



Technical Notification 35

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Synchronized Skating – Novice Free Skating

RE: ISU Communication 1528 Guidelines for Novice Competition as it pertains to the Synchronized Skating Novice Free Skating event.

In accordance with the US Figure Skating policy on IJS revisions, U.S. Figure Skating is not adopting the rule changes outlined in ISU Communication 1528. The age of skaters, number of skaters and elements in the well-balanced program will be in accordance with U.S. Figure Skating Rule 4680.

Further, there are no restrictions as to the difficulty levels that may be performed by novice teams in U.S. Figure Skating competitions.

U.S. Figure Skating will comply with definitions of elements and features in accordance with ISU Communication 1503.