

REQUEST TO LOCAL SWIMMING COMMITTEE FOR USA-S OBSERVED SWIMS AT SEASON-CULMINATING CHAMPIONSHIP SWIM MEET

(LSC Sanction Coordinator use) - LSC Sanction # _____

Select One: ☐ HS Conference Championship ☐ HS State Championship ☐ Other _____

Application Requirements:

- (1) Timing systems must comply with conditions outlined in Article 102.23 and the facility must comply with Article 103, USA-S Rules & Regulations designated /M/ and /NC/.
- (2) Officiating:
 - a. The number of Association officials must meet minimum requirements as provided in Article 102.10, USA-S Rules & Regulations. If the Association stroke & turn officials are also certified by USA-S, no additional observers are necessary. Officials may note compliance with USA-S Technical Rules only for those swimmers requesting observation, or the entire meet may be observed.
 - b. If Association officials are not USA-S certified, a minimum of two USA-S certified officials shall be assigned to verify compliance with USA-S Swimming Rules for those swims requested to be observed.
 - c. Where the technical rules as listed in Article 101 are the same as the host organization, the judgement of the organization officials shall be sufficient.
 - d. The designated USA-S certified official must verify compliance with applicable rules and procedures as outlined in Article 202.8, USA-S Rules & Regulations.
 - e. Official assignment and observation protocols shall be the purview of the Referee. The designated USA-S certified official must verify compliance with observation requirements as outlined in Article 202.8.4.
 - f. Disqualifications for USA-S violations from NCAA meets shall be reported to the T&R committee representative/Program Operations designee, whereas disqualifications from non-NCAA meets shall be reported to the LSC NTV Officer.
- (3) Proof of Times and Results:
 - a. Proof of times and results for non-NCAA meets must be forwarded to the LSC NTV Officer within 14 days.
 - b. The Meet Director and/or Administrative Official will be responsible for including an athlete's USA-S ID in electronic meet results for athletes requesting times to be entered into SWIMS, the National Times Database.
 - c. If an athlete's USA-S ID is not included in the electronic results, individual requests for times that document the athlete's USA-S Registration ID, must be submitted to the LSC NTV Official for entry into SWIMS.

Name of Meet: _____ Date(s): _____

Name/Location of Facility: _____

Meet Referee: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Meet Director: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Admin Official: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Check One (1) of the following:

- ☐ The entire meet will be observed exclusively by USA-S Officials, according to USA-S Rules & Regulations.
- ☐ This meet will be officiated exclusively by USA-S Officials. Only swims for swimmers requesting observation in advance will be observed for compliance with USA-S Technical Rules.
- ☐ This meet will be officiated by Association officials in compliance with Article 202.8.3(A) and observed by USA-S officials in compliance with Article 202.8.4, USA-S Rules & Regulations.

Hosting Organization: _____ Contact Number: _____

Host Submitting Official: _____
(printed name) (signature)