

7 May 2024

Annexure B – Revision 2.1 – 7 May 2024.

Annexure B, Revision 2 is revised to include clauses 2.1 and 2.2.

RowSA advises that the National Selection Policy general procedures is under review. The Selection Policy dated 2017 is applicable to the selection process for 2024 with the following IC ratified revision:

1. Objectives.

Clause 1.1.4 is adjusted to read.

"To select crews of international standard that have the potential to make an A final or outperform the FISA 'guidelines of finish' at an U19 Junior World Championship, within the framework of RowSA's long term objectives."

Final Selection Procedures.

1. Invited Provincial crews will compete at the National Selection regatta on 10 to 12 May 2024.
2. The winning provincial crews in the applicable boat classes at the National Selection Regatta held on 10 to 12 May 2024, will be assessed against a standardization factor percentage of 2,5% off the fastest crew of the race, ranked according to World's Best Times for automatic qualification.
 - 2.1 'A Race' refers to one of three to four flights of races at the selection regatta. Each race will comprise of a number of heats / waves in which boats of similar speed will be grouped. Each wave in a race may comprise of U19, U23 and Senior crews. Three races will be raced with a fourth provided for in case of inclement weather.
 - 2.2 The fastest crew of the race will be the crew, irrespective of age-group, achieving the highest prognostic percentage of their individual assessment time.

Class	Junior Men GMT	Junior Women GMT
Scull	06:45:45	07:31:50
Double	06:18.19	06:57:40
Pair	06:27.91	07:15.53
Coxless Quad	05:46.49	06:23:85
Coxed Four	06:11.96	06:52:84
Coxless Four	05:53:00	06:32.76



3. The athletes in any provincial crew winning its individual boat class and finishing within 2,5% of the top performing crew of the race are automatically selected.
4. Crews will need to achieve the standard once during the regatta.
5. The Junior Selection Panel will discuss the merits of any boat winning its boat class but are outside of 2,5%. Such discussion will be guided by an analysis of the crew's performance in training together with the broader objectives of RowSA which will include development, transformation, and gender strategies.
6. The decisions of the Junior Selection Panel will be presented to the Junior International Commission for ratification. The ratified decision will be presented to the Chair of the International Commission or his nominee for final ratification and publication.
7. In the event of an appeal against the selection decisions, the selection announcement will be delayed pending a ruling by the Appeals Tribunal.
8. On selection, the provincial athletes will fall under the authority of the Junior International Commission, who will appoint coaches and manage the final preparation phase for the U19 World Rowing Junior Championships.

Selection Panel, Junior International Commission and Appeals Tribunal.

Junior Selection Panel.

Chair of the SASRU and Junior IC.	Mr T Dedlow.
Head Junior Coach.	Mrs C Dace.
Assistant Coaches.	Mr C Paynter. Mr D Roff. Mr J Buchanan. Mr E Goodier. Mr M Soll. Mr J Jacobs.
RowSA IC Chair and/or his nominee.	Mr S Keeling
Nominee of SASRU.	Mr T Dedlow.



Junior International Commission.

Junior IC SASRU representative on the RowSA IC, chair.	Mr T Dedlow.
Nominee of the SASRU President.	Mr T Dedlow.
Representatives elected by each SASRU Regional structure.	Mr D Roff (GTNG) Mr E Goodier (EC) Mr J Buchanan (WC) Mrs H Abrahams (KZN)
National Coach (or his nominee).	Mr T Loureiro / Mrs C Dace

Appeals Tribunal.

Permanent Chair.	Mr A Pullinger
RowSA IC Chair nominee.	Mr A Pullinger
Member.	Ms C Orsmond
Member.	Mr R Di Clemente

Yours sincerely,

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Chair JIC
RMB National Squad