

# Ice Skating Australia Incorporated

Affiliated to the International Skating Union

Procedure Document: SS23-01P-V1

# Foreign Synchronized Skater Permission Procedure 2023-2024

### Overview

This Procedure is for obtaining official permission for non-Australian citizens to skate in Australian Synchronized Skating teams. Skaters who do not have an Australian passport, even if they have been granted residency must obtain a clearance.

Skaters who have never competed for and/or never skated in the country of their citizenship MUST STILL OBTAIN A CLEARANCE. There are NO exceptions.

#### **Related Documents**

Form SS23-02F-V1 Foreign Synchronized Skater 2023-2024 Permission Application Form

## **PROCEDURE**

- Teams shall notify their ISA Member Association of any team member who is not an Australian Citizen and also if they intend to seek international selection in 2023-2024.
- The Skater must complete **SS23-02F-V1 Foreign Synchronized Skater 2023-2024 Permission Application Form** and attach all the required documentation as soon as the skater is accepted into the team.
- 3 ISA shall then determine if the skater is the citizen of a foreign ISU member and of their test eligibility to skate in the team, including test levels.
- For skaters who are citizens of a foreign ISU member and have permission from ISA, ISA shall request permission for them to skate in and/or for Australia for the year 1st July 2023 to 30th June 2024.
- For non-Australian skaters who are not citizens of a foreign ISU member and have permission from ISA, ISA shall endorse the permission in writing for them to skate in the requesting team.
- A copy of the clearance will be available to the skater, team officials and ISA Member Association.
- 7 ISA shall keep a separate register of all foreign skaters and copies of their documentation.

# **Decisions of Ice Skating Australia**

All decisions of Ice Skating Australia relating to allowing foreign skaters in Australian teams shall be final.

Authorised by: Angelique Clyde-Smith, Chair, Synchronized Skating Committee

Authorisation date: 14<sup>th</sup> April 2023

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