

## **Southeastern Swimming RULES & REGULATIONS**

### **2009 PROPOSED AMENDMENTS To Southeastern Swimming, Inc. Aquatic Guide; Rules & Regulations**

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1. The legislative items will be considered in the order shown below.
2. Sections A, C and D will be considered – one at a time – as omnibus motions, except for those items pulled for discussion. Within each block, voting members will be given the opportunity to pull items.
3. Section B will be considered individually.
4. Items pulled will be considered in numerical order after the respective omnibus motion.
5. Omnibus motions are in the affirmative as motions to approve the block of items.
6. Other motions should generally be stated in the affirmative.
7. Any amendment requires a simple majority for approval. The subsequent amended main motion will require the original percentage (2/3). An entirely new item will require 90% for adoption.
8. If you wish to speak, please raise your hand. Once recognized by the Chair, please stand, identify yourself by name and club.
9. When a paper (badge) count is used, please raise your hand high and keep it still until the count is complete. During a paper count, please do not move from your original position.
10. A main motion may only have two amendments pending at any one time.

*According to Robert, “an amendment must be germane to be in order. To be germane, an amendment must in some way involve the same question that is raised by the motion to which it is applied. A secondary amendment must relate to the primary amendment in the same way. An amendment cannot introduce an independent question; but an amendment can be hostile to, or even defeat, the spirit of the original motion and still be germane.”*

*Aquatic Guide – Section 1 & 2 Considered as a block EXCEPT for any items pulled*

| <b>A</b> | Description                      | Loc                     | Rec  | Required |
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| R-1      | USA-S Membership Dues Increase   | Section 1:<br>1.3.A.1-2 | WD   | 2/3      |
| R-2      | Season Schedule (Addition of .C) | Section 2:<br>2.3       | None | 2/3      |

*Aquatic Guide – Section 5 Each Item Shall Be Considered Individually*

| <b>B</b>                           | Description  | Loc                                  | Rec  | Required |
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| R-3                                | Change to Age Group Identifiers for District Championships   | Meet Packet;<br>Section 5.3.C        | None | 2/3      |
| R-4                                | District Championships – Awards for Senior Age Group   | Meet Packet;<br>Section 5.3          | None | 2/3      |
| R-5                                | Addition of Time Trials as Part of Meet Packet for District Championships                                | Meet Packet;<br>Section 5.3.C        | None | 2/3      |
| *R-6<br>(*only if R-3 is defeated) | Provision To Allow Swimmers with DOB Between District & Southeastern Championships to Swim up Age Groups | Meet Packet;<br>Section 5.3.C        | None | 2/3      |
| R-7                                | Score Top 8 Individual & Relay   | Meet Packet;<br>Section<br>5.2 & 5.3 | None | 2/3      |
| R-8                                | SES Championships – Relay Event Order When 2 Pools are Available   | Meet Packet;<br>Section 5.2          | None | 2/3      |
| R-9                                | SE Championship Meet Warm-up Procedure   | Meet Packet;<br>Section 5.2          | None | 2/3      |

*Aquatic Guide – Section 7 Considered as a block EXCEPT for any items pulled*

| <b>C</b> | Description                  | Loc                          | Rec  | Required |
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| R-10     | Athlete Travel Reimbursement | Appendix 7;<br>Section 7.1.B | None | 2/3      |

*HOUSEKEEPING - Considered as a block EXCEPT for any items pulled*

| <b>D</b> | Description                             | Loc                         | Rec  | Required |
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| HK-1     | <i>Aquatic Guide Section 4 Revision</i> | Aquatic Guide;<br>Section 4 | None | 2/3      |

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2 **ALL LEGISLATION ITEMS REQUIRE A 2/3 AFFIRMATIVE VOTE TO BE APPROVED.**

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4 **PROPOSED LEGISLATION**

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8 **Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 1; 1.3.A.1 and 1.3.A.2

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10 **Proposed by:** Clark Hammond and Jackie Bussard-Betucci

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12 **Rationale:** To increase the annual USA-S registration fee by \$10

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14 **Current:** 1.3 Fees

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16 Fees are as follows:

17 A. Individual membership

18 1. Athlete

19 a. Year January 1st through December 31st -\$50.00

20 b. Seasonal October 1st through February 27th or March 25th through August 21st

21 or Individual –any 150 consecutive days \$30.00

22 2. Non Athlete

23 a. Individual - One individual -\$50.00

24 b. Family - Two individuals in the same household \$92.50

25 c. Medical \$50.00

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27 **Proposed:** 1. Athlete's Southeastern Swimming individual membership fee will be exactly \$10.00 more than that years USA Swimming membership fee.

