# SUMMARY APPLICATION FUR CERTIFICATION OF COURSE LENGTH

Date of

Application: May 5, 1997

Name of course: USCAA 10K

Race Date: July 20, 1997

Location: UC San Diego campus, San Diego, CA

Measuring method: Bike [X] Steel Tape [1 EDM [1 Other:

Measuring instrument: Jones [X] Other:

Measured by: Rider #1

Rider #2 Rider #3

Name:

Hank Lawson

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Street: 12375 Farr Ranch Rd

City, St: Saratoga, CA 95070

Phone:

(408) 446-9063

## A. DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

1. Course: Flat [] Rolling [X] Hilly [] Uphill [] Downhill []

- 2. Altitude: Start [ ] High [ ] Low [ ] Finish [ ] Sea Level
- 3. Surface: Paved [ 99%] Dirt [ %] Sand/Gravel [ %] Grass [ 01%]
- 4. Type: Road Race [X] X-Country [] Calibration [] Track []
- 5. Distance (straight line) between start & finish:330 yards
- 6. Draw a complete detailed map of the course with the names of all streets, paths & trails. Show all dirt and grass sections. Show the exact race path measured along the route indicating which portion of each street is available to the runners and how each turn is taken. Please give a dimensioned detail of the start and finish relative to permanent landmarks (mailboxes, light poles, curb cuts, etc.) and as well, any other aspect of the course necessary to clarify the course (such as turn around, etc.). If miles and/or kilometers are indicated, dimension to permanent objects. See attached maps and course description.

# **B. CALIBRATION OF MEASURING INSTRUMENT**

I re-rode the 10K course to be sure I knew where I was going. Since calibration was right on and I just did the 10K right after the 5K, I took my re-calibration for the 5K as my calibration for the 10K.

## 1. Calibration course:

Name: PROSPECT ROAD 880 YARD

Length: 880 yard

Location: Prospect Rd, Saratoga, CA

Cert #: PA-8220

NOTE: Done 3 days prior to measurement of course.

2. Calibration of the instrument (list date, time, temp & data) 08/22/96, 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM, 60 degrees, dry

a. Calibrate before measuring course (4 times)

Ride #1:

Ride #2:

Ride #3:

Ride #4:

48000

56000

64000

72000

55517 63516

71516

79517

7517 (15034) 7516 (15032)

7516 (15032) 7517 (15034)

### 1a. Calibration course:

Name: UC San Diego Track Length: 400 meters

Location: UC San Diego campus, San Diego, CA

NOTE: Rode 2 laps of the 400 meter track and an additional 15'4" for a full 880 yard calibration.

Note: Calibration course must be certified & the start & finish

verified. Call local office for info.

2a. Calibration of the instrument (list date, time, temp & data) 08/25/96, 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM, 70 degrees, dry

a. Calibrate before measuring course (4 times)

Ride #1: Ride #2: Ride #3: Ride #4: 68000 76000 84000 92000 75517 83515 91516 99517 7517 (15034) 7515 (15030) 7516 (15032) 7517 (15034)

15034 \* 1.001 (SCPF) = 15049

Although the track is not a straight course, it is certified as being 400 meters so I hope this is sufficient.

b. Re-calibrate after measuring course (2 times) Done after 10K measurement.

Ride #1:

Ride #2: 73000

65000 72517

80517

7517 (15034) 7517 (15034)

Average digits per mile/km for each day for each operator: Date: 08/25/96 Name: Hank Lawson Digits/mile: 15049 Km:

### C. COURSE MEASUREMENT

Note: Certification requires two measurements of the course and the calibration operation and riding the course must be done on the same day by the same rider.

- 1. Was measured route identical to the shortest legal route? YES
- 2. Were turns measured within 12" of curbs & 8" where uncurbed? YES
- 3. If part of course is dirt/grass how were areas measured? There is only a 50 meter section of grass that is a direct line from the road to the track and was measured as such.
- 4. Was the instrument calibrated immediately before measuring? YES Immediately after measuring? YES

If the answer to either question is "NO", please explain: N/A

- 5. .1% short course prevention factor (SCPF) must be added to each course. (Note: best added to calibration digits).
- 6. List the date, time and raw data for each measurement.

