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Updated

- D = Decision** *Decision/approval required at meeting*
A = Advice *Issue needing discussion to advise/inform future direction/decision*
I = Information *Update - requires brief feedback only, no detailed discussion*
R = Ratification *Of decision made via email before the meeting*

No	D/ A/I /R	Item	Lead	Pre-read
1	I	Opening Remarks and Apologies received: Welcoming of the new Competitions Coordinator	Chair	
2		Declarations of any Conflicts of Interest	All	
3	I/D	Committee Structure – notes from Council Working Group	All	Draft as produced by Secretary-General
4	I	Committee Minutes: To note that the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 11 June 2019 have been approved electronically by Committee and published on the BPA website: www.bpa.org.uk/member/agendas-and-minutes/	All	Minutes
5	D	Matters arising – not listed elsewhere on the agenda 5.1 Pg 3: Min 34.1 – Sporting Licence Application requirements	SL	Proposal document and Form 110 for comparison
6	I	Domestic Competitions 2019 6.1 BPA National Championship in CP, 14-18 Aug, Klatovy, Czech Rep 6.2 BPA National Championships in FS 4-way & VFS, 24-27 Aug, Skydive Hibaldstow 6.2.1 RAeC Queens Cup - Medals 6.3 BPA National in FS 8-way, 31 Aug-2 Sep, Skydive Hibaldstow 6.4 BPA National Championship in CF, 8-10 Sep, Skydive Buzz 6.5 Any BPA Meet issues – calendar appendix i		
7	I I I I I	Domestic Competitions 2019 – completed 7.1 BPA National Championship in WS Performance & Acrobatics, 1-4 Jul, Skydive Buzz – CJ Report and Feedback 7.2 BPA GP in Accuracy 8-9 Jun, Skydive Headcorn 7.3 BPA GP in CF, Meet 1, 15-16 Jun Skydive Northwest 7.4 BPA GP in CF, Meet 2, 13-14 Jul Skydive Langar 7.5 BPA UKSL Meet 2, 8-9 Jun, Sibson Skydivers	WS Rep Accuracy Rep CF Rep CF Rep FS Rep	Combined report and feedback CJ report CJ report CJ & Rep report CJ report

	I	7.6 BPA UKSL Meet 3, 6-7 Jul, Skydive Buzz	Chief Judge	CJ report
		7.7 BPA National Championship in Accuracy, 3-4 Aug, Skydive Buzz Report & Feedback - pending		
		7.8 BPA National Championships in Speed & Artistics, 3-4 Aug, Skydive Buzz, Report & Feedback - pending		
	I	7.9 Flysight purchase – Cttee e-vote decision Recording of Committee e-vote of the purchase of 10 Flysight units from Skydive Now	Secretary	
8	I A/D	International Competitions 2019 8.1 4 th FAI World Cup, 3 rd European Championship of Speed Skydiving 12-15 Aug, Skydive Buzz, Dunkeswell Confirmation of Head of Delegation – Jason Bird 8.2 10 th FAI World Cup, 8 th European Championships in CF, 17-20 Aug, Strjnic, Romania 8.3 3 rd FAI World Cup in WS, 23-30 Aug, Ravenna, Italy 8.4 13 th FAI World Cup of Artistics events, 22 nd FAI World Cup of FS, 7-12 Oct, Eloy, Arizona, USA 8.4.1 IPC Decision - VFS 8.5 10 th FAI World Cup of CP, 20-24 Nov, Pretoria, RSA		
9		International Competitions 2019 - completed 14 th FAI World Cup of Freefall Style & Accuracy Landing, 19-25 May, Cordoba, Argentina - Head of Delegation report		
10		Judging Matters		
11	D	Action Plan & Performance Metrics 11.1 Targeted Coaching Support – FS 8-way Team	SL FS Rep	Spreadsheet Request
12	I	Skills Coaching Roadshows 12.1 FS 4-way, 18-19 May, Skydive Hibaldstow - Feedback 12.2 Accuracy, 1-2 June, Skydive Headcorn 12.3 FS, 22-23 June, Skydive Northwest 12.4 CF, 22-23 June, Skydive Buzz 12.5 Speed, 6-7 July, Skydive Langar 12.6 Accuracy, 13-14 July, Peterlee	Reps	Completed forms and feedback
13		Any other Business (To be notified by 1700 on 1 August 2019)		
14		Date of Next Meeting: At 1300 on 1 October and 26 Nov at the BPA Office.		