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29 2. Non-Athlete's Southeastern Swimming membership fee will be exactly \$5.00 more than that years USA Swimming membership fee.

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35 **Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 2; 2.3

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37 **Proposed by:** Tom Healey

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39 **Rationale:** To

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41 **Current:** None

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43 **Proposed:** 2.3.C Entry Fees For Sanctioned Meets –  
44 Refer to Section 4.3.5 concerning entry fees for sanctioned meets and  
45 the bidding process for such fees.

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**Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 5; 5.3.C District Championships  
Districts Meet Information Packet

**Proposed by:** Kate Chronic

**Rationale:** To change current age group identifiers to allow athletes whose birthday falls between the District and Southeastern Championships to compete in events in an older age group, provided they have not achieved the current Southeastern Championship qualifying time standard for that event in any age group.

**Current:** 8 & Under, 10 & Under, 11-12, 13-14, Senior

**Proposed:** 8 & Under, 10 & Under, 12 & Under, 14 & Under, Senior

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**Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 5; 5.3.C District Championships  
Districts Meet Information Packet

**Proposed by:** Kate Chronic

**Rationale:** To combine the current award structure of 15-16 and 17-18 awards to Senior

**Current:** 8 & under: Individual –medals 1st-8th & Relay-medals 1st-4th.  
9 & Over: Individual-ribbons 1st-8th & Relay-ribbons 1st-4th.

**Proposed:** 9 & Over: Individual-ribbons 1st-8th & Relay-ribbons 1st-4th.  
For the purposes of awards, the 15-16 and 17-18 age groups will be scored together as Senior.

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**Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 5; 5.3.C District Championships  
Districts Meet Information Packet

**Proposed by:** Kate Chronic

**Rationale:** To include Time Trials (with Sanction) in the body of the meet information

**Current:** None

**Proposed:** Time Trials information and Sanction # included in the body of the meet information where appropriate.

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(\*NOTE: only if R-3 is Defeated)

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**Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 5; 5.3.C District Championships  
Districts Meet Information Packet

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**Proposed by:** Chris Coraggio

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**Rationale:** To allow athletes with a birthday between the District and Southeastern Championships the ability to swim up an age group

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**Current:** None

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**Proposed:** In an instance where a swimmer's birthday falls between the dates of the District Meet and the Southeastern Championship meet, and that swimmer is overqualified to participate in the District Meet, that individual may elect to participate in the next-higher age group at the District meet, providing the Southeastern time standard in the next-higher age group has not been achieved.

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**Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 5;  
5.2 Southeastern Championships  
Southeastern Championships Meet Information Packet

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**Proposed by:** Brian Wrighton

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**Rationale:** To score all events the same at the Southeastern Championships

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**Current:** Top 8 Individual and Relay for 10 & Under, 11-12, 13-14  
Top 16 Individual for Senior, Top 8 for Senior Relays

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**Proposed:** Score Top 8 Individual and Relays for all age groups

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**Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 5;  
5.2 Southeastern Championships  
Southeastern Championships Meet Information Packet

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**Proposed by:** Chris Coraggio

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**Rationale:** The use of both pools this year for relays was an excellent call as far as shortening the finals sessions. However, splitting the teams by age-group, rather than by fastest heat/other heats makes more sense because: (1) all relays from an age group swim in the same course, eliminating any advantage one course may have over the other, (2) for teams that have different age-group and senior coaches, it is more logical to have all swimmers in one age-group in the same pool, (3) the fastest heats will now have the opportunity to see the times of teams in slower-seeded heats.

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167 **Current:** Where two (2) pools are available, the fastest three (3) heats of each relay event shall  
168 compete in the finals pool at the conclusion of all individual events each finals session.  
169 The remaining heats shall be swum slowest to fastest in the second pool.

