PROJECT CONSENT PROCEDURES

NORTHERN REGION SCHOOL SPORT

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The purpose of this advice is to provide schools with a guide to complying with current Project Consent procedures of Queensland School Sport (QSS).

BACKGROUND

On Monday 23 January 2012, the Director General of Education sent the following direction to all state school Principals as part of ‘Schools Update’:

‘Parent consent required for Queensland School Sport program

Specific parent consent is required for participation in the Queensland School Sport (QSS) program which consists of teams attending district, regional, state, interstate, national and international events. Parents are required to complete the QSS Project Consent form when the student first competes at district level. This consent will remain current for any further QSS competitions at regional, state or interstate levels.’

The form may be accessed via the Queensland School Sport website or the Northern Region School Sport website.

PROCEDURE

- Principals are asked to ensure that the above process is followed and that completed forms are kept on file at school.
- From 2013 onwards Northern Region School Sport will no longer include the Project Consent as standard forms for completion when students are selected in regional teams.
- On selection, Students / Parents will be asked to complete a Parent Consent Form which includes the ‘Principal’s Approval’ section highlighted on Consent Form on the following page.

Any questions or concerns in relation to these procedures please contact the Regional School Sport Officer on 4758 3343 – rob.armstrong@dete.qld.gov.au
Consent Form
For participation in Northern Region Representative Sports

TEAM: _______________________________________________________

Parent / Caregiver’s Approval:
I hereby give consent for my son / daughter, _______________________________ to take part in any activity
arranged by, or participated in, by Northern Region School Sport. I also give my permission for him / her to
use such forms of transport for travelling as may be necessary.

I agree that, during the period of the competition in which my son / daughter participates, and during such
travelling and other activities as may be necessary, my son / daughter shall be under the sole direction of the
person or persons appointed in charge of the squad and / or team in which he / she is included.

I agree to meet the costs associated with participation in this activity and accept that I may incur a cancellation
fee for late notification in cancelling travel bookings. I also agree to meet additional costs for any accident,
ilness, injury or other unforeseen circumstances which may occur during the period of the activity in which my
son / daughter participates. This also includes the period of travel.

I agree that my son/daughter, in accepting a position in the Northern School Sport Team, will commit to full
participation in the team’s program.

I have read the Team Member’s Code of Conduct, understand its contents and conditions and accept the
parental responsibilities contained therein. I have also read the Codes of Conduct for Parents and Spectators
and agree to respect and abide by those codes.

Signed By: (Parent / Caregiver)
Signed: Date:

Student's Agreement to the Code of Conduct:
I ______________________________________ have read and understand the Team Members' Code of
Conduct and agree to abide by its conditions.

Signed: Date:

Principal’s Approval:
The above named student is enrolled as a student at this school. I further declare that the school has
confidence that the student can abide by the Queensland School Sport Team Members’ Code of Conduct
(attached), and I have no hesitation in recommending the student as one who merits selection in the team.

I understand that the Team Manager and Event Coordinator will complete risk assessments prior to this event.

I confirm that a Project Consent Form permitting publication of the student’s name, image and school has
been received from the parent / caregiver.*

*Strike out if not applicable

Student Date of Birth: School Stamp:
Principal’s Signature: School:
Date: