



Great Britain Short Track Speed Skating

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1. OVERVIEW

Great Britain's Short Track Olympic strategy for Milan-Cortina 2026

Vision: Develop and enhance world-level athletes with an aligned performance identity

2026 Mission: Deliver competitive performances and become consistent finalists across all levels to enable qualification to the Milan Cortina Olympic Games

The four-year BIS international senior competition programme is intended to support this vision and mission and this policy is structured with this aim in mind.

2. PURPOSE OF THIS SELECTION POLICY

This Selection Policy outlines the process by which the British Ice Skating (“**BIS**”) will select teams to represent Great Britain in identified senior and junior International Skating Union (“**ISU**”) Short Track Speed Skating events. In the 2022-23 season these events will be:

- ISU Short Track Speed Skating World Championships (WCH)
- ISU European Short Track Speed Skating Championships (EC)
- ISU World Cup Short Track Speed Skating Events (WC)
- ISU Junior World Short Track Speed Skating Championships
- World University Games
- European Youth Olympic festival (EYOF)

3. SELECTION PANEL

3.1 The STSS selection panel (the “**Panel**”) acts on delegated authority of the BIS Board and is responsible for implementing the selection policy agreed by the Board.

3.2 The Panel shall comprise:

- a. Short Track Technical Advisory Committee Chair (Voting Member);
- b. British Ice Skating Honorary Short Track Head Coach (Voting Member);
- c. British Ice Skating Performance Manager (Voting Member);
- d. Independent member from an outside sporting body (non-Voting Member);
- e. Note-takers etc. as required (non-Voting Member).

3.3 Conflicts of Interest

Any person who sits on the selection panel shall declare any conflicts or potential conflicts of interest in the capacity on which they are a part of the panel and shall refrain from participation in the discussion of and any vote in respect of any selection matter in which they have a material conflict of interest. If a person has any queries in this area, they should consult the BIS Senior Management representative.

3.4 Lead Coach

References to the 'Lead Coach' shall be the coach nominated by British Ice Skating to fulfil this role in accordance to agreement made between all key stakeholders:

- British Ice Skating, as the recognised National Governing Body and the ISU Member Federation;
- The National Ice Centre ('NIC') as the host and programme manager of the Speed Skating Performance Programme ('SSPP').

4. ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible to represent Great Britain in an ISU competition short track athletes must meet the following primary requirements:

1. Current BIS membership;
2. British passport or Clearance Certificate to skate for GBR;
3. Correct age and standard (where applicable) for the event as per the official Announcement and related ISU Communications;
4. Hold Full Eligible status as per [BIS publications on Eligibility](#);
5. Adherence to BIS General Rules, Codes of Conduct and any Athlete Agreement applicable to the individual; and
6. Not be serving any suspension relating to anti-doping or disciplinary offences.

5. 2022-23 COMPETITION SCHEDULE

The table below details the ISU events which are applicable to this selection document.

ISU/ESU Championships

	Event Date
<i>European Championships Gdansk, POL</i>	<i>13-15 Jan 2023</i>
<i>World Championships Seoul, KOR</i>	<i>10-12 Mar 2023</i>
<i>Junior World Championships Dresden, GER</i>	<i>27-29 Jan 2023</i>
<i>World University Games Lake Placid, USA</i>	<i>12-22 Jan 2023</i>
<i>European Youth Olympic Festival Friuli Venezia Giulia, ITA</i>	<i>21-28 Jan 2023</i>

ISU World Cup Series

<i>World Cup 1 Montreal, CAN</i>	<i>28-30 Oct 2022</i>	
<i>World Cup 2 Salt Lake City, USA</i>	<i>4-6 Nov 2022</i>	
<i>World Cup 3 Almaty, KAZ</i>	<i>9-11 Dec 2022</i>	
<i>World Cup 4 Almaty, KAZ</i>	<i>16-18 Dec 2022</i>	
<i>World Cup 5 Dresden, GER</i>	<i>3-5 Feb 2023</i>	
<i>World Cup 6 Dordrecht, NED</i>	<i>10-12 Feb 2023</i>	

