

Minutes of the Swim England South West Region Water Polo Technical Meeting, held at Swim England South West Regional Office, Castle Business Centre, Castle Road, Chelston Business Park, Wellington, Somerset, TA21 9JQ, on Monday, 9th July 2018

1. Apologies:

Stuart Noyce (chairman), Paul Robbins (President Swim England South West Region), Sarah Tomlinson (BWWPL representative), Yvonne Stead (Swim England South West Region's Club Development Officer), Chris Pryke (Dorset representative), Chris Ducker (Wiltshire representative), Anthony Stevenson (Cornwall representative).

2. Present:

Chris Elliot (Board representative), Roger Downing (vice-chairman of the Board), Martyn Thomas (specialist), Brian Steer (Devon representative), Phil Garrard (Finance Officer), Colin Hunt (Gloucestershire representative and South West Regional Academy Administrator), Norman Leighton (Swim England Talent Development Officer), Mike Coles (secretary), Stacey Millet (Swim England South West Club Development Support Officer), Simon Tomlinson (Somerset representative and Women's Head Coach), John Spicer (Men's Head Coach).

- 3. <u>Appointment of the chair for the meeting due to the absence of Stuart Noyce: Mike Coles</u> proposed Board representative Chris Elliot to chair the meeting. This was seconded by Roger Downing, and Chris accepted.
- 4. <u>Due to Stacey Millet having to leave the meeting early, it was requested that the item on Social Media, requested for AOB by Colin Hunt, be moved up the agenda and discussed at the start of the meeting.</u>
 - 4.1. CH went on to explain the difficulties he encountered in keeping in touch with all coaches, parents and players across the region in regards to the regional academy. He requested whether it was possible to create an additional Facebook page as regards to specifically targeting those people with regional academy business.
 - 4.2. Secretary Mike Coles suggested that rather then creating an additional page on Facebook, but in fact create a separate password-protected area on the main Swim England South West Region water polo section of the website, specifically targeting parents, where a password could be created for them to access this page, and enable them all to access information quickly and safely using the region's database system, and to take it one step further in enabling the water polo coaches at the academy and regional teams, to further access information on the pages as regards to medical issues and emergency telephone numbers, etc.
 - 4.3. We could then use the regional office for collecting that information and so knowing that this data was kept under conditions which conformed to GDPR, rather than being held on personal computers, etc., and in so doing protect the coaches and administrators of water polo.

4.4. Action Points: Stacey Millet agreed to work with the region's IT department to see what was possible and then contact the secretary, Mike Coles, and Academy Administrator Colin Hunt with a view to training, etc.

5. Question & Answer session with Norman Leighton, Swim England's Talent Development Officer:

- 5.1. Norman started his roundup by informing the meeting that former National Development Officer, Suzy Stevenson, had now left the organisation to take up a new post with Derby University.
- 5.2. The post of National Development Officer was now being advertised and was indeed on the Swim England South West Water polo Facebook page. The main points for the post were:
 - 5.2.1.1. Continue the implementation of the England Strategy for Water Polo, ensuring alignment with the British Strategy and that of Swim England.
 - 5.2.1.2. Develop an annual water polo implementation plan for Swim England (encompassing talent pathway, workforce development and participation).
 - 5.2.1.3. Ensure that there is a successful water polo development programme focussed on growing membership and entry into the sport (in partnership with the Swim England pathways team).
 - 5.2.1.4. Promote and be an advocate of the sport internally and externally in order to achieve greater exposure and attract additional resources.
 - 5.2.1.5. Lead on the development of the National Water Polo Centre in a 'Water Polo City' (Manchester).
 - 5.2.1.6. Develop and lead the implementation of a British Strategy for Water Polo
 - 5.2.1.7. Develop excellent relations with home countries' lead officers to deliver a joined-up approach across Great Britain.
- 5.3. Competition group was now in place in conjunction with British Water Polo League to deliver National Age Group Competitions and the British Championships thus avoiding calendar clashes in the future. Joanne Mountfield is now working with BWPL to organise these competitions.
 - 5.3.1. Secretary Mike Coles interjected at this point to say that it was a shame that the Wiltshire delegate was not present at the meeting, as Chris Ducker was also secretary of the BWPL and could maybe have given further insight into this.
- 5.4. Commonwealth Games are being staged in Birmingham but the likelihood is the water polo will take place in Manchester.
- 5.5. The Water Polo Management Group have had an excellent response from the new British Swimming CEO Jack Bugner, who has engaged and supported the performance end of the programme.
- 5.6. Future dates of the Inter-Regional Competitions to be confirmed.
- 5.7. International Transfers Norman informed the group of the necessity to have any foreign players transferred over through LEN protocol. For further information on this important piece of information, see Appendix 1.

6. Chris Elliot thanked Norman for his update and wishes him luck with his meeting with Sarah Godwin, Pool and Facilities Manager at Millfield School in preparation for the forthcoming National Water Polo Academy to be held there in August of this year.

Action Points: Advert for the post of National Development Officer to be forwarded on to Stacey Millet by the secretary, Mike Coles.

6.1.1.1. However, it is noted that applications for the post are now closed, so see little point in completing this Action Point now.

7. Minutes of the last meeting:

Held on 5th February 2018. These had been duly circulated amongst all members as well as being available as a download from the regional website. Proposed as a true record by Roger Downing, and seconded by Simon Tomlinson.

8. Matters Arising:

No matters arising as all items had been included on the Agenda.

9. Items for AOB:

- 9.1. Secretary Mike Coles asked that an item is included on the Finance Report regarding equipment
- 9.2. Chris Elliot requested that an item is included on Disabilities in water polo.
- 9.3. Roger Downing asked that Distance to Regional Academy be included.