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Competitions Action Plan: 1 July 18 to 30 June 19

Target	From	To	By	How
1. World Class Performance	2018 medal winning performance	2019 Continued medal winning performance	Jun 2019 and on-going	Funded support to BPA selected teams based on performance in competition 2017
2. Coaching Road Show Events	2018 Supported events	2019 Continued support of events	Jun 2019	Run coaching road show events at BPA Drop Zones to support competitive interest and enhance member's skills
3. Judging Team	2018 UK pool of 10 Judges	2019 UK judging team retained/increased and improved ratings	Jun 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support all currency requirements under FAI rules • Provide financial help with pre-season refresher training • Supply judges to non-National UK events • Encourage/train new judges to gain International ratings • Supply of Judges Jackets & T-shirts • Judging Equipment Specialists
4. Retain, improve and maintain competition equipment in line with IPC requirements	2018 Current holding	2019 Equipment stock in line with IPC changes	Jun 2019	Purchase / Hire of equipment / specialist equipment, as disciplines and rules evolve and dictate
5. Delegation Uniform	2018 Delegation uniform	2019 Continued issue of uniform	Jun 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Issue of T-shirt generic BPA design • Issue of BPA logo embroidered badges • Supply Jackets & polo shirts • Offer for tender design, manufacture and distribution
6. Targeted coaching support for National non-senior champion teams / competitors	2018 Coaching Support	2019 Coaching Support	Jun 2019	Coaching support for National Champion 2017 teams of all disciplines moving to progress to higher event that meet the criteria of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Having won Nationals in 2017 • Have 60% of their team remain the same – including videographer (flexibility for Freestyle & Freely) • Compete in 2018 Nationals at a higher level
7. Heads of Delegation & Team Manager/s	2018 5 Officials	2019 Continued funded support	Jun 2019	Funded support for BPA Officials attending FAI 1 st Class events to cover <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entry Fees • Reasonable Travel Expenses
Target 5: Uniform will continue to be funded from the British Team Fund *Target 7: Reoccurring item				

BPA National Championships 2019

Competition	Location	Date (2019)
BPA National Championship in WS Performance & Acrobatics	Skydive Buzz, Dunkeswell	1-4 Jul
BPA National Championship in Accuracy	Skydive Buzz, Dunkeswell	3-4 Aug
BPA National Championships in Speed & Artistics	Skydive Buzz, Dunkeswell	3-4 Aug
BPA National Championship in Canopy Piloting	Skydive Pink Skyvan, Klatovy, Czech Rep	14-18 Aug
BPA National Championships in FS 4-way & VFS	Target Skysports, Hibaldstow	24-27 Aug
BPA National Championships in FS 8-way	Target Skysports, Hibaldstow	31 Aug-2 Sep
BPA National Championship in Canopy Formation	Skydive Buzz, Dunkeswell	8-10 Sep

BPA Grand Prix & UKSL 2019

Competition	Location	Date (2019)
BPA UKSL Meet 3	Skydive Buzz, Dunkeswell	6-7 July
GP in CF Meet 1	Skydive North West, Cark	15-16 June
GP in CF Meet 2	Skydive Langar	13-14 July
GP in Accuracy Meet 1	Peterlee Parachute Centre	20-21 Apr
GP in Accuracy Meet 2	Skydive Headcorn	8-9 June