# 2023 AMERICAN FLAT TRACK LICENSE REGULATIONS AND ELIGIBILITY

#### 1.1 Licenses and Credentials

- a. All license applications can either be submitted online at <a href="https://registration.amaproracing.com">https://registration.amaproracing.com</a> or printed from AMA Pro Racing's website and submitted with notarized signatures to the AMA Pro Racing office. Applications may not be faxed or emailed.
- b. The receipt of a Credential/License application and fees by an AMA Pro Racing Official and/or the depositing of accompanying fees by AMA Pro Racing do not constitute the issuance or approval by AMA Pro Racing of such an application for an American Flat Track Credential/License.
- c. Credentials/Licenses are non-transferable, non-assignable and non-refundable, and may be used only by the license holder or credentialed participant to whom it is issued. Any attempt to transfer, lend, or permit any other person or entity to use it shall result in a penalty imposed on them by AMA Pro Racing. IF FOR ANY REASON, WHETHER INTENTIONAL OR UNINTENTIONAL, A MEMBERSHIP IS TRANSFERRED, LOANED, OR USED BY ANY OTHER PERSON OR ENTITY, THE ORIGINAL MEMBER SHALL INDEMNIFY AMA PRO RACING AND ALL RELATED PARTIES FOR ANY DAMAGES ARISING IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH TRANSFER, LOAN OR USE. Transfer or misuse of any license or credential is cause for immediate fine and revocation of both license and credential.
- d. All American Flat Track Credentials/Licenses expire automatically on the last day of the calendar year in which the Credential/License is issued.
- e. Team Owner License
  - i. The Team Owner is the individual responsible for entering a rider and motorcycle in American Flat Track events. Team owners can also be the designated rider for an entry.
  - ii. Team Championship points, purse awards and any additional monetary awards will be paid to the team owner or their designee.
  - iii. Penalties for the rules infractions of team members will be levied against the team owner. The team owner is responsible for ensuring entered motorcycles meet all technical rules.
  - iv. Team owners must meet the minimum age requirement for the respective class.

#### f. Competition Licenses

i. All competition license applicants must meet the class-specific age requirements at the time of application.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Min</u>	Max
AFT SuperTwins:	18	
AFT Singles:	16	39

- ii. Any 17-year-old applying for an AFT Twins license must have finished in the top 3 championship positions in AFT Singles during the previous season. All applications are subject to approval by AMA Pro Racing.
- iii. Riders over the age of 49 at the time of application must submit a medical fitness form (including a normal exercise tolerance electrocardiogram) signed by a doctor along with their competition license application. The medical fitness form is available upon request from AMA Pro Racing.
- iv. For a competition license application to be considered, each rider must provide documentation that they have completed an ImPACT Concussion Management Test. This test shall be used to assist in determining when a rider will be allowed to return to competition after suffering a concussion.
- v. Competition licenses will only be processed at the AMA Pro Racing office and are not issued at the racetrack. Processing of competition licenses must be completed through the AMA Pro Racing office no later than 30 days before the first event in which a rider wishes to participate.
- vi. Competition License applicants must provide proof of primary medical insurance.
- vii. International riders applying for an AMA Pro Racing competition license must submit a rider release or start permission from their home federation.
- viii. All American Flat Track competition licenses are issued at the discretion of AMA Pro Racing and may be revoked at any time.
- g. Crew
  - i. To secure and maintain a Crew credential, an applicant must be a minimum of 16 years of age.
  - ii. Application forms for an American Flat Track Crew Credential must be completed online at <a href="https://registration.amaproracing.com">https://registration.amaproracing.com</a>.
  - iii. Crew applications must be submitted online prior to the first event you are going to attend.

### h. Media

- i. To secure and maintain a Media Credential, an applicant must at minimum:
  - 1. Be 18 years of age;
  - 2. Be assigned by an approved outlet or publication to cover American Flat Track events;
  - 3. Submit additional information as requested in order to verify that they meet the minimum AMA Pro Media guidelines;
  - 4. Agree to and execute the American Flat Track Standard Media Agreements.

#### i. Minors

- i. Minor release forms may only be signed by the child's parent or legal guardian. Relatives and family friends cannot sign these forms in lieu of the parent. If the parent or legal guardian will not be present at registration, a notarized AMA Pro Racing Minor Release Form may be accepted only if it has the parent or legal guardian's signature and a notary's signature and seal where it says witness. The required minor release form can be found on the AMA Pro Racing website or picked up at registration during an event.
- j. Additional licensing information and applications are available on AMA Pro Racing's website at www.amaproracing.com or by contacting the AMA Pro Racing headquarters in Daytona Beach, FL.

