



**ATHLETE SELECTION PROCEDURES  
2009 JUNIOR NATIONAL TEAM  
November 26, 2009**

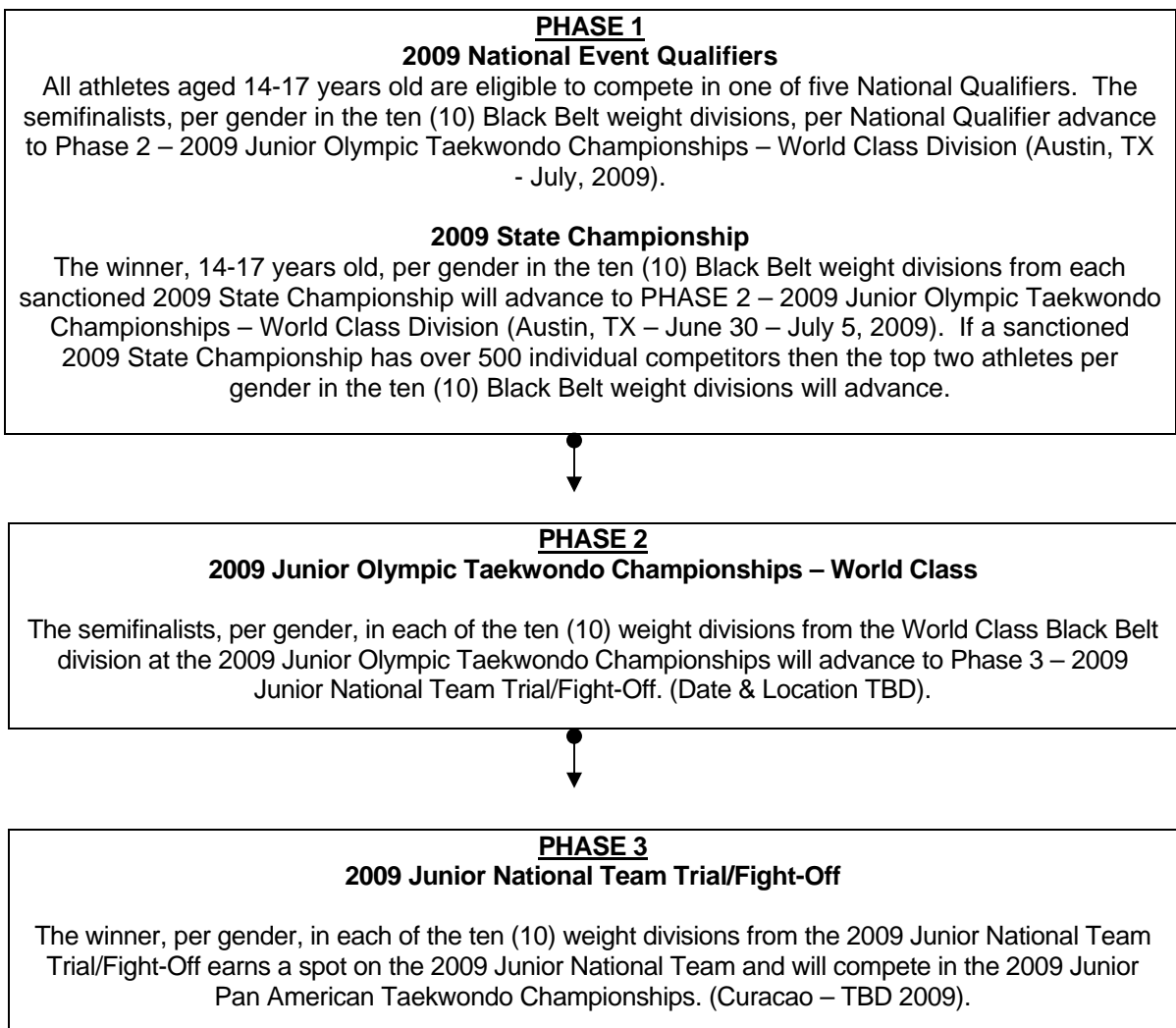
**I. SELECTION SYSTEM**

**Selection System Overview**

The athlete selection system for the 2009 Junior National Team is objective based through qualification events that include the 2009 State Championships, the 2009 National Qualifiers, the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships and the 2009 Junior National Team Trial/Fight-Off.

