



# AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION TRACK & FIELD Protest Form

Time of the Event: \_\_\_\_\_ Time of Filing: \_\_\_\_\_ AM/PM(circle one)

Age Division: \_\_\_\_\_ Boy/Girl: \_\_\_\_\_ Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for the Protest: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Identify the USATF Rule that was specifically violated:**

USATF Rule # \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_ Article \_\_\_\_\_

**Identify the AAU Administrative rule that was violated:**

Section \_\_\_\_\_ Paragraph \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Head Coach

Cash Submitted: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**AAU Protest Rule:**

All protests must be in writing. Protests concerning the status or eligibility of any competitor must be made to the Games Committee prior to the commencement of the meet or to the Referee, or other designated official, at anytime during the meet. Protests relating to matters, which develop during the conduct of the meet, must be made to the Referee and be filed at once, but in any case, not more than 30 minutes after the result has been announced and/or posted, whichever comes first. Protests must be made to the Referee, or other designated official, at District level with a \$50.00 cash deposit. At the National Qualifier level, protests MUST be made, in accordance with publicized procedures, with a \$75.00 cash deposit. At the National level, protests MUST be filed on official protest forms and accompanied by a cash deposit of \$150.00. The National Meet Director will cause the results of each event to be marked with the correct time and date. The Referee shall consider any and all available evidence, excluding non-official photographic and/or videotaped evidence, when reviewing protests. A protester may appeal an unfavorable decision of the Referee to the Jury of Appeals. The decision of the Jury of Appeals is final. The cash deposit will be forfeited in all instances where a protest is accepted and denied. If the protest is upheld, the cash deposit shall be immediately refunded to the protester.