

## VFS Rule changes 2009

### *Definition of a grip line added*

2.3 Grip Line: This is the line linking the torsos of two competitors via their arms or legs and the grip that joins them

3.3.9 No grip line may cross another grip line within a formation

### *4.2 Jump abortion rule removed as in Section five*

4.5.2 Addition of : or composite video compatible connection. *This gives more options for downloading digital footage.*

5.1 *Small wording change. This gives an Air to Ground option.*

*Old: The official training jump and competition jumps will be judged as the Videographer is dubbing the video evidence. The Chief Judge may modify this procedure with the consent of the FAI Controller*

*New: The official training jump and competition jumps will be judged as the Videographer provides the video evidence. The Chief Judge may modify this procedure with the consent of the FAI Controller*

5.3 At least five Judges must evaluate each team's performance.

5.8 *Removed If the Judges use a score sheet to record their evaluation, they will operate their own chronometer and they will use the signs below. In this case the score sheets of all judges must be collected immediately after the judges have scored the jump for evaluation by the scoring section. The results of the evaluation will be checked by at least one judge.*

#### *Situation:*

- *Correct scoring formation...../.*
- *Infringement.....0.*
- *Omission ..... X.*
- *NV situation ..... NV.*
- *End of Working Time //.*

### *6.1 Continental Championships added*

5.5 *Remove:For judging purposes, the stationary contact of grips on the freeze frame will be assessed using only the two dimensional video evidence as framed.*

5.5 *Add All individual Judge's evaluations will be published.*

6.3.1 *delegation composition. Remove coach, judges etc. Only Head of Delegation, team members, videographers and team managers will pay the sanction fee*

6.4 Program of Events:

World Cups and Continental Championships are comprised of up to 8 rounds.

*Dive pool changes*

*Block 1*

*Solo flyer grip is on flyer with cross at beginning and end of move*

*Random A*

*Both outside flyers with only one grip have to have right hand on left arm or vice versa*

*Delete Block 11 (overcrank/undercrank)*

*Delete Random D (HD Star)*

*New Block 11 is Fun buddies*

*Block 13 is HD star/HD star*

*Block 14 is satellite/satellite*

*Random D is Sitline*