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171 **Proposed:** Where two (2) pools are available, all relays shall compete during the finals session at  
172 the conclusion of all individual events. The 10 & Under and 11-12 age groups shall  
173 compete in one pool; the 13-14 and Senior age groups shall compete in the other pool.  
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179 **Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 5; 5.2 Southeastern Championships  
180 Southeastern Championships Meet Information Packet  
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182 **Proposed by:** Matt Webber  
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184 **Rationale:** To streamline warm-ups during Championship meets  
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186 **Current:** Southeastern Swimming Meet Safety Guidelines & Warm-up Procedures  
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188 **Proposed:** Warm-ups for the Southeastern Championship Meet will be divided into 2- 45 minute  
189 periods. The first of these periods will consist of 12 and under open warm-ups, with the  
190 first 30 minutes being open for all lanes, and the last 15 minutes has lanes 1,2, and 7  
191 open for starts, with lane 8 open for pace work. In the second warm-up, it will be 13 and  
192 Over only, with 30 minutes of general warm-up. The last 15 minutes will have pace  
193 work in lanes 1 and 8, with one way sprints in 2 and 7. General warm-up during the last  
194 15 minutes of each session will also be available in lanes 3-6, as well as any additional  
195 non-competition lanes.  
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201 **Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 7; 7.1.B Senior Meets  
202 Athlete Travel Reimbursement Policy  
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204 **Proposed by:** Matt Webber  
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206 **Rationale:** To Update the Current Athlete Travel Reimbursement Policy  
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208 **Current:** B. The eligibility formula for travel reimbursement will be devised by the Technical  
209 Planning Committee and approved by the SES Board of Directors. Eligibility  
210 rules for reimbursement will be on the travel reimbursement form (see Appendix  
211 7).  
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213 **Proposed:**

214 Purpose:

215 The goal of the Southeastern Swimming travel reimbursement is to allow the top senior athletes in the  
216 L.S.C. the opportunity to compete against the best competition in the country. The funds are provided not  
217 as a reward or entitlement. These funds are provided to further the opportunity for our athletes to race  
218 against the best and become competitive at the highest levels of the sport.  
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221 Eligibility Requirements:  
222 1. Must be a member of USA Swimming in good standing.  
223 2. Must be registered with, and an active member of a Southeastern Swimming (SES) club.  
224 3. College and post grad swimmers that were not members of the SES as age group swimmers will be  
225 eligible for reimbursement after registering and competing for a SES club for four consecutive years.  
226 4. Swimmers must have achieved a summer national/ U.S. Open<sup>1</sup> time standard within the allotted time  
227 period, and before the start of the competition to be eligible for reimbursement.  
228 Rules:  
229 1. Each Swimmer is limited to a maximum of \$1,500 per year (excluding reimbursement for World  
230 Championships and Olympic Trial competition), including reimbursement for Open Water competitions.  
231 2. Meet reimbursement will be based on the length of the meet. Four or less day meets: \$500, five day  
232 and up meets: \$750.  
233 3. Clubs will be reimbursed \$350 for a coach that attends the meet. An additional \$250 will be  
234 reimbursed for an assistant coach who attends the meet if the Club has over six swimmers that are  
235 eligible for reimbursement and are competing in individual events in the meet.  
236 4. Competitions held within a 50-mile drive from the Club's city will not be reimbursed. The presumption  
237 for reimbursement is the meet requires the swimmer to stay overnight at the location of the competition.  
238 5. Relay only swimmers will be reimbursed for short course/long course nationals or summer  
239 nationals/U.S. open. This will be a single \$500 reimbursement for a male relay, and a single \$500  
240 reimbursement for a female relay. The relay must use at least one swimmer that has made the qualifying  
241 standard and is entered in individual events, and must use relay only swimmers to be eligible.  
242 6. SES will reimburse swimmers who attend the following meets: Summer Nationals/U.S. Open<sup>1</sup>, Spring  
243 Nationals, Short Course Nationals held in December (both Senior and Junior), and Summer Juniors. The  
244 travel reimbursement committee must approve all other competitions for them to be eligible for  
245 reimbursement. If you wish for a competition to be approved for reimbursement, you must submit a  
246 written request to the travel reimbursement committee 30 days prior to the start of the competition of the  
247 particular meet. Coaches MUST receive reimbursement approval before attending the competition;  
248 otherwise no reimbursement will be allowed. \*  
249 \*Currently, the summer senior national swim meet is called the US Open. No matter what name  
250 is given to this end of summer meet, the time standard used to determine eligibility is based on  
251 this meet.  
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257 **Location:** Aquatic Guide Section 4  
258 General Meet Management  
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260 **Proposed by:** Tom Healey  
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262 **Rationale:** To update and reword Section 4  
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264 **Current:** *See proposed*  
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266 **Proposed:** 4.1 Sanctions and Approvals