6. QUOTA PLACES

The number of places available to Great Britain in each event is determined by the ISU. The number of quota places for 2022-23 is:

	Women		Men	
	Relay	Individual	Relay	Individual
World Championships	5*	2	5*	1
European Championships	5*	2**	5*	2**
World Cups	6	3	6	3
Junior Worlds	4	3	4	3
European Youth Olympic festival	2	2	2	2
World University Games	6	6	6	6

* Subject to 2022/23 international (ISU) qualification

7. TIMELINE

Indicative timelines are provided below, which may be subject to change.

	Date
Deadline for declaring interest in racing World Cups	16 th September 2022
Selection Panel meeting – Phase 1 World Cups (1-4) Communication of Phase 1 selections	19 th September 2022
Athletes' deadline to confirm uptake of qualified place	23 rd September 2022
Selection Panel meeting – European Championships and Phase 2 of World Cups (5-6) Communication of European Championships and World Cups Phase 2 selections	19 th December 2022
Athletes' deadline to confirm uptake of qualified place	23 rd December 2022
Selection Panel meeting – World Championships Communication of World Championship selection	12 th February 2023
Athletes' deadline to confirm uptake of qualified place	17 th February 2023

8. MINIMUM STANDARDS

To be eligible for the selection process which will be used to select athletes to the events identified in section 1, athletes must have met the minimum performance standards - ***attained during the 2019-20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 or 2022-23 seasons.***

Tier 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Top 11 finish in an individual event at the Olympic Games, World Championship or World Cup or; • top 8 finish in an individual event at the European Championships or; • Medal in an individual event at the Junior World Championships.
Tier 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Top 21 finish in an individual event at the Olympic Games, World Championship or World Cup or; • Top 12 finish in an individual event at the European Championships or; • Top 8 finish in an individual event at the Junior World Championships.
Tier 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Top 32 finish in an individual event at the Olympic Games, World Championship or World Cup or; • Top 22 finish in an individual event at the European Championships or; • Top 16 finish in an individual event at the Junior World Championships.

Tier 4	<p>Athlete must achieve one of the minimum performance standards for the distance in which they have qualified in, times detailed below:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="686 300 1243 787"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2" data-bbox="686 300 1243 359">Men's</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="686 359 984 422">500m</td> <td data-bbox="984 359 1243 422">43.46</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="686 422 984 485">1,000m</td> <td data-bbox="984 422 1243 485">1.28.96</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="686 485 984 548">1,500m</td> <td data-bbox="984 485 1243 548">2.20.74</td> </tr> <tr> <th colspan="2" data-bbox="686 548 1243 606">Women's</th> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="686 606 984 669">500m</td> <td data-bbox="984 606 1243 669">46.13</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="686 669 984 732">1,000m</td> <td data-bbox="984 669 1243 732">1.35.17</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="686 732 984 787">1,500m</td> <td data-bbox="984 732 1243 787">2.27.79</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Men's		500m	43.46	1,000m	1.28.96	1,500m	2.20.74	Women's		500m	46.13	1,000m	1.35.17	1,500m	2.27.79
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- Junior Worlds – Junior Silver Medal Test Time
- European Youth Olympic Festival – Junior Inter Silver Medal Test Time
- Performance Selection Event - Junior Bronze Medal Test Time (**between season 2019/20 to present**)

