Michigan Swimming

FORM FOR PROPOSED NEW RULE OR PROCEDURE

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This form should be submitted a minimum of 20 days prior to the Board of Directors Meeting to be acted upon at that meeting. (Copies of all proposed legislation will be sent to all Board Members for their consideration, recommendation and possible Approval.) This form can also be used to submit Rule and Procedure proposals at the House of Delegates.

Date Submitted: 3/20/11
Date of Board Meeting to be discussed: 5/1/2011

Affected Rule or Procedure Proof of time for relay swims at state championship
(current page #, or n/a): State Meet Template

Description of Issue: (include copy of rule that is being modified, if applicable) To include disqualified relays into the proof of time section.

Current Rule : If the relay actually swims slower than the qualifying standard, proof of time is required. This is done by proving the aggregate time for the four individuals who actually swam on the particular relay within 30 days following the conclusion of the meet to the Michigan Swimming office. The aggregate time to be proved need not be equivalent to the submitted entry time for the relay, however, the time must be at or faster than the qualifying standard for the relay event. Aggregate proof times must all be equivalent (i.e. all SCY, all LCM, all SCM), all times must have been achieved during the qualifying period (on or after January 1, 2010), and may not use conversions in determining the submitted proof of time. Failure to prove a qualifying aggregate time within the 30 days will result in a fine of $100 payable immediately to Michigan Swimming. Failure to pay the $100 fine will result in that team being barred from participating in any future events sanctioned or approved by Michigan Swimming until the fine is paid.

Requested New Rule or Procedure: If the relay actually swims slower than the qualifying standard including Disqualified relays, proof of time is required. This is done by proving the aggregate time for the four individuals who actually swam on the particular relay within 30 days following the conclusion of the meet to the Michigan Swimming office. The aggregate time to be proved need not be equivalent to the submitted entry time for the relay, however, the time must be at or faster than the qualifying standard for the relay event. Aggregate proof times must all be equivalent (i.e. all SCY, all LCM, all SCM), all times must have been achieved during the qualifying period (on or after January 1, 2010), and may not use conversions in determining the submitted proof of time. Failure to prove a qualifying aggregate time within the 30 days will result in a fine of $100 payable immediately to Michigan Swimming. Failure to pay the $100 fine will result in that team being barred from participating in any future events sanctioned or approved by Michigan Swimming until the fine is paid.

Proposed Effective Date: ***9/1/11*
Proposed by (must be a current member): Damon Robertson
Club: Spartan Swim Club

Board Action: _____(Adopted by Board)_____(Adopted by Board with modification)_____(Board recommends rejection)_____(Board recommends referral to House of Delegates)