RULES AND REGULATIONS COMMITTEE
URGENT COMMUNICATION

FOR ATTENTION: **ALL PROVINCES**
EXECUTIVE
NATIONAL JUDGES TECHNICAL COMMITTEE
SOUTH AFRICAN PROFESSIONAL SKATERS UNION

DATE: **25 AUGUST 2009**

RE: **REVISION OF STAR TEST PASSING SCORES FOR SINGLES SKATING**

The SAFSA Council resolved on the 24th of August 2009 to revise the minimum passing scores (scores that are underlined have been amended) for the Star Test as follows:

(A) EFFECTIVE FROM THE 20th OF AUGUST 2008

	BRONZE		INTERSILVER		SILVER		INTERGOLD		GOLD	
	JUVENILE		PRE-NOVICE		NOVICE		JUNIOR		SENIOR	
	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Ladies	Men	Ladies	Men
Part A	N/A	N/A	10.10	10.70	15.70	18.75	19.20	22.95	24.80	29.45
Part B	9.54	10.84	18.48	19.90	25.06	30.40	34.00	39.68	44.50	59.92

Any skater who failed a Star Test between the 20th of August 2008 and 25th of August 2009 that falls under a category that has been revised (the scores in the table above that are underlined) may request an accreditation for passing the test (either Part A or Part B or both) if the test score at the time meets or exceeds the minimum revised score indicated in the table above. Such accreditation requests must be submitted through the applicable Provincial Committee on the required form to the National Technical Committee Chairperson no later that the 30th of August 2009. The form must be accompanied by the "Skaters Detail per Judge" printout, the names of the Judges on the panel evaluating the test at the time and a written confirmation by the Referee of the test of one of the Judges on the panel that the printout is a true reflection of the test at the time and that the Total Segment Score has been calculated correctly.

(B) EFFECTIVE FROM THE 15th OF OCTOBER 2009

	BRONZE		INTERSILVER		SILVER		INTERGOLD		GOLD	
	JUVENILE		PRE-NOVICE		NOVICE		JUNIOR		SENIOR	
	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Ladies	Men	Ladies	Men
Part A	N/A	N/A	10.10	11.20	15.70	19.15	19.80	23.25	25.40	29.45
Part B	9.72	11.12	18.48	19.90	25.06	32.58	34.00	42.28	44.50	59.92

The scores listed in the table in (B) shall become effective from the 15th of October 2009.