## Circular 3508

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## **2017 Coaching Assessor Accreditation Nominations**

**Attention:** Club Presidents, Club Secretaries, Branch Officers & Coaches.

Actioned by: Coaches wishing to upskill themselves and gain an SLSA Coaching Assessor Accreditation.

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Summary	Nominations are now open for coaches wishing to upskill themselves and gain an SLSA Coaching Assessor Accreditation.
	To invest in sporting pathways to ensure sustained participation.
Strategic Goals	To provide high quality education and accredited training to our members and the community.
Key Strategies	<ul> <li>7.2 Provide clear educational and developmental pathways for members.</li> <li>7.4 Provide lifelong opportunities for our members to be employable and develop valuable skills.</li> <li>8.1 Increase participation in our sport and recreational activities at a grass roots level through structured and appropriately tiered programs.</li> </ul>
	<b>8.2</b> Bolster developmental pathways and opportunities for our athletes, coaches, officials and administrators through the stages of their sporting life.
Action	Apply via online nomination form. Nominations close at 11pm Sunday 30 July.

After a successful 12 months of rolling out SLSA's National Coaching Accreditation Scheme (NCAS), Surf Life Saving NSW (SLSNSW) now intends on increasing the number of Coaching Assessors within the state. This upskilling course is available to members who currently hold a Development Coaching Award and who wish to help SLSNSW to further improve both quality and quantity of Surf Sport coaches within NSW.

The Coaching Assessor Course will be accessible online, through SLSA's online portal, EtrainU. It will be available free of charge however, there will be a limit to how many nominations are accepted. This award is valid as long your Coaching Accreditation is valid. By undertaking this course it is expected that within reason, you are able to assess prospective coaches upon request.

## **How to Nominate**

- 1. All nominees must be a current financial member of a SLSC.
- 2. All nominees must hold a current Development Coaching Award.
- 3. Ensure you have a <u>SLSA Members Portal Account</u>. Please contact the <u>SLSA IT Help Desk</u> if you have any concerns.
- 4. <u>Complete the online nomination form</u>. No nominations will be accepted after 11pm on Sunday 30 July.
- 5. SLSNSW will grant you access to the Coaching Assessor Online Modules via the SLSA Members Portal.
- 6. SLSNSW will contact you when you have completed the online modules to arrange a practical assessment with an Assessor. You cannot participate in the practical assessment if you have not completed all of the online modules.
- 7. For further information please contact Tim Piper, Sports Development Officer (02) 9471 8000 or tpiper@surflifesaving.com.au.