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Hi all -

To dispel the myths showing up on event websites please use the attached graphic and the statement below to explain age group draft-legal bike equipment on your provincial website and relevant event sites:

“In draft-legal age group events, bikes with the UCI Road Race homologation label (Code RD) are allowed. Bikes with the UCI Time Trial homologation label (Code TT) are also allowed providing they comply with the specifications in the ITU Competition Rules 5.2 b.)(ii). All bikes in age group draft legal racing must be fitted with standard drop bars only. Clip on bars are forbidden.”

Also note – athletes from different age categories may draft off each other. Athletes of the opposite gender may not. This will require us to review heats so genders are less likely to have the opportunity to draft.

At national events, we will not be doing any additional bike checks aside from those we normally do. We will not be using a measuring tool for age group draft legal bikes unless the geometry looks suspect.

Hope this helps.

Cheers

David Markham