See Appendix 1 – BIS Medal Test Times 2022/23

9. BRITISH ICE SKATING – PERFORMANCE SQUAD SELECTION

- a. The Senior Performance Squad will comprise of 6 women and 6 men (if junior skaters do not qualify to the Senior Performance Squad, they will be added to the performance squad if selected to the Junior World championships)
- b. To be considered for selection athletes must have met the minimum performance criteria at Tier 1, 2, 3, or 4, in section 8 above and meet all the eligibility criteria in section 4 above.
- c. Qualification for the BIS Performance Squad will be comprised of the following:
 - i. Top 4 highest ranked eligible skaters in the overall rankings, in the Performance Selection Event (Overall rankings are calculated in accordance with the ISU World Cup ranking system)
 - ii. The 2 remaining places will be discretionary places used for athletes in the Tier 1, 2 or 3, who are outside of the top 4 positions. Athletes will be selected in accordance with the ranking of the tier system.
 - iii. If the discretionary places (9.a.ii) are not required, the remaining places will be filled by the next highest ranked eligible skaters in the overall rankings, in the Performance Selection Event
- d. If an athlete finishes ranked in the top 4 but is ineligible for selection at the time of the Selection Panel, in accordance to section 8, they will be added to the performance squad upon gaining eligibility and will be available for selection at the next selection panel meeting

10. SELECTION: PHASE 1 WORLD CUPS – 1, 2, 3, 4

- a. To be considered for selection athletes must have met the minimum performance criteria at Tier 1, 2, 3, or 4, in section 8 above and meet all the eligibility criteria in section 4 above. They must have also declared their interest in competing in the World Cups to the BIS email address performance@iceskating.org.uk
- b. The World Cup Team will be comprised of up to 6 women and 6 men from the BIS Performance Squad using the criteria in Section 9.
- c. Selection of individual events will be selected pursuant to the process set out below:
 - i. Athletes will be ranked from the minimum standards tiered table in section 8 above.
 - ii. If athletes are tied within tier 1, 2 or 3, then the highest ranked athlete from the Performance Selection Event will determine the top athlete of each tier. If an athlete does not compete in the Selection Event they will be placed at the bottom of their respective tier.
 - iii. In tier 4, the athletes will be ranked from Performance Selection Event
 - iv. The top ranked skater gets the first choice of any one distance, this is then followed by the next ranked skaters. At this point, the top ranked skater will get first choice of a second distance, followed by the next ranked skaters until all quota places are filled
 - v. This process will be done by the Lead Coach for each individual World Cup and will

happen during the week that starts two weeks prior to competition.

- d. The athletes selected to race each relay event will be done by the Lead Coach in collaboration with all GBR coaches attending the World Cup, based on their impact on medal-winning potential in relay teams, including:
 - i. Individual distance performances.
 - ii. Top speed within racing on current competition day.
 - iii. Top speed within pre-competition training at the competition venue.

11. SELECTION: PHASE 2 WORLD CUPS – 5, 6

- a. To be considered for selection athletes must have met the minimum performance criteria at Tier 1, 2, 3, or 4, in section 8 above and meet all the eligibility criteria in section 4 above. They must have also declared their interest in competing in the World Cups to the BIS email address performance@iceskating.org.uk
- b. The World Cup Team will be comprised of up to 6 women and 6 men from the BIS Performance Squad using the criteria in Section 9,
- c. Selection of individual events will be selected pursuant to the process set out below:
 - i. Athletes will be ranked from the minimum standards tiered table in section 8 above.
 - ii. If athletes are tied within tier 1, 2 or 3, then an accumulation of the 2 highest individual World Cup results from the current year will be used to determine the top athlete of each tier. If that is still level, then an accumulation of the 3 highest individual World Cup results will be used. If an athlete does not compete at World Cup 1-4, they will be placed at the bottom of their respective tier.
 - iii. In tier 4, the athletes will be ranked by an accumulation of the 2 highest individual World Cup results from the current year will be used to determine the top athlete of each tier. If that is still level, then an accumulation of the 3 highest individual World Cup results will be used. If an athlete does not compete at World Cup 1-4, they will be placed at the bottom of their respective tier.
 - iv. The top ranked skater gets the first choice of any one distance, this is then followed by the next ranked skaters. At this point, the top ranked skater will get first choice of a second distance, followed by the next ranked skaters until all quota places are filled
 - v. This process will be done by the Lead Coach for each individual World Cup and will happen during the week that starts two weeks prior to competition.
- d. The athletes selected to race each relay event will be done by the Lead Coach in collaboration with all GBR coaches attending the World Cup based on their impact on medal-winning potential in relay teams, including:
 - i. Individual distance performances.
 - ii. Top speed within racing on current competition day.
 - iii. Top speed within pre-competition training at the competition venue.

