



# Balloon Federation Of America



## 2024 US Nationals Rule Change Request

**To: Maury Sullivan, US Nationals Jury President**

**From: Sam Parks, US Nationals Championship Director**

**Subject: Rule Change Request**

**Maury,**

**While consulting the published rules during my response to the complaint filed by competitor #9 I discovered that part of rule 5.6.2 was absent. The deadline details regarding when a competitor must file a protest was missing from the rules that were approved by the HACD Board.**

**It has been determined that the missing text happened when document was converted from a word document to a PDF.**

**I request the jury approve the addition of rule 5.6.2 to the 2024 US Nationals Rules.**

### **5. 6.2 TIME LIMITS FOR PROTESTS (II.18)**

**5. 6.2.1 A competitor intending to protest shall, within one (1) hour of the reply to his complaint,**

**declare his intention to protest to the Event Director.**

**5. 6.2.2 Within eight (8) hours of the reply to his complaint the competitor shall submit his**

**protest in writing accompanied by the protest fee (I.8). The rest hours defined in the competition**

**details (II.18) will be disregarded for the purpose of the time limits.**

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Sam Parks**

**Championship Director**