- 267 A. All swim meets, SES ~~must~~ shall sanction benefits, exhibitions, clinics, and other  
268 competitions held within the geographical boundaries of SES, in which USAS-registered  
269 swimmers participate. These include those events directly sponsored by SES (the  
270 Southeastern Championships, and District and Sectional Championships). Those events,  
271 which are open only to members of a single club, do not require sanctions, although they  
272 may be issued.

273 B. The issuance of a sanction by SES insures that certain standards in the conduct of the  
274 event will be upheld. The standards are listed in sections 4.2 and 4.3.

275 C. No event will be sanctioned or approved by SES unless the host club has paid all  
276 monies, surcharges, fines, fees and penalties due to SES.

277 D. To obtain a sanction, a representative of the club hosting the event must send to the  
278 General Chairperson a completed application form (see Appendix 3) along with the  
279 following items:

- 280 1. The appropriate fees (see 4.1.E).
- 281 2. General meet information or invitation.
- 282 3. A list of events and the order of events.
- 283 4. The names of the meet director and referee ~~and key officials~~.
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285 E. The sanction fee required for swim meets is \$50.00. Observed meets are \$20.00.

286 The General Chairperson may waive the fee for certain events such as clinics and non-profit  
287 benefits which require a sanction under USAS rules.

#### 288 4.2 Meet Information

289 A. The meet information which is ~~sent out by the club hosting an event~~ posted on the SES  
290 web site by the SES registration secretary must include the following:

- 291 1. Name of meet, class(es) of competition, sponsor, location and date(s) of  
292 competition.
- 293 2. Sanction number - \$100.00 fine if not included.
- 294 3. Starting time for warm-ups and competition.
- 295 4. Description of facilities, including but not limited to, timing system, number of  
296 lanes, length of course, type of lane lines and starting blocks.
- 297 5. List of key officials (meet director, and referee, ~~starter, meet marshal, stroke and~~  
298 ~~turn judges~~).
- 299 6. Comment that meet evaluations should be sent to the General Chairperson  
300 (Listing both name and address).
- 301 7. Explanation of awards and method of scoring (note: see USAS rules section for  
302 restriction on awards).
- 303 8. The following statement must appear: "Southeastern Swimming Meet Safety  
304 Guidelines and Warm-up Procedures will be in effect at this meet."
- 305 9. ~~Any~~ Information for disabled swimmers.
- 306 10. The waiver of liability or release form is to include SES and USAS by name.
- 307 11. An entry deadline, rules about late entry, address and phone number of the meet  
308 director or coordinator.
- 309 12. Entry fees for individual and relay events, and surcharge information.
- 310 13. Complete entry procedures including forms, which require swimmers' USAS  
311 registration numbers.
- 312 14. Order of events.
- 313 15. Whether entry times are to be in meters or yards.
- 314 16. The maximum number of events per contestant, and type of competition (timed  
315 finals or qualifying heats, etc.).
- 316 17. The meet entry limit by number of swimmers or individual entries (see Appendix  
317 9).
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319 B. The following information is also suggested: Any other information, which may be



