

## GUIDE FOR THE WORDING OF DISQUALIFICATIONS

### MARSHALLING

- SW2.4.2 Violation of advertising rule  
 SW2.4.2 Not present when called  
 BL 8.1 Swimwear not FINA approved  
 BL 8.2 Wearing more than one swimsuit

### START

- SW2.3.2 Delaying the start  
 SW2.3.2 Wilful disobedience  
 SW2.3.2 Misconduct at the start  
 SW4.4 Started prior to start signal being given  
 SW6.1 Standing in/on the gutter/toes over ledge

### FREESTYLE

- SW5.2 Failed to touch the wall at the turn/at the finish  
 SW5.3 Failed to break the surface of the water throughout the race  
 SW5.3 Head did not break the surface by the 15m mark at the start/at the turn  
 SW10.5 Walking on the bottom of the pool

### BACKSTROKE

- SW6.1 Toes bent over lip/gutter at the start  
 SW6.2 Left a position on the back during the race  
 SW6.3 Failed to break the surface of the water throughout the race  
 SW6.3 Head did not break the surface by the 15m mark at the start/at the turn  
 SW6.4 After arm pull swimmer did not initiate turn  
 SW6.4 Left the position on the back and did not initiate turn  
 SW6.4 Not on the back when leaving the wall at the turn  
 SW6.4 Failed to touch the wall at the turn  
 SW6.4 Turn not made in the swimmers' respective lane  
 SW6.5 Swimmer did not touch the wall at the finish of the race while on the back  
 SW6.5 Touch at finish not made in swimmers' respective lane

### BREASTSTROKE

- SW7.1 Butterfly kick not during first arm stroke at start/turn  
 SW7.1 More than one Butterfly kick at the start/at the turn  
 SW7.2 Not on the breast at the beginning of the first arm stroke after the start/the turn  
 SW7.2 Left a position on the breast during the race  
 SW7.2 Incorrect stroke cycle  
 SW7.2 Non simultaneous arm movements  
 SW7.2 Arm movements not in the same horizontal plane  
 SW7.2 Alternating movement of the arms  
 SW7.3 Elbows broke the surface during the recovery/pull  
 SW7.3 Hand brought back beyond the hip line  
 SW7.4 Head failed to break the surface during each complete stroke cycle  
 SW7.4 Head failed to break the surface before the inward movement of the second arm stroke after the start/the turn  
 SW7.4 Non-simultaneous leg movement  
 SW7.4 Leg movement not on the same horizontal plane  
 SW7.4 Alternating movement of the legs

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### BREASTSTROKE contd...

- SW7.5 Feet not turned out during the propulsive part of the kick  
 SW7.5 Scissor kick..flutter kick..downward butterfly kick other than permitted in SW7.1  
 SW7.6 Non-simultaneous touch of hands at the turn/at the finish.  
 SW7.6 Failed to touch the wall at the turn/at the finish

### BUTTERFLY

- SW8.1 Not on the breast at the beginning of the first arm stroke after the start/after the turn  
 SW8.1 Rolled onto the back *Left a position on the breast during the race*  
 SW8.2 Arms not brought forward over the water  
 SW8.2 Forward movement of the arms under the water  
 SW8.2 Non-simultaneous movement of the arms  
 SW8.3 Non-simultaneous movement of the legs  
 SW8.3 Alternating kick  
 SW8.3 Breaststroke movement of the legs  
 SW8.4 Non-simultaneous touch of hands at the turn/at the finish.  
 SW8.5 Head did not break the surface by the 15m mark at the start/at the turn  
 SW8.5 Failed to surface with first arm pull at the start/at the turn  
 SW8.5 Submerged during the race other than at the start/turn

### MEDLEY SWIMMING

- SW5.1 Butterfly/Backstroke/Breaststroke in the freestyle leg  
 SW9.1 Incorrect Individual Medley stroke order  
 SW9.2 Incorrect Medley Relay stroke order  
 SW9.3 Failed to finish the Backstroke / Breaststroke / Butterfly leg in accordance with the finish rule for that stroke

### THE RACE

- SW10.2 Failed to finish the whole distance  
 SW10.3 Failed to remain in/finish in the lane swimmer started in  
 SW 10.4 Failed to make physical contact with the end of the pool at the turn.  
 SW10.4 Took a stride/step on the bottom of the pool  
 SW10.5 Walking on the bottom of the pool  
 SW10.6 Pulling on the lane rope  
 SW10.7 Obstructed/interfered with another swimmer during the race  
 SW10.8 Use of speed/buoyancy/endurance aid  
 SW10.9 Entered the water during a race not entered in  
 SW10.11 Feet not in contact with starting platform before preceding team member touched the wall  
 SW10.12 Team member/s entered the water prior to all teams finishing  
 SW10.13 Failed to swim in the order nominated before the race  
 SW10.13 Swam more than once in his/her relay team  
 SW10.14 Failed to leave the pool at the end of his/her leg in the relay  
 SW10.16 Pace-making  
 SW10.16 Device/Plan used for pace-making

### BY LAW

- BL 8.1 Swimwear not FINA approved  
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