

Technical Delegate (TD) - Job Description

Appointed by the applicable Sport Organization, the TD oversees the event operation on three basic principles. These are Safe, Fair and Fun. The TD reviews the course prior to event training and identifies elements of the course and program that may be in conflict with the events mandate.

Primary Function and Responsibility

- Independent from the Organizing Committee the TD 's focus is on Safety and the Rules of the Competition
- The primary function of the TD is to oversee the technicalities of the event that would affect the safety and fairness of the event. If the TD suspects that something needs to be corrected, they will intervene and require the issue to be resolved
- Chair of the Jury
- Responsible for the technical components of the event
- Often acts as an advisor prior to event day

The TD Report

The Technical Delegate provides a written report to the sport organization sanctioning the event. The report contains:

- information and measurement on the physical course
- a schedule of the event that took place
- notes and comments regarding the events organization and execution
- outlines notable incidents including any protests or jury decisions
- accident details and reports

The report may be requested by an Organizing Committee wishing to review the previous year's comments.