

## SDDC PROTEST PROTOCOL

All protests must be lodged in writing no later than 30 minutes after results have been posted. A deposit of \$50 must accompany the protest. The deposit is forfeited unless the objection is upheld or the Ground Jury decide that there were good and reasonable grounds for the objection.

Only the rider or their authorised agent is entitled to lodge an objection. Objections must be made in writing to the Secretary of the event, accompanied by a deposit of \$50.00

- \* Not later than half an hour after the happening which gave rise to the objections, or
- \* Where marks are concerned, within half an hour of the issue of the marks; or
- \* In the case of objections to the qualifications of competitors, not later than half an hour before the start of the class in question

The Ground Jury will consist of the judges of the event as per the current EA Dressage Rule Handbook and one nominated financial member of SDDC, provided that person has no conflict of interest.