OFFICIAL USE ONLY			
DATE RECEIVED	13/05/2026	RULE CHANGE NUMBER	2026-17
STATUS OF RULE CHANGE	~~RCP to Review~~ ~~To be discussed at June Council Meeting~~ To go to clubs for voting.		

NEW RULE / RULE CHANGE REQUEST FORM

All fields MUST be completed

Club Submitting Request	Officials Sub Committee
Club Contact Email	secretary@dirtkartingaustralia.com.au

To be Implemented	Immediately ☒	2027 Rule Book ☐	

Rule Type	Tick Box	**Rule Number** (If change to existing Rules)
Administration & General Requirements	☐	
General Competition	☐	13.13.8b
Technical Requirements	☐	
Class / Engine Specifications	☐	
Appendixes	☐	
Code of Conduct	☐	

List any other rules affected by the Proposed Change.			
Please Note: a separate request form is required for each rule change			

RCP RECOMMENDATIONS
Send to clubs for voting.

Current Rule Wording (if an existing rule)
If the Transponder has not recorded a lap after leaving the out grid (form up lap or race lap) and the transponder is mounted to kart, and is proven to be functioning on the in grid, the driver will be included in race results, , on the proviso that the timing system operator and/or the chief steward or any official approved by the chief steward can validate the final position of the driver. Where the final result cannot be determined by any of those officials, the driver will be awarded last place points.

Proposed Rule
If the Transponder has not recorded at least one pass of the transponder system after leaving the out grid (form up lap or race lap) and the transponder is mounted to kart, and is proven to be functioning (by way of green transponder lights) on the in grid when first checked by an official in the in-grid after the race, the driver will be included in race results, on the proviso that the timing system operator and/or the chief

steward or any official approved by the chief steward can validate the final position of the driver. Where the final result cannot be determined by any of those officials, the driver will be awarded last place points.

Clearly explain the new rule/changes requested.
Following a review of the Appeals received to date on transponders, and the fact that these rules have not been reviewed since being implemented, a review was conducted of the rules relating to transponders, to remove any issues currently experienced with these rules, and remove any wording that is unclear, and address any issues that have arisen during appeals.

What situation/event/scenario has created this proposed rule change
A number of appeals since this rule was implemented, and grievances often heard in relation to these rules.

Are there any cost implication of this proposal?		No
Are there any implication on the AIDKA Insurance Policies?		No
Are there any changes required to the AIDKA App?		No
Are there any changes required within QuickGrid and/or Orbits?		No
Are there any changes to AIDKA Documents/Forms other than the AIDKA Rule Book?	Yes	
If yes, what are they?	Updated required for the Penalty Handbook	