**2009 Junior National Team Selection Flow Chart**

Below is the 2009 Junior National Team Selection Flow Chart that includes the 2009 State Championships, the 2009 National Qualifiers, the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships and the 2009 Junior National Team Trial/Fight-Off.



- A. Provide the minimum eligibility requirements for an athlete to be considered for nomination to the Team:
1. Citizenship:
    - a. Athlete meets eligibility & nationality requirements as presented by USA Taekwondo in compliance with the minimum IF standards for participation (item I.A.2.).
  2. Minimum IF standards for participation (if any):
    - a. World Taekwondo Federation (WTF); Rules of Competition, Article 4. Contestants, Section 1  
[http://www.wtf.org/site/cms\\_file/images/default/0\\_99/20/wtf\\_competition\\_rules\\_english.pdf](http://www.wtf.org/site/cms_file/images/default/0_99/20/wtf_competition_rules_english.pdf)
      - Holder of the nationality of the participating team
      - One recommended by the national taekwondo association
      - Holder of Taekwondo Dan certificate issued by the Kukkiwon, and in case of any WTF sanctioned event, holder of Kukkiwon Poom/Dan certificate aged 14 through 17 years old based on the year when the Championships are held.
  3. Other requirements (if any):
    - a. Athlete is a member of USA Taekwondo in good standing.
    - b. Athletes must compete in the World Class, Black Belt division.
    - c. Athlete is at least 14 years of age by December 31, 2009 and no more than 17 years of age by December 31, 2009.
  4. Performance Waivers
    - a. None.

- B. Provide a brief summary outlining how an athlete is selected as a nominee to the Team (include maximum team size).

The **maximum** number of athletes to compete for the 2009 Junior National Team is twenty (20) - one in each of the ten (10) male & ten (10) female weight divisions.

**Weight Division Classification for the 2009 Junior National Team**

Men's Division		Women's Division	
Not exceeding 45 kg	Fin	Not exceeding 42 kg	Fin
Over 45 kg & not exceeding 48 kg	Fly	Over 42 kg & not exceeding 44 kg	Fly
Over 48 kg & not exceeding 51 kg	Bantam	Over 44 kg & not exceeding 46 kg	Bantam
Over 51 kg & not exceeding 55 kg	Feather	Over 46 kg & not exceeding 49 kg	Feather
Over 55 kg & not exceeding 59 kg	Light	Over 49 kg & not exceeding 52 kg	Light
Over 59 kg & not exceeding 63 kg	Welter	Over 52 kg & not exceeding 55 kg	Welter
Over 63 kg & not exceeding 68 kg	Light Middle	Over 55 kg & not exceeding 59 kg	Light Middle
Over 68 kg & not exceeding 73 kg	Middle	Over 59 kg & not exceeding 63 kg	Middle
Over 73 kg & not exceeding 78kg	Light Heavy	Over 63 kg & not exceeding 68kg	Light Heavy
Over 78 kg	Heavy	Over 68 kg	Heavy

[http://www.wtf.org/site/cms\\_file/images/default/0\\_99/20/wtf\\_competition\\_rules\\_english.pdf](http://www.wtf.org/site/cms_file/images/default/0_99/20/wtf_competition_rules_english.pdf)

The selection process for the 2009 Junior National Team consists of three phases.

Phase 1 - Athletes start the process to make the 2009 Junior National Team by qualifying from a National Qualifier or sanctioned State Championship into the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships – World Class Division.

Phase 2 - The semifinalists, per gender, in each of the ten (10) weight divisions at the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships – World Class Division advance to the 2009 Junior National Team Trial/Fight-Off.

Phase 3 - The winner, per gender, of each weight division at the 2009 National Team Trial/Fight-Off earns a spot on the 2009 Junior National Team.

