



Executive Summary – 2025 SMX Playoffs Rulebook Changes

- **Updated References**
 - All “2024 SX Rulebook” references changed to **2025 SX Rulebook**.
- **Introduction Section**
 - Updated to reflect **2025 Playoffs dates and locations**: September 6, 13, and 20.
- **Section 1.4.2 (a) – Fixing/Bribing/Collusion**
 - Added **sports betting / manipulation language**.
 - Clarifies when team-oriented strategies (yielding position) are permissible.
 - Prohibits manipulation unrelated to legitimate race or championship objectives.
 - Violations are subject to official review and penalties.
- **Section 1.7.2 – Lap Defined**
 - Added clear definition of a **Lap**:
 - A complete circuit from Start line/Finish line.
 - First lap measured from rider’s **start position to Finish line**.
 - Race distance and positions only update upon completion of a Lap.
- **Section 1.8.1 – Session Adjustments**
 - Expanded authority for SMXL to **modify practice/qualifying formats** (number of riders, sessions, or order) in response to weather/alternate formats.
- **Section 2.5.2 – Catastrophic Injury Protocol**
 - SMX League reserves the right to **impound motorcycle and helmet** for technical inspection following a catastrophic injury.