Note: 5 km = 3.1068559 miles, 10 km = 6.2137119 miles, marathon = 26.21875

Ride 1: I rode the course forward, from the desired start location to the finish.

Start (74000): At light pole #458 which is located by the Parking Information booth at the top of the hill on Hopkins Dr.

Mile 1 (89049): Lave rock faced wall, on R, just past light pole #915.

Mile 2 (04098): At light pole #2526 on R (has a yellow fire hydrant next to it) in front of "Institute for Non-Linear Science".

Mile 3 (19147): 15' south of light pole #442 (on L).

Mile 4 (34196): 9' north of light pole #952 (on R).

Mile 5 (49245): At the L hand turn where you get off of the "quad" and onto the service road between bldg #44 and Pryatel Field.

As you enter the stadium, you are to run in lane #5 until you pass the FINISH line at which point you may then move into lane #1 for the last 400 meters.

Mile 6 (64294): At the "S" (40 yard line) on the back stretch of the track.

Finish (67510): At the first triangle which identifies the beginning of the Exchange Zone for lane 1. It is the first Exchange Zone. I.e. 400M Relay - from Runner 1 to Runner 2.

Ride 2: I then rode the course from the finish to the start (backwards).

Start (68000): No need to locate mile markers since I will be riding the course

Finish: If both rides were the same, I should have a goal of 61510 for my number of clicks. Actual finish count, riding backwards from finish to start, is 61398. I was off by 112 clicks. Which means my second ride was the "tighter" of the 2 rides and would be the longer run for the runners. So I will use my second ride as the correct ride. Since I need to add 112 clicks. I decided to add it to the finish so that all of the mile markers will remain the same.

I also recommend moving the start back 177 yards, and all mile markers also, so that the finish can be right at the 50 yard line (at the "T" in TRITONS) on the home stretch. This makes for both a better finish area as well as a start area.

b. Re-calibrate after measuring course (2 times)

Ride #1:

Ride #2:

65000

73000

72517

80517

7517 (15034) 7517 (15034)

7. Describe any adjustments (computations/measurements) to set the course to the desired length:

My second ride was my "tighter" ride by 112 clicks. So I added the 112 clicks to the so that my start, and all mile markers, may remain the same.

- 8. List total length of final course. 10K (6.2137119 miles)
- 9. List adjusted difference between the two rides. Difference between 2 rides is 112 clicks. I will make the needed change as stated above.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:	Date:
Be sure to include \$25.00 per application (payable to USATF).	

Central & Northern California: Carl Wisser, 4899 Shafter Av, Oakland, CA 94069 (415) 652-7996

LA area: Ron Scardera, 6907 Camrose Dr, Los Angeles, CA 90068

San Diego & Imperial Counties, California: Bob Letson, 4369

Hamilton St #4, San Diego, CA 92104 (619) 298-0924

Start to Finish 330 yards
10K
Ride = 1 (Forwards)

(A)

I re-rode 10k course & be sure I know where I was going. Since calibration was right on and I just did the 10k right after 5k, I took my re-calibration as my calibration.

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1 Mile: 89049 Lava rock Faced wall, on R, just past

2 mle: 104098 2 Mile: 104098 At light pole 2526 on R Chas a yellow Fire hydrant next to it in Front of "Institute For Non-Linear Schene" 3 Mile: 19147 15' South of light pole # 442 (on 4)

9' North of 15ht pole # 952 (on R) 4 Mile: 34196

5 Mile: 49245 At the turn where you get off of the "quad" and onto the service road between bldg #44 and Pryate 1 Field.

59406 to that same closed gate. Otherste =594/3

Run in lane 5 until you pass the Firish. (5)
You run 13/4 lap on track at ends

6 mile 64294 At the "5" 40 yel line on the back stretch of the track.

Fivish: 6.2137119 = 67510

At the 1st triangle which identifies the beginning of the exchange zone for lane 1.

It is the 1st exchange zone. In 400M Relay - from Runner 1 to Runner 2.

Add an addional 13 yards to the Finish based on results of my second ride. So the actual Finish is 13 yards beyond where the above Finish is specified.

