

IATA Board of Directors special meeting  
CDE Appeal  
6-6-2019  
Conference call

Formal Appeal made by Kimberly FFA chapter in reference to Food Science CDE practicum questions validity. Appeal stating that 11 questions on the practicum came directly from the 2018 national food science test, this being in contrast to the rules set at the last IATA general meeting. Appeal to remove the 11 2018 test questions from the scores.

Meeting called to order at 11:03

Present- Nicole Lebsack, Tyler Johnson, Brian Wolf, Michelle Aoi, Sue Poland, Lucas Barnett, Kevin Wells, Dan Billington, Brandy Lewis, Cody Park, Marc Beita, Joe Blackstock, Kyle Stapleton, Amy Nicols, Jeremy Faulk, Clara Lee Evans.

Discussion-

- Following the Food Science competition, FFA members from the Kimberly FFA chapter and other chapters identified from memory practicum questions that were taken from the 2018 national CDE test.
- Confirmed from Jeremy Faulk that the questions were in fact copied and pasted from the 2018 test.
- It was presented by the IATA CDE rules committee at the last summer inservice to NOT use the most recent national practicum questions in state CDE competition. This was passed in general session and recorded in the minutes.

Motion-Amy Nicoles- Moved to leave the test scores as is and not remove the 2018 questions.  
2nd by Joe Blackstock.

Vote- 8 in favor of motion- 9 against----- Motion fails----- Kimberly FFA's appeal granted. The 11 2018 national test questions will be removed from the score of all competitors scores.