- C. Tryout Events:

1. Provide the event names, dates and location of all trials, events and/or camps to be used as part of the selection process.
  - a. 2009 National Event Qualifiers
    - April 4 - 5, 2009 - Kissimmee, FL
    - April 18 -19, 2009 - Buffalo, NY
    - April 25 - 26, 2009 - Austin, TX

- May 9 - 10, 2009 - San Jose, CA
  - May 16 -17, 2009 - Colorado Springs, CO
- b. 2009 Sanctioned State Tournaments
- Dates & Locations to be determined.
  - View USAT website at [http://www.usa-taekwondo.us/event?tag\\_id=3267](http://www.usa-taekwondo.us/event?tag_id=3267) for current list.
- c. 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships – World Class Division
- June 30 – July 5, 2009 – Austin, TX
- d. 2009 Junior National Team Trial/Fight-Off
- Date and Location - TBD

2. Provide event names, dates, locations and description of how athletes qualify for any “preliminary or qualifying” events or procedures that are prerequisites to attend any of the events listed above in C. 1 (if any).

- All USAT members who meet the eligibility criteria are eligible.

D. Provide a comprehensive, step-by-step description of the method that explains how athletes will go through the selection process to become team nominees.

### **PHASE #1: 2009 National Event Qualifiers**

Phase #1 represents the first step in making the 2009 Junior National Team that starts with the 2009 National Qualifiers and the 2009 sanctioned State Championships. All athletes meeting the eligibility criteria in listed in section A of this document are eligible to compete.

- April 4 - 5, 2009 - Kissimmee, FL
- April 18 -19, 2009 - Buffalo, NY
- April 25 - 26, 2009 - Austin, TX
- May 9 - 10, 2009 - San Jose, CA
- May 16 -17, 2009 - Colorado Springs, CO

The semifinalists, per gender in the ten (10) weight divisions from each of the 2009 National Event Qualifiers advance to Phase 2 – 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships - World Class (June 30 – July 5, 2009 – Austin, Texas).

### **2009 Sanctioned State Championships**

Phase #1 also represents the 2009 Sanctioned State Championships.

- Dates & Locations to be determined.
- View USAT website at [http://www.usa-taekwondo.us/event?tag\\_id=3267](http://www.usa-taekwondo.us/event?tag_id=3267) for current list.

The winner, per gender in the ten (10) weight divisions, male and female, from each 2009 Sanctioned State Championship will advance to PHASE 2 – 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships - World Class (June 30 – July 5, 2009 – Austin, Texas). If a sanctioned 2009 State Championship has over 500 individual competitors then the finalists per gender in the ten (10) Black Belt weight divisions will advance.

A competitor that has qualified through a 2009 National Qualifier Event may qualify only once within the same weight division for the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships, World Class Division. Once a competitor has qualified for the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships - World Class Division through a 2009 National Qualifier, they **WILL NOT** be allowed to compete in other 2009 National Qualifier tournaments or 2009 Sanctioned State Championships within the same weight division. These athletes will, however, be allowed to compete and qualify in a different weight division at these events.

A competitor that has qualified for the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships, World Class Division at a 2009 Sanctioned State Championship may compete at a 2009 National Qualifier in the same division in which he/she has already qualified in an attempt to better his/her seed. These athletes, who have already qualified at a sanctioned state championship however, cannot compete in the same division at a different Sanctioned State Championship.

All athletes who qualify in two weight divisions must declare, by the late registration deadline of the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships, as to which weight division they will participate.

Athletes cannot participate in more than one weight division at the Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships.

In past years, the winner of the Elite Open division (now called the Grassroots Division) at the Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships advanced to the World Class division. This athlete will no longer advance to World Class. If an athlete wants to qualify for the World Class Division of the Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships they must do so through either the 2009 Sanctioned State Championships or the 2009 National Qualifiers.

### **Competition Format – Single Elimination**

In Phase 1, all tournaments will be single elimination format. In single elimination format, the loser of each match is immediately eliminated from the competition bracket.

### **Seeding Criteria**

In Phase 1, there will be no seeding criteria. All athletes will be seeded randomly.

Athletes for these tournaments will bear all expenses including entry fee, airfare, ground

transportation and room and board.