- 320 pertinent (area maps, parking facilities, hotel and restaurant information, spectators'  
321 admission fee, any local restrictions on use of facilities, etc.).
- 322 4.3 Specific rules about SES competitions
- 323 A. All competitions sanctioned by SES must conform to the technical rules of USAS. In  
324 addition, the following rules and procedures of SES must be adhered to:
- 325 1. The scratch deadline shall conform to Southeastern Swimming Scratch Rules and  
326 Penalties (Appendix 12).
- 327 2. All competitions sanctioned by SES shall conform to the Meet Safety Guidelines  
328 and Warm-up Procedures (Appendix 11).
- 329 3. SES will not sanction a meet which has a separate Six and Under an age group  
330 category.
- 331 4. Eight and Under swimmers may not swim a freestyle or individual medley event  
332 longer than 100 yards or meters, or a butterfly, backstroke or breaststroke event  
333 longer than 50 yards or meters unless competing in the  
334 10 and Under or Senior age group category.
- 335 5. Entry fees for sanctioned meets are:
- 336 a. Each club may charge what they feel is an appropriate fee for both  
337 individual, relay and late event fees for their USS sanctioned swim meets  
338 (Non-SES championship meets). (All meet event fees MUST be submitted  
339 when applying for meets in the SES meet bid procedure at House of  
340 Delegates meetings).
- 341 b. SES Championship Meets  
342 \$5.00 Individual Event Entry, \$10.00 Relay Event Entry.  
343 District Meets - \$4.00 Individual Event Entry, \$9.00 Relay Event Entry
- 344 c. A surcharge of \$3.00 for each swimmer entered in the meet is to be  
345 collected by the host club and remitted to the SES treasurer. STARTING  
346 JAN 1, 2009. SURCHARGES - \$3.00 FOR SE SWIMMERS AND \$5.00  
347 FOR ALL OUT OF LSC SWIMMERS WILL REMITTED TO THE SES  
348 TREASURER.
- 349 d. A facility fee of \$5.00 per athlete will be charged for the Southeastern Short  
350 Course and Long Course Championships and District Meets.
- 351 e. A maximum of \$3.00 per individual event and \$8.00 per relay for time trials.  
352 TIME TRIALS- Time trials must be applied for under a separate sanction  
353 and will be offered at the discretion of the Meet Referee. A host club may  
354 charge a maximum of ~~\$3.4.00~~ individual event and \$8.00 per relay event.  
355 Three -fourths (3/4) of the times trials fees are retained by the Host Club,  
356 and one-Fourth (1/4) is remitted to SES
- 357 6. Medals shall not be awarded for "B" events or below.
- 358 7. The meet director shall determine the number of awards.
- 359 8. Timers must be ~~45~~ fifteen years old or older. No competitor may work as a  
360 certified official in a meet in which he competes. The meet referee(s), starter(s),  
361 ~~marshal(s)~~ and stroke and turn judges at all competitions must be certified by SES  
362 and be members of USAS.
- 363 9. A penalty of \$3.00 per heat will be paid to the SES treasurer for each heat starting  
364 after 10:00 p.m.
- 365 10. No swimming heat may be started after 11:00 p.m. local time.
- 366 11. Any team entering and/or swimming an unregistered swimmer in the meet will be  
367 fined \$100.00. Any team swimming an unattached swimmer on a relay will be  
368 fined \$50.00. The NTV and Registration chairpersons will monitor and fine  
369 offending teams.
- 370 12. 12 and Under events in any session must be completed in four hours, except for  
371 championship meets. The penalty for violating this rule is \$1.00 per lane per heat

- 372 above the current entry fee for both individual and relay events. The meet  
 373 director is responsible for these penalties being sent to the SES Treasurer (see  
 374 Appendix 4). Note: Equipment breakdowns and rain delay times are not  
 375 considered part of the four-hour limit. See Appendix 9 for helpful guidelines for  
 376 limiting sessions.
- 377 13. The NTV chairperson shall provide NTV's for observed meets. NTV request  
 378 procedures are as follows:
- 379 a. For a championship qualifying time (Junior National or NRT): if an athlete's  
 380 USA-S ID# and registered full name with middle initial and birth date is  
 381 included in the electronic meet entry/results, no individual request is  
 382 necessary.
- 383 b. For a championship qualifying time/NRT's in which the above data is not  
 384 included in the electronic results: the athlete or coach must make an  
 385 individual written request to the LSC NTV chair within two weeks of the  
 386 meet. A LSC Administrative fee of \$2.00 per event must be submitted with  
 387 the request.
- 388 c. For all other times: individual written requests must be made by the athlete  
 389 or coach within two weeks of the meet and submitted to the LSC NTV  
 390 chair. A LSC Administrative fee of \$2.00 per event must accompany the  
 391 request.
- 392 14. Coaches shall display, in an obvious location, their USAS membership cards to  
 393 be allowed on deck at any SES sanctioned meet.
- 394 15. Officials shall display, in obvious location on their person, proof of membership in  
 395 USAS and their official's certification card in order to officiate in any SES  
 396 competition. Compliance shall be the responsibility of the Meet Referee.
- 397 16. Host team meet director will submit the Meet Manager SD3 file to the registration  
 398 chairperson one week prior to the scheduled meet and will send an updated SD3  
 399 file upon completion of the meet to verify athletes USS Registration.
- 400 17. Host team will submit a list of participating clubs to the Registration Chairperson  
 401 one week before the meet is scheduled. The Registration Chairperson will send a  
 402 list of ELIGIBLE deck coaches to the meet director by the Wednesday of the  
 403 scheduled meet.
- 404 18. The General Chairperson, acting upon the advice of the Board of Directors, has  
 405 the authority to waive any of the above rules when a host club shows good  
 406 cause.

