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Replacement of Chief Judge.

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In case where the designated Chief Judge is unable to attend the FCE the following procedure will be applied:

1 - The said Chief Judge must inform without delay the Chair of the Judges Committee and the Organizers of the FCE of his inability to attend.

2 – The Chair of the Judges Committee will immediately inform the IPC Bureau and the relevant discipline Committee Chair of the resignation. The Judges Committee will, within the following 7 days and taking into consideration any suggestion from the relevant Discipline Committee, nominate a replacement Chief Judge.

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3 - The IPC Bureau will then take all necessary steps to comply with SC S5 in the organization of the FCE.

CHIEF JUDGE HANDBOOK

CURRENT LIBEL:

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1. RESPONSIBILITY of IPC RULES AND REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

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NEW REDACTION:

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Chapter 6: FAI JUDGES

6.4: QUALIFICATION TO JUDGE AT FIRST CATEGORIE EVENTS

Current rule:

6.4.1 AL

In the two calendar years preceding the calendar year in which the event is being held;

(1)

(2)

NEW RULE:

6.4.1. (3) have served as Chief of Judge Training at an official IPC Judges' Training Course approved by the IPC Judge Training Course Coordinator.

6.4.2 ST, FS, IFS, CF, AE, IAE, CP, SP and WS

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CHAPTER 6: FAI JUDGES**JUDGES ATTENDANCE AT FCE 4.6.1****Current rule:**

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COMPETITION RULES

Harmonization of a video controller definition.

Current rules :

Competition rules :

- FS/VFS 4.5.6
- CF 4.9.7

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- AE 4.4.2
- WS (A) 4.7.4

New definition :

A video Controller will be appointed and approved by the Scoring system provider as appropriately trained and familiar with the selected scoring system's dubbing process, prior to the start of the Judges' Conference. Before the start of competition, each team must dub a sample video from the team's freefall video equipment into the scoring system for inspection of the resulting video by the Chief Judge, to ensure compatibility and quality setting. The Video

Controller may inspect a team's freefall video equipment to verify that it meets the performance requirements as determined by him/her. Inspections may be made at any time during the competition which does not interfere with a team's performance, as determined by the Event Judge. If any freefall video equipment does not meet the performance requirements as determined by the Video Controller, this equipment will be deemed to be unusable for the competition.