



Competitor Bulletin #2018-03

To: All American Flat Track Competitors
Date: 4/27/2018
Effective Date: Immediately
Subject: Penalty Information and Revised Results for the 2018 Atlanta Short Track

At the conclusion of the AFT Twins Main Event at the Atlanta Short Track/Dixie Speedway round (round #2) of the 2018 American Flat Track series, four (4) tire samples from four (4) different AFT Twins machines were collected and sent to an independent lab for analysis, pursuant to Appendix E (Tire Testing Procedures) of the 2018 AFT Rulebook.

These tire samples were submitted to the independent lab for chemical analysis and comparison with a benchmark tire sample provided by Dunlop. Three of the samples were deemed to be in compliance with the benchmark sample. The sample from the #1 machine ridden by Jared Mees was not in compliance, however, and indicated a statistically-significant presence of several chemicals known to be used in motorsports to alter tire compounds, thereby enhancing performance. These include:

- Hexanedioic acid bis(ethylhexyl) ester
- Dodecanoic acid
- 1,3-Benzenedicarboxylic acid, bis(2-ethylhexyl) ester

According to the 2018 American Flat Track Rulebook, the #1 machine is in violation of Rulebook section 3.8.b (pg. 44); "Tires: No chemical applications are permitted."

Pursuant to the 2018 American Flat Track Rulebook, Section A3.1 Equipment Offenses and Penalties (page 84), this is a Category 1 offense: "An equipment violation that could potentially enhance the performance of a motorcycle used in competition."

Effective immediately, the rider of the #1 machine – Jared Mees – has been served with the following penalties in accordance with Section A3.3:

- Disqualification from the Atlanta Short Track
- Total loss of points from the event
- Total loss of prize money from the event
- Probation for 12 months.

Revised results for the AFT Twins presented by Vance & Hines Main Event at the Atlanta Short Track are as follows:

1. Kenny Coolbeth Jr.
2. Jeffery Carver, Jr.
3. Jarod Vanderkooi
4. Henry Wiles
5. Johnny Lewis
6. Brad Baker
7. Bryan Smith
8. Jake Johnson
9. Kayl Kolkman
10. Briar Bauman
11. Sammy Halbert
12. Danny Eslick
13. Brandon Robinson
14. Chad Cose
15. Jay Maloney
16. Wyatt Anderson
17. Robert Pearson



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Revised point standings are as follows:

18. Kenny Coolbeth Jr.	36 points
19. Henry Wiles	32 points
20. Brad Baker	27 points
21. Jared Mees	25 points
22. Jeffrey Carver Jr.	24 points
23. Briar Bauman	24 points
24. Jake Johnson	24 points
25. Bryan Smith	22 points
26. JD Beach	20 points
27. Jarod Vanderkooi	20 points
28. Kayl Kolkman	16 points
29. Sammy Halbert	16 points
30. Johnny Lewis	15 points
31. Brandon Robinson	13 points
32. Davis Fisher	12 points
33. Robert Pearson	11 points
34. Danny Eslick	7 points
35. Mikey Rush	5 points
36. Chad Cose	5 points
37. Jay Maloney	4 points
38. Wyatt Anderson	3 points
39. Bronson Bauman	2 points

