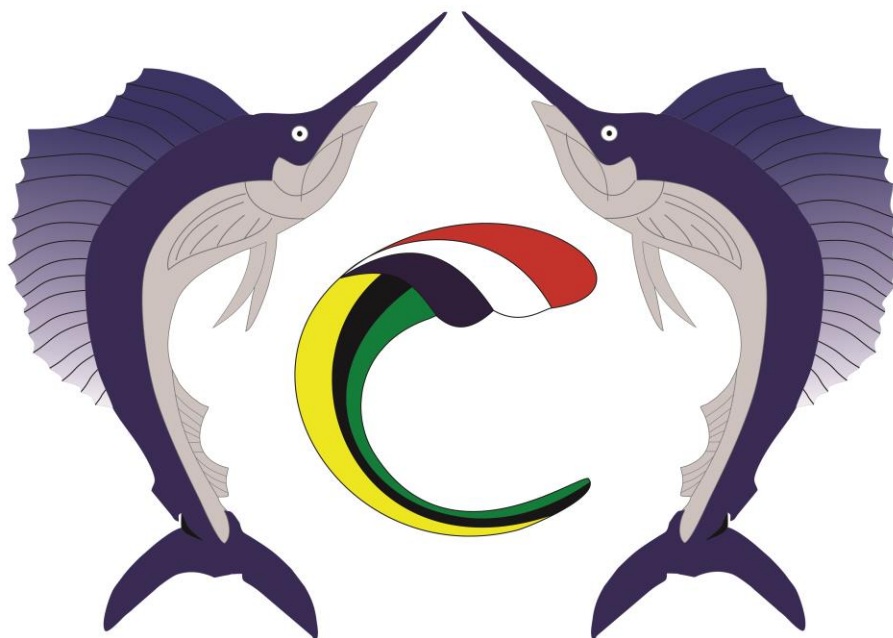




SADSAA

SELECTION CRITERIA

September 2021

AMENDMENTS

DATE

ITEM NO

PREAMBLE

- 1) The Team Selection Policy described in this regulation is a guideline, and an example or template of a National Team Selection Policy for SADSAA. The template is not enforceable on members, but a guideline only.
- 2) National Teams selected to participate in World Championship Events/International events or SADSAA National Championship Events will participate under the rules governing that Championship as well as under SADSAA Rules in National Championships.

OBJECTIVES

- 1) To select teams/anglers to represent South Africa at International Events as well as SADSAA Teams for either International participation or as a Team in the SADSAA National Championships.
- 2) To ensure the selection of the best team to represent South Africa as well as anglers who are skilled in the discipline in which they are participating.
- 3) To provide clear selection guidelines to the selectors.

PROCESS FOR SELECTING TEAMS

- 1) Selection Committee assess the nomination form submitted by the angler.
- 2) If required by the selectors an interview /zoom meeting can be requested with the angler.
- 3) Each angler to submit a SADSAA nomination form (Attached as Schedule A) giving full details on the angler's ability in the type of Tournament being nominated for, as well as other details relating to participation in SADSAA, other than angling.

SELECTION COMMITTEE

- 1) The Selection Committee shall comprise of eight members elected at the AGM after having been nominated by each province. A further two are selected as alternate selectors. No province may have more than two representatives on the Selection Committee. Representatives are selected for a period of three years and may be available for re-election. The selection committee will select a convener. The selection committee is not compelled to divulge any information as to how they selected the Team.
- 2) A quorum at a selection meeting has to be a minimum of five members.

COMPOSITION OF A NATIONAL TEAM

- 1) Team Captain
- 2) Anglers: depending on the invitation may be between 2 and 5
- 3) Reserve anglers will be selected but not made public

- 4) National Colours may only be awarded to Team members who have participated as members of the Team in an International event, approved by SADSAA/SASAC/SASCOC. Colours will only be valid after the first day of the competition has taken place.
- 5) The cost of participation in the tournament rests entirely with the angler. SADSAA and Provinces may offer financial assistance from time to time, but this is not compulsory.
- 6) Anglers who qualify on merit for inclusion in the National Teams shall not be excluded from such National Team on grounds of religion, gender, colour, sexual orientation or creed.

SADSAA AND NATIONAL TEAM SECTION CRITERIA

- 1) To be eligible for participation in International Teams, anglers must comply with the following:
 - a) Be a South African Citizen in possession of a South African ID / passport
 - b) Be a paid-up member of a SADSAA affiliated club
 - c) Be prepared to sign the indemnity/code of conduct issued by SASCOC for International participation.
 - d) To qualify for a SADSAA team, the angler must have participated in at least:
 - : Two Interprovincial Tournaments.
 - : Three National Tournaments
 - : At least two of these Nationals Tournaments must be in the facet in which the angler is nominating
 - e) To qualify for International Teams (Protea), the angler must have participated in at least:
 - : one National tournament in a SADSAA team
 - : this National must be in the facet in which the angler is nominating

RESERVE SELECTION CRITERIA

- 1) The reserve will be selected on merit on the same basis as the anglers in the team. If any selected angler is deemed unable to represent South Africa at the peak of his ability, the reserve will replace that angler.
- 2) The following are valid reasons for a replacement with reserve angler:
 - i) Injury or illness,
 - ii) Tactical replacement,
 - iii) Angler not performing well in relation to other competing anglers,
 - iv) Angler withdrawing for personal reasons,
 - v) It is not mandatory that a reserve angler participates.

TEAM CAPTAIN CRITERIA

- 1) The Team Captain is appointed by the selectors on the basis of leadership qualities and knowledge of the Competition area.

- 2) If the Team Captain becomes unavailable for the competition, the Selection Committee will elect a new captain.

REMOVAL FROM A NATIONAL TEAM

Any angler may be removed from a National Team by the selection committee if:

- 1) They breach or fail to observe the regulations/ Code of Conduct of SADSAA/SASAC or SASCO
- 2) Because of illness or injury
- 3) They breach or fail to adhere to the requirements of the anti-doping Policy of WADA
- 4) They fail to timeously meet their financial obligations related to the team's activity.

APPEALS

- 1) Appeals will only be considered by the National Selection Committee when received in writing with an appeal fee of R10 000.00.