



Ice Skating Australia Incorporated

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ISA AFSC Qualification Scores - Communication 148 Synchronized Skating Divisions

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Related Policies/ Procedures/ Forms			

1 Purpose of the Communication

At the 2022 ISA AGM the ISA Council, consisting of delegates from all Members, resolved unanimously that in the interest of a consistent approach to qualifying TES scores for AFSC entry across Australia, that ISA should develop and implement the qualifying TES scores for AFSC, and that these scores be binding on all Members.

2 Application of the Communication

Skaters must achieve the minimum TES score/s in order for their State/Territory to nominate them to AFSC. This will be effective for the 2023 AFSC, currently scheduled to be held in NSW.

3 Communication Details

Score/s may be obtained at Champs Series events, State Championships, International events or any event whereby the judging panel and tech panel have a minimum of *1 Nationally qualified judge and 1 Nationally qualified technical specialist/controller for that division on the panel for the event*. Score/s are to be earned during the 2023 calendar year and prior to the close of AFSC 2023 entries.

Individual State associations may have further State specific policies in relation to qualification for National Championships.

If the division features two programs, then the scores may be obtained in more than one event. The scores do not have to be earned in the same competition.

These scores will be reviewed, and if appropriate, revised annually and published prior to 31 Jan. each year.

Members will be responsible for compliance with the tabulation of the scores and will not nominate athletes that have not earned the score/s. For transparency, Members will be required, as part of the AFSC entry process, to state the event the athlete/s earned the qualifying score/s.

Each Member may put forward up to 5 reserve teams whom have earned the qualifying score. Where a Member cannot fill their quota spots with eligible teams under this policy, then eligible teams with the next highest score, whom are not already nominated, will be given the opportunity to fill the spots. The team scores for the reserves will be ranked Nationally by ISA from the scores put forward by the Members. The acceptance of any or all of the reserves will be based on the total quota for any division and will be advised after the close of entries.

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Division	Short Program TES	Free Skating TES
Basic Novice	NA	5.5
Mixed Age	NA	6.8
Advanced Novice	NA	5.5
Junior	4.7	8.9
Senior	4.3	11.9

Advanced Adult Synchronized	NA	4.7
Adult Synchronized	NA	4.3

Version	Approval Date	Change
1.0	7 August 2022	New Communication
2.0	26 Sept. 2022	Updated Communication
3.0	21 February 2023	Updated Communication – Singles, Pair, Adult and Dance
4.0	10 March 2023	Updated Communication – Synchronized Skating