



POLICY: STATE TEAM SELECTION PROCESS

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Purpose

This Policy emphasises the competitive nature of State V State competition and to promote this competition as the pinnacle of our sport. To select teams at this level we must select the best available paddlers and place them into individual categories so as to represent South Australia to the best of this State's ability.

Selection Criteria

Teams will be selected using the following criteria and weighting:

- Results from time trials
- Results of fitness testing
- Attendance at training (Club and State)
- Strength and fitness in boat work
- Paddling technique and ability
- Attitude to the Team and Team spirit
- Willingness to work with other team members
- Weight and balance of the boat
- Ability to paddle either side
- Ability to paddle anywhere in the boat – front or back

Team selection

- Will be selected by the appointed DBSA High Performance sub-committee members (consisting of State Coaches and Board member).
- Will be submitted by the Board for ratification.

Team entries

- Will be selected by the appointed DBSA High Performance sub-committee members (consisting of State Coaches and Board member).

Team Managers & Team Captains

- Appointments to these roles is to be ratified by the DBSA Board

Auroras

- A pre-requisite of being an Auroras' representative is to make yourself available for State Team selection.

Appeal Process

- As set out in the Policy #036 – AusDBF National Member Protection Policy.