10.Swim England Inter-Regional Competitions

10.1. Under 16s Boys, June 2018, at Liverpool

John Spicer, the South West Boys Head Coach reported: This was an excellent opportunity for young players to experience high-level polo, playing six games in two days, which will hopefully encourage them to seek out more training time to hone their skills.

After a slow start on Saturday, the boys gradually came together as a team, playing some excellent polo on Sunday winning both games. Henry Davis had an excellent weekend and was voted MVP for the South West.

Results:

SW 3 7 E Mids

SW 5 5 WMids

SW 16 Ireland

SW 65 Wales

SW 6 2 NW

SW 8 2 S East

10.2. Under 16s Girls, July 7th/8th July 2018 at Millfield School:

Simon Tomlinson, the SW Women's Head Coach reported: The weekend started with South West being drawn in a group with South East Solent, Scotland, London, North West Lightning & North East Steelers.

The morning started well with a comfortable 14-1 win against South East Solent, this allowed our players time to get used to playing together. Next match was against Scotland. A slightly tighter game which made the team step up and put the pressure on Scotland. South West win 9-3.

Into the afternoon session, next up was North West Lightning. The girls really stepped up

a gear and again won this match very comfortably coming out 16-2 winners.

Last game of the day was against North East Steelers who were also in beaten in the group. This was a very tight match with both teams having to battle hard from start to finish. The game ended an in a 7-all draw, leaving the two teams topping the group equal on points at the end of the day.

Sunday was an early start for our girls and we had to win our last group game v London to secure a place in the Semi-finals. Again the girls did us proud and won 9-2. South West finished 2nd in a group on goal difference to North East Steelers.

This set up a Semi-final against the other group winners Ireland. This started as a very close match for the majority of the game with Ireland just running away with it at the end, losing 13-5 and therefore heading into the Bronze medal match v North East Steelers as they also lost there Semi-final.

Bronze medal match was always going to be tight having already drawn in the group. A slow start from South West saw us going 3-1 down by the end of the first quarter. The girls then started to pick themselves up and play together really well, putting pressure on the physical North East girls. We started to claw the gap back and went into the last quarter 1 goal ahead. The girls kept there heads and at the final whistle South West were victors 10-8.

The girls worked hard all weekend and fully deserved the Bronze medal having played 7 matches winning 5, drawing 1 and only losing 1.

Jasmine Coleman from Devonport was the competition's overall top goal scorer and also voted most valuable player from the South West. Well done Jas.

The girls all deserve a big well done as they all stepped up when it mattered.

10.3. U18s Boys and Girls Jan/Feb 2019: Awaiting dates and venues to be confirmed.

11. SE SWR Inter-County Championships 2018 -24/25 Nov 2018 -Millfield

- 11.1. Entries and Increased Fee (already budgeted)

 The secretary wanted it confirmed before sending out the entry forms exactly what was being charged for each championship. It was confirmed by Phil Garrard, the Finance
 - Office confirmed that the price was set at £105.00 per team. The secretary informed the meeting that he would now put together the entry forms and get them out as soon as possible.
- 11.2. Issues were raised by Simon Tomlinson that for the forthcoming championships on the 24th and 25th November, that different tone whistles could be used on each of the pitches. Mike Coles said that he could purchase some more Pearl Fox 40 whistles for the attending referees to use.

Action Point: Purchase a dozen Fox 40 Pearl whistles for use at the region's championships.

12. Regional Academy Update:

- 12.1. Colin Hunt confirmed that he was speaking with Sarah Godwin, Pool and Facilities

 Manager at Millfield School that the dates that were available were now to be confirmed and once that confirmation received, then he would publish them.
- 12.2. Hopefully, by transferring to Millfield, this would elevate the long distances being travelled by teams in Cornwall and Devon, and this was confirmed to be more satisfactory venue then Hengrove, plus Millfield seemed to have a better administration in place compared with Hengrove, which again would make Colin's job much easier.

- 12.3. Head coach for the girls raised concerns as to whether all coaches were passing on recommendations for players to attend. Hopefully, this could be sorted by the new information being published on the region's website which was spoken about earlier in the meeting. Regional representatives were also asked to go back to their counties and clubs to make sure that recommendations were being put forward to the girls in the region about attending the academy.
- 12.4. Colin Hunt raised the idea of card readers being purchased by the region to make the job of collecting payments for the academies easier. It was hoped that this would go back to the finance committee of the region as a suggestion.

 Action Point: Secretary to write to the chairman of the region, Dave Flack, putting this suggestion of card readers.
- 12.5. A request for the purchase of new balls for use at the academy. This had been put in the budget at the last meeting. 10 Size 4 balls and 6 Size 5 balls would be purchased from Water Polo Market.

13. Finance Report: Appendix II

- 13.1. Phil Garrard, the region's water polo Finance Officer reported on the present financial position of the region's water polo. He was concerned of the loss but was reassured by the board's vice-chairman, Roger Downing, that the loss has already been budgeted for and that there was not a reason for concern, but actually praise on the turnaround made by the committee as a whole.
 - 13.2. A request was made by Simon Tomlinson for a grant to be made to the new water polo club in the region, which was affiliated to Somerset County of Yeovil. They are using a pool at Sherborne as well as at Yeovil, but at present do not have any goals. They have obtained money towards the cost from Somerset's Development Fund as well as the Swim England START programme. It was suggested that they contact the Regional Treasurer as it seems that an application for £500.00 would fit the criteria for a regional grant.
- 13.3. It was also agreed that a stamp is purchased for the use of re-entry at the region's water polo championships for people who had paid an admission but wanted to go out and come back in.
 - Action Point: A stamp be purchased for this use by Phil Garrard.
- 13.4. The purchase of a Card Reader had already been raised earlier in the discussions, but it was also suggested, together with the use of our own regional bank account, where payments could be made into, and the who amount then transferred to the main region's account, in so doing it would make the job of collecting monies, etc for the water polo a lot easier and save confusion for the region's treasurer of where payments were coming from and to who they needed to be allocated.
- 13.5. The secretary, Mike Coles, raised the problem of a lack of equipment held by the region for use in both national and regional events, and that the goodwill of the clubs had to be relied upon, and it was causing embarrassment. It was agreed that new cones, cap holders, ball holders and flags be purchased by the region for use at events either held or hosted by the South West.