#### 408 4.4 Final Results

- 409 **A.** Final results for all sanctioned meets must be compiled and provided to the following  
 410 parties NTV Chairperson, the Top 5 and Top 16 Coordinators, and the Records  
 411 Coordinator. (see Appendix 5). If copies are not posted on the club web site or  
 412 provided electronically, then copies shall be provided to the following:
- 413 1 All coaches registered at the meet.
  - 414 2 All individuals who paid for final results.
  - 415 3 The SES General Chairperson, Treasurer, Administrative Vice Chairperson, ~~Top 5~~  
 416 ~~and Top 16 Coordinators, Records Coordinator, Registration Chairperson, and~~  
 417 ~~Officials Chairperson.~~
- 418 **B.** The final results must contain the following:
- 419 6. Name, location, date(s) of meet and sanction number.
  - 420 7. Date, location, and pool length at the top of each page.
  - 421 8. Actual starting and finishing times of each session, accompanied by a list of age  
 422 groups swimming in each session.
  - 423 9. Official times for each swimmer (including first names, last name and age) in every

- 424 event. This includes preliminary, final, swim-off and time trial results.  
425 10. Relay lead-off swimmers' times.  
426 11. Disqualifications listed at the end of each event with no times indicated.  
427 12. A line under the last swimmer making the qualifying time, where applicable.  
428 13. Order of finish of teams and points scored, where applicable.  
429 14. Any records broken.  
430 15. Report any swimmer that has a physical disability with a brief explanation in the  
431 meet results.  
432 ~~16. A list of the officials (with the number of sessions and positions) who worked at~~  
433 ~~the meet.~~  
434 17. Pages must be numbered.
- 435 C. All final results must be arranged in the order prescribed in Appendix 2-C of the  
436 USA-S Rule Book.
- 437 D. All final results shall be published within two weeks of the meet. In this context, publish  
438 shall be defined as providing a hard copy of the results to the parties listed in section  
439 4.4A, or providing a down-loadable file (meet backup) of the meet results for those  
440 teams which request this option. Clubs who do not publish final results with the  
441 prescribed time limit will be subject to a \$50.00 penalty (see Appendix 5).
- 442 E. The host team must submit the meet financial report (Appendix 4) and a check for meet  
443 surcharges and penalties to the SES treasurer within 45 days of the completion of the  
444 meet or be subject to a \$50.00 penalty.
- 445 F. The meet referee shall enter the meet officials information (sessions and positions) into  
446 USAS Official Tracking System within two weeks of completion of the meet.  
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456 **Southeastern Swimming, Inc. Application for Sanction**

457 I, \_\_\_\_\_, on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ Apply for  
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466 As a condition of obtaining such a sanction, I and the above organization which I  
 467 represent, agree to abide by, and govern this event under the rules and regulations of  
 468 USA Swimming, Inc and Southeastern Swimming, Inc. and all other terms and  
 469 conditions upon which the sanction may be granted. These terms include all local rules  
 470 and regulations and those set forth in article 202 of the current edition of the USA  
 471 Swimming rules and regulations, with specific reference to article 202.4.8 which  
 472 provides that:

473 "In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that the Corporation shall be  
 474 fee from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone  
 475 during the conduct of this event."

476 OFFICIALS: All meet directors, referees, starters, and stroke and turn judges, and  
 477 ~~marshals~~ shall be members of USA Swimming and should be  
 478 qualified persons and certified with this application.

479 rm. \$50 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ (# of meets)

480 Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 481 (Club Delegate)  
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