

Duties *TD-a*



601.4.9. TD duties at all events

601.4.9.1. Before the race

Technical Delegate:

- ▶ checks the approval file and consults with the organizer on the possible existence of a special permit. If he finds that the approval does not exist, the jury must cancel the race (see Art. 650);
- ▶ reads TD reports of past events on the same ground and checks if there has been an improvement over those reports;
- ▶ performs the validity and liability of the insurance policy on the terms and in Art. 212. and report to the FIS when necessary;
- ▶ inspects competitive and training tracks;
- ▶ oversees compliance with Article 704 regarding official training. Controls gate flags;
- ▶ participates in administrative and technical preparations; controls the official application list, including FIS points;
- ▶ provides the necessary number of radio stations for all members of the jury (with separate frequencies);
- ▶ records authorization for and accreditation for track access; inspects race tracks with an emphasis on preparation, marking, spectator control, as well as on the start and finish area performance;
- ▶ oversee the layout of the tracks along with the jury;
- ▶ checks the positions of the TV cameras (TV tower) and ensures that they are adequately protected, if necessary;
- ▶ checks technical installations such as time memorization, manual timing, communication, transport of people, etc.;
- ▶ is present in the race area, all the time;
- ▶ participates in all jury and team captain meetings;
- ▶ works closely with the Organizing Committee officials and the FIS Technical Advisor;
- ▶ is the chairman of the jury with a decision vote in the event of an equal number of votes;
- ▶ appoints members of the jury if necessary;
- ▶ is entitled, if the SL or GS cannot be maintained on the approved ground for "force majeure", to move; race to the "reserve track" proposed by the organizer. Only under the clear condition that approval measures can be fulfilled. For DH or GS, there is only the possibility of shortening the track that is approved. The minimum vertical drop required must be taken into account.

601.4.9.2. During the race

Technical delegate

- ▶ must be present on the track;
- ▶ collaborates with juries, captains and team coaches;
- ▶ observes whether the applicable rules and directives have been complied with regarding the advertising of equipment and clothing;
- ▶ oversees the technical and organizational course of events in the competition;
- ▶ advises the organization on monitoring FIS rules and directives;

601.4.9.3. After the race

Technical delegate

- ▶ assists with the inclusion of judicial disqualification reports;
- ▶ calculates racing and penalty points for individual races. If these points are calculated by the computer, it is the duty of the TD to check them and confirm their accuracy with their signature. Above all, it verifies the correct use of the corresponding F values for each discipline;
- ▶ presents correctly filed protests to the jury for a decision;
- ▶ signs the official score sheet compiled by the race secretary and approves the award ceremony;
- ▶ completes the TD's report, including any supplementary reports, and is responsible for forwarding them to the FIS and other appropriate locations within three days;
- ▶ presents to FIS all applicable proposals for changing the competition rules, based on practical experience from the event in question.

601.4.9.4. Basically

Technical delegate

- ▶ decide on issues that are not covered or not sufficiently covered by the FIS rules, unless the jury has already decided on those that are not covered by the duties of other bodies;
- ▶ works closely with the judge and the judge's assistant;
- ▶ has the right to propose to the jury the exclusion of competitors from participation in the race;
- ▶ shall have the right to use the support of the Organizing Committee and all officials within its jurisdiction in all respects for the purpose of carrying out its duties.

601.4.9.5. Olympic Winter Games and FIS World Championship

- ▶ TD primrema detaljni finalni izveštaj, koji će biti poslat FIS-u i Organizacionom komitetu

601.4.9.6. Collaboration with the Technical Delegate

- ▶ The judge and the assistant judge must work closely with the technical delegate.

TECHNICAL DELEGATE (TD)

601.5. Definition

601.5.9. TD's primary duties

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- ▶ to make sure that the event runs smoothly;
- ▶ to advise the organizers in the field of their duties;
- ▶ to be an official representative of the FIS.

601.5.10. Responsibility

- ▶ The TD structure falls under the responsibility of the Alpine Committee. The Alpine Technical Delegates Subcommittee issues these powers.

601.5.11. Prerequisites

- ▶ The TD must have a valid TD permit

601.5.12. Promotion

601.5.12.1. The TD development process includes:

- ▶ Check-in;
- ▶ an observer at national FIS competitions;
- ▶ Oral exam;
- ▶ written entrance examination;
- ▶ Nomination; practical assessment (Downhill);
- ▶ practical exam for TD (GS or SL in the role of TD);
- ▶ The FIS proposes that the NSA apply a maximum annual limit for applicants up to 40 years and for TDs 65 years (the date for qualifications is 1 July).
- ▶ 601.5.12.2. Each NSA should nominate capable persons to train for TDs. The Subcommittee on Alpine Technical Delegates has the final say on their admission.