12. SELECTION: EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

- a. To be considered for selection for the individual championships athletes must have met the minimum performance criteria at Tier 1-3, and for the relay championships athletes must have met the minimum performance criteria at Tier 4 in section 8 above and meet all the eligibility criteria in section 4 above.
- b. Selection of athletes for the individual championship will be prioritised over selection for relay teams. Athletes will be selected pursuant to the process set out below (up to number of quota places);
 - i. Athlete ranking from the minimum standards tiered table in section 8 above.
 - ii. If athletes are tied within tier 1, 2 or 3, then an accumulation of the 2 highest individual World Cup results from the current year will be used to determine the top athlete of each tier. If that is still level, then an accumulation of the 3 highest individual World Cup results will be used. If an athlete does not compete at World Cup 1-4, they will be placed at the bottom of their respective tier.
- c. Provided GBR has achieved qualification for the relevant relay event at the Championships, the remaining relay places (after the individual skaters have been selected) will be selected
 - i. Athlete ranking from the minimum standards tiered table in section 8 above.
 - ii. In tier 4, the athletes will be ranked by an accumulation of the 2 highest individual World Cup results from the current year will be used to determine the top athlete of each tier. If that is still level, then an accumulation of the 3 highest individual World Cup results will be used. If an athlete does not compete at World Cup 1-4, they will be placed at the bottom of their respective tier.
- d. The athletes selected to race each relay event will be done by the Lead Coach in collaboration with all GBR coaches attending the World Cup based on their impact on medal-winning potential in relay teams, including:
 - i. Individual distance performances.
 - ii. Top speed within racing on current competition day.
 - iii. Top speed within pre-competition training at the competition venue.

13. SELECTION: WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

- a. To be considered for selection for the individual championships athletes must have met the minimum performance criteria at Tier 1-3, and for the relay championships athletes must have met the minimum performance criteria at Tier 4 in section 8 above and meet all the eligibility criteria in section 4 above.
- b. Selection of athletes for the individual championship will be prioritised over selection for relay teams. Athletes will be selected pursuant to the process set out below (up to number of quota places);
 - i. Athlete ranking from the minimum standards tiered table in section 8 above.
 - ii. If athletes are tied within tier 1, 2 or 3, then an accumulation of the 2 highest individual World Cup results from the current year will be used to determine the top athlete of each tier. If that is still level, then an accumulation of the 3 highest individual World Cup results will be used. If an athlete does not compete at World Cup 1-4, they will be placed at the bottom of their respective tier.
- c. Provided GBR has achieved qualification for the relevant relay event at the Championships, the remaining relay places (after the individual skaters have been selected) will be selected
 - i. Athlete ranking from the minimum standards tiered table in section 8 above.
 - ii. In tier 4, the athletes will be ranked by an accumulation of the 2 highest individual World Cup results from the current year will be used to determine the top athlete of each tier. If that is still level, then an accumulation of the 3 highest individual World Cup results will be used. If an athlete does not compete at World Cup 1-4, they will be placed at the bottom of their respective tier.
- d. The athletes selected to race each relay event will be done by the Lead Coach in collaboration with all GBR coaches attending the World Cup based on their impact on medal-winning potential in relay teams, including:
 - i. Individual distance performances.
 - ii. Top speed within racing on current competition day.
 - iii. Top speed within pre-competition training at the competition venue.

14. SELECTION: JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

- a. To be considered for selection Athlete must have met the minimum performance standards (Junior Silver Medal Test Time) to be eligible to compete in that distance (between season 2019/20 to present)

Women		Men	
500m	47.53	500m	44.36
1000m	1.36.45	1000m	1.31.35
1500m	2.32.56	1500m	2.26.56

- b. A ranking list for each distance and gender will be created from the eligible skaters who meet the minimum standards, using their personal best time (between season 2019/20 to present).
- c. Selection of individual events will be prioritised over selection for relay teams selected and will be pursuant to the process set out below:
- i. The highest ranked skater in each individual event from the distance ranking list.
 - ii. The second ranked skater in each individual event from the distance ranking list.
 - iii. Where there are less than 4 selected individual skaters in the team the remaining skaters will be selected from the 500m ranking list to be part of the relay squad.
- d. The athletes selected to race each relay event will be done by the Lead Coach in collaboration with all GBR coaches attending the Event based on their impact on performance potential in relay teams, including:
- i. Individual distance performances.
 - ii. Top speed within racing on current competition day.
 - iii. Top speed within pre-competition training at the competition venue.

