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01 Introduction

This policy has been developed by the National Kyorugi Referee Committee (NKRC) to establish clear guidelines for Referee Presenters to:

1. maintain standards through continuing practice and professional development
2. ensure that Kyorugi Referee Course participants are provided with the most up to date knowledge.

02 Referee Presenter Base Requirements

The minimum requirements for candidates applying to become an AT Kyorugi Referee Presenter are:

- current AT membership and referee accreditation.
- three years experience as an AT National 1st class referee.
- have officiated at State and National level events for at least 3 of the previous 4 years as a National 1st Class Referee or higher.
- successful completion of the Sport Australia Presenter and Assessor Training Programs, or been granted a Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) by AT for other recognised Train the Trainer or Facilitator training.
- have assisted in delivery of a minimum of five (5) referee courses and presented sections of a referee course under supervision of an accredited Presenter.

Candidates must also be approved by State Referee Committee (SRC) and accepted by the NKRC.

03 Presenter Roles

Coordinate and conduct AT Kyorugi Referee education courses:

- coordinate courses in conjunction with state referee committee
- conduct courses
- provide coaching for referees

Perform assessments of course participants:

- conduct theory and practical tests
- perform assessments of individuals during competitions

Provide advice and support by:

- supporting and mentoring referees
- advising state referee committee members
- assisting potential presenters

04 Maintaining Referee Presenter Status

The Kyorugi Referee Presenter must maintain currency of practice in order to keep their status as Active by meeting the following requirements:

1. Maintain and hold current AT membership and referee accreditation
2. Present or co-present at least two (2) Kyorugi courses within each 2 year period.

3. Officiate in at least three (3) AT recognised Kyorugi events at State, National or International level within any 2-year period.
4. Attend at least one (1) AT update meeting, course or webinar annually.
5. Update Presenter/Facilitator skills by attending events such as conferences, workshops and seminars. It is recommended that this practice is done at least once every 2 years.
6. Within two years of gaining 'Kyorugi Referee Presenter' qualification, and every two years thereafter, update knowledge of Kyorugi competition rules by:
 - (i) Attending a WT International Referee seminar or refresher course; or
 - (ii) Attending an AT referee course as a participant or participant/co-presenter.

05 Accreditation Status – Active or Inactive

1. The Kyorugi Referee Presenter must maintain their accreditation status as Active to be able to present courses on behalf of Australian Taekwondo.
2. Should a Presenter fall into the Inactive status, the Presenter will not be able to present courses on behalf of Australian Taekwondo.
3. To keep status as Active, the Kyorugi Presenter must meet the requirements of Article 4.

06 Accountabilities

Implementation:	CEO
Compliance:	CEO
Monitoring and Evaluation:	Board
Development and Review:	National Referee Kyorugi Committee
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07 Who Should Know This Policy

1. The **Board** is responsible for the approval and maintenance of this policy.
2. The **CEO** is responsible for implementation and ensuring adherence to this policy.
3. All **Kyorugi Referee Presenters** should be aware of this policy.

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