

USMS CONVENTION – Greensboro, NC - 2005

Committee Name: Rules Session # (if more than one meeting): 1 Cmte. report #: **25**

Minutes recorded by: Kris Wingenroth Date/time of this meeting: Sat, Sept 17, 2005

ACTION ITEMS - PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

None

ACTION ITEMS - OTHER

See separate proposed changes to the Rules of Competition

Committee Chair: Leo Letendre Vice Chair(s): Cathy Casey

Number of committee members present: 15 Absent: 3 Number of other delegates at this meeting: 0

Committee members present: Tom Boak, Peggy Buchanan, Cathy Casey, Charlie Cockrell, Leianne Crittenden, Judy Gilles, Jan Kavadas, June Krauser, Leo Letendre, Dennis Mc Mannus, Jessica Seaton, Anthony Thompson, Bill Tingley, Kris Wingenroth, Bob Bruce: Ex-Officio, Sally Dillon: Executive Liaison

MINUTES

1. R-1 and R-2 from championship were MSA as an emergency and recommended for approval by the HOD. Should R-1 pass, R-2 will be considered withdrawn by the submitter.
2. The proposed changes to the Rules enacted by the USA-Swimming HOD were considered and MSA that they all accepted by USMS.
3. A review of the negotiations with USA-Swimming to allow co-sanctioned, intermingled meets was presented. A proposed changed to the Administrative rules has been submitted to Legislation that will allow USMS to sanction meets held with USA-Swimming as long as USA-Swimming rules are followed.
4. Proposed changes to the FINA Masters rules were discussed. USMS will submit changes to allow the 18-24 year old swimmers, limit the number of breaststroke kicks allowed in the butterfly to one per arm stroke and include the 400 meter and 800 meter relays in the list of recognized events. These will be submitted for consideration at the FINA meeting held in conjunction with the World Championships.

TASKS FOR THE UPCOMING YEAR