15. WORLD UNIVERSITY GAMES

- a. To be considered for selection Athlete must have met the minimum performance standards to be eligible to compete in that distance (between season 2019/20 to present)

Women		Men	
500m	46.96	500m	44.25
1000m	1.36.90	1000m	1.30.58
1500m	2.30.48	1500m	2.23.30

- b. A ranking list for each distance and gender will be created from the eligible skaters who meet the minimum standards, using their personal best time (between season 2019/20 to present).
- c. Selection of individual events will be prioritised over selection for relay teams selected and will be pursuant to the process set out below:
- i. The highest ranked skater in each individual event from the distance ranking list.

- ii. The second ranked skater in each individual event from the distance ranking list.
 - iii. The third ranked skater in each individual event from the distance list.
 - iv. Where there are less than 4 selected individual skaters in the team the remaining skaters will be selected from the 500m ranking list to be part of the relay squad.
- d. The athletes selected to race each relay event will be done by the Lead Coach in collaboration with all GBR coaches attending the Event based on their impact on performance potential in relay teams, including:
- iv. Individual distance performances.
 - v. Top speed within racing on current competition day.
 - vi. Top speed within pre-competition training at the competition venue.
- e. For further information see BIS WUG Selection Criteria on BUCS website:
www.bucs.org.uk/resources-page/winter-world-university-games-ice-skating.html

16. SELECTION: EUROPEAN YOUTH OLYMPIC FESTIVAL

- a. To be considered for selection athlete must have met the minimum performance standards (Junior Silver Medal Test Time between season 2019/20 to present)

Women		Men	
500m	49.69	500m	46.38
1000m	1.40.84	1000m	1.35.51
1500m	2.39.50	1500m	2.33.18

- b. A ranking list for each distance and gender will be created from the eligible skaters who meet the minimum standards, using their personal best time (between season 2019/20 to present).
- c. Selection of quota places (athlete will compete in all three events and mixed relay) will be selected pursuant to the process set out below:
- i. Number of minimum performance standards met
 - ii. If athletes are tied with the number of time standard met (16.c.i.), then a cumulative time will be calculated from the 1500m, 1000m, and 500m

17. MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES

Should an athlete miss an event or fall ill during, or prior to, elements of the 2022-23 selection process; or have any other mitigating circumstances, the Panel reserve the right to provide an opportunity for such an athlete to compete and challenge for selection under the following conditions:

- Certificated evidence of illness or other mitigating circumstance must be presented to the Panel prior to the commencement of the selection competition.
- Where there are other mitigating circumstances, certified details must be provided to the Panel no later than 24 hours prior to a scheduled selection competition.
- The Panel has the sole discretion to invoke this clause if required and any decision is final

18. DE-SELECTION

Selection to a Great Britain Team is to specific events in accordance with the prevailing selection policy. The Panel has the right to withdraw athletes from identified race(s) on the basis of injury/illness. Such decisions will only be taken following consultation with appropriate coaches and/or medical reports.

19. AMENDMENTS

BIS reserves the right to amend this Selection Policy at its sole discretion and will make any amended version publicly available (including the date on which any amendment was made) at

www.iceskating.org.uk

20. CONFIDENTIALITY

Athletes and officials must not disclose any information regarding any selection decisions or appeals until such information is publicly announced or disclosed by BIS.

21. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

All team members must comply with ISU and BIS competition and training kit regulations whilst competing for Great Britain

All team members are expected to abide by the media protocols of the BIS. Athletes must only speak to the media about their own personal performances.