Action Point: Secretary to investigate and purchase the necessary equipment.

13.6. It was further put forward that a set of timing equipment to be purchased by the region for again use at events held or hosted by them. This equipment could also be loaned out for club or county tournaments or competitions to further raise monies for its purchase. The total cost of the system would be around about £2,500. The secretary was advised to write to the Board's chairman, Dave Flack, to have the expenditure approved by the Finance Committee.

Action Point: Secretary to contact Water Polo Market to obtain the cost of purchasing the Stramatel Electronic Timing Equipment, which was a wireless system which would also comply with any introduction of new water polo rules in the foreseeable future.

14. Training Courses

- 14.1. Team Managers (Module 1) 28th Feb 2018– feedback
 Simon Tomlinson said that he had attended the course which was held at SWR offices at Wellington, and had been run by Stacey Millet. It had been an excellent well run and informative course.
- 14.2. Level 1 Coaches Course –March 2018 feedback
 Martyn Thomas had been the course tutor at this Level 1 Coaches Course, which had
 finished recently at Cheltenham. A number of new Levels 1 Water Polo coaches had now
 been added to a growing list.
- 14.3. A future Level 1 or Level 2 course was in the process of being put together, and would most probably be held at Plymouth Life Centre. A poll had been put out on social media to ascertain what was the most desirable need by the water polo fraternity.
- 14.4. A water polo Referees' Grade D course was at present being planned, and looking at probably February 2019 as the most favourable date in a busy calendar.
- 14.5. Martyn Thomas pointed out that there were very few water polo tutors around the country. Simon Tomlinson asked what was involved and said he would be interested in maybe becoming a tutor. Martyn agreed to pub this name forward to Swim England for consideration.

15. County Officers Reports:

15.1. *Cornwall:* A written report from Anthony Stevenson, the representative of Cornwall and a member of Penzance Water Polo stated: Water polo in Cornwall has remained the same over the last 12 months. There is only one regular senior team, Newquay, (Penzance will create a side to play random touring sides), and two junior sides (Penzance and St. Austell).

Newquay enters tournaments on a fairly regular basis, and Penzance and St. Austell junior sides only play once or twice a year against each other.

Speaking for Penzance, we always have around 40 kids aged between 8 - 16 yrs train every week, it would be nice to see other clubs in Cornwall beside Penzance and St.Austell have similar participation, as I believe this would be the only way for Cornwall to set up a league in the future.

The best way for Cornish players to get regular match experience is to travel. A number of St Austell juniors play for Devonport under 16, a few Penzance juniors play for Exeter under 16, and I believe a few Newquay seniors play National League for Exeter.

Travelling large distances to gain match practice is tiring and expensive, but a few committed Cornish parents are willing to do this.

With this in mind, can I request again to hold regional training closer to the middle of the region next year? It was an eight-hour round trip for Penzance players to travel to GL1. Young players from Cornwall must be given a chance to enhance their ability more

regularly and with easier accessibility. Regular visits to the academy will also help them gain greater experience, so if they are selected for south-west teams they will not be overlooked at regional tournaments.

Finally, we will try and enter teams at the inter-county tournaments again this year. I understand these will be in November or December, are the dates and venues available yet?

15.2. *Devon:* Brian Steer reported that they had introduced an Under-13 tournament in the county. They planned to hold three in the year, and this had included the Somerset team of Taunton Deane.

They were having problems with Ladies League in the county with only two competing teams in Exeter and Newton Abbot.

- 15.3. Dorset: No report from the Dorset Representative as he was on holiday.
- 15.4. Gloucestershire: Colin Hunt had taken over the position of county representative on the county's management committee after Phil Jones stepped down.
 Cheltenham had successfully held the British Championship Finals at Sandford Lido, and a team of Under 12s had successfully competed in the Manchester Festival and won the event.
 - This coming Saturday they were due to hold a master's event at the Lido.
- 15.5. *Somerset:* Simon Tomlinson reported that Weston-super-Mare was due to host a senior tournament at Millfield School, prior to the inter-county regional event, to enable sides to be selected.

He went on to express that because only Taunton had a junior representative and a ladies' team, it was unlikely that Somerset would send teams this year to the inter-county events, but rather hold internal competitions for their younger teams. This was still under discussion by the representatives of the county.

- A new club had been formed in Somerset, Yeovil, and they were affiliated to Yeovil Swimming Club who had recently amended their constitution to include water polo. They train at Sherborne and Yeovil, and they have been regularly having about 30-40 people attending.
- 15.6. Wiltshire: No representative at the meeting and no report had been received of activity within the county. However, Jim Robinson, of Bradford on Avon Water Polo was the assistant coach of the Girls Under-16 South West Team at the recently held Inter-Regional Event at Millfield.

