical for the safety of all involved. The consequences of neglecting these guidelines can be serious, affecting not just the individual involved, but the entire racing community. Therefore, every participant should invest the time to ensure they are well-informed about the rules before entering the speedway.

CONDUCT

EXPECTED BEHAVIORS

At Kilkare Speedway, the expectations surrounding conduct extend beyond adhering to rules; they emphasize the importance of respect, professionalism, and the responsibility participants have to each other. All drivers, mechanics, and pit crew members are expected to maintain **respectful interactions**, thereby fostering a positive environment during events. Disrespectful behavior, including verbal or physical abuse, will not be

tolerated and can result in serious repercussions, such as immediate ejection from the event and potential suspension from future races.

CONSEQUENCES OF MISCONDUCT

Misconduct in any form is taken seriously. The following rules apply:

- **Verbal Abuse:** Any participant engaging in derogatory or threatening language toward others will face disciplinary action. This includes shouting at race officials, fellow competitors, or team members.
- **Physical Altercations:** Fighting is strictly prohibited in all areas of the speedway, including pit areas. Participants involved in physical altercations will be ejected, and further sanctions may follow based on the severity of the incident.

ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE USE

The consumption of alcohol and prohibited substances within the pit area is not only against the rules but compromises safety and professionalism:

- **Zero Tolerance Policy:** Any participant found under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances will be immediately disqualified from the event. This rule applies to all individuals present in the pits, including team members and guests.
- **Legal Implications:** Compliance with this policy ensures that we maintain a safe and professional environment. Violations can lead to legal actions against the individual and their team.

PROFESSIONALISM IN THE PITS

Participants are reminded that the pit area is a workspace that requires focus and professionalism. All team members must conduct themselves in a manner that reflects the values of KilKare Speedway. Disruptive behavior, such as excessive noise or unsportsmanlike conduct, is unacceptable and will be addressed by track officials. Remember, professionalism contributes to the integrity of our events and the safety of everyone involved.

CLAIM INFORMATION AND/OR INJURY INFORMATION

In the event of an accident, it is crucial for drivers to promptly report any injuries sustained during racing events. The following procedures should be adhered to for effective claim management:

REPORTING INJURIES

Immediate Notification: Drivers involved in an accident must report their injuries immediately to the EMT staff on-site. This is essential for receiving prompt medical attention and documenting the incident.

Incident Reports: Complete an accident report form, which will be provided by officials. This report should detail the circumstances of the accident as well as any injuries sustained.

CLAIMS FOR BENEFITS

Filing Claims: Drivers who sustain injuries may be eligible for benefits. To initiate a claim, submit the completed accident report along with any medical documentation to the claims administrator designated by KilKare Speedway.

Documentation Required: Ensure that all documentation is thorough, including:

- Medical records
- Accident reports
- Any witness statements

DOCTOR'S RELEASE REQUIREMENT

Before returning to racing events, drivers must obtain a doctor's release confirming they are fit for competition. This ensures that all participants are physically capable of racing and promotes safety for everyone involved. Present the release to officials prior to re-entering the track.

PREVAILING POLICY

At KilKare Speedway, the decisions made by racing officials are regarded as final and binding. This includes determinations related to race outcomes, rule

violations, and conduct disputes. All participants must recognize that once an official's decision is made, it is conclusive, and attempts to dispute may lead to additional penalties.

ROLES OF OFFICIALS

Officials play a critical role in managing races effectively. Their responsibilities include:

- **Enforcement of Rules:** Ensuring compliance with all track regulations and addressing violations promptly.
- **Safety Oversight:** Conducting safety inspections and monitoring the racing surface to maintain optimal conditions.
- **Conflict Resolution:** Addressing disputes and concerns from participants in a fair manner, upholding the integrity of the races.

TRACK MODIFICATIONS

To enhance the safety and overall racing experience, KilKare Speedway may implement track modifications as necessary. Participants will be informed of changes through official channels, ensuring everyone is up-to-date with current policies. It is crucial for all racers and team members to adhere to these adjustments, fostering a secure and enjoyable environment for all involved.

RACE TRACK OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR ALL DIVISIONS

At KilKare Speedway, adhering to specific operational procedures during races is essential to maintain safety and order. This section outlines who has access to the track, protocols during caution periods, and emergency handling procedures.

TRACK ACCESS GUIDELINES

Only authorized personnel are permitted on the racing surface during events. The following groups have access to the track:

- **Race Officials:** Responsible for monitoring race activities and ensuring compliance with the rules.

- **Emergency Personnel:** Includes paramedics and safety crews authorized to assist in emergency situations.
- **Drivers and Spotters:** These individuals may enter the track solely during designated sessions such as warm-ups, qualifying, or races. Access must be coordinated with race officials.

SAFETY PROTOCOL DURING YELLOW/RED FLAGS

Safety is paramount whenever caution flags are displayed. Here's what to do:

Yellow Flag Procedures

- **Reduce Speed:** All drivers must immediately reduce speed and maintain caution while on the track.
- **Stay in Formation:** Drivers should line up as directed and follow the pace car. Communication with spotters is crucial for maintaining order.
- **Avoid Pit Stops Unless Directed:** Unless signaled by officials, pit stops should be avoided during a yellow flag situation.

