

To be Considered by the
House of Delegates
Fall 2013

B/R-01

ACTION: Adopted Defeated Adopted/Amended Tabled Postponed Pulled

Summary: Add Single Meet Open Water Registration and clarifications.

Rationale: Add Single Meet Open Water Registration. Remove current 207.7 since it is not needed. New 207.7 clarifies current policy.

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Recommendation: *(Office Use Only)*

Effective Date: Immediately

ARTICLE 602 - MEMBERSHIP

E. Single-Meet Open Water Athlete Members – A Single-Meet Open Water athlete is an individual who participates in swimming and has joined for a specific open water event not to exceed three (3) days and is in good standing as an Individual Member of NCS and USA Swimming.

ARTICLE 603 - DUES AND FEES

603.3 ATHLETES - Each Athlete Member, ~~and~~ Seasonal Athlete Member and Single-Meet Open Water Athlete Member shall pay an annual, ~~or~~ seasonal or single meet fee, respectively, consisting of a national fee established by USA Swimming and a local fee established by NCS.

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.2 Athlete Member Obligations - The failure of an Athlete Member, ~~or~~ Seasonal or Single-Meet Open Water Athlete Member to satisfy any financial obligations to USA Swimming, NCS or their former LSCs, within the time prescribed, as evidenced by a final decision of (i) a court of law, and/or (ii) the NCS Board of Review or the National Board of Review, shall preclude the delinquent member from (a) competing in any competition sanctioned by USA Swimming, (b) obtaining a reportable time achieved in events swum at any USA Swimming sanctioned, approved or observed meet, (c) participating in any capacity in the affairs of USA Swimming, NCS or any other LSC or (d) practicing, exercising or otherwise participating in the activities of any Group Member or any group member of any other LSC until the debt is satisfied.

ARTICLE 207: MEMBERSHIP, SANCTION, AND APPROVAL FEES

207.3 NCS SINGLE SEASON ATHLETE MEMBERSHIP \$10.00 is the current ~~annual~~ seasonal NCS Swimming athlete membership (registration) fee plus the current USA Swimming required fees.

207.4 NCS SINGLE MEET OPEN WATER ATHLETE MEMBERSHIP \$10.00 is the current NCS Swimming athlete membership (registration) fee plus the current USA Swimming required fees.

~~207.7 The fees in sections 207.1 through 207.5 may be changed by recommendation of the Finance Committee to the House of Delegates.~~

207.8 Registration fees are non-transferrable. Change to a different level of membership will require a new registration fee.

(renumber sections as required)