16.Officer's Reports

16.1. Management Board Representative:

Roger Downing told the meeting that he had attended the Inter-Regional Competition at Millfield, and how impressed he'd been with the organisation and hosted by the South West, particularly with the work by Mike Coles.

16.2. Development Officer and Officials Officer:

Mike Coles, as both the water polo Development Officer and also the Officials Coordinator, asked that he joined his two reports together.

He went on to say that he'd met with the Swim England South West Region's Club Development Officer, Yvonne Stead and that they'd had a fruitful meeting. The South West made the biggest contribution to the Swim England START funding applications, and a number of South West Clubs had got successful funding from them. He mentioned the need for more officials, and to which end he was in the process of organising referee and table officials courses in the region.

16.3. Master's Report:

No representative to give a report.

17. Any Other Business

- 17.1. Chris Elliot raised the possibility of funding available for any Disabilities swimmers who were involved with water polo at club level. Discussion took place on the item.
- 17.2. It was raised that some form of recognition is given to players who represented the South West at water polo, which could be presented to them at school assemblies, etc. To be looked into. Formerly blazer badges were given. Maybe the possibility of a lapel pin!
- 17.3. The matter of travel for regional academies had been addressed during the meeting with Millfield now being the choice.

Meeting closed at 10.20pm

Dates of next meetings (please make a note in your diaries):

Monday 8th October 2018 Monday, 4th February 2019 Monday 8th July 2019

TRANSFER REGULATION

(UPDATED 29 MARCH 2014)

In addition to LEN General Event Rule E 15, the following

REGULATIONS

shall apply:

TR 1 BASIC PRINCIPLES

- TR 1.1 All Water Polo players registered with a club which is a member of a National Federation whether directly affiliated or registered with LEN, according to LEN General Event Rule E 14, are subject to the «LEN Transfer Regulations» except in case of Masters Water Polo Championships.
- TR 1.2 Every National Federation shall organise its internal transfer procedures by issuing transfer rules. A Federation's internal transfer rules shall, however, not stand in contradiction to the «LEN Transfer Regulations».
- TR 1.3 Within the context of these Regulations, a transfer between National Federations is a transfer of a player from a club of one National Federation to a club of another National Federation.
- TR 1.4 The term player means all Water Polo players men and women of all ages.
- TR 1.5 The transfers of all Water Polo players are concluded with the issuing of an International Transfer Certificate (ITC). The «ITC FORM No.1» can be ordered from the LEN Office by the National Federations. The «ITC FORM No. 2» is only issued by the LEN Office.
- TR 1.6 International Transfer procedures shall be concluded between 1st 30th January and 1st June 30th September of the year.

TR 2 STATUS OF PLAYERS

TR 2.1 In regard to the application of the «LEN Transfer Regulations» there are two categories of players considered:

- a) Non-contract players:
- o) Contract Players.
- TR 2.2 A non-contract player is a player registered with a National Federation without a written contract.
- TR 2.3 A contract player is a player registered with a National Federation who has a written contract with the club he is affiliated to.

TR 3 TRANSFERS OF NON-CONTRACT PLAYERS

- TR 3.1 The transfers of non-contract players shall be dealt with between the two National Federations on behalf of the clubs concerned. A non contract player (named hereafter a player) eligible to compete for a club affiliated to a LEN National Federation may not be registered with a club affiliated to another LEN National Federation unless the latter has received an International Transfer Certificate issued by the National Federation that the player wishes to leave and authorised by LEN.
- TR 3.2 The receiving National Federation shall ask for an International Transfer Certificate (ITC FORM No.1) from the releasing National Federation.

The releasing National Federation shall issue this International Transfer Certificate for the new club the player wants to join.

The new club the player wishes to join shall:

- a) send a copy of the International Transfer Certificate to LEN;
- b) pay a fee of one hundred and fifty (150) EURO to LEN.

LEN shall not authorise the International Transfer Certificate for the player before the fee has been received.

The player is not eligible for the new club unless LEN has issued the authorised International Transfer Certificate.

- TR 3.3 LEN, after investigation, may ask a releasing National Federation to arrange for an International Transfer Certificate to be issued, or issue a provisional certificate itself (see TR 3.4 below). In the latter case, the validity of the document may be expressly limited by LEN to a certain period or revoked by LEN at any time.
- TR 3.4 If, after a period of 10 days from the date of request by the receiving National Federation, the releasing National Federation, which the player wishes to leave has not issued an International Transfer Certificate or given a valid reason why it refuses to do

so, LEN may issue a provisional International Transfer Certificate (ITC FORM No. 2), thus enabling the player to play in the club of the receiving National Federation.

The player shall be eligible to play for the new club of the receiving National Federation immediately after LEN has issued the provisional International Transfer Certificate

- TR 3.5 A player shall not be authorised to compete in official events for the new club of the receiving National Federation during the 10 day period mentioned in TR 3.4 above.
- TR 3.6 The provisional International Transfer Certificate issued by LEN shall become permanent one year after the date on which the receiving National Federation addressed its request to the releasing National Federation
- TR 3.7 If a non-contract player becomes a contract player when transferring to another National Federation, the «LEN Transfer Regulations» for contract players shall apply.

TR 4 TRANSFERS OF CONTRACT PLAYERS

- TR 4.1 A contract player (named hereafter a player) eligible to compete for a club affiliated to a LEN National Federation may not be registered with a club affiliated to another LEN National Federation unless the latter has received an International Transfer Certificate issued by the National Federation that the player wishes to leave and authorised by LEN.
- TR 4.2 On behalf of the clubs concerned, a releasing National Federation on request from a receiving National Federation, shall issue an International Transfer Certificate unless:
 - a) the player wishing to leave has not fulfilled his obligations under the terms of his contract with his former club;
 - b) there is a dispute regarding the player's transfer between the club he wishes to leave and the club affiliated to another National Federation which he wishes to join.
- TR 4.3 Only the receiving National Federation representing the new club for which the player wishes to compete shall be entitled to request the necessary International Transfer Certificate for the player.
- TR 4.4 The International Transfer Certificate (ITC FORM No.1) shall be issued and duly signed by the releasing National Federation representing the club, which the player intends to leave.

