FIVE (5) POINTS will be deducted from each judge’s score if the routine is between five (5) seconds and ten (10) seconds over the required time limit. If the routine exceeds ten (10) seconds over the allowed time, the routine will be disqualified.

FIVE (5) POINTS will be deducted from each judge’s score if the routine is determined to be improperly cued by the Music Adjudicator. The decision of the Music Adjudicator is final and binding.

FIVE (5) POINTS will be deducted from each judge’s score if the routine is substantially affected by the use of the costume. The routine becomes a Prop/Novelty. Any questions relating to the costume use must be addressed in writing.

TEN (10) POINTS will be deducted from each judge’s score if the routine is performed in the wrong category or division. The routine will be placed in the correct division for final rankings. However, if the team has another routine in that category, the highest scoring routine will be used for awards. The other routine will be disqualified.

The following Points will be deducted from each judge’s score if each team member has not performed a minimum of Fifty (50) kicks.

**POINT DEDUCTIONS:**

- 45-49 Kicks - 0 Points
- 40-44 Kicks - 5 Points
- 35-39 Kicks - 10 Points
- less than 35 Kicks - 15 Points

FIVE (5) POINTS will be deducted from each judge’s score for any stunt or acrobatic trick that is not allowed according to the regulations. The Competition Adjudicator, Head Judge, and Event Coordinator will make this decision. The decision is final and binding.