

Examination Part A

Assessment of TD-candidate

Name:

Nation:

Date:

Competition:

Assigned Duties:

No	Criteria	Elements	Credits*	Comments
1	Cooperation with OC and teams	Ability to work with competition staff for assigned tasks, understands team requirements (waxing, ski testing, coaching zones etc),		
2	Knowledge of competition formats	Level of knowledge and ability to review & evaluate field of play layout and operational preparation		
3	Knowledge of Rules and Jury Guidelines	Familiarity with ICR and ability to use and interpret ICR and Jury + other guidelines in specific cases		
4	Knowledge of course preparation	Ability to review & evaluate snow preparation, track setting, and marking (both techniques)		
5	Skiing Ability	Able to ski all types of courses in both techniques		
6	Assured manner in Jury/Team Captain's meeting	Contributes to jury meetings, team player. Ability to explain a rule or jury information at a TCM		
7	Dealing with problems	Ability to react quickly with clear and constructive solutions		
8	Competition Control	Knowledge of infractions, ability to identify and react, can evaluate and advise on competition control set up, timing report.		
9	Communication Skills	Communicates in English, ability to communicate jury information to OC/Teams		
10	Feedback OC	Provides constructive feedback for OC. Feedback by the OC on candidate performance.		
Overall assessment by the TD				
Overall assessment by the regional coordinator				

- Each criterion worth 10 points: 1= very poor/lacking, 5=minimum acceptable, 10=excellent/very strong

Place, date:

Signature TD/Expert: _____

Signature Regional Coordinator: _____

Guidelines for TD/expert responsible for Part A Assessment:

The assessment of Part A candidates is a key part of TD education and is meant to be a positive learning opportunity designed to assess a candidate's readiness to be a TD by:

- providing direct experience with jury work,
- assessing the candidate's knowledge, skills and ability to work in a jury team
- providing constructive feedback on areas for improvement and preparation for the Part B assessment

The supervising TD/Expert has the responsibility to engage the candidate in different jury tasks to provide a broad exposure to jury and TD work. Some of the duties that may be assigned include.

- Pre-competition
 - Review start lists, FIS points
 - Prepare & organise documents for jury work
 - Provide input for Team Captain's meeting
 - Review and check information for timing report
- Review/evaluate:
 - OC plans and layout of ski testing / ski depot areas
 - OC layout and marking of stadium
 - OC grooming and readiness for competition by skiing course
 - OC marking of turning zones, technique control zones
 - Training day evaluation of tracksetting, turning zones, v-board placement in curves
 - OC infraction video control locations
 - Infraction video applying jury guidelines
- During competition – assigned tasks
 - Start / finish
 - Exchange zone
 - Course control
 - Classical technique zones
- Post competition tasks
 - Results checking
 - Feedback to OC
 - Provide input for TD report

A minimum of three assigned duties is expected involving practical tasks. Other's can be assessed as theoretical tasks or feedback from independent evaluation/opinion (i.e. skiing the course, suggestions for TCM, OC feedback, video control locations etc.) using the competition as a case study.