



2011 AKA MANUAL

ADDENDUM No. 32

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Effective immediately

At the NKC meeting held on 19/20/21 August, 2011, the following rule changes were approved.

During the NKC Teleconference held on 11th October, 2011, the following rules were approved for immediate implementation.

15.10 Blue: (Waved)

A waved Blue Flag / flashing light signifies that you are about to be overlapped by one or more competitors. On receiving this flag / light, you must continue with your race and hold your normal race line, but allow any overlapping kart /s to pass unimpeded.

Failure to obey this rule will result in the Blue and Red Double Diagonal flag being shown, under direction from the Clerk of Course / Stewards, as per rule 15.13.

15.13 Blue and Red Double Diagonal:

This flag, together with an appropriate board showing the kart number, will be displayed to a competitor who has been overlapped and has failed to comply with rule 15.10 (waved blue flag).

On receiving this flag, the competitor must stop racing, move off the racing line so as not to impede the progress of any other competitors and return to the in-grid prior to completion of their next lap. Approaching the in-grid, the driver of the lapped kart must raise one hand to clearly signal to following competitors that he/she is leaving the circuit.

Competitors who obey this flag will be classed as finishers and awarded a finishing position in the race.

Competitors who fail to obey this flag will be shown the black flag, together with an appropriate board showing their kart number signaling them to immediately cease racing and return safely to the in-grid without impeding another competitor, and report immediately to the Clerk of Course or assistants. These competitors will be penalized with exclusion from that section of the event by way of a Penalty Notification Form, and possible further penalty. There shall be no appeal against this decision or penalty.

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