



## GUIDE FOR THE WORDING OF DISQUALIFICATIONS

### MARSHALLING

- SW2.4.2 Violation of advertising rule
- SW2.4.2 Not present when called

### START

- SW2.3.2 Delaying the start
- SW2.3.2 Wilful disobedience
- SW2.3.2 Misconduct at the start
- SW4.4 Started prior to start signal being given
- SW6.1 Standing in/on the gutter/toes over ledge

### FREESTYLE

- SW5.2 Failed to touch the wall at the turn/at the finish
- SW5.3 Failed to break the surface of the water throughout the race
- SW5.3 Head did not break the surface by the 15m mark at the start/at the turn
- SW10.3 Walking on the bottom of the pool

### BACKSTROKE

- SW6.2 Left a position on the back during the race
- SW6.3 Failed to break the surface of the water throughout the race
- SW6.3 Head did not break the surface by the 15m mark at the start/at the turn
- SW6.4 After arm pull swimmer did not initiate turn
- SW6.4 Left the position on the back and did not initiate turn
- SW6.4 Not on the back when leaving the wall at the turn
- SW6.4 Failed to touch the wall at the turn
- SW6.5 Swimmer did not touch the wall at the finish of the race while on the back

### BREASTSTROKE

- SW7.1 Not on the breast at the beginning of the first arm stroke after the start/the turn
- SW7.1 Left a position on the breast during the race
- SW7.1 Incorrect stroke cycle
- SW7.2 Non simultaneous arm movements
- SW7.2 Arm movements not in the same horizontal plane
- SW7.2 Alternating movement of the arms
- SW7.3 Elbows broke the surface during the recovery/pull
- SW7.3 Hand brought back beyond the hip line
- SW7.4 Head failed to break the surface during each complete stroke cycle
- SW7.4 Head failed to break the surface before the inward movement of the second arm stroke after the start/the turn
- SW7.4 Non-simultaneous leg movement
- SW7.4 Leg movement not on the same horizontal plane
- SW7.4 Alternating movement of the legs
- SW7.4 More than one dolphin kick at the start/at the turn
- SW7.5 Feet not turned out during the propulsive part of the kick

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### BREASTSTROKE contd..

- SW7.5 Scissor kick..flutter kick..downward dolphin kick other than permitted in SW7.4
- SW7.6 Non-simultaneous touch of hands at the turn/at the finish. Right/left hand did not touch.
- SW7.6 Failed to touch the wall at the turn/at the finish

### BUTTERFLY

- SW8.1 Not on the breast at the beginning of the first arm stroke after the start/after the turn
- SW8.1 Rolled onto the back *Left a position on the breast during the race*
- SW8.2 Arms not brought forward over the water
- SW8.2 Forward movement of the arms under the water
- SW8.2 Non-simultaneous movement of the arms
- SW8.3 Non-simultaneous movement of the legs
- SW8.3 Alternating kick
- SW8.3 Breaststroke movement of the legs
- SW8.4 Non-simultaneous touch of hands at the turn/at the finish. Right/left hand did not touch.
- SW8.5 Head did not break the surface by the 15m mark at the start/at the turn
- SW8.5 Failed to surface with first arm pull at the start/at the turn
- SW8.5 Submerged during the race other than at the start/turn

### MEDLEY SWIMMING

- SW5.1 Butterfly/Backstroke/Breaststroke in the freestyle leg
- SW9.1 Incorrect Individual Medley stroke order
- SW9.2 Incorrect Medley Relay stroke order
- SW9.3 Failed to finish the Backstroke / Breaststroke / Butterfly leg in accordance with the finish rule for that stroke

### THE RACE

- SW10.1 Failed to finish the whole distance
- SW10.2 Failed to finish in the lane swimmer started in
- SW10.3 Took a stride/step on the bottom of the pool
- SW10.4 Walking on the bottom of the pool
- SW10.5 Pulling on the lane rope
- SW10.6 Obstructed/interfered with another swimmer during the race
- SW10.7 Use of speed/buoyancy/endurance aid
- SW10.8 Entered the water during a race not entered in
- SW10.10 Feet not in contact with starting platform before preceding team member touched the wall
- SW10.11 Team member/s entered the water prior to all teams finishing
- SW10.12 Failed to swim in the order nominated before the race
- SW10.12 Swam more than once in his/her relay team
- SW10.13 Failed to leave the pool at the end of his/her leg in the relay
- SW10.15 Pace-making
- SW10.15 Device/Plan used for pace-making

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