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## CHIEF JUDGE'S STANDARD REPORT

Competition:	25th FAI World Formation Skydiving Championships
Event:	FORMATION SKYDIVING
Location:	USA (Eloy, Arizona)
Date:	19-27 th October, 2022
Panel of Judges:	Peta Holmes (AU) - EJ; Wolfgang Duller (AT)-EJ Mike Pennock (NED); Marc Frielingsdorf (GER); Vera Asguith (CAN); Zeljko Tanaskovic (SWE); Rogier Carper (NED); Lucy Westgarth (UK); Jim Rees (USA); Agnieszka Sobczynska (FIN); Natasha Higman (UK); Judy Celaya (USA); Linda Makela (FIN); Gorka Amian (USA).
Scoring Equipment Used:	OMNISKORE
<b>Details of the Judges Work:</b> (including judging statistics)	Number of the teams: 35 (21 (4-way open), 4 (Female), 5 (VFS), 5 (8 -way)). Jumps Judged: 25 Tr. Jumps, 350 Competition Jumps. All judges performed their duties to a high standard and worked well as a team.
Recommendations for Organisers:	The person who was responsible for the scoring system OmniSkore was not on site. We had to solve many difficulties with scoring system before and during the FS Championship. Judge Jim Rees did a lot work that this scoring system work well and we can use it during the FS Championship. A few days, Gary Taylor helped to solve some difficulties with scoring system as well. The organizer must ensure the presence and continuous assistance during the competition of a Scoring Technical Director, and Electronic Dubbing and Scoring Operator.

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Rule Changes - Proposals:	Clarify the definition of a grip: Following some discussions from Eloy about the validity or not of stationary contact from the back of the hand, tips of fingers, or portion of the hand as grip ("handhold"), we have attempted clearer wording to replace "handhold". Proposed new wording: 2.2 Grip: consists of stationary contact between any part of the palm side of the hand and/or fingers, and an arm leg or foot of another jumper as shown in 7.2.	
	There was some discussions in Eloy about the validity or not of the grip on the altimater braslet. Proposed clarification of the definition: 2.4. Body: consist of the intire competitor and his or her equipment (which is necessary for skydiving).	
Personal Remarks:	It was excellent to work with Randy Connell (Meet Director). Gary Taylor, performed his duties extremely well. The Assistant to the CJ's, Rhonda Kaletz, did a fantastic job ensuring the judges were well cared for.	
In accordance with the Sporting Code Section 5, 6.9.1. (11) this form is to be completed and sent to the Chair of the Judges' Committee and the IPC Recording Secretary within 30 days of the competition's completion.		

Name:	JURATE JANUSAUSKIENE
Signature:	
Date:	24/11/2022