



RACE RULES

DISQUALIFICATION AND TIME PENALTIES

Race organisers / officials will apply rules at own discretion. The decision of the race judge will be final.

Transgression	Penalty / Disqualification
Not adhering to any of the race rules	Penalty / Disqualification at Race organisers discretion
Cheating (e.g., use of a means of transport...)	Disqualification
Bad sportsmanship / Lack of respect for others (organization or riders, support, etc) NB: a participant whose supporters are rude and/or refuse to respect the organization's instructions will be penalized / disqualified	Disqualification
Missing item(s) from the mandatory gear list	Penalty / Disqualification at Race organisers discretion
Refusal to have mandatory gear checked	Disqualification
Assistance / support outside of authorized areas	Disqualification
Not checking in at a checkpoint	Disqualification
Team members not staying / finishing together	Disqualification
All members of a team not completing the race	Disqualification
Support vehicle travelling through the Baviaanskloof on race day	Disqualification
Teams whose team members have been assisted (picked-up) by sweep vehicle /	Disqualification
Teams who had a rider(s) withdrawn	
Teams not finishing within the time limit of 24hours	Disqualification
Three penalties against a rider / team	Disqualification
Any form of littering	Disqualification
Refusal to comply with an order / instruction from the race organisers, officials, checkpoint crew, medical personnel or search and rescue staff	Disqualification



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Lack of visible race number	Penalty / Disqualification at Race organisers discretion
Departure from a checkpoint after the cut-off time	Disqualification
Teams not staying within the 2-minute separation limit of each other during the event	Penalty
Teams not checking in together at checkpoints. A maximum of a 2-minute separation limit will be allowed between members.	Penalty
Ill-equipped gear (compulsory gear not up to standard).	Penalty
Losing the race token	Penalty
Valid appeals against a specific rider / team	Penalty / Disqualification at Race organisers discretion
Dangerous behaviour towards riders, organization or supporters	Penalty / Disqualification at Race organisers discretion
No timing chip / race tag	Penalty / Disqualification at Race organisers discretion
Refusal of anti-doping control	Penalty / Disqualification at Race organisers discretion

Disqualification means that:

- the team will not qualify for team prizes (positions)
- Race times will not be official
- No finisher's medal
- Time Penalties

Time penalties will be a minimum of 20 minutes and will depend on the transgression.

Time penalties will be added at the finish and not enforced at checkpoints.