



SECTION 700 SELECTIONS AND REPRESENTATION FOR IRELAND

701 INTERNATIONAL SELECTION

701.1

The ISAI Board is responsible each year for selecting the skater(s) to compete in the Worlds, European and other ISU International events.

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The Board may at its discretion select a Team Leader, Coach and one or more Judges to travel with the skater(s). If such selections are made these officials will be required to monitor and submit a report to the board on the performance of the skater(s).

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Selected skaters and their coaches will be notified by the Board in advance of official announcement on the ISAI website and media.

702 CONDITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR OVERSEAS TOURS

702.1

The Board, prior to any overseas tours by a National skater(s), shall adopt a list of requirements for all team members. These requirements may be altered from time to time depending on the country to be visited. All skaters competing in International events, must complete and sign a Skater's Agreement form prior to leaving Ireland (or overseas base) for the competition.

702.2

If an injury occurs after selection, a medical clearance is required before departure to ensure that the skater complies with ISU Rule 141. The medical clearance is to be sent to the ISAI Secretary.

702.3

All skaters representing Ireland at International competitions must wear the designated Team Ireland uniform while travelling to and from the competition, and at official practices and functions. The ISAI may provide representatives with a suitable Irish uniform or tracksuit.

702.4

The ISAI may pay the entry fees for all competitors selected for International competitions. The completion of the entry form and other relevant documentation is to be the responsibility of the competitor.

702.5

A skater competing at an overseas International competition is required to provide their own medical insurance for injuries obtained during competitions or practice.



702.6

Any skaters being awarded Prize money due to their placing at an international/ISU competition shall be entitled to keep these monies, less up to 10% payable to ISAI as per ISU Rule 102 paragraphs c) and d), to fund their skating training.

702.7

If funding is available, the Association may consider contributing towards some of the expenses of the selected team and officials to such ISU events. The ISAI Board's determination of the use of any available funding will be final and binding.

703 SELECTION CRITERIA GUIDELINE

703.1

To qualify for consideration for International representation of IRELAND at all ISU events the skater(s) must meet all of the following criteria

- The selection of an athlete will be made by the ISAI Board of Management
- ISAI Eligible Member
- Current member of the Irish National Squad
- Ability to fulfil the requirements as set out within ISU regulations Rule 109
- Irish Citizen and hold a current Irish Passport.
- Active participation in the sport over a period of time in Ireland
- Signed and abiding by the conditions laid out within the Athlete Agreement
- Technical Standard as specified by the ISU program requirements.

703.2

To qualify for selection to the National Squad the athlete must meet all of the following criteria

- The selection of an athlete will be made by the ISAI Board of Management
- ISAI Eligible Member
- Irish Citizen and hold a current Irish Passport.
- Active participation in the sport over a period of time in Ireland
- Signed and abiding by the conditions laid out within the Athlete Agreement
- Talent Identification

703.3

To qualify for entry to compete for an IRISH CLUB, or ISAI in Open Competitions or International CLUB Competitions of another ISU Members the skater(s) must meet all of the following criteria. This section EXCLUDES all ISU Championship and International events as well as ISU organised events.

- ISAI Eligible Member
 - Irish Citizen and hold a current Irish Passport.
- Or
- A resident of Ireland for 3 years prior to competition with at least 1 year active participation in the sport in Ireland.
 - Active participation in the sport over a period of time in Ireland



- Ability to fulfil the requirements as set out within ISU regulations Rule 109
- Technical Standard as specified by the program requirements
- Advance permission from the ISAI to compete