### **PHASE #2: 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships**

The semifinalists (male & female) in the ten (10) weight divisions from each of the 2009 National Qualifiers, the winner (male & female) in the ten (10) weight divisions from each 2009 sanctioned State Championship with 500 or less competitors and the finalists (male & female) in the ten (10) weight divisions from each 2009 Sanctioned State Championship with more than 500 competitors will compete in PHASE 2 – 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships - World Class Division (Austin, TX – June 30 – July 5, 2009).

The semifinalists, per gender, in each of the ten (10) weight divisions at the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships – World Class Division advance to the 2009 Junior National Team Trial/Fight-Off.

### **Competition Format – Single Elimination**

Phase 2 will be single elimination format. In single elimination format, the loser of each match is immediately eliminated from the competition bracket.

### **Seeding Criteria**

Athletes qualifying through a National Qualifier or a Sanctioned State Championship are required to compete in the SAME weight division in which they qualified for Phase 2 - 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships – World Class. Athletes who qualify in two weight divisions must declare, by the late registration deadline of the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships, as to which weight division they will participate.

Athletes will be seeded based upon their finish in the 2009 National Qualifiers and Sanctioned State Championships.

Seeding for each weight division will be administered by the prioritized list below:

1. The 2008 Junior World Championships Team Member, competing in the same weight division as they were in the 2008 World Junior Championships Team Trial/Fight-Off.
2. This is followed by a random draw of all remaining 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers from the 2008 World Junior Championships Team Trial/Fight-Off with the first draw being the higher of the remaining seeds continuing until there are no more 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers to be seeded.
3. This is followed by all 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers from the 2008 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships – World Class Division, competing in the same weight division as they were in the 2008 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships.
4. This is followed by a random draw of all remaining 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers from the 2008 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships with the first draw being the higher of the remaining seeds continuing until there are no more 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers to be seeded.

5. A random draw of all 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers from the 2009 National Qualifiers with the first draw being the higher of the remaining seeds continuing until there are no more 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers to be seeded.
6. This is followed by a random draw of all 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishers from the 2009 National Qualifiers with the first draw being the higher of the remaining seeds continuing until there are no more 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishers to be seeded.
7. This is followed by a random draw of all 3<sup>rd</sup> place finishers from the 2009 National Qualifiers with the first draw being the higher of the remaining seeds continuing until there are no more 3<sup>rd</sup> place finishers to be seeded.
8. This is followed by a random draw of all 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers from a Sanctioned State Championship with the first draw being the higher of the remaining seeds continuing until there are no more 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers to be seeded
9. This is followed by a random draw of all 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishers from a Sanctioned State Championship with the first draw being the higher of the remaining seeds and progressing until the final seed is set.

The draws will be completed after weigh-in by members of the USA Taekwondo Staff.

Athletes for these tournaments will bear all expenses including entry fee, airfare, ground transportation and room and board.

### **Phase 3 – 2009 Junior National Team Trial/Fight-Off**

The semifinalists, per gender, in each of the ten (10) weight divisions at the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships – World Class Division are eligible to compete in the 2009 Junior National Team Trial/Fight-Off. Eligible athletes MUST compete in the same weight division in which they qualified at the 2009 Junior Olympic Taekwondo Championships – World Class Division.

The first and second place finishers from the 2009 Junior National Team Trial tournament will advance to the 2009 Junior National Team Fight-Off that will occur on the same dates immediately following the conclusion of the round robin matches.

The winner in the ten (10) weight divisions, per gender (male and female) from the 2009 Junior National Team Fight-Off earns a spot on the 2009 Junior National Team and will be invited participate in the 2009 Junior Pan American Taekwondo Championships (Curacao – TBD, 2009).

Athletes for this tournament will bear all expenses including entry fee, airfare, ground transportation and room and board.

### **Competition Format – Round Robin Explanation**

The round robin tournament format consists of all individuals playing each other one time. The round robin schedule has fixed schedules; all athletes know exactly who they play and what time they play them, which offers some advantage to athletes in preparing for the tournament and upcoming games. Seeding does not affect the outcome because the cumulative results of all games played determine final standings.

