### The Western Australian Ice Skating Association Inc Policy Document

# 2018 AUSTRALIAN FIGURE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS TEAM SELECTION

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WAISA Inc Constitution

ISA Inc Constitution and Regulations

**Application:** All members of WAISA Inc <u>and/or its</u> affiliates

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#### **POLICY OBJECTIVE**

To ensure the fair selection of a Western Australian representative team.

#### **POLICY**

Only Members of The Western Australian Ice Skating Association Inc (WAISA) who are Australian citizens or have been a resident of Australia for a period of not less than 12 months shall be eligible to represent Western Australia at the Australian Figure Skating Championships (AFSC) in the disciplines of Figure Skating, Synchronized or Ice Dancing.

The following criteria will apply in nominating entries for all events/divisions in the AFSC:

- 1 Irrespective of individual placing, athletes will be nominated only for the event in which they competed in the Western Australian Championships in that year.
- 2 All entrants must skate the required programs for their event at the 2018 Western Australian Championships to be eligible for nomination to the AFSC as follows:
  - Ice Dance: Short Dance Program and Free Dance Program
  - Adult, Singles, Pairs and Dance: Short Program (where applicable) and Free Skating Program
  - Synchronized Basic Novice/Advanced Novice/Mixed Age/Adult/Adult Advanced: Free Skating Program
  - Synchronized Junior/Senior: Short program and Free Skating Program.
- Members of WAISA nominated by the WAISA Council to the AFSC shall not skate for another State at the AFSC in Synchronized Singles, Pairs or Dance in that year.
- Members competing in any WAISA or interstate competition shall adhere to the WAISA Policy Documents Code of Ethics. Athletes shall also adhere to the WAISA Athlete Agreement where in place. Athletes in breach of the WAISA Code of Ethics /Athlete agreement may not be selected to represent Western Australia for the Australian Figure Skating Championships. Athletes' behaviour and conduct throughout the season may also affect nomination. Athletes who have acted against the WAISA Policy Document Code of Ethics policy and who may be at risk of negatively impacting WAISA may be considered to be unfit to represent Western Australia.
- 5 Athletes nominated to 2018 AFSC under the 2018 AFSC Team Selection Policy will be notified by email .

## **REASONING**

To encourage athletes' best performances at the Western Australian Championships.