



ACROBATIC GYMNASTICS PROGRAM COMMITTEE

**Conference Call
September 24, 2009**

1. Call to Order – 10:00pm eastern

2. Roll Call:

Bob Meier – Acrobatic Gymnastics Program Committee Chairman
Kari Duncan – National Technical Committee Chairman (absent)
Ivaylo Katsov – National Elite Committee Chairman
Selena Peco – National Junior Olympic Committee Chairman
Michael Rodrigues – National Athlete Representative
Tonya Case – USA Gymnastics International Technical Consultant
Tom Housley – Acro Program Director (absent)

3. British Open Tournament

The Program Committee recommends allowing US Acro Junior Olympic National Team, Junior National Team, and Senior National Team members, whom are out-of-age for 2010 FIG events and in the same partnerships, attend the British Open Tournament in Great Britain from November 28-29. A one-time exception is being made to allow easier transition as the Acro National Team Plan is being finalized at the Nevada meetings in October.

Eligible pair-groups are those pair-groups that do not meet FIG Age Group ages for the 2010 season; however, will participate in the British Open Tournament to gain experience in preparation for 2011 and beyond international competitions. Pair-groups must be within the same partnership to attend this event. Club teams must be approved and gain permission from the National Office before attending this event. Each personal coach is responsible for making arrangements on their own behalf. All deadlines are to be submitted directly to the event organizer, Sandra Sergeant, via email no later than Friday, October 30, 2009. Coaches are to contact the National Office for Sandra's email address.

Motion: Bob Meier

Second: Ivaylo Katsov

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Meeting Adjourned, 11:15pm eastern time

Approved by Acro Program Committee 09/25/2009

Approved by Steve Penny, USA Gymnastics President