The top two finishers of the 2009 Junior National Team Trial will advance to the 2009 Junior National Team Fight-Off that will occur on the same dates immediately following the conclusion of the round robin matches. The group winner only needs to beat the second place group athlete once to advance, while the second place group athlete will need to beat the group winner twice to advance. In the case of a tie at the end of regulation, standard sudden death regulations apply. The winner in each weight division of the 2009 Junior National Team Fight-Off earns a spot on the 2009 Junior National Team.

### **The Drawing of Lots**

The Drawing of Lots will take place at registration as each athlete checks-in for the event. Each weight division will have a separate bag with a ping pong ball with the number of seeds competing within the weight division. Each athlete will pick one ping pong ball from the bag which will be their corresponding seed. The seed of the athlete will be represented on the schedule which will be dispersed to the athletes at registration. The drawing of lots will be completed for each weight division. If a pre-registered athlete does not show for weigh-in or does not make weight, his or her matches corresponding with his or her seed will remain in the schedule and no result will be determined for those matches.

ROUND 1:        1 v 4        2 v 3  
ROUND 2:        1 v 3        4 v 2  
ROUND 3:        1 v 2        3 v 4

The following tie-breaking procedure will be administered to determine the top finishers should this scenario arise.

### **TIE BREAKING PROCEDURES**

1. 2 way tie: This tie will be broken based upon head-to-head competition in PHASE #2. If only two athletes have identical records, then the winner of the previous head-to-head competition from the round robin shall be designated the number one seed.
2. 3 way tie: Each athlete will participate in the drawing of lots to determine the fight match-ups which will be as follows;
  - Match #1 – Draw B v. Draw C
  - Draw A receives a bye
  - Match #2 – Winner of Match #1 v. Draw A
  - Match #2 – Winner is the 1<sup>st</sup> place finisher for the Round Robin portion of the tournament.
  - Match #2 – Loser is the 2<sup>nd</sup> place finisher for the Round Robin portion of the tournament.
  - Match #1 – Loser is the 3<sup>rd</sup> place finisher for the Round Robin portion of the tournament and eliminated from the Fight-Off.

E. Provide the names of all committees/groups who oversee the selection process, including the name(s) and role(s) of their members.

- Mark Kaufmann, Director of Events, USA Taekwondo
- Meredith Miller, High Performance Manager, USA Taekwondo

## II. DISCRETIONARY SELECTION (if applicable)

A. Provide rationale for utilizing discretionary selection (if any):

NA

B. Discretionary Selection Committee

1. Provide the name of the committee(s) that will be responsible for discretionary selection.

NA

2. Provide a complete list of the members of the committee(s), their titles and their NGB role that qualifies them to serve in this capacity.

NA

## III. REMOVAL OF ATHLETES

A. An athlete who is to be nominated to the team by USA Taekwondo may be removed from the nominations for any of the following reasons, as determined by USA Taekwondo:

- Voluntary withdrawal. Athlete shall submit a written letter to USA Taekwondo's CEO/Executive Director.
- Injury or illness as certified by USAT physician (or medical staff). If an athlete refuses verification of their illness or injury by a USAT physician (or medical staff), their injury will be assumed to be disabling and they may be removed.
- Violation of the NGB's Code of Conduct. (Attachment A)  
An athlete who may be removed from the Team pursuant to this provision has the right to a hearing per the NGB's Constitution and Bylaws (USAT Bylaws, Section 15, Complaint Procedures).

B. An athlete may be removed from Nomination or from the Team at any time for violation of WADA, WTF, and/or USADA anti-doping protocol, policies and procedures. In such instances, the adjudication process will be managed through the United States Anti-Doping Agency.

#### IV. REPLACEMENT OF ATHLETES

- A. Describe the process by which the replacement pool of athletes will be identified:

The second place athlete from Phase 3 – 2009 Junior National Team Trial/Fight-Off from the **same weight** division of the athlete to be replaced is the replacement. If the replacement athlete is not available, then the 3<sup>rd</sup> place finisher becomes the next eligible athlete. If the 3<sup>rd</sup> place finisher is not available, then the 4<sup>th</sup> place finisher becomes the next eligible athlete. This continues until there are no eligible athletes in the same weight division at Phase 3. If by then, no athlete is available, the spot remains vacant. All ties between athletes will be broken with head to head results.

