FIS SKI JUMPING

SANCTION & STATUS GUIDE 2026/27 - SIMPLIFIED WORKING OVERVIEW

> **KEY PRINCIPLE: Suspension is connected with the STATUS OF THE ATHLETE.**

1. YELLOW-CARD COMBINATIONS LEADING TO A RED CARD

MEN

CARD COMBINATION	CONSEQUENCE
WC + WC	Individual suspension + NSA -1 WC quota
WC + COC	Individual suspension + NSA -1 WC quota
COC + WC	Individual suspension + NSA -1 WC quota
WC + FIS Cup	Individual suspension + NSA -1 WC quota
FIS Cup + WC	Individual suspension + NSA -1 WC quota
COC + COC	Individual suspension
COC + FIS Cup	Individual suspension
FIS Cup + COC	Individual suspension
FIS Cup + FIS Cup	Individual suspension

WOMEN

CARD COMBINATION	CONSEQUENCE
WC + WC	Individual suspension + NSA -1 WC quota
WC + I-COC	Individual suspension + NSA -1 WC quota
I-COC + WC	Individual suspension + NSA -1 WC quota
I-COC + I-COC	Individual suspension

2. COMPETITION STATUS REQUIREMENTS

STATUS	BASIC RULE	PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENT
World Cup - MEN	Born in 2011 or earlier. Ski Flying: minimum 18 years old on first official training day.	GP/WC points OR at least 1 COC point (past/current season).
World Cup - WOMEN	Born in 2011 or earlier. Ski Flying: minimum 18 years old on first official training day.	GP/WC points OR at least one Top-15 result in I-COC (past/current season; WC Ski Jumping only).
Continental Cup - MEN	Born in 2011 or earlier. NSA responsible for qualification and hill-handling ability.	WC/GP/COC points OR at least 1 FIS Cup point (past/current season).
Inter-Continental Cup - WOMEN	Born in 2011 or earlier. NSA responsible for qualification and hill-handling ability.	Managed by NSA; no explicit point milestone requested.
FIS Cup - MEN	Born in 2011 or earlier. NSA responsible for qualification and hill-handling ability.	Managed by NSA; no explicit point milestone requested.

3. SUSPENSION RULES BY ATHLETE STATUS

- **World Cup status - MEN:**
  WC+WC / WC+COC / COC+WC / WC+FIS Cup / FIS Cup+WC: Suspension for the period of next 2 World Cup competitions (Individual, Team or Super Team; Mixed Team excluded) + NSA quota -1 at the next World Cup stage.
  COC+COC / COC+FIS Cup / FIS Cup+COC / FIS Cup+FIS Cup: Individual suspension for the period of the next 2 World Cup competitions; Mixed Team excluded.
- **Continental Cup status - MEN:**
  COC+COC / COC+FIS Cup / FIS Cup+COC / FIS Cup+FIS Cup: Individual suspension for the period of next 2 competitions at COC or FIS Cup level.
- **FIS Cup status - MEN:**
  FIS Cup + FIS Cup: Individual suspension for the period of next 2 FIS Cup competitions.
- **World Cup status - WOMEN:**
  WC+WC / WC+I-COC / I-COC+WC: Suspension for the period of next 2 World Cup competitions (Individual, Team or Super Team; Mixed Team excluded) + NSA quota -1 at the next World Cup stage.
  I-COC+I-COC: Individual suspension for the period of next 2 World Cup competitions.
- **Inter-Continental Cup status - WOMEN:**
  I-COC+I-COC: Individual suspension for the period of next 2 I-COC competitions.

