

Appendix D

Wording for Disqualifications

Based on material prepared by the Ontario Swimming Officials Association.
Reference numbers refer to MSC Rules.

START

1. 4.1 Delay of start.
2. 4.4 False start.

FREE STYLE:

1. 5.1 Fourth stroke in medley was backstroke, breaststroke or butterfly.
2. 5.2 Failure to touch wall on turn at __m.
3. 5.3 Failure of head to break surface by 15m off start *or* after turn at __m.

BACKSTROKE:

1. 6.1 Hooked toes over gutter at start.
2. 6.2 Not on back during swim at __m.
3. 6.3 Failure of head to break surface by 15m off start *or* after turn at __m.
4. 6.4 Failure to touch at __m.
5. 6.4 After passing vertical, failing to immediately initiate turn at __m.
6. 6.4 Two or more arm pulls on breast at __m.
7. 6.4 Took arm stroke on breast prior to reverse turn at __m
8. 6.5 Did not finish on the back.

BREASTSTROKE:

1. 7.1 Two or more under water arm pulls before head surfaces after start or after turn at __m.
2. 7.1 Downward butterfly kick prior to start of first arm pull at start or turn at __m.
3. 7.1 More than 1 downward butterfly kick after start or turn at __m.
4. 7.2 Body not on breast before starting arm pull at __m.
5. 7.2 Failure to alternate arm pull and kick at __m.
6. 7.2 Alternating / Non-simultaneous arm movements at __m.
7. 7.2 Alternating / non-simultaneous leg movement at __m.
8. 7.3 Elbows above the surface of the water during swim phase at __m. (*i.e.* not during last stroke to wall, or during turn)
9. 7.3 Arms past hip line during swim phase at __m.
10. 7.4 Failure of head to break surface during each stroke cycle at __m.
11. 7.5 Downward butterfly kick (propulsive) at __m (during stroke part of race *i.e.* not 1st kick away from wall).

- 12.7.6 One hand touch at ___ m.
- 13.7.6 Non simultaneous touch at ___m.

BUTTERFLY:

- 1. 8.1 Body not on breast before starting arm pull at ___ m. (after turn)
- 2. 8.2 Underwater arm recovery at ___m.
- 3. 8.2 Arm recovery not over water at ___m.
- 4. 8.2 Alternating / Non-simultaneous arm movement at ___m.
- 5. 8.2 Arms not used throughout race at ___m or from ___ to ___m.
- 6. 8.3 Flutter kick \ alternating leg movement at ___ m or from ___ to ___m
- 7. 8.3 More than one breaststroke kick at start, turn or between arm strokes at ___ m
- 8. 8.4 One hand touch at ___ m.
- 9. 8.4 Non simultaneous touch at ___m. (one hand after the other)
- 10.8.5 Failure of head to break surface by 15m off start or after turn at ___m.

MEDLEY:

- 1. 9.2 Swimmers in relay swam strokes out of order.
- 2. 9.3 Did not touch wall, finish, in accordance with stroke rule at ___m.

RELAY :

- 1. 10.14 Swimmer swims twice in #__ and #__ positions.
- 2. 10.15 Relay team members registered for meet with more than one club.
- 3. 10.17 #__ swimmer left blocks before #__ swimmer touched at ___m (or Early takeover by swimmer # ___)
- 4. 10.19 Swimmers competed out of order.(See also 9.2 above).

ALL STROKES:

- 1. 10.5 Did Not Finish (climbed out of pool at ___ m)
- 2. 10.6 Swam or Finished in different lane from one he/she started in.
- 3. 10.7 Failure to touch at ___m.
- 4. 10.8 Walked or pushed off bottom in direction of race at ___ m.
- 5. 10.9 Pulled along lane rope at ___m.
- 6. 10.10 Interferes with another swimmer.
- 7. 10.10 Intentional foul.
- 8. 10.21 Wearing a pace-making device or watch during swim.

OPEN WATER SWIMMING

- 1. 6.3.1 Takes advantage of, interferes with, paces or drafting off another swimmer at ___m.
- 2. 6.4 Walking or jumping in the direction of the swim at ___m.