- B. Identify the group or committee that will be responsible for making athlete replacement determinations:

- i. Group or committee who determines the replacement pool:

NA

- ii. Group or committee who determines a replacement to the team:

NA

#### V. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

USA Taekwondo will retain all supporting documents, including scouting or evaluation forms, etc., and data from the selection process for six months past the date of the 2009 Junior Pan American Taekwondo Championships.

#### VI. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

The following documents are required to be signed by an athlete as a condition of nomination in the 2009 Junior National Team, and are included as attachments:

- Code of Conduct (Attachment A)

## **VII. PUBLICITY/DISTRIBUTION OF PROCEDURES**

The USAT approved Selection Procedures (complete and unaltered) will be posted/published by USA Taekwondo in the following locations and will include the USAT approval date:

- A. NGB website: [www.usa-taekwondo.us](http://www.usa-taekwondo.us)  
The website information will be posted as soon as possible, but not more than 5 business days following notice of approval by the USOC.
- B. NGB Official Publication (if any): USAT E-Newsletter – USA Taekwondo News
- C. Other: USAT membership email distribution system via Hang-a-Star Membership system

## **VIII. DATE OF NOMINATION**

NA

## **IX. MANDATORY TRAINING AND/OR COMPETITION**

Specify the location, schedule and duration of mandatory training and/or competition:

NA

## **X. ANTI-DOPING REQUIREMENTS**

Athletes must adhere to all IOC, WADA, WTF, USADA and USOC anti-doping protocols, policies and procedures. This includes participation in out of competition testing as required by the IOC, WADA, WTF, USADA and USOC Rules.

## **XI. DEVELOPMENT OF SELECTION PROCEDURES**

The following committee/group (include names and titles) were responsible for creating these Selection Procedures:

- Eric Laurin, USOC/AAC representative, USA Taekwondo
- Meredith Miller, High Performance Manager, USA Taekwondo
- Eddie Yoon, Director of National Programs
- Jean Lopez, National Team Coach, USA Taekwondo
- Juan Moreno, National Team Coach, USA Taekwondo

## **XII. NGB BYLAWS AND GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES**

The USA Taekwondo Bylaws and Grievance Procedures can be found: <http://www.usa-taekwondo.us/USATaekwondoBylawsv6.pdf>

## **XIII. INTERNATIONAL DISCLAIMER**

These procedures are based on IOC and/or World Taekwondo Federation (WTF) rules and regulations as presently known and understood. Any change in the selection procedures caused by a change in IOC and/or WTF rules and regulations will be distributed to the affected athletes immediately. The selection criteria are based on the latest information available to USA Taekwondo. However, the selections are always subject to unforeseen, intervening circumstances, and realistically may not have accounted for every possible contingency.

## **XIV. ATHLETE OMBUDSMAN**


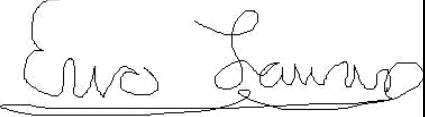
Athletes who have questions regarding their opportunity to compete that are not answered by USA Taekwondo may contact the USOC Athlete Ombudsman: John W. Ruger by:

- Toll free telephone at (888) ATHLETE
- E-mail at [john.ruger@usoc.org](mailto:john.ruger@usoc.org)
- [www.888athlete.org](http://www.888athlete.org)

## XV. NGB SIGNATURES

I certify that I have read, understand and incorporated our IF standards/criteria into our Selection Procedures and that the information provided herein regarding Athlete Selection Procedures represents the method approved by USA Taekwondo.

### 2009 Junior National Team Procedures

Position	Print Name	Signature	Date
NGB President or Executive Director	DAVID ASKINAS		DEC. 17-08
Nat. Team Coach, Head Coach, or Nat. Program Director	MEREDITH MILLER		DEC. 17-08
USOC Athletes' Advisory Council Representative*	ERIC LAURIN		DEC 15-08

\*If USOC AAC Representative has delegated authority to the Alternate AAC Representative to sign the Selection Procedures, attach a letter from the AAC Representative indicating the reason he/she has delegated authority.