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the 50 yd line Cat the T" in TriTows)

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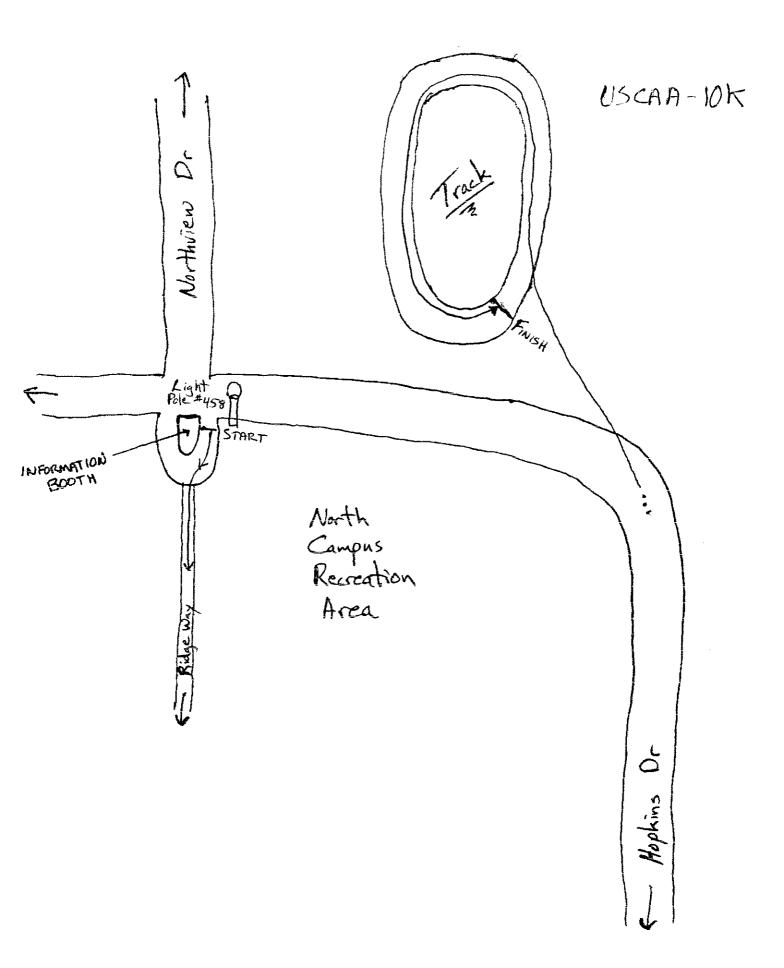
the mile marks have to also be pushed back

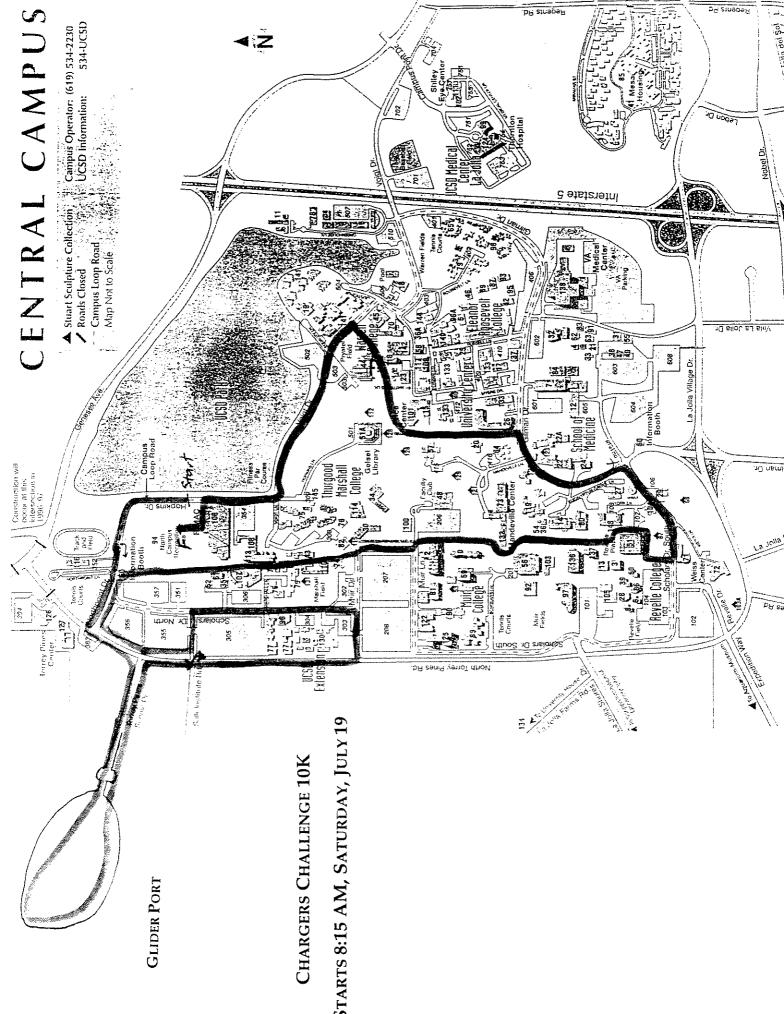
177 yds From what is stated in these notes.

