



COMMONWEALTH GAMES MELBOURNE AUSTRALIA
16th-25th March 2006

Selection Policy for Diving

1) Individual Events

1.1 Divers that place 1st at the 2006 GB Winter National Championships staged in Manchester *will be nominated for selection*. Second and third placed divers will be considered *for nomination for selection* and added to the team provided places are available and they meet condition 1.2 and are considered to be a realistic medal chance. *The NPD and JOP Manager will at their absolute direction determine the final team and the issue of medal prospects by reference to recent performances of Commonwealth Divers at competitions from the Olympics in Athens onwards.*

1.2 The top 3 divers MUST score the equivalent or better of 12th place (Finals) from the 2005 Montreal World Championships as set out in the table below. The scores have been rounded up to the standard required by the NPD. Note that 1m scores have been taken from Preliminaries.

2) Synchronised Events

2.1 1st and 2nd placed teams from the GB Winter National Championships in Manchester will be nominated for selection provided they meet the requirements set out in 2.2.

2.2 The 1st and 2nd placed teams must score the equivalent or better of 12th place (Finals) from the 2004 World FINA Diving Cup as set out in the table below. Following the new FINA Rules with Men doing 6 dives, the NPD has calculated the average of optional dives and added that to obtain a 6-dive total (based on the 2 required dives totalling 100 points).

Individual Events	Score Required
Men's 1 metre Springboard	348.00 (58 points per dive)
Men's 3 metre Springboard	390.00 (65 points per dive)
Men's 10m Platform	390.00 (65 points per dive)
Women's 1 metre Springboard	255.00 (51 points per dive)
Women's 3 metre Springboard	260.00 (52 points per dive)
Women's 10 metre Platform	260.00 (52 points per dive)

Synchronised Events	Score Required
Men's 3 metre Synchronised	290.28 + 63 = 353.28
Women's 3 metre Synchronised	266.19
Men's 10 metre Synchronised	297.90 + 66 = 363.90
Women's 10 metre Synchronised	275.94

Note

1. Obtaining the required placing and score does not guarantee Automatic selection: Commonwealth Games Aquatic Rules for numbers of Competitors in the aquatic team may restrict the team size. The English Commonwealth Games Council (CGCE) will make final selection.
2. Divers that qualify in both Individual and Synchronised events will take precedence over Individual only qualifiers since the best medal chances are in the Synchronised events.
3. All appeals of decisions of nomination to the CGCE will be dealt with under the ASA Appeals procedure for selection, which is the same process as operated by British Swimming. Details are available from the ASA Legal Department if required.
4. If a diver is injured or ill and cannot compete in the trials, they will be nominated for selection if:
 - a) No divers or pairs qualify in that specific event, and
 - b) The injured/ill diver has previously obtained the qualifying score at a major international meet from the Athens Olympic Games onwards.