

This clarification is to address the Sr. Bronze Free Skate Test – Part 2 (Program) and the regulation change to Ice Dance tests.

Sr. Bronze Free Skate Test Part 2 (Program):

Please note that in STARSkate events the Sr. Bronze Free Skating Program has been altered to allow for five (5) jumps and two (2) spin elements. We would ask that in this transition time for the STARSkate program there be no penalty for a program meeting the event criteria.

Jump Elements: The passing criteria currently states 5/6 jump elements must be satisfactory or better, however the skater may only be doing five (5) jumps. In this case please allow 4/5 jumps to be satisfactory or better and one double jump must be satisfactory or better.

Spin Elements: The passing criteria currently states 2/3 spin elements must be satisfactory or better, however the skater may only have two (2) spins in the program. In this case 1/2 spins must be satisfactory or better and the combination spin must be satisfactory or better.

Programs that include 6 jump elements and 3 spin elements must meet the criteria as stated on the test sheet.

Ice Dance tests:

A recent communication was sent to membership regarding a regulation change to Ice Dance tests. This regulation change was to allow all dance tests from Preliminary through Diamond dances the **OPTION** to be done as a solo. Please note: I have received feedback that this has implications for one or two of the diamond dances which have steps (women's) that cannot be performed solo. We are currently working on a clarification for this.

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly with any questions, concerns or feedback.

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