4. SPECIAL SITUATIONS

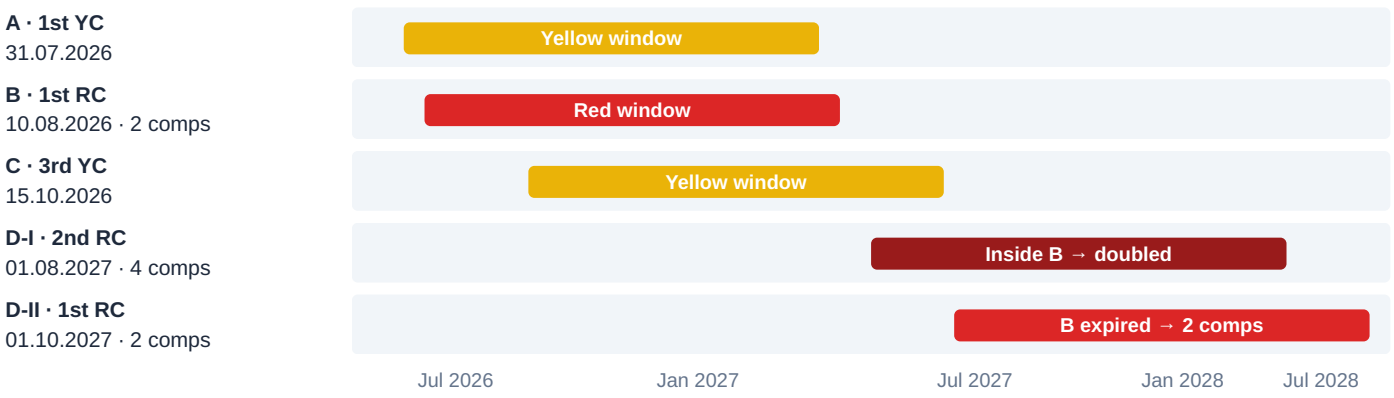
- **Championships / Olympic Winter Games (Major Events: WSC / SFWC / WOG / JWSC)**
  - If a World Cup-status athlete receives a Red Card prior to a Major Event (WSC / SFWC / WOG / JWSC), the individual suspension remains pending until the next FIS World Cup event stage. The NSA quota reduction (-1) applies at the next World Cup stage.
  - **If the athlete competes at the Major Event (WSC / SFWC / WOG / JWSC):** The suspension is postponed to the subsequent World Cup events, and the athlete is permitted to compete in the Major Event.
  - **If the athlete does not compete at the Major Event:** The suspension period remains active until the sanction is fully served in World Cup events.
- **Qualification, Cancellations & Mixed Team:**
  - **DSQ/NPS during qualification:** Athlete is disqualified from the competition for which qualification was held; suspension starts with the next competition.
  - **Mixed Team:** Mixed Team competitions are excluded when counting an individual suspension.
  - **Cancellations:** A cancelled competition also counts toward an individual suspension.

5. ADMINISTRATION / WORDING

- **Tracking Separation:** Yellow and Red Cards are stored separately for Ski Jumping (SJ) and Nordic Combined (NC).
- **Suspension Scope:** The athlete is banned from competing in all events (Individual, Team, Super Team, and Mixed Team).
- **Serving Sanction:** Only Individual, Team, and Super Team events count toward serving the sanction. Mixed Team events are excluded from the count.
- **Recommended Red Card Wording:** "Suspension period from xx.xx.xxxx till yy.yy.yyyy" and "The athlete is authorized to compete from xx.xx.xxxx".
- **Active List:** The active Yellow/Red Card list should be available on fis-ski.com (12-month period).

6. CARD VALIDITY: 12-MONTH WINDOW (WORKED EXAMPLE)

Worked example from the FIS guide



SCENARIO	EVENT	RESULT	ACTIVE WINDOW
A · 31.07.2026	1st Yellow Card	Active tracking / 1st YC	31.07.2026 – 30.07.2027
B · 10.08.2026	2nd Yellow Card while YC active	1st Red Card – 2 competitions	10.08.2026 – 09.08.2027
C · 15.10.2026	3rd Yellow Card while RC active	3rd Yellow Card / active tracking	15.10.2026 – 14.10.2027
D-I · 01.08.2027	4th Yellow Card while RC window still active	2nd Red Card – 4 competitions	01.08.2027 – 31.07.2028
D-II · 01.10.2027	4th Yellow Card after RC window expired	1st Red Card – 2 competitions	01.10.2027 – 30.09.2028

D-I and **D-II** are alternatives: the same 4th Yellow Card is either the athlete's second Red Card (given inside the Red window → 4 competitions) or counts as a fresh first Red Card (Red window already expired → 2 competitions). The 3rd Yellow Card (C) is still active in both cases.

7. PRACTICAL WORLD CUP EXAMPLES (MEN)

SITUATION	CONSEQUENCE
Engelberg - Red Card Saturday	Suspension: Engelberg Sunday + Oberstdorf; NSA quota -1 in Oberstdorf.
Engelberg - Red Card Sunday	Suspension: Oberstdorf + Garmisch-Partenkirchen; NSA quota -1 in Oberstdorf.
Innsbruck - Red Card	Suspension: Bischofshofen + Zakopane Saturday; NSA quota -1 in Bischofshofen.
Willingen - Red Card Friday	Suspension: Willingen Saturday + Sunday; NSA quota -1 in Lake Placid.
Zakopane - Red Card Sunday	Mixed Team is not counted; suspension applies to 2 individual competitions in Sapporo; NSA quota -1 in Sapporo.
Vikersund - Red Card Saturday	Suspension: Vikersund Sunday + Oslo Saturday; NSA quota -1 in Oslo.
Vikersund - Red Card Sunday	Suspension: Oslo Saturday + Sunday; NSA quota -1 in Oslo.

Official Calendar Reference:
https://assets.fis-ski.com/f/252177/x/0b3f0bf049/01-wc_calendar_jp25-26_men.pdf