

1997 original texts	2007 proposed Laws 92-93 (for publication)
<p data-bbox="197 323 855 352">[Proposed deletions highlighted in yellow]</p> <p data-bbox="188 485 1081 539">Law 92A - A contestant or his Captain may appeal for a review of any ruling made at his table by the Director*.</p> <p data-bbox="188 619 1099 726">Law 92B - The right to request or appeal a Director's ruling expires 30 minutes after the official score has been made available for inspection, unless the sponsoring organisation has specified a different time period.</p> <p data-bbox="188 805 1095 834">Law 92C - All appeals shall be made through the Director.</p> <p data-bbox="188 914 1055 1019">Law 92D - An appeal shall not be heard unless both members of a pair (except in an individual contest) or the captain of a team, concur in appealing. An absent member shall be deemed to concur.</p> <p data-bbox="188 1046 1086 1101">Law 92 footnote - Sponsoring organisations may establish penalties for appeals without merit.</p> <p data-bbox="188 1209 1099 1316">Law 93A - The Chief Director shall hear and rule upon all appeals if there is no Tournament or Appeals Committee, or when a committee cannot meet without disturbing the orderly progress of the tournament.</p>	<p data-bbox="1137 323 1989 352">[Proposed additions and changes highlighted in yellow]</p> <p data-bbox="1128 379 1518 408">LAW 92 - RIGHT TO APPEAL</p> <p data-bbox="1128 432 1469 461">A. Contestant's Right</p> <p data-bbox="1128 485 1995 539">A contestant or his Captain may appeal for a review of any ruling made at his table by the Director*.</p> <p data-bbox="1128 563 1404 592">B. Time of Appeal</p> <p data-bbox="1128 619 2040 726">The right to request or appeal a Director's ruling expires 30 minutes after the official score has been made available for inspection unless the Tournament Organizer has specified a different time period.</p> <p data-bbox="1128 754 1388 783">C. How to Appeal</p> <p data-bbox="1128 805 1879 834">All appeals shall be made through the Director.</p> <p data-bbox="1128 858 1581 887">D. Concurrence of Appellants</p> <p data-bbox="1128 914 2029 1019">An appeal shall not be heard unless both members of a pair (except in an individual contest) or the Captain of a team, concur in appealing. An absent member shall be deemed to concur.</p> <p data-bbox="1128 1046 1420 1075">* but see Law 93D.</p> <p data-bbox="1128 1102 1599 1131">LAW 93 - PROCEDURES OF APPEAL</p> <p data-bbox="1128 1155 1503 1184">A. No Appeals Committee</p> <p data-bbox="1128 1209 2040 1316">The Chief Director shall hear and rule upon all appeals if there is no Tournament or Appeals Committee, or when a committee cannot meet without disturbing the orderly progress of the tournament.</p>

<p>Law 93B - If a committee is available,</p> <p>Law 93B1 - The Chief Director shall hear and rule upon such part of the appeal as deals solely with the Law or regulations. His ruling may be appealed to the <b>committee*</b>.</p> <p>Law 93B2 - The Chief Director shall refer all other appeals to the <b>committee*</b> for adjudication.</p> <p>Law 93B3 - In adjudicating appeals the <b>committee*</b> may exercise all powers assigned by these Laws to the Director, except that the committee may not overrule the Director on a point of law or regulations, or on exercise of his disciplinary powers. The committee may recommend to the Director that he change his ruling.</p> <p>Law 93C - After the preceding remedies have been exhausted, further appeal may be taken to the national authority.</p> <p>Law 93 footnote - Zonal organisations may establish differing conditions of appeals for special contests.</p>	<p>B. Appeals Committee Available</p> <p>If a committee is available,</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The Chief Director shall hear and rule upon such part of the appeal as deals solely with the Law or regulations. His ruling may be appealed to the committee.</li> <li>2. The Chief Director shall refer all other appeals to the committee for adjudication.</li> <li>3. In adjudicating appeals the committee may exercise all powers assigned by these Laws to the Director, except that the committee may not overrule the Director on a point of law or regulations, or on exercise of his <b>Law 91</b> disciplinary powers. (The committee may recommend to the Director that he change <b>such a</b> ruling.)</li> </ol> <p>C. Further Possibilities of Appeal</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Regulating Authorities may establish procedures for further appeals after the foregoing procedures have been exhausted.</li> <li>2. The Director or the appeals committee may refer a matter for later consideration by the Regulating Authority. The Regulating Authority has authority to resolve any matter finally.</li> <li>3. (a) Notwithstanding 1 and 2 above, where deeming it crucial to the progress of the tournament the Regulating Authority may assign the responsibility for dealing finally with any appeal to the respective tournament appeals committee and, along with the parties to the appeal, is then bound by the outcome.</li> <li>(b) With due notice given to the contestants a Regulating Authority may authorize the omission or modification of such stages as it wishes of the appeals process set out in these Laws.*</li> </ol>
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<p>Law 92 footnote - Sponsoring organisations may establish penalties for appeals without merit.</p> <p>Law 93 footnote - Zonal organisations may establish differing conditions of appeals for special contests.</p>	<p>D. Appeals Without Merit</p> <p>Appeals found to be without merit may be the subject of penalties or other actions imposed by regulation.</p> <p>* The Regulating Authority is responsible for compliance with any national law that may affect its action.</p>
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