- TR 4.5 The releasing National Federation shall send the ITC FORM No. 1 to the LEN Office, for the requested authorisation by LEN. After the transfer authorisation has been issued by LEN, LEN will forward a copy of the ITC FORM No. 1, to the National Federations concerned.
- TR 4.6 The new club the player wishes to join shall pay a fee of 750 EURO to LEN. Immediately after LEN has received the fee, LEN will issue the authorised International Transfer Certificate.

 This fee shall also be paid if LEN issues a provisional ITC (TR 4.9). If the new club of the player does not pay the fee, LEN will not authorise the ITC and the Federation of the club will be held responsible.

After receipt of the fee, LEN shall transfer the amount of 250 EURO to the releasing National Federation for administrative costs. This amount is not paid if LEN issues a provisional ITC.

- TR 4.7 The player shall be eligible to play for the club of the receiving National Federation immediately after receipt of the authorised International Transfer Certificate from LEN.
- TR 4.8 LEN, after investigation, may ask a releasing National Federation to arrange for an International Transfer Certificate to be issued, or issue a provisional certificate itself (see TR 4.9 below). In the latter case, the validity of the document may be expressly limited by LEN to a certain period or revoked by LEN at any time.
- TR 4.9 If, after a period of 10 days from the date of request by the receiving National Federation, the releasing National Federation, which the player wishes to leave has not issued an International Transfer Certificate or given a valid reason why it refuses to do so, LEN may issue a provisional International Transfer Certificate (ITC FORM No. 2), thus enabling the player to play in the club of the receiving National Federation.

The player shall be eligible to play for the new club of the receiving National Federation immediately after LEN has issued the provisional International Transfer Certificate.

- TR 4.10 A player shall not be authorised to compete in official events for the new club of the receiving National Federation during the 10 day period mentioned in TR 4.9 above.
- TR 4.11 The provisional International Transfer Certificate issued by LEN shall become permanent one year after the date on which the receiving National Federation addressed its request to the releasing National Federation, unless the releasing National Federation is reporting a dispute to LEN in accordance with TR 6.

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TR 4.12 Should the releasing National Federation report a dispute after a provisional ITC has been issued by LEN, the provisional ITC shall immediately be suspended by LEN until the case has been dealt with according to TR 6.

TR 5 COMPENSATION FOR A CONTRACT PLAYER IN CASE OF A TRANSFER

TR 5.1 When a club concludes negotiations for a transfer with the previous club of a contract player, or a player becoming such a contract player, the previous club has the right to claim compensation (unless this matter is regulated differently under international treaties).

This compensation shall be mutually agreed upon by the involved parties.

- TR 5.2 The releasing club may claim compensation for the cost of training. The compensation shall also take into consideration the age, together with the national and international value of the player.
- TR 5.3 If no agreement regarding the amount of the transfer compensation between the releasing club and the receiving club can be reached the National Federation of the releasing club may refuse to release the player.
- TR 5.4 Should no agreement be reached in regard to the compensation, the involved parties shall ask LEN to handle the dispute according to TR 6 below

TR 6 DISPUTES

- TR 6.1 Any dispute in regard to the LEN Transfer Regulations shall be decided by the LEN Panel.
- TR 6.2 The dispute shall be handled by the LEN Panel immediately after receipt of a fee of five hundred (500) EURO. The fee shall be returned to the claiming party if the claim is successful.
- TR 6.3 If a final judgement cannot be made within 21 days from then on, the LEN Panel shall take a provisional decision.

TR 7 RELEASE OF NO CONTRACT/CONTRACT PLAYERS FOR OFFICIAL REPRESENTATIVE MATCHES OF NATIONAL FEDERATIONS

TR 7.1 Any club that has registered a no-contract/contract player, irrespective of his age, who is ineligible to play for the National Federation of which the club is a member, shall be obliged to release this player to the National Federation of which he is a National and for which he is eligible to play, if he is selected for one of the representative teams of its National Federation.

TR 7.2 Rule TR 7.1 shall only be applied to:

- a) European Championships;
 - b) World Championships and;
 - c) Olympic Games;

as well as for the qualification tournaments of these events.

The period of release shall allow for training time with the national team. This period should not exceed 14 days before the start of the competition and one day after when the competition is played in a tournament on one site.

The period should not exceed 3 days before the date of the match and one day after when the competition is played on home and away basis.

TR 7.3 The request to a player to represent his/her National Federation shall guarantee insurance and medical cover.

TR 8 GENERAL CONDITIONS

TR 8.1 The International Transfer Certificate (ITC) is the only document to determine that the transfer of a Water Polo player between two clubs of National Federations, affiliated or registered with LEN, has been made.

The following information must be included:

- a) The name, signature, passport or ID card number of the player concerned:
- b) the signature of the releasing Federation together with the official rubber stamp;
- c) the name of the player and the name of its former club;
- d) the name of the receiving Federation;
- e) the name of the new club;
- f) the date of transfer;
- g) the contract signed between parties involved;
- h) the authorisation of LEN.

