



# Competition Bulletin

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**To:** All AMA/FIM licensed Supercross Riders

**From:** AMA Racing

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**Re:** Red Flag Re-Start Procedures

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Effective immediately, the following is a clarification of the red flag re-start procedure.

If the race is stopped (with more than three laps and less than 90% of the total distance completed by the race leader, rounded down to the nearest whole number of laps / whether it be a Heat, Last Chance Qualifier or Main Event)

1. A red flag will be displayed to the riders.
2. The riders will return to the starting area behind the gate and a re-start will take place as soon as possible.
  - a. **Only the rider and one mechanic will be allowed in the starting area.**
  - b. **A minimum of 10 Minutes from the time that the red flag is displayed will be given to make repairs or adjustments.**
  - c. **Repairs or adjustments may only be made in the starting area.**
3. The starting order will be determined by each rider's race position at the end of the lap preceding the stopping of the race.
4. Riders will be restarted from a staggered standing start.
  - a. **Riders will be lined up in a staggered formation beginning on the starting straight at a start line located by the first turn, starting with the rider that was in the first position and continuing back towards the starting area.**
  - b. **Riders not ready to take their position in line will be placed last.**
  - c. **Once all riders are in position, the starter will display a green flag to signal the start.**
  - d. **Any movement of the motorcycle before the display of the green flag will be considered a jumped start. Any rider deemed to have jumped the start will be penalized two positions in the final results.**
  - e. **Eligible riders who are unable to participate in the re-start due to a stalled motorcycle or continued repairs may join the race from the starting area at anytime during the race.**
5. Riders who were no longer actively participating in the race at the time when the red flag was displayed are not authorized to take part in the restart.
6. The race will be run for the remaining number of laps.
7. In the case of a Main Event, full championship points will be awarded.