



## LSC Evaluation Form: Deck Referee

Official's Name (print neatly): \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Zone \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Current LSC Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Evaluation # 1 2 3 4 Evaluation Completed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Meet Referee: \_\_\_\_\_ Meet: \_\_\_\_\_

3 = Excels at Standard / 2 = Meets Standard / 1 = Does Not Yet Meet Standard; Needs Additional Training / Blank = Not Observed Official will be considered ready for advancement when a 2 or 3 is achieved in every category.		
Category	Description	Rating
<b>Knowledge of Rules</b>	Knowledge/understanding of current USA Swimming rules and procedure.	
	Consistently and accurately applies the rules and procedures uniformly.	
	Familiar with the Meet Announcement information.	
<b>Communication</b>	Able to communicate in a clear, precise, and professional manner with fellow Officials, Athletes, Coaches, Spectators and Guests.	
<b>Position / Control</b>	Maintains control of the deck.	
	Calls false starts accurately.	
	Completes paperwork accurately and in a timely manner.	
<b>Meet Operation</b>	Able to anticipate problems and take appropriate action.	
<b>Attentiveness</b>	Focused on the pool, deck officials, athletes and meet progress while on duty.	
<b>Attitude/Poise</b>	Supportive of athletes, works well with others: maintains a friendly, calm attitude in stressful situations.	
	Shows leadership and team player qualities.	
	Positive and clear interaction with Starter and other meet Officials.	
<b>Reliability</b>	On time to all Officials briefings.	
	Shows up when expected and ready to work.	
	Can be counted on to be helpful as directed.	

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Meet Referee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommend for Advancement: Yes                      No



## Evaluator Expectations

1. Evaluations shall be performed by an Officials Committee approved evaluator.
2. Provide a rating (1, 2, or 3) for every category based on the Evaluation Form and the more specific advancement criteria listed on the Advancement Criteria Form.
3. Leave blank if not observed, but do your best to observe each criteria. If blank categories are reported, advancement will be at the discretion of the Zone Chairs.
4. Ensure the Official has reviewed the language shown on the Evaluation Form and the Advancement Evaluation Form.
5. Give specific feedback on day 1 of the Meet, especially any areas that appear to be a 1. Then evaluate on day 2 based on how the official responded to your suggestions.
6. Evaluator must be mindful to take time to observe all aspects of the Evaluation Form if possible.

Remember: RATINGS ARE BASED ON THE LEVEL THE OFFICIAL IS WORKING TO ACHIEVE.  
(See level-specific descriptions on the Advancement Criteria Form)