601.5.13. Training

601.5.13.1. Basic training is reported under the responsibility of each NSA .

601.5.13.2. The candidate must be nominated by their own NSA

The first year

- ▶ The candidate must attend the annual seminar organized by the NSA (June-July for the Southern Hemisphere, October-November Northern Hemisphere).
- ▶ Attends two FIS competitions held in his own country to gain experience under the supervision of the TD Commissioner or his / her designated representative.
- ▶ Prepare an official report for these tasks and send them to your TD Commissioner, with copies to the FIS (in the official language).
- ▶ At the end of the season, the NSA applies to the FIS for official acceptance of the candidate, with a copy to the TD Commissioner.

Other years

- ▶ The candidate must attend the annual national TD seminar.
- ▶ Must pass written and oral exam in official FIS language.

As a candidate

He was assigned to supervise a TD examiner (from another country) to:

- ▶ Practical assessments (downhill);
- ▶ Practical Exam (GS or SL in the role of TD);
- ▶ Compiling an official report for these tasks and sending it to your own TD Commissioner, with copies of the FIS (in the official FIS language);
- ▶ The FIS Office will verify all information from the various candidate and examiner reports and prepare the details required by the TD Subcommittee;
- ▶ The subcommittee may decide not to issue a license if the candidate has not met all the requirements or is judged inappropriate. In this case, the subcommittee may decide whether the candidate can continue with the TD exercise and what parts of the procedure must be repeated;
- ▶ If the candidate is assessed as eligible, he / she will become an official FIS Alpine Technical Delegate after the next annual TD seminar.

- ▶ 601.5.13.3. At all events, only a TD candidate can work as a TD assistant.
- ▶ 601.5.13.4. The assignment as a TD candidate is terminated, on the proposal of national responsible officials for TD issues, by a decision of the FIS which also reviews the achievements of individual candidates. Upon completion of the required assignment to the DH and after all reports have been submitted, the candidates who have proven themselves are assigned the FIS assignment as a final examination.
- ▶ 601.5.13.5. The work of a TD candidate checks and examines the official TD of the race in question. It fills in the official FIS form for a TD candidate. It sends an FIS form, which sends a duplicate nationally responsible to the TD candidate, for information.
- ▶ 601.5.13.6. The candidate must write their report for the event in question. The report must be submitted to the FIS and the responsible TD of his country.
- ▶ 601.5.13.7. TD is obliged to train the candidate assigned to it.
- ▶ 601.5.13.8. Upon completion of the practical examination and the certificate of admission from the Subcommittee on Alpine Technical Delegates, he receives a personal and numbered license as a TD.

601.5.14. License (permit)

- ▶ The license is a numbered identification document that is valid for 12 months. The license is an obligation of every TD and must be renewed every year.

601.5.15. Further training and license expiration

- ▶ Each TD with a license must participate in the annual supplementary seminars organized by FIS. A TD that for good reason misses a seminar or fails to fulfill its responsibilities for two consecutive years loses its TD license. To be able to regain status, he or she must meet the requirements again and pass the qualifications of the candidate.

601.6. Assignment of charge

- ▶ 601.6.9. For the Olympic Winter Games and the FIS World Ski Championships, the TD is (appointed) by the FIS Council upon the recommendation of the Alpine Committee.
- ▶ 601.6.10. For all other events this is done by the Subcommittee on Alpine Technical Delegates
- ▶ 601.6.11. An exception is made for children's, CIT, Masters, CISM, traditional and Uni races, where the TD is proposed by the organizing committee and approved by the Subcommittee on Alpine Technical Delegates.
- ▶ 601.6.12. TD must not be a member of the organizing association. In exceptional cases, the Alpine Technical Delegate Committee may appoint a TD from the same country. Certainly, it cannot be a member of an organizing club or regional association.

601.7. TD Replacements

- ▶ 601.7.9. If the TD for the Olympic Winter Games and the FIS World Ski Championships is precluded from performing their duties, the FIS Council as well as the NSA to which it belongs should immediately appoint another TD.
- ▶ 601.7.10. For all other races the NSA to which the TD belongs is responsible for the immediate appointment of a replacement. The Organizing Committee and FIS must be informed immediately.
- ▶ 601.7.11. If, for unforeseen reasons, the TD for the Olympic Winter Games and the FIS Seat Ski Championships arrives or arrives too late for the competition, rendering it partially or completely disabled in the performance of the competition duties, the FIS Council will appoint one of the jury members present at the competition as a substitute.
- ▶ 601.7.12. In all other international races, a deputy for the absent TD will be named on the spot by the team captains at their meeting. The replacement must also meet the requirements of Art.
- ▶ 604.1.6. In unforeseen situations, a TD may be assigned a person who does not meet these conditions but is competent to ensure the flow (continuity) of the race. In selecting this person, strict criteria must be used.
- ▶ 601.7.13. The replacement TD has the same rights and responsibilities as the originally named TD.

601.8. Organization of charge

- ▶ 601.8.09. The organizer must make contact with the TD on time.
- ▶ 601.8.10. Cancellation or cancellation of a competition must be notified to the TD and FIS immediately, taking into account existing deadlines.
- ▶ 601.8.11. For DH, he must arrive on the competition grounds at least 48 hours before the first training draw. For all other events, the time is 24 hours.