29th Summer Soaring Criterium (Anthisnes)

FAI Jury report

Date: 24 and 25 of June 2023

Organiser: CRPAL (BEL)

Director of competition: Denis Duchesne, Paulette Halleux

Jury members: Geneviève Awouters (BEL), Mattiussi Ernest (LUX), Isabelle Médard (FRA)

Competition following the rules of F3G version 2023

Scoring system: Dave/F3B-e version 3.70 Karl Hinsch

Number of competitors: 21 from 5 nations (BEL, CZE, FRA, GER, SUI)

Nominal group size: 4 in distance and 6 in duration.

The last task (speed) was flown in inverted order of ranking.

Weather conditions: Sunny with light winds

Briefing on 24/06/2023 at 8:30

First flights at 9:00

First day: 2 complete rounds and one task

Second day: 2 tasks from round 3 and 1 more complete round

Observations:

- There have been random controls of the wing loading of the gliders for duration and speed based on a list with the specifications of the different models.
- The reason for the penalties were owed of non-respecting the 40 second's rule, landing inside the safety area and landing outside the landing field.
- The attained altitudes were well about those obtained in F3B (around 400 m). This makes it most times hard for the line judges to identify the right model. Maybe a revision of the rules is required.
- It was very difficult for the line judges on base A to verify at the same time the 40 second's rule and keeping an eye on the model. The organiser placed a set of 4 persons with stop watches close to the judges to prevent this problem.
- The layout of the field for F3B/F3G in the rule book is not always compatible with the situation on the field.

Signed:

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