TR 8.2	Players coming from other continents to take part in European activities are under the jurisdiction of LEN. Such players will not fall under the current «LEN Transfer Regulations», when they register for the first time in Europe. However, when they move from one LEN National Federation to another LEN National Federation, the «LEN Transfer Regulations» shall apply for these players.
TR 8.3	If Players were not registered with any clubs member of a National Federation whether directly affiliated or registered with LEN and not having taken part in European activities during the previ-
TR 8.4	ous three years, the LEN Transfer Regulations shall not applied. In case of double registration, the first date signed by the player on the International Transfer Certificate should be regarded as valid. Disputes in this regard shall be handled according to TR 6.
TR 8.5	Players, clubs and Federations who fail to respect the «LEN Transfer Regulations» will be sanctioned by LEN as mentioned in Constitutional Rule C 16.

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CODE OF DISCIPLINE FOR WATER POLO

(UPDATED 28 SEPTEMBER 2008)

Date	Name	Category	Reference	Group	Income	Expenditure
4-Jan	Everyone Active	Pool hire inter counties U12 - 2 December		СС		£680.00
4-Feb	Roger Bossom	Intercounties - Referee - Expenses		СС		£88.20
4-Feb	lan Mair	Intercounties - Referee - Expenses		СС		£46.50
8-Feb	Chris Pryke	Intercounties - Referee - Expenses		СС		£21.06
19-Feb	Paula Manning	Intercounties - Table Official - Expenses		СС		£65.70
12-Mar	Millfield Enterprises	Intercounties Pool Hire		СС		£1,792.90
6-Oct	Dorset County	County Championships	WP - DORSET	СС	£400.00	
16-Oct	Wilts ASA	County Championships	ASA WP COMP	СС	£300.00	
1-Nov	Cornwall	County Championships	???	СС	£500.00	
1-Nov	Devon	County Championships	???	СС	£700.00	
1-Nov	Somerset	County Championships	???	СС	£400.00	
3-Nov	Gloucester County	County Championships	Bank payment (cheque)	СС	£700.00	
21-Dec	Mike Coles	Intercounties - Referee - Expenses		СС		£92.70
		Inter Counter Championships			£3,000.00	£2.787.06

£212.94

		Committee Expenses		£0	.00	£647.00
10-Feb	Mike Coles	Committee Expenses 5 Feb		Com		£76.50
5-Feb	Chris Pryke	Committe expenses 5 Feb		Com		£29.07
5-Feb	John Spicer	Expesnes Committee Meeting 5 Feb		Com		£81.00
5-Feb	Brian Steer	Expesnes Committee Meeting 5 Feb		Com		£27.90
5-Feb	Stuart Noyce	Expenses - various	Expenses	Com		£174.43
5-Feb	Chris Elliott	Committee Expenses 5 Feb		Com		£63.00
18-Dec	John Spicer	Water Polo Regional Representatives Meeting	Walsall	Com		£50.40
13-Oct	Sarah Tomlinson	Travel - Committee Meeting	Committee Meeting Wellington	Com		£40.50
9-Oct	Chris Pryke	Travel - Committee Meeting	Committee Meeting Wellington	Com		£28.80
9-Oct	Simon Tomlinson	Travel - Committee Meeting	Committee Meeting Wellington	Com		£4.50
9-Oct	Phil Garrad	Travel - Committee Meeting	Committee Meeting Wellington	Com		£15.30
9-Oct	Mike Coles	Refreshments (Pizza)	Committee Meeting Wellington	Com		£20.50
9-Oct	Mike Coles	Travel - Committee Meeting	Committee Meeting Wellington	Com		£35.10

-£647.00

2-Nov	Mrs J M Brady	Girls Regional Competition U14	WPU14-BRADY	IR U14	£60.00	
6-Nov	West Midland Region	Inter Regional Entry Fees Boys 04		IR U14		£350.00
6-Nov	West Midland Region	Inter Regional Entry Fees Girls 04		IR U14		£350.00
6-Nov	O Barber	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04	IR U14	£60.00	
6-Nov	Mr Robert M Coleman	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04/COLEMAN	IR U14	£120.70	
6-Nov	Mason KM	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04 MASON	IR U14	£60.00	
6-Nov	Tomlinson SE&J	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-TOMLINSON	IR U14	£60.00	
6-Nov	Allix LALGT&LA	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-ALLIX	IR U14	£60.00	
6-Nov	Southall&Gooding	Girls Regional Competition U14	WPU14	IR U14	£96.90	
6-Nov	N Roche	Boys Regional Competition U14	JONATHAN ROCHE	IR U14	£60.00	
7-Nov	K Powell	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-POWELL	IR U14	£60.00	
8-Nov	Seller C&SL	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIR0B04-SELLER	IR U14	£60.00	
8-Nov	R Ashworth	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-ASHWORTH	IR U14	£60.00	
13-Nov	Kille CJ	Girls Regional Competition U14	WPU14-COOPER	IR U14	£123.80	
19-Nov	Simon Tomlinson	Girls Regional Competition Kit		IR U14		£63.80
20-Nov	O Barber	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-BARBER	IR U14	£58.70	
20-Nov	Mason KM	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-MASON	IR U14	£58.70	
20-Nov	Downer P	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-DOWNERA	IR U14	£50.00	
20-Nov	Downer P	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-DOWNERZ	IR U14	£50.00	
20-Nov	Downer P	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-DOWNERA	IR U14	£22.90	
20-Nov	Seller C&SL	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-SELLER	IR U14	£34.80	
20-Nov	R Barnicle	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-BARNICLE	IR U14	£58.70	
20-Nov	C Jones	Girls Regional Competition U14	WPU14-E.SAUNDERS	IR U14	£60.00	
20-Nov	N Roche	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-ROCHE	IR U14	£22.90	
20-Nov	Allix LALGT&LA	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-ALLIX	IR U14	£58.70	
21-Nov	R Ashworth	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-ASHWORTH	IR U14	£58.70	
21-Nov	Kinsey DM		SW WATER POLO	IR U14	£120.70	
22-Nov	R Barnicle	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-BARNICLE	IR U14	£40.00	
	Simon Tomlinson	Girls Regional Competition Kit		IR U14		£36.90
25-Nov	Ruben Powell	Boys Regional Competition U14	Bank payment (Cash)	IR U14	£60.00	
27-Nov	Pitt AJ&J	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-PITT	IR U14	£60.00	
27-Nov	Pitt AJ&J	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-PITT	IR U14	£22.90	
27-Nov	Downer P	Boys Regional Competition U14	WPIRB04-DOWNERA2	IR U14	£40.00	