Ride #2 10E Start: (Riding backwards) 6800 61510 is the goal # of clicks for the Rinsh. Actual Finish count, reding backwards from Finish to start is = 61398 61510 actually got me to location that is right smack in middle of the intersection. 112 dieks beyond where I wanted to be (213 yds furths) My "Longest" ride was the 2nd one which would make the numers run the Furthest amount of distance. My "tightest ride" (closest to the curbs, etc) was
the 2nd ride. I plan on extenting the firsh
out 13 more yards so all mile markets remain the
RE-RE-Calibration Ride 2:

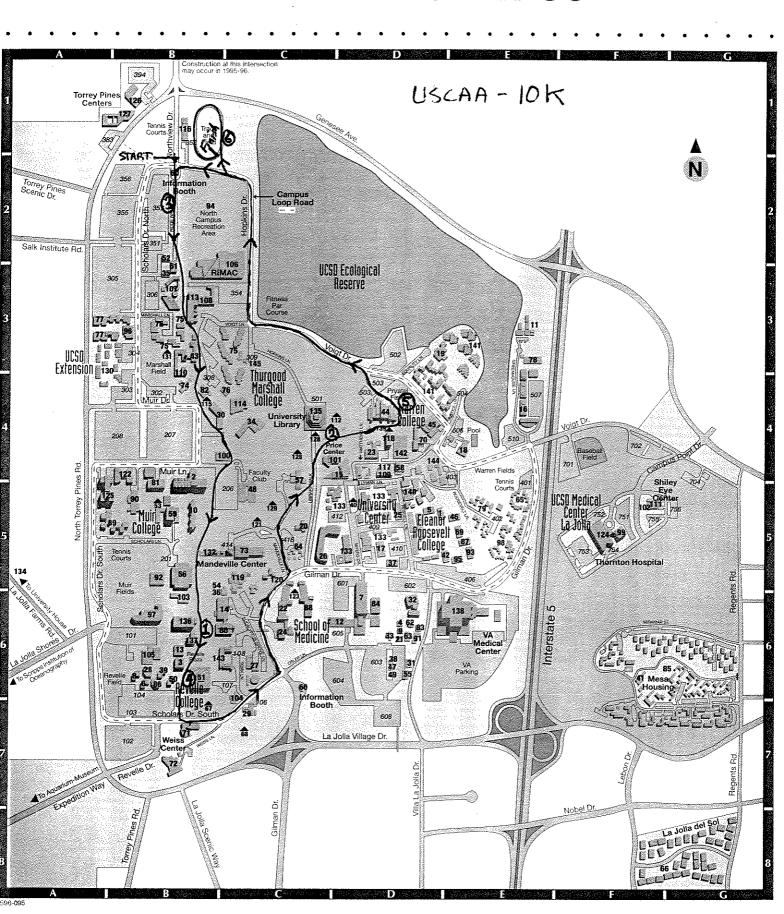
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1517 x 2 = 15034 Done, and an I tired t 80517 73000 751742=15034 Bluco!





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