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2017 NSW IRB Interstate Selection Advisory Working Group

Audience:	Club Presidents, Club Secretaries, Club Competition Officers, Team Managers, Coaches and Competitors.
Actioned By:	Members wishing to nominate for the 2017 NSW Interstate IRB Selection Advisory Working Group
Date:	23 February 2017
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Summary:	Surf Life Saving NSW is calling for nominations for the 2017 NSW Interstate IRB Selection Advisory Working Group.
Strategic Goals:	To invest in sporting pathways to ensure sustained participation.
Key Strategies	7.2 Provide clear educational and developmental pathways for members. 7.4 Provide lifelong opportunities for our members to be employable and develop valuable skills. 8.1 Increase participation in our sport and recreational activities at a grass roots level through structured and appropriately tiered programs. 8.2 Bolster developmental pathways and opportunities for our athletes, coaches, officials and administrators through the stages of their sporting life.
Action:	Nominate by completing the application form by 11pm Sunday 19 March 2017.

Surf Life Saving NSW (SLSNSW) is calling for applications from those wishing to gain selection as part of the NSW IRB Interstate Selection Advisory Working Group.

The Working Group is being established to provide NSW Selectors with supplementary information to assist in determining selections for the 2017 NSW IRB Interstate and IRB Development Teams.

Interested members should review the Terms of Reference and complete the application form by due date.

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Terms of Reference

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[SLSNSW Selection Policy](#)

[SLSNSW Athlete and Management Agreement](#)

1. Background

A NSW IRB Interstate Selection Advisory Working Group (referred to as the Working Group) is being established to provide NSW Selectors with supplementary information to assist in determining selections for the 2017 NSW IRB Interstate and IRB Development Teams.

2. Scope

1. Dependant on approvals, recommendations will be implemented as per these Terms of Reference timelines.
2. If no further input is required, this working group will be disbanded once SLSNSW has announced the NSW IRB Interstate and IRB Development Teams to compete at the 2017 National IRB Interstate Championships.

3. Review Dates and Timelines

Applications for the Working Group will be reviewed and approved dependant on expressions of interest. The Working Group application and review periods have been detailed below:

Review Stages	Dates
Review Terms of Reference (TOR) released	Thursday 23 February 2017
Working Group applications open (Online)	Thursday 23 February 2017
Working Group applications closed	Sunday 19 March 2017
Working Group members approved and notified	Friday 7 April 2017
Review period – Attend specific rounds of the 2017 NSW IRB Premiership	April – June 2017
Supplementary Selection Information submitted to SLSNSW on behalf of selectors	At the completion of each Premiership Round
Working group disbanded	At the announcement of the NSW IRB Interstate and IRB Development Teams

**Note: The Review period is subject to change, dependant on working group availability and priorities of other SLSNSW events and programs.*

4. Working Group

A maximum of three (3) applicants will be approved as the working group members by the SLSNSW President and Director of Surf Sports

All applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Be a current Financial Member of SLSNSW
- A minimum of 5 years' service with SLSNSW
- Have a robust understanding and extensive recent experience of the IRB competition as a competitor
- Have a general understanding of the National IRB Interstate Championships
- Be available to attend nominated rounds of the NSW IRB Premiership

Additional Working Group Members:

At the discretion of SLSNSW, additional members may be appointed to attend and contribute to the working group discussions from SLSNSW staff and committee.

Attending Working Group Meetings:

- The working group will not be required to meet face to face as all communication will be via electronic means
- A teleconference with the Selectors may be required

5. Working Group Roles and Responsibilities

This working group will not replace the role of the Selectors; however the intent is to provide supplementary information to selectors to assist with selections. This information could include, but is not limited to; current form of nominated competitors and suggested combinations for teams. The Working Group will have a requirement to attend the Premiership, submit supporting documentation and be available for a teleconference if required.

For the avoidance of doubt, the SLSNSW Selection Policy shall be referred to.

6. Amendments, Modifications and Variations

Terms of Reference: These Terms of reference may be amended, varied and/or modified as deemed necessary by SLSNSW at any time, dates and timelines are also subject to change.