Red Flag Procedures

- **Come to a Complete Stop:** Upon the display of a red flag, all drivers must come to a complete stop where they are located on the track.
- **Stay Inside the Vehicle:** Drivers should remain in their cars, secured with safety belts until instructed by officials.
- **Emergency Extract Procedures:** Drivers are advised to follow directions from the emergency personnel. If the vehicle is in a hazardous position, officials may require evacuation.

EMERGENCY HANDLING PROCEDURES

In the event of an incident on the track:

1. **Notify Officials Immediately:** Use the designated communication system to alert race officials about the situation.
2. **Follow Official Instructions:** Remain calm and adhere to the directions provided by officials and medical personnel.
3. **Assist if Safe:** If you are not directly involved and it is safe to do so, assist emergency personnel.

These procedures are designed to promote safety and should be followed rigorously by all participants during race events. Understanding and

practicing these protocols can prevent further incidents and ensure a smooth racing experience.

PAY-OFF PROCEDURES

At KilKare Speedway, the payout process for drivers is clearly structured to ensure transparency and ease of transaction. Payment distribution will be conducted after each race in accordance with the following guidelines:

COLLECTION PROCEDURES

1. **Eligibility for Payout:** To qualify for race earnings, drivers must complete the event and adhere to all race regulations. Non-compliance may result in forfeiture of payment.
2. **Collection Location:** Payouts will be made at the designated payout station, conveniently located near the pit area. Ensure to approach this station promptly after the race concludes.

IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- **Valid Identification:** Drivers must present a government-issued photo ID to collect their earnings. This ensures that the payment is securely issued to the correct individual.
- **Tax Forms:** Drivers are required to complete IRS Form 1099 at the time of payout. This form is essential for tax purposes and must be submitted alongside the identification.

CONDITIONS FOR PAYMENTS

Payouts may also depend on considerations such as finishing position, sponsorship contributions, and any additional stipulations set forth by race officials. It is advisable for all participants to remain aware of these variables to understand their financial outcomes post-event.

TEAM RESPONSIBILITIES

DRIVER AND TEAM CONDUCT

At KilKare Speedway, the responsibilities of drivers and their teams extend beyond just racing; they are pivotal in upholding the standards of safety and sportsmanship we expect at our events. Each team member must actively

participate in creating an environment that exemplifies professionalism and respect. This includes maintaining clear communication, ensuring proper safety measures are in place, and displaying integrity on and off the track.

IMPORTANCE OF STANDARDS

All participants must recognize the critical role that conduct plays in not only their performance but also in the overall atmosphere of the racing community. Misconduct, whether it be through aggressive behavior, unsportsmanlike actions, or violating safety protocols, can lead to immediate consequences, such as:

- **Ejection from the Event:** Engaging in behaviors that jeopardize safety or respect can result in a participant being removed from the premises.
- **Suspension from Future Events:** Serious infractions may lead to longer-term consequences, affecting a team's ability to participate in subsequent races.
- **Impact on Reputation:** Discreditable actions not only harm the individual but also tarnish the image of their entire team, potentially affecting sponsorships and future opportunities.

Each team member is integral in upholding the values of KilKare Speedway, fostering a positive environment for all who participate.

PENALTIES

At KilKare Speedway, strict penalties are enforced for any rules infractions to maintain a safe and fair competitive environment. Violations can include illegal modifications, cheating, and unsportsmanlike conduct, each carrying significant repercussions.

CATEGORIES OF INFRACTIONS

Illegal Modifications: Any unauthorized alterations to vehicles that do not comply with the official specifications will result in:

- **Disqualification** from the race.
- A **formal review** of the vehicle for further actions which may include suspension of racing privileges.

Cheating: Engaging in dishonest practices, such as tampering with results or using prohibited performance-enhancing substances, will incur:

- Immediate **disqualification** from the event, with no points awarded.
- A **minimum suspension** from future races pending a full investigation.

Impact on Finishes and Standings: Any violation leading to disqualification will affect both the driver's final standings and points accumulated throughout the season. This can potentially alter a team's chances for championship contention.

GENERAL DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

- **Warnings** may precede harsher penalties for minor infractions, but repeat offenses escalate directly to suspensions or bans.
- **All participants are expected to understand** that intentional misconduct or blatant disregard for these rules will not be tolerated and will be met with swift disciplinary measures.

ADDITIONAL NOTES

CLARIFICATION OF RULES

Participants are encouraged to **seek clarification** on any rules or guidelines that may appear ambiguous. Asking questions is vital to ensure compliance and avoid unintended violations. Officials are available to provide further explanations or guidance as needed.

CONSEQUENCES FOR DISQUALIFICATION

Disqualifications can occur for several reasons, including violations of safety protocols or misconduct. Important consequences include:

- **Ineligibility for Payout:** Disqualified participants will forfeit any earnings from the event.
- **Immediate Ejection:** Those disqualified will be required to leave the premises and may face further penalties.

SIGNED WAIVERS FOR PIT ENTRY

Before entering the pit area, all individuals must complete and sign an **acknowledgment waiver**. This waiver confirms understanding of the risks

involved with racing and exonerates Kilkare Speedway from liability. Failure to sign this waiver will result in denial of access to the pits, ensuring that safety is prioritized for everyone involved.