		U14 Regional Competitions			£1,855.90	£2,825.43
24-Jan	Waterpolo Market	Boys Kit		IR U14		£622.90
4-Jan	Sarah Tomlinson	Boys Regional Competition U14	Meal and Team Manager expenses	IR U14		£385.40
18-Dec	John Spicer	Boys Regional Competition U14	Expenses	IR U14		£452.34
18-Dec	Simon Tomlinson	Girls Regional Competition U14	Expenses	IR U14		£564.09
12-Dec	Pitt AJ&J	Boys Kit	WPBIR-KIT	IR U14	£13.90	
6-Dec	K Powell	Boys Kit	WPBIRKIT-POWELL	IR U14	£22.90	

-£969.53

19-Dec	West Midland Region	Boys and Girls Regional Competition U18		IR U18		£700.00
15-Jan	J Raymond	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01-RAYMOND	IR U18	£60.00	
15-Jan	S Cutler	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01 - CUTLER	IR U18	£60.00	
16-Jan	Dobbs SJ&Sam	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01 - DOBBS	IR U18	£60.00	
16-Jan	Berry Sally	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01 BERRY	IR U18	£60.00	
17-Jan	Mr Robert M Colema	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01-COLEMAN	IR U18	£60.00	
17-Jan	E Jones	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01/JONES	IR U18	£60.00	
18-Jan	Wagstaff FEN	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRGO1-GIRVIN	IR U18	£60.00	
18-Jan	Rossiter Y H	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01-ROSSITOR	IR U18	£60.00	
18-Jan	Tomlinson SE&J	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01-TOMLINSON	IR U18	£60.00	
22-Jan	MrPGGarrad	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01-GARRAD	IR U18	£60.00	
24-Jan	Marks David	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB04-MARKS	IR U18	£60.00	
25-Jan	Deposit	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB04 STEVENSON	IR U18	£60.00	
25-Jan	Hicks A & H	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRGO1MARTINHICKS	IR U18	£40.00	
25-Jan	Green RJ+J	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB201 GREEN	IR U18	£60.00	
26-Jan	Gloucester L	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB01 HUNT	IR U18	£60.00	
26-Jan	Hubble A & K	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB04- HUBBLE	IR U18	£60.00	
29-Jan	Deposit	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB04 BROGAN	IR U18	£60.00	
29-Jan	Kevin Felton	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB201-FELTON	IR U18	£60.00	
29-Jan	Frances Perkin	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB01 PERKIN	IR U18	£60.00	
29-Jan	Tomlinson SE&J	Girls Regional Competition U18	WPIRG01-HULLS	IR U18	£60.00	
30-Jan	L Manley	Boys Regional Competition U18	WPIRB201MANLEY	IR U18	£60.00	
31-Jan	Tom Bossom	Girls Regional Competition U18	Expenses	IR U18		£288.00
2-Feb	Simon Tomlinson	Girls Regional Competition U18	Expenses	IR U18		£246.69

5-Fe	Sarah Tomlinson	Girls Regional Competition U18	Expenses	IR U18		£904.11	
12-Ma	r Colin Hunt	Boys Regional Competition U18	Expenses	IR U18		£609.24	
		U18 Regional Competitions			£1,240.00	£2,748.04	-£1,508.04

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23-Sep	Simon Tomlinson	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - Hengrove	RA		£38.70
23-Sep	Sue Webb	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - Hengrove	RA		£110.00
26-Sep	Hengrove Park Leisure Centre	Pool Hire - Hengrove, 23 and 30 September	HENG018780	RA		£604.80
30-Sep	Roger Bossom	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - Hengrove	RA		£101.70
2-Oct	Roberts LJ	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-MROBERTS	RA	£50.00	
2-Oct	P Sanders	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-ASANDERS	RA	£50.00	
5-Oct	S Webster	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-FWEBSTER	RA	£50.00	
5-Oct	K Simon	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-MESIMON	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	C Jones	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-E.SAUNDERS	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	Rossiter Y H	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-KROSSITER	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	T McPhail	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-JMCPHAIL	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	Roche Trevor	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-JAROCHE	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	Woolley IM & LR	Boys Regional Academy	ASASWRA WOLLEY	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	Tubby MJ & CP	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-ATUBBY	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	Tubby MJ & CP	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-LTUBBY	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	Seller C&SL	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-JAMESSELLER	RA	£50.00	
16-Oct	M Willis	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-JWILLIS	RA	£50.00	
20-Oct	L Keary	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-TKEAREY	RA	£50.00	
23-Oct	Hengrove Park Leisure Centre	Pool Hire - Hengrove, 21 October and 11 November	HENG018821	RA		£604.80
23-Oct	S Tomlinson	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-NTOMLINSON	RA	£50.00	
23-Oct	No Name	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-DLOUW	RA	£60.00	
23-Oct	R Ashworth	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB_JOEASHWORTH	RA	£50.00	
24-Oct	Katrina Barankova	Girls Regional Academy	ASA SW DEV	RA	£50.00	
24-Oct	Dobbs SJ&Sam	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG A. DOBBS	RA	£40.00	
24-Oct	Cocking Karen	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB AARONCOCKING	RA	£50.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
24-Oct	Aspire Sports and Cultural Trust	Pool Hire - Boys Regional Academy - 11 Nov		RA		£580.00
24-Oct	Aspire Sports and Cultural Trust	Pool Hire - Boys Regional Academy - 28 Oct		RA		£580.00
25-Oct	Simon Tomlinson	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - Hengrove	RA		£38.70

