

# **Michigan Swimming**

## **FORM FOR PROPOSED NEW RULE OR PROCEDURE**

***Revised 4/10***

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:** July 25, 2010

**Date of Board Meeting to be discussed:** July 25, 2010 or next meeting

***Affected Rule or Procedure***          General Rules P, Tier three, page 26

### **Description of Issue:**

State Meet Entry fees have remained the same for several years whereas meet costs have gone up. Senior Meet fees in the Michigan LSC were raised to \$7.50 per individual event recently. The current \$5.00 entry fee for the State Meet is significantly (33%) below the Senior Meet. State meets hosts have a huge job to do - especially the LCM State Meet Hosts. Increased income from entry fees would entice more bids on State Meets, especially the LCM State Meet.

Relevant other fees: Central Zone - \$6.00 Ind and \$12.00 per relay, Sectionals \$10.00 Ind and \$20.00 relay, Nationals and Junior nationals \$15.00 Ind and \$30.00 relay,

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### **Requested New Rule or Procedure:**

Individual entry fee to be raised to \$7.50. Will bring State Meets into line with our Senior Meets and Sectionals. Relay fees to remain at \$12.00 per relay. Relays fees are often paid from clubs general funds so raising those fees are arguably more difficult.

Note that I am not proposing raising the 3 dollar athlete surcharge which goes directly to MS, Inc. general funds.

90% of any increase will go to the Host Club, 10% to MS, Inc.

**Proposed by (must be a current member):** Kirk Nissley, MS NTV

**Club:** Unattached

### **Board Action:**

(Adopted by Board) \_\_\_\_\_

(Adopted by Board with modification) \_\_\_\_\_

(Board recommends rejection) \_\_\_\_\_

(Board recommends referral to House of Delegates) \_\_\_\_\_