#### USOC USE ONLY

Date Original Procedures Rec'd _____	Date of USOC Approval _____
Date Revision Submitted _____	

## ATTACHMENT - A

### USA Taekwondo Code of Conduct

#### ATHLETE PLEDGE

I pledge to uphold the spirit of the USA Taekwondo Code of Conduct (the “Code”), which offers a guide to my conduct as a member of the US Junior National Team (the “Team”). I acknowledge that I have a right to a hearing if my opportunity to compete is denied or if I am charged with a violation of this Code.

I have familiarized myself with the Code and understand that acceptance of its provisions is a condition of my selection to the US Junior National Team.

#### **As a Member of the Team, I hereby promise and agree that I:**

- will abide by all rules related to the Team selection procedures as approved by USA Taekwondo;
- have acted and will act in a sportsmanlike manner consistent with the spirit of fair play and responsible conduct;
- will maintain a level of fitness and competitive readiness that will permit my performance to be at the maximum of my abilities;
- will not commit a doping violation as defined by the International Olympic Committee (IOC), World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA), the United States Anti-Doping Agency (USADA), the United States Olympic Committee (USOC) or the World Taekwondo Federation rules;
- am not currently serving a doping violation and/or do not have a pending or unresolved doping charge;
- will not engage in any conduct that is criminal under any laws applicable to me, including, but not limited to laws governing the possession and use of drugs and alcohol and providing of drugs to any person and of alcohol to minors;
- am eligible to compete under the rules of the World Taekwondo Federation;
- will refrain from conduct detracting from my ability or that of my teammates to attain peak performance;

- will respect the property of others whether personal or public;
- will respect members of my Team, other teams, spectators and officials, and engage in no form of discriminatory behavior or verbal, physical or sexual harassment or abuse;
- will follow my Team's rules, including by way of example, rules regarding curfew and required attendance at team meetings;
- am aware that USA Taekwondo sponsors, suppliers and licensees provide critical support for the Team and, in recognition of this fact, I will wear designated USA Taekwondo apparel at all official Team functions and events;
- will not conceal or cover-up any USA Taekwondo sponsor, supplier or licensee brand or other identification appearing on my USA Taekwondo apparel;
- agree to be filmed and photographed by the official photographer(s) and network(s) of USA Taekwondo under conditions authorized by USA Taekwondo and give event organizers and USA Taekwondo the right to use my name, picture, likeness, and biographical information before, during and after the period of my participation in these activities to promote the activity in which I participate or to promote the success of the team on which I compete; in no event may USA Taekwondo or the event organizers use or authorize the use of my name, picture, likeness, voice and biographical information for the purpose of trade, including any use in a manner that would imply an endorsement of any company, product, or service, without my written permission;
- will not use or authorize the use of photographs, films or videos of myself in my USA Taekwondo apparel or equipment or the use of the USA Taekwondo logo for the purpose of trade, without the prior written consent of the USA Taekwondo (which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld);
- will act in a way that will bring respect and honor to myself, my teammates, USA Taekwondo and the United States; and
- will remember that at all times I am an ambassador for my sport, my country and the Olympic Movement.

## **ATHLETE OMBUDSMAN**

I may contact the USOC Athlete Ombudsman, toll free at 888.ATHLETE (888.284.5383) or [John.Ruger@usoc.org](mailto:John.Ruger@usoc.org) for further information regarding my rights under this Code that are not answered by USA Taekwondo.

**PARTICIPANTS' AFFIRMATION**

I have read and accept this Code of Conduct. I agree to the rules, guidelines, jurisdiction and procedures stated in these documents as a condition of being selected to participate as a member of the Team. I agree that if I break this code I am subject to removal from the Team.

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Signature

Date

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**NGB Name**

**Sport**

<p><b>PARENT/GUARDIAN CERTIFICATION</b> <b>(For Participants Under the Age of 18 as of Date of Signature)</b></p>
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Signature

Date

Relationship (Parent or Guardian)