



## Protest Committee and Procedure

The Protest Committee, convened by the Host Organizing Committee, shall consist of three people (the Protest Committee shall then choose a chairperson from amongst themselves):

- The chairperson of the Host Organizing Committee
- One of the CBOC lead Referee Coach
- A representative of Canada Basketball or an assigned delegate

Should a team believe its interests have been adversely affected by a decision of an official or by any event that took place during a game, the team must proceed in the following manner as per FIBA rules:

- a) The captain of the team shall, immediately at the end of the game, inform the commissioner if present or the crew chief that their team is protesting against the result of the game and sign the scoresheet in the space marked "Captain's signature in case of protest".

To make the protest valid, an official representative of the province/territory must give confirmation of the protest in writing (detailed explanations are not necessary). This must be made within 20 minutes following the end of the game to a member of the Protest Committee along with a deposit equivalent to \$1500 CHF (approx. \$2000 CAD), as security.

The official representative of the province/territory must submit to the Protest Committee the text of its protest within 1 hour following the end of the game.

If the decision of the Protest Committee is in favour of the protesting team, the deposit will be refunded. The referee shall, within 1 hour following the end of the game, report the incident which leads to the protest, to the Protest Committee.

- b) The referee shall, within 1 hour following the end of the game, report the incident which leads to the protest, to the Protest Committee.

- c) Should the province/territory in question, or that of the opposing team, not be in agreement with the decision of the Protest Committee, it may then address an appeal to the Jury of Appeal.

To make the appeal valid, it must be made, in writing, within 20 minutes following the delivery of the decision of the Protest Committee and be accompanied by a deposit equivalent to \$3000 CHF (approx. \$4000 CAD), as security.

If the decision of the Jury of Appeal is in favour of the appealing team, the deposit will be refunded. Videos, films, pictures or any equipment, visual, electronic, digital, or otherwise, may be used to determine responsibility in matters of discipline or for educational (training) purposes only after the game has ended.

- d) Should the province/territory in question, or that of the opposing team, not be in agreement with the decision of the Protest Committee, it may then address an appeal to the Jury of Appeal.