

## **Regulations Dam tot Dam Wandeltocht 2014**

### **Article 1**

The 12th Dam tot Dam Wandeltocht is an achievement related walk without competition rules.

### **Article 2**

The Participant must move himself forward by walking on the course, which has been set out by the Organisers. Nordic walking sticks may be used.

### **Article 3**

The Road Traffic Act and related legislation, such as traffic rules and traffic signs, continue to be in force over the entire course during the Event.

### **Article 4**

The Participant must follow the instructions on the Organiser or those, given by their dress or other identifying aspects clearly show they belong to the Organisation.

### **Article 5**

The Organiser is entitled to disqualify and exclude from further participation any Participant who does not abide by these rules or displays inappropriate or unsportsmanlike behaviour or on medical grounds or if it is considered necessary to ensure the orderly conduct of the Event.

### **Article 6**

Pets (except dogs on leash) and items such as strollers, banners, etc. are not allowed.

### **Article 7**

During the Event it is not permitted to express explicit political, ideological or religious convictions or to make statements that can be conceived as disturbing, hurtful or offensive in any way whatsoever.

### **Article 8**

The Participant is expected to treat the property of others with respect and not to cause any damage and not to leave any waste.

### **Article 9**

Starting earlier than the allotted time is not possible; starting in a later starting pen is possible. Late comers will not be able to start after the last starting group has left.

### **Article 10**

The Participant has to be finished before 5.00 p.m.

### **Article 11**

It will not be possible to leave clothes for safekeeping before the event. Participants are therefore advised to come to the start in walking clothes. The Organiser does not accept any responsibility for Participants' lost clothing or other property. That includes items that have been left behind in the changing facilities provided by the Organiser. Participants must be aware that the changing facilities are not guarded by the Organiser.

### **Article 12**

Following the Participants in cars, on motorcycles or (motor) bikes is only possible with a written permission of the Organisation.

### **Article 13**

In all other cases, which are not mentioned in these rules, the decision of the Organiser is final.