22. APPEALS PROCESS

The Parties shall exclusively submit any dispute concerning any matter, connected with or arising out of British Ice Skating's selection policy and procedure in relation to ISU Championship events to binding arbitration, conducted by an appeals panel appointed by Sport Resolutions UK.

- a. The appeals panel will comprise of a legally qualified chair and two wing members, appointed by Sports Resolutions UK. The chair and one wing member will be selected by Sport Resolutions UK from its panels. The other wing member will be selected by Sport Resolutions UK from a list of ice skating

- experts supplied by British Ice Skating. The dispute will be determined pursuant to any rules as to the conduct of the arbitration laid down by Sport Resolutions UK and/or the appeals panel appointed.
- b. A detailed timeline (“the Timeline”) will be published for each specific ISU Championship, and is to be treated as being specifically incorporated into this appeals process.
 - c. Appeals may only be made where an athlete asserts that the selection criteria and/or process have not been fairly applied.
 - d. An athlete (“the Appellant”) may appeal against the decision of the British Ice Skating selection panel to Sport Resolutions UK c/o the Dispute Resolution Manager/Solicitor, Sport Resolutions UK, 1 Salisbury Square, London EC4Y 8AE.
 - e. The Appellant shall lodge an appeal in writing (“Notice of Appeal”) to Sport Resolutions UK no later than the date and time published in the Timeline for the specific event. The Notice of Appeal must be accompanied by all relevant documentation which the Appellant wishes to rely upon in support of the Appeal.
 - f. In lodging the Appeal, the Appellant shall be liable for a fee, both to British Ice Skating and to Sport Resolutions UK, specific to the hearing requested. The fee shall be payable directly to each party as appropriate, in order to cover administration costs and hearing costs. The relevant fees are as follows:
 - i. a fee of £750, of which £500 is a non-refundable deposit, shall be paid directly to British Ice Skating, when lodging a Notice of Appeal in respect of a written hearing; and
 - ii. a fee of £750, which is non-refundable, shall be paid directly to Sports Resolutions UK, when lodging a Notice of Appeal in respect of a written hearing; or
 - iii. a fee of £1,000, of which £750 is a non-refundable deposit, shall be paid directly to British Ice Skating, when lodging a Notice of Appeal in respect of an oral hearing; and
 - iv. a fee of £1,000, which is non-refundable, shall be paid directly to Sports Resolutions UK, when lodging a Notice of Appeal in respect of an oral hearing.
 - g. Payments to both British Ice Skating and Sport Resolutions UK shall be payable by either cheque or bank transfer (details available on request) immediately on the submission of the Notice of Appeal. In the event of either payment not being made, or later being declined, the Appeal shall be dismissed, however the Appellant may remain liable for the fees to both parties.
 - h. Sport Resolutions UK shall appoint the appeals panel and notify the Appellant and British Ice Skating of the identities of such within two working days of receiving the Notice of Appeal. Either party may challenge the appointment of any member(s) of the appeals panel where there are justifiable doubts as to an individual’s impartiality or independence or where the party raises a material objection. Such challenge must be made in writing to Sport Resolutions UK within two working days of the party being notified of the appeals panel’s appointment. Unless the appeals panel member(s) elects to withdraw, Sport Resolutions UK shall decide on the validity of the challenge within one working day of receipt. The decision of Sport Resolutions UK shall be final. Any replacement appeals panel member shall be appointed by Sport Resolutions UK no later than one working day later.

