

ANNEX 3

IMPORTANT NOTE: *This Report, together with details of all protests, has to be sent by the Jury President to the FAI Secretary General and to the ISC President within 8 days of the conclusion of the event.*

FEDERATION AERONAUTIQUE INTERNATIONALE

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 Ji'an, Jiangxi, 30 Oct 2025
(place and date)

REPORT OF THE JURY PRESIDENT TO THE FAI

EVENT DETAILS

TITLE/NAME	16th FAI World Cup of Style & Accuracy Landing 1st FAI Asian Style and Accuracy Landing Championships
DATE	25 -31 Oct 2025 (opening -closing ceremony FAI GS 4.5.2.4.)
LOCATION	TongPing General Airport, Ji'an, Jiangxi, China
ORGANISING NAC	Aero Sports Federation of China
NUMBER OF JUMPS/PERFORMANCES	887
NUMBER OF EVENTS	2
NUMBER OF COMPETITORS	83
DISQUALIFICATIONS: YES/NO	NO

EVENT PERSONNEL

MEET DIRECTOR	OU Junwu
DEPUTY MEET DIRECTOR	LIU Wen, also Organizing Committee and ISC Delegate
CHIEF JUDGE	Jana MATEJKINOVA
SAFETY OFFICER	FAI Controller
FAI CONTROLLER	Dr. Rainer (Exi) HOENLE

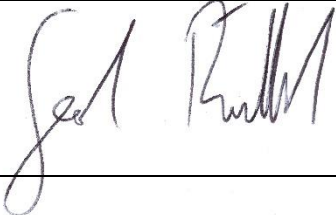
ISC JURY

PRESIDENT	Gernot RITTENSCHÖBER
MEMBER 1	Zeljko TANASKOVIC
MEMBER 2	Sarka FERREROVA (remote)

REPORT OF THE JURY PRESIDENT TO THE FAI (continued)**COMPLAINTS AND PROTESTS**

NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS	1
TOTAL NUMBER OF PROTESTS ADMITTED	0
NUMBER OF PROTESTS WITHDRAWN	0
NUMBER OF PROTESTS UPHeld	0
NUMBER OF PROTESTS FAILED	0
AMOUNT OF PROTEST FEES RETAINED AND INCLUDED	--- CHF

Also included you will find the Jury decisions (reports as transmitted to the Meet Director) pertaining to the above protests, and all other documents regarding above protests. I understand that the complete Jury Report file will be sent by me to both the FAI and to the ISC President

DATE & PLACE	Ji'an, Jiangxi, 31 Oct 2025
JURY PRESIDENT SIGNATURE	

Comments:

1) The championship was well organized with an experienced dropzone organizer to run flight operations and key personnel (Organizer and Chief Judge working together as a team in spite of language barriers that were compensated by volunteers acting as interpreters).

There is a lack of experience with FAI FCE requirements, protocol and the different roles and responsibilities of the numerous FAI Officials.

2) All FAI regulations were applied correctly. The ceremonies with FAI flag and anthem were conducted according to the regulations.

The Performance bond and Sanction fee payment was made just in time as late as the 1st arrival day due to complicated domestic procedures. But at the start of the championship all was complete in full accordance with FAI/ ISC regulations.

3) There are FAI documents that are not available at fai.org although checklists and guidelines refer to these

- FAI Casualty Guidelines 2012 edition amendment Nov 2011

has partly been replaced by the new 2025_FAJ Serious Incident Response Policy_FINAL/ 2025 Edition Effective 03 October 2025).

- There is no document available that describes the opening ceremony because this:

- Protocol Guidelines for FAI Championships Policy for Competition Organizers Ver. 1.0 / September 2015) has never officially been published by FAI but for example it contains the text for the oath.

4) There are a number of redundant unclear or double tasks in the ISC checklists and handbooks given to different FAI officials

Main reason are the two additional ISC officers for operational tasks (FAI-Controller, Chief Judge) at ISC FCEs but still the original text of FAI GS is applied with jury tasks like “verify the scores”, “approve notification system and designate competition site for announcements” “Official entry list (teams/competitors entered)” “ensure that all is in readiness (Judges’ room, Jury room, toilets and team tents, power supply as needed, etc.)”

Double tasks are “send result lists to FAI” (should be CJ) “send an official list of entrants to FAI (should be FAI-C)

A careful clean up by ISC at the next plenary is suggested.

[remark: The principle to give the same task to more than one person increases the chance that it is done seems not to be the most efficient option.]

5) A change in jury nomination procedure is suggested as well and the FAI Controller should assume the 2nd (on site) juror role while keeping all Safety panel task.

This subject was discussed thoroughly with the present jury member and the FAI-Controller and deemed to be feasible for FCEs with less than 4 disciplines SC5 4.7.1.1. b).

The complaint procedure is well established and there is not much to do for three FAI officials during a full week.

6) 10 Continental records (Asia, Europe, Oceania) and one World record were established or broken.

The Excel file of Mark Szulmeyer to prepare claims and dossier is a very helpful tool and it made the paperwork easy. Also the 2025 change that there is no more “willingness to pay” nuisance reduced the jury workload a lot.

7) Other topics (ISC internal action required)

- **The ISC Jury handbook only differs in very few parts from the FAI jury guidelines. In stead of maintaining two different documents it is suggested to use the FAI guidelines and just a one add on page with ISC specific jury tasks (e.g. record claims)**

- **Clarify the standards for ceremonies (or remove and guidelines and just publish best practice examples.**

There are official documents like the “Protocol for Award-Giving and Closing Ceremonies at FAI Championships, Policy for Competition Organisers” that has instructions inside which are not helpful for an unexperience organizer:

e.g. “The medal winners shall be called forward by name and country, one by one separately, preferably in the order Bronze – Silver - Gold, **or in the reverse order**. The order chosen is a matter for each Commission to decide.”

There is no document available how ISC has decided this matter!

It has very clear guidelines inside who shall declare the event open or closed (highest ranking FAI official” but the local tradition is that the governor or city mayor should do that.

The introduction of **this** “Protocol for Closing Ceremonies” has:

“FAI Air Sport Commissions have been invited either **to use this standard** document, or **to publish an amended version** that best reflects the traditions in their respective air sports and events, whilst respecting these minimum standards.” see above calling medal winners 1,2,3 or 3,2,1 ?