# 1.4 Rider Classification and Eligibility

- a. AFT Singles Rider Licenses
  - i. An AFT Singles Rider License may be issued to eligible riders who have reached the age of 16 years and meet at least one of the following criteria; however, final determination of eligibility and approval for a Singles Rider License shall be at the sole discretion of AMA Pro Racing.
    - 1. Riders who participated in a minimum of three events during the previous season.
    - 2. Riders with an Amateur "A" classification that can be verified by the American Motorcyclist Association or one of their recognized Districts.
    - 3. Riders who scored Championship points in the AFT Singles class during the previous season.
    - 4. Previously licensed AFT SuperTwins or Production Twins riders may choose to apply for an AFT Singles Rider License, in lieu of their previous AFT Twins license.
  - ii. Riders issued an AFT Singles Rider License may not be approved for a license the following season if they do not attempt to qualify at a minimum of three AFT events. Any exception will be determined solely by AMA Pro Racing.

## b. AFT Twins Rider Licenses

- i. Riders who have reached the age of 47 18 years and meet at least one of the following criteria are eligible to apply for an AFT Twins Rider License; however, final determination of eligibility and approval for AFT Twins Rider License shall be at the sole discretion of AMA Pro Racing.
  - 1. Riders who participated in a minimum of three events during the previous season.
  - 2. Riders who scored Championship points in either the AFT SuperTwins or AFT Production Twins classes during the previous season.
- ii. Riders issued an AFT Twins Rider License may not be approved for a license the following season if they do not attempt to qualify at a minimum of three AFT events. Any exception will be determined solely by AMA Pro Racing.
- iii. Riders who hold an AFT Twins Rider License may only participate in the AFT SuperTwins class. Competitors with an AFT Twins rider license may not compete in the AFT Singles class.

## c. Rider Classification

- i. All rider classifications are issued at the discretion of AMA Pro Racing.
- ii. American Flat Track licensed riders not qualifying in AMA Pro Racing sanctioned events for a period of three years will lose their prior classification.
- iii. All new applications, as well as applicants renewing a license that has been expired three or more years, must complete the Eligibility Questionnaire and Record of Results on the License Application.
- iv. Competitors with an AFT Singles Rider License may only enter in the AFT SuperTwins class in the case where AMA Pro Racing grants a provisional license and will not be guaranteed the same competition number in the AFT SuperTwins class.

- v. AFT Singles licensed riders are limited to riding in only one class during any event day unless they have been granted an advancement entry into AFT SuperTwins. An advancement entry may only be used at six (6) event weekends in the current season. A doubleheader weekend will be considered one event. Riders applying for an advancement entry must meet all current licensing requirements for the second class. Any exception will be subject to approval by AMA Pro Racing.
- vi. Riders with an AFT Singles Rider License may request a change in classification, but the determination will be at the sole discretion of AMA Pro Racing.
- vii. Once a rider has been approved for an AFT Twins Rider License, they will not be allowed to apply for a change in classification until the following season. Any exception will be determined solely by AMA Pro Racing.
- viii. Any rider that is a new applicant or changes American Flat Track license classification will compete under a probationary period of two (2) race events. AMA Pro reserves the right to evaluate the rider's results to determine inclusion or exclusion in the new class.
- ix. To be eligible to enter an AFT mile event, a rider must have competed *at prior* AFT Championship events minimum of two (2) AFT Championship events without any on-track incidents. AMA Pro Racing reserves the right to evaluate the rider's results to determine their inclusion or exclusion in a mile event. This determination will be made at the sole discretion of AMA Pro Racing.
- x. In the case where a new applicant's resume documents are from prestigious international or national professional motorcycle racing series, AMA Pro Racing may use its discretion to issue the appropriate competition license.

# AMERICAN FLAT TRACK ELIGIBILITY QUESTIONNAIRE

This form is to be used by new applicants who hold an amateur "A" classification license or a rider who has not held an AMA Pro Racing license in three or more years. The minimum age for an AFT Singles competition license is 16.

Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone:	Email:	
Classification Requested: AFT	Singles	
Number of Years' Experience in	Flat Track:	
Make, Model and Displacement	of Equipment Used:	
	complete the Record of Results and sign in license that can be verified by the Ame	
	npeted in our sanctioned events and holds an A y for the American Flat Track Singles license	
Certifying Organization Name ar	nd Address:	
Signature	Title	
Printed Name	Phone #	Date

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Sharon McMillan in the AMA Pro Racing Member Services Department at 386-492-1014, Ext. #151. Once this form has been completed, please return it along with a completed license application to:

AMA Pro Racing Registration Department 525 Fentress Blvd, Suite B Daytona Beach, FL 32114 Ph: 386-492-1014

# **RECORD OF RESULTS**

Date	Track	Class	Make, Model, Displacement	Finishing Position	Number of Riders In Class	Points Earned