



MEMORANDUM

To: National Trampoline Community; Trampoline Program Committee
From: Ian Moss, High Performance Director
Date: February 2, 2018
Subject: Updated – 2018 Rules and Regulations

I wanted to provide you with this brief update to address the matter of the status of the 2018 Rules and Regulations for Trampoline, Tumbling, and Double-Mini Trampoline. We are aware of the competition schedule and the need to have any updates on the regulations in place prior to these competitions taking place.

With that in mind, I can tell you that some updates to the regulations have been reviewed by the Trampoline & Tumbling Program Committee (TTPC) and are being finalized this week for distribution – you have already received the Tumbling regulation updates for instance. I can also tell you that our TTPC is very aware of the tight timelines and the leadership transition that is occurring at the GCG level. Because of these factors, we are being diligent in ensuring that major changes to any regulations are being considered at this time for future implementation. As well, we are also aware that scoring adjustments are required to be uploaded into the scoring program very quickly – we are in communication now with our provider to have these changes uploaded and distributed this week.

The following items should be noted, as they will be implemented for the present competition season:

- That Espoir athletes compete their first routines with only 2 counting difficulty skills;
- Synchro eligibility will be based on the individual level of the athletes with the exception that those athletes who have met a mobility score and decided to stay in their present level for individual could mobilize for Synchro as a separate decision;
- That Novice Synchro be only one preliminary routine with a minimum difficulty of 6.5;
- For DMT – In Level 2, only barani mounts that are given credit for DD will be eligible for the bonus;
- The “international travel and experience” requirement will now be placed as a recommendation rather than a requirement.

I do apologize for the tight timelines on this process and I can assure you that our TTPC has been very effective in providing good input and rationale into the process. We anticipate that our timelines will improve in the future when we have the appropriate leadership staff in place. Thank you for your patience and please feel free to contact me should you have any further concerns regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Ian Moss