

At the Board meeting on 21 June 2017 the Directors resolved to amend the By Laws as they relate to the Premiership Point Score.

The amendments are designed to (i) align the Rowing NSW Premiership Pointscore with our Strategic Plan 2016-2020 by promoting excellence in rowing (2.7.3), (ii) allocate points to mixed crews in pararowing events (2.7.5 f), and (iii) improve clarity of the application of the points cascade (2.7.5 a-c).

Amendment 1: To provide for higher points to targeted events at the Rowing NSW State Championships.

Previous:

“2.7.3 Triple points shall be awarded for Championship Events and for events at the Trickett Regatta.”

Amended:

“2.7.3 Quadruple points shall be awarded for Open, Elite and Para Events at the NSW State Championships. Triple points shall be awarded for all other Championship Events and for events at the Trickett Regatta.”

Amendment 2: To allocate points to mixed crews in pararowing events.

Previous:

“2.7.5 Points shall be awarded in accordance with the following provisions:

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(f) No points will be awarded for events involving mixed crews”

Amended:

“2.7.5 Points shall be awarded in accordance with the following provisions:

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(f) Points shall not be awarded for non-pararowing events involving mixed crews. Points shall be awarded to mixed crews in pararowing events in accordance with provisions 2.7.5 (a)-(e)”

Amendment 3: To improve clarity of the application of the points cascade system.

Previous:

“2.7.5 Points shall be awarded in accordance with the following provisions:

(a) Points shall only be awarded to scullers or crews judged to have finished in first, second, and third positions in any event.

(b) Unless otherwise provided, 4 points shall be awarded to the crew or sculler finishing in first place in any event, 2 points shall be awarded to the crew or sculler finishing in second place and 1 point shall be awarded to the crew or sculler finishing in third place.

(c) When two or more scullers or crews from the same club or school finish in any of these positions in an event, then points shall only be awarded to the first of such scullers or crews. Where this rule is applied, an adjustment will be made to the points awarded (or not awarded) to the subsequently placed scullers or crews in the race but so that no club or school is awarded points more than once in the event.

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Amended:

“2.7.5 Points shall be awarded in accordance with the following provisions:

(a) Points shall only be awarded to scullers or crews judged to have finished in first, second, and third positions in any event, unless otherwise provided under 2.7.5 (c).

(b) Unless otherwise provided, 4 points shall be awarded to the crew or sculler finishing in first place in any event, 2 points shall be awarded to the crew or sculler finishing in second place and 1 point shall be awarded to the crew or sculler finishing in third place.

(c) When two or more scullers or crews from the same club or school finish in any of these positions in an event, then points shall only be awarded to the first of such scullers or crews, including composite crews. Where this rule is applied, an adjustment will be made to the points awarded (or not awarded) to the subsequently placed scullers or crews in the race but so that no club or school is awarded points more than once in the event.

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Anthony Blower

Secretary to the Board

22 June 2017