



**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS
TO THE GENERAL BY-LAWS
AND STANDING RULES
TO THE POLICY MANUAL AND CONSTITUTION
OF SKATE CANADA MANITOBA**

The proposed amendments to the General By-Laws and standing rule changes to the Policy Manual of Skate Canada Manitoba to be considered at the 2019 Annual General Meeting, are attached.

Proposed amendments to an amendment must be in the hands of the Executive Director, Skate Canada Manitoba Section by April 4, 2019 to ensure that these amendments are circulated to the clubs prior to the Annual General Meeting.

March 14, 2019
Distribution:
Member Clubs
Board of Directors

Deanna Popadynetz
Nominating Committee Chair

AMENDMENT: MB2019/1
SUBMITTED BY: EVENTS MANAGMENT COMMITTEE
RULE NUMBER/NAME: C.101.3.01
RULE NAME: STARSKATE PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

NOTE: Policy was suspended April 29,2018 by SCMB Board of Directors & therefore needs to be ratified or reinstated (see below)

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<p>Standing Rule C.101.3.01 STARSkate Provincial Championships</p> <p>Only competitors who compete at STARSkate Regional Championships are eligible to enter the STARSkate Provincial Championships</p>	<p>Standing Rule C.101.3.01 STARSkate Provincial Championships</p> <p>Only competitors who compete at STARSkate Regional Championships are eligible to enter the STARSkate Provincial Championships</p>

Rationale: Is to ratify the rule suspension therefore to delete it from the Standing Rules as, the majority of Regional competitions no longer offer STAR 5 to gold events. EMC is currently reviewing STARSkate Championships and considering a proposal to amalgamate with MB Open

Effective: Immediately

Skate Canada Manitoba Constitution (May 5, 2017)

(18) **AMENDMENTS TO THE SECTION CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS:** *(Association By-Law 1503(8))*

- (a) Any article may be amended, or new sections or articles may be enacted, by consent of a majority of the Section Board of Directors. Any such change shall be in effect only until the next Annual General or Special General Meeting at which time such actions shall be presented for ratification. Any amendment not ratified shall be withdrawn and may not be re-enacted until after the end of the next fiscal year.

AMENDMENT: MB2019/2
SUBMITTED BY: COACHING COMMITTEE
RULE NUMBER/NAME: D. 101
RULE NAME: FUNDING AND ACCREDITATION FOR COACHES

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<p>Standing Rule D.101 Funding Accreditation for Coaches</p> <p>In order to receive funding and accreditation from the Association, Skate Canada Coaches must meet the following standards as per the NCCP pathways. The qualification in the accreditation matrix must be valid at the time of competition entry and on-site during the event.</p> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Category</th> <th style="text-align: left;">NCCP Certification</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>i) STAR 1 – GOLD</td> <td>Regional Coach</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ii) Pre-Juvenile/Juvenile</td> <td>Regional Coach</td> </tr> <tr> <td>iii) Pre-Novice</td> <td>Provincial Coach</td> </tr> <tr> <td>iv) Novice-Senior</td> <td>National Coach</td> </tr> <tr> <td>v) Intermediate/Open</td> <td>Provincial Coach</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Category	NCCP Certification	i) STAR 1 – GOLD	Regional Coach	ii) Pre-Juvenile/Juvenile	Regional Coach	iii) Pre-Novice	Provincial Coach	iv) Novice-Senior	National Coach	v) Intermediate/Open	Provincial Coach	<p>Standing Rule D.101 Funding Accreditation for Coaches</p> <p>In order to receive funding and accreditation from the Association, Skate Canada Coaches must meet the following standards as per the NCCP pathways. The qualification in the accreditation matrix must be valid at the time of competition entry and on-site during the event.</p> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Category</th> <th style="text-align: left;">NCCP Certification</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>i) STAR 1 – GOLD</td> <td>Regional Coach</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ii) Pre-Juvenile/Juvenile</td> <td>Regional Coach</td> </tr> <tr> <td>iii) Pre-Novice</td> <td>Provincial Coach</td> </tr> <tr> <td>iv) Novice-Senior</td> <td>National Coach</td> </tr> <tr> <td>v) Intermediate/Open</td> <td>National Coach</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Category	NCCP Certification	i) STAR 1 – GOLD	Regional Coach	ii) Pre-Juvenile/Juvenile	Regional Coach	iii) Pre-Novice	Provincial Coach	iv) Novice-Senior	National Coach	v) Intermediate/Open	National Coach
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Rationale: Housekeeping

