

SL2 – REFEREE PANEL

GRADING OF REFEREES

- Application for examination for grading and election to the Referee's panel or for re-grading as a Referee shall be made to the Volunteers and Officials Committee on the prescribed form.
- Referees on the panel shall be graded 1, 2, or 3 according to the Committee's opinion as to the standard of match, which the Referee is capable of controlling:

Grade 1

Shall be the highest standard and only grade 1 Referees shall be eligible for selection as Referees to represent South Australia,

Grade 2

Referees shall be of such a standard that they are capable of satisfactorily refereeing the Reserves and easy Senior State League matches. Grade 2 Referees will generally only be given senior matches for the purpose of practical examination for re-grading,

Grade 3

Referees will be probationary and, except for the purpose of practical examination for re-grading, shall only be given easy matches.

- All referees on the Panel should have Level 1 Accreditation as a minimum requirement.
- The Volunteers and Officials Committee may recommend to the Board the de-registration of:
 - any Referee guilty of misconduct,
 - A Grade 3 Referee who after one season has not reached a standard warranting re-grading to Grade 2, and the re-grading of any Referee, who in the opinion of the Committee, does not maintain the minimum standard for their current grade.
- A Referee, who resigns or is de-registered, may be re-registered after proper examination by the Volunteers and Officials Committee.
- After a period of two years on the panel, a Referee must apply for re-registration and be re-examined.
- All referees are required to purchase the latest version of the FINA Rule Book.

ATTIRE

- All Association Referees will be expected to be attired in whites. Black or blue shorts/trousers will be acceptable. Failure to comply will result in scheduled payment being forfeited.

APPOINTMENT

- The Volunteers and Officials Committee is to ensure that referees are appointed well in advance of scheduled matches. In addition, an emergency nomination should be provided.
- It is the appointed referee's obligation to contact the emergency referee and the Director for Volunteers and Officials if he/she is unable to attend the appointed match. Failure to notify will incur a \$10.00 fine. Failure of the emergency to attend, without just reason, will incur a \$5.00 fine.

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SCHEDULE OF PAYMENT

- Payments will be made at the conclusion of each match.
- Payment will be made in accordance with Schedule 1.
- Referees will be required to sign a Remittance Form for auditing purposes.

NOMINATIONS

- All Affiliated Clubs are to nominate two (2) referees per team nomination.

Schedule 1

GRADE	Payment
A' Grade Men	\$10.00
Senior Grades	\$7.50
Junior Grades	\$5.00

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