- i. British Ice Skating (and any affected athlete(s), if applicable) shall have one working week from the date of notification of the appeal to make its written response to the Notice of Appeal (“the Response”).
- j. The Appeal shall be heard by way of written submissions, unless the Appellant requests an oral hearing at the time of giving the Notice of Appeal, or the appeals panel so directs. Such hearing shall take place on a date and at a place to be determined by the appeals panel and not later than the date and time published in the Timeline for the specific event.
- k. The appeals panel may give such directions as it deems appropriate regarding the arrangements for, and the conduct of, the Appeal.
- l. Where the Appeal is considered by way of written submissions the appeals panel shall give its written decision within three working days of the relevant Response(s) being received, whichever is the later date.
- m. Where the Appeal is considered by way of oral hearing, the appeals panel shall give its written decision within three working days of the hearing, and not later than the date and time published in the Timeline for the specific event.
- n. In the event of a successful appeal, British Ice Skating will reimburse the Appellant the fee (minus the non-refundable element) which was paid to British Ice Skating. No refund will be payable in respect of the fee paid to Sports Resolutions UK, irrespective of the hearing outcome.
- o. If an Appeal is withdrawn before being finally determined by the appeals panel, no refund shall be payable to the Appellant by either British Ice Skating or Sport Resolutions UK.
- p. Each party shall be responsible for its own costs, including travel and representation.
- q. Venue hire charges and travel and subsistence expenses of the appeals panel and Sport Resolutions UK may be incurred in addition, in which case they will be added to the costs set out above and shall be the responsibility of the Appellant.
- r. All charges are subject to VAT unless indicated to the contrary.
- s. The hearing shall be held in private, however, Sport Resolutions UK may publish the written decision after it has been received by the Parties.
- t. The Appeal shall otherwise be governed by the Sport Resolutions UK Arbitration Rules^[1].
- u. The outcome of the Sport Resolutions UK arbitration shall be final and binding and no party shall have any further recourse thereafter.

^[1] Sport Resolution UK’s Arbitration Rules may be found on the Sport Resolutions UK website at www.sportresolutions.co.uk
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APPENDIX 1

BIS MEDAL TEST TIMES 2022/23



		Inter Bronze 40%	Bronze 20%	Inter Silver 15%	Silver 10%	Inter Gold 5%	Gold 2%
		British Standard					
Men		British Record		World Record			
500m		56.81	48.70	45.43	43.46	41.48	40.30
1000m		1.56.87	1.40.17	1.33.01	1.28.96	1.24.92	1.22.49
1500m		3.04.78	2.38.39	2.31.79	2.20.74	2.14.34	2.10.50

Women

500m		59.27	50.80	48.23	46.13	44.03	42.77
1000m		2.02.50	1.49.38	1.39.49	1.35.17	1.30.84	1.28.24
1500m		3.14.17	2.46.44	2.34.51	2.27.79	2.21.07	2.17.04

Junior Men

500m		58.42	50.07	46.38	44.36	42.35	41.14
1000m		2.00.47	1.43.46	1.35.51	1.31.35	1.27.20	1.24.71
1500m		3.10.19	2.43.02	2.33.18	2.26.52	2.19.86	2.15.86

Junior Women

500m		1.02.03	53.17	49.69	47.53	45.37	44.08
1000m		2.11.62	1.52.82	1.40.84	1.36.45	1.32.07	1.29.44
1500m		3.23.95	2.54.82	2.39.50	2.32.56	2.25.63	2.21.47

Full list of BIS medal Test Times can be found on the BIS website

APPENDIX 2

BIS PERFORMANCE SELECTION EVENT

The purpose of the BIS Short Track Speed Skating (STSS) Performance Event is to select the BIS STSS Senior Performance squad for the 2022/23 season.

The BIS STSS Performance Event is to be held at the National Ice Centre on an ice surface 30 x 60 meters. The BIS racing rules are in force, with the competition to be ran over 1 day on September 16th 2022.

As stated, in the Great Britain STSS 2021-22 International Selection Manual any skater who meets the eligibility criteria (clause 4) and the minimum standard (clause 8), is invited to compete at the BIS STSS Performance Event.

Minimum Entry Standard:

Women		Men	
500m	53.17	500m	50.07
1000m	1.52.82	1000m	1.43.46
1500m	2.54.82	1500m	2.43.02

Skaters will compete in 1500m, 500m and 1000m (in that order) and the racing will be an all-finals event. The first round of racing in each distance will be drawn using personal best times. Racing format and progression of rounds will be announced once all entries are in, and skater numbers are known.