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COMMISSIONED ARTISTIC OFFICIALS' COMMITTEE

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OFFICIALS' CODE OF ETHICS – ATTACHMENT 8 EFFECTIVE JANUARY 2021

TO: *Skate Australia*

Full Name	
Address	
Email Address	

I am seeking _____ with Skate Australia Inc as an Accredited Artistic Official.

Level	
Sport	Artistic Roller Skating
Discipline/s	

I agree to the following terms:

1. I agree to abide by *Skate Australia's* Code of Ethics overleaf.
2. I acknowledge that *Skate Australia* may take disciplinary action against me, if I breach the Code of Ethics. (I understand that *Skate Australia* is required to implement a complaints handling procedure in accordance with the principles of natural justice, in the event of an allegation against me.)
3. I acknowledge that disciplinary action against me may include de-registration of my accreditation from Skate Australia Inc.

Please refer to Skate Australia's Member Protection Policy, if you require more information on harassment issues.

Signed _____ SA Membership Number _____
Official/Student Official

Signed _____
Parent/Guardian (if under 18)

Date _____



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Official's Code of Ethics

Sports officials have the right to expect that:

- their health and safety are paramount;
- they are treated with respect and openness;
- they are appointed to a level of competition appropriate to their level of competence; and
- they have access to self-improvement opportunities.

The Code of Ethics

Sports Officials should:

- **Place the safety and welfare of the participants above all else**
- **Accept responsibility for all actions taken**
- **Be Impartial**
- **Avoid any situation which may lead to conflict of interest**
- **Be courteous, respectful and open to discussion and interaction**
- **Value the individual in sport**
- **Seek continual self improvement through study, performance appraisal, and regular updating of competencies**
- **Encourage inclusivity and access to all areas of officiating**
- **Be a positive role model in behaviour and personal appearance**
- **Refrain from any form of personal abuse towards athletes**
- **Refrain from any form of sexual harassment towards athletes**
- **Show concern and caution towards sick and injured athletes**

I hereby agree to abide by these above mentioned Code of Ethics at all times throughout my officiating duties with Skate Australia Inc:



Signed: _____
Official/Student Official

Date: _____