25-Oct	Mr Robert Coleman	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-J COLEMAN	RA	£50.00	
25-Oct	Mr Robert Coleman	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-J COLEMAN	RA	£50.00	
26-Oct	Proctor Mark	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB SAM PROCTOR	RA	£50.00	
27-Oct	R Nile	Boys Regional Academy	WPRA B - A NILE	RA	£50.00	
27-Oct	R Barnicle	Boys Regional Academy	WPRABX2W+GBARNICLE	RA	£100.00	
28-Oct	Roger Bossom	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - Hengrove	RA		£135.90
30-Oct	M McNab	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB- BMCNAB	RA	£50.00	
30-Oct	Amanda Jones	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG AJONES	RA	£60.00	
3-Nov	Girls Regional Academy Trial	Girls Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£240.00	
3-Nov	Boys Regional Academy Trial	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£500.00	
6-Nov	K Simon	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-MESIMON	RA	£60.00	
7-Nov	Mr P G Garrad	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-JGARRAD	RA	£50.00	
10-Nov	Seller C&SL	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-TOBYSELLER	RA	£40.00	
10-Nov	E Dugdale	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-MTDUGDALE	RA	£50.00	
11-Nov	Jim Robinson	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - Hengrove	RA		£13.50
13-Nov	Gillard C P	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-BJGILLARD	RA	£50.00	
13-Nov	Daly K L & A L	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-KDALY	RA	£60.00	
13-Nov	Mason KM	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB HMASON	RA	£50.00	
20-Nov	Roger Bossom	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - GL1	RA		£135.90
20-Nov	Tomlinson SE&J	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-JTOMLINSON	RA	£50.00	
20-Nov	Tomlinson SE&J	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-HTOMLINSON	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Jonny Cruttenden	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Harry Davis	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	l -	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Charlie Brogan	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Alby Saniger	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Archie Foster	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Joe Owens	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
	Seth Harvey	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
	William Ford	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
	Kel folwler	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
	Edward Bancroft	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
	Michael Bancroft	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	

25-Nov	Isabell Morgan	Girls Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Fletcher Stevenson	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Murray Stevenson	Boys Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
	Millie Raymond	Girls Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£50.00	
25-Nov	Cash (£10 trial payment)	Regional Academy	Bank payment (Cash)	RA	£120.00	
26-Nov	Simon Tomlinson	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - Hengrove	RA		£38.70
30-Nov	Tracey harris	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG EHARRIS	RA	£50.00	
4-Dec	S Webster	Boys Regional Academy	WPRAB-TWEBSTER	RA	£50.00	
4-Jan	Colin Hunt	Regional academy Boys and Girls	Travel Expenses	RA		£267.30
10-Jan	N Ciappara	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAGGCIAPPARA	RA	£50.00	
15-Jan	H Jones	Girls Regional Academy	WPRAG-PJONES	RA	£60.00	
24-Jan	Aspire Sports and Cultural Trust	Boys Regiional Academy Pool Hire 20 Jan		RA		£606.00
24-Jan	Aspire Sports and Cultural Trust	Boys Regiional Academy Pool Hire 17 Feb		RA		£606.00
24-Jan	Jim Robinson	Travel - Regional Academy	Regional academy - Hengrove	RA		£13.50
2-Feb	Simon Tomlinson	Girls Regional Academy	Expenses 13 Jan	RA		£38.70
2-Feb	Simon Tomlinson	Girls Regional Academy	Expenses 3 Feb	RA		£38.70
3-Feb	Jim Robinson	Girls Regional Academy	Expenses	RA		£13.50
4-Feb	Hengrove Park Leisure Centre	Girls Regional Academy 20 Jan & 3 Feb	HENG019231	RA		£604.80
18-Feb	Colin Hunt	Girls Regional Academy - expenses	Expenses	RA		£45.00
11-Mar	Deposit	Boys Regional Academy	Colin Hunt	RA	£100.00	
12-Mar	Roger Bossom	Boys Regional Academy	Expenses	RA		£135.90
		Regional Academy			£3,840.00	£5,352.10

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16-Oct	E Simpson	Training - Referees Course	WP-REF-2017	Ref	£20.00	
27-Oct	Urban K	Training - Referees Course	WP-REF-2017	Ref	£20.00	
30-Oct	H Tod	Training - Referees Course	NEWPORT REF COURSE	Ref	£100.00	
30-Oct	City of Bristol SC	Training - Referees Course	WP/REF/2017	Ref	£20.00	
3-Nov	Rickards N F	Training - Referees Course	WP-REF-2017	Ref	£20.00	
5-Nov	Legacy Leisure	Training - Referees Course		Ref		£235.00
6-Nov	Damien Taylor	Training - Referees Course		Ref		£487.89
		Referees Course			£180.00	£722.89

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Total Income and Expenditure 2017-2018

£10,115.90

£15,082.52 -£4,966.62