Effective: Immediately

AMENDMENT: MB2019/3
SUBMITTED BY: COACHING COMMITTEE
RULE NUMBER/NAME: D. 101.1
RULE NAME: NON-QUALIFYING EVENTS

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<p>Standing Rule D.101.1 Non-Qualifying Events</p> <p>Competitions below Sectional Championship level are not affected by this policy. See Skate Canada Manitoba Competition Announcement for further information.</p>	<p>Standing Rule D.101 Funding Accreditation for Coaches</p> <p>Delete</p>

Rationale: As all events use the accreditation matrix set out by Skate Canada, including events below Sectional Championship level.

Effective: Immediately

AMENDMENT: MB2019/4
SUBMITTED BY: COACHING COMMITTEE
RULE NUMBER/NAME: D. 103
RULE NAME: RESPECT IN SPORT

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Standing Rule D.103 Respect in Sport	Standing Rule D.103 Respect in Sport
<p>As per the Terms and Conditions of funding from Sport Manitoba, Skate Canada Manitoba is required to implement the Respect in Sport program for all current and active Skate Canada Professional Coaches who coach in the Province of Manitoba.</p> <p>Respect in Sport is an on-line training course for coaches and sport leaders. It is designed as a tool to assist coaches in identifying and dealing with abuse, neglect, harassment, and bullying in sport. The program provides coaches with tools which will assist them in their ability to deal with legal and moral responsibilities, making them less vulnerable and more confident in dealing with sensitive issues. This program is a risk management tool, which can assist Skate Canada Manitoba member clubs reduce liability.</p> <p>Therefore, any Skate Canada Professional coach who does not complete and remain current with the Sport Manitoba Respect in Sport program and any updates that may be required can be sanctioned in the following manner by Skate Canada Manitoba;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Not eligible for Manitoba Games or Canada Games coaching or manager position 2. Not eligible to be a Skate Canada Manitoba Team Manager 3. Not eligible to be a clinician for any Skate Canada Manitoba sanctioned event or program. Some examples are as follows (list is not inclusive), ALL STAR Seminar Clinician, Program Assistant Clinician, All Male Seminar Clinician, Skate Canada Manitoba 	<p>Delete</p>

<p>Learning Facilitator or Coach Developer.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Not eligible to be the Skate Canada Manitoba Section Coaches Representative or Skate Canada Manitoba Regional Coaches Representative 5. Not eligible to apply for any grants or funding that may be available through Skate Canada Manitoba, Coaching Manitoba or Sport Manitoba 6. Not eligible to stand at the Boards at FunSkates, Manitoba Open FreeSkate, STARSkate Regional competitions, Manitoba Games, Synchro Sectionals, Crocus Invitational, Prairie Skate with their skaters (List is not inclusive). <p>Skate Canada Manitoba will provide coaches who have not completed the course within the deadline dates set by Sport Manitoba, the following notification for complying with this program, will take place;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i) Email/written notification with 30 day timeline to have program completed ii) Written notification to all clubs that contract coach to advise them that the coach is in non-compliance and will be sanctioned if not completed within the 30 day period. iii) If non-compliance after (i) then coach will be notified as to what sanction(s) from above will be implemented until such time as to proof of completion of the program. All relevant Committee Chairs, Board members, clubs etc. will also be notified. 	
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Rationale: Respect in Sport for Activity Leaders is mandatory for all Skate Canada Coaches in order to be In Good Standing. Coaches are required to re-certify every three years.

Effective: Immediately