



## IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania State Team Representative Selection Process



### 1. Representative Team Purpose

The purpose of the Victoria/ Tasmanian State Representative teams is to present the strongest teams to represent the Section based upon performance with a view to having as many eligible Victorians and Tasmanians representing the Section as possible, without unduly compromising the standard for team representation.

### 2. Team Representation Methodology

**Teams will be chosen from all competitors who:**

- 2.1. Meet the eligibility requirements;
- 2.2. Have indicated they will accept a team position;
- 2.3. Have indicated they are attending the IPSC Nationals;
- 2.4. Have agreed to abide by a code of conduct; and
- 2.5. For category selection, a competitor must have competed in that category for the season, to be eligible for selection in that category.

**Teams will be chosen in the following order:**

- 2.6. **Gold** – Comprising the 4 highest achieving eligible competitors. (minimum of 3).

After all Gold teams are selected, the following category teams may be chosen if eligible competitors remain:

- 2.7. **Senior** – A Senior team may be selected if a minimum of 3 (maximum of 4) eligible Senior competitors remain for selection after the Gold team is selected. (minimum of 3).
  - 2.7.1. Super Senior members may be chosen to fill a Senior team.
- 2.8. **Junior** – A Junior team may be selected if a minimum of 3 (maximum of 4) eligible Junior competitors remain for selection after the Gold team is selected.
- 2.9. **Ladies** - A Ladies team may be selected if a minimum of 3 (maximum of 4) eligible Lady competitors remain for selection after the Gold team is selected.
- 2.10. **Super Senior** - A Super Senior team may be selected if a minimum of 3 (maximum of 4) eligible Super Senior competitors remain for selection after Gold, Ladies & Senior teams are selected.

After the above positions are filled (at the absolute discretion of the IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania executive), if eligible competitors remain, the following team may be submitted:
- 2.11. **Silver** – Comprising the 4 highest remaining eligible competitors (minimum of 3).



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### 3. Team Selection Process

- 3.1. The State team selection results will be published after each State Selection match.
- 3.2. State team selection matches consist of all published State Selection Matches (SSM's) and the Victorian State Titles (VST) for the season.
- 3.3. A Division or category must be recognised at that match to be included in the competitor results, (10 competitors for a division, and 5 for a category if the Division is recognised). NOTE: Consideration may be given for a category team not meeting these requirements to be selected at the discretion of the Executive.
- 3.4. If a Division is not recognised at 3 or more of the matches outlined at point 3.2, the Category or Division will not be eligible for State Team selection.
- 3.5. The average of each competitor's highest three scores (in each specific division) from the published results SSM's & the VST are used to rank the eligible competitors, and the competitors are selected for teams in descending average order from these rankings.
- 3.6. A current Division Grand Master (who does not satisfy points 3.1-3.5) may only be offered a position in the team of their division (at the absolute discretion of the IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania Executive), provided they have competed in the Victorian State Titles as per clause 3.2 & 6.3, achieved a Master Grade score in that Victorian State Titles and provided they satisfy clauses 6.3 & 6.6.
- 3.7. At the end of the selection period, the teams are finalised based on the team selection criteria and ratification by the IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania Executive, any errors or omissions should be identified in line with the grievance process.

### 4. Teams

#### Gold Team

- 4.1. If there are 3 or more (4 maximum) eligible competitors available for selection, and the sum of the top 3 competitors average results is greater than 255%, the team is submitted.

#### Category teams

- 4.2. If there are at least 3 remaining eligible competitors after the Gold teams have been selected, and the sum of the top 3 competitors results average results is greater than 180%, the team is submitted.
- 4.3. The fourth member of a Category team must have a qualifying average percentage of greater than (or equal to) 50%.

#### Silver Team

- 4.4. If there are 3 or more (4 maximum) competitors available for selection after Gold and Category teams have been selected, and the sum of top 3 competitors average result is greater than 210%, the team is submitted.
- 4.5. The fourth member of a Silver team must have a qualifying average percentage of greater than (or equal to) 60%.



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### 5. Selection Tie break

- 5.1. If two or more competitors eligible for selection are tied on average result, their results of the eligible VST will be used to establish their position.
- 5.2. If their results from the VST are also tied, the IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania Executive will vote (with one vote per club) on the eligible competitors.

### 6. Competitor Eligibility

- 6.1. Must be a current financial member of IPSC Australia.
- 6.2. Must be affiliated with an IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania club (or be cleared by the Section Coordinator of their affiliated section).
- 6.3. Must have entered and completed the Victorian State Titles in the division they intend to put themselves forward for selection in.
- 6.4. Must have competed in greater than 50% of the published matches as per clause 3.2 in the division they wish to be considered for selection.
- 6.5. Must not have been disqualified under rules from either section 10.6 or 10.7 during any of the eligible selection matches (and the disqualification is upheld if arbitrated).
- 6.6. During the selection period, if a competitor has brought the State or sport into disrepute or been the subject of any type of written disciplinary sanction from IPSC Australia and/or IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania through their actions or inactions, this will be considered by the IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania Executive in the selection process and may render the competitor ineligible for selection.

### 7. Exceptions

- 7.1. Competitors may submit a request for special consideration to the Section Coordinator in writing, prior to the nominated Section meeting for team selection.
- 7.2. This request is reviewed by the IPSC Victoria/ Tasmania Executive on an individual, case by case, basis.
- 7.3. All decisions made by the Executive are final and must not be taken as a precedent.



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### 8. Grievance

- 8.1. Any grievance must be submitted in writing to the Section Coordinator, to be presented to the executive for resolution in a timely manner.

### 9. Team Uniform

Each team member receives the following:

- 9.1. One (1) Team Victoria cap, to be worn while competing during the Nationals;
- 9.2. Two (2) Team Victoria shirts, to be worn while competing (personalised, with the competitor's name and representative position); no unauthorised logo's, names or modifications may be placed/made on the team shirt.
- 9.3. The Team Uniform (Shirt & Cap) MUST be worn throughout the entire match, until completion of shooting each day.

### 10. Dinner

- 10.1. It is expected that all Gold team members will attend the presentation function.

### 11. Acknowledgement of Sponsors

All team members will be made aware of any and all sponsors who have contributed towards the State Team funding and all team representatives will ensure the following:

- 11.1. They ensure they make a concerted effort to thank each and every sponsor.
- 11.2. Make themselves available to have a photo taken with the sponsor if requested.



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### 12. Code of Conduct

- 12.1. All team members will be required to sign and adhere to a team member code of conduct.
- 12.2. Any team member breaching the team member code of conduct will face disciplinary action.

### 13. Remuneration / Re-imburement

Team members receive the following reimbursements:

#### Gold Team

- 13.1. Entry fees (equal to the early bird fee applicable to their circumstances).
- 13.2. Presentation Function ticket (subject to attending the presentation function).

#### Category Teams

- 13.3. 75% of the entry fees (based on the early bird fee applicable to their circumstances).
- 13.4. 75% of the Presentation Function ticket value (subject to attending the presentation function).

Reimbursements are made to the competitors in due course after completion of their obligations (attendance, performance etc.).