Proposed Change to VSI Policies and Procedures by Ted Sallade

Section S: Eastern Zone Competitions - Number 5 - Selection Process

C. (3) Lead off splits, intermediate splits from any race, and the time trials from the Short Course Senior Championship Meet will not be included for consideration.

Change to: All official verified times including Lead off splits, intermediate splits and Time Trials from Short Course Senior Championships will be considered for participation. Lead off splits, intermediate splits and time trials will not be considered as one of the two fastest times in the LSC.

D. (6) Lead off splits, intermediate splits from any race, and the time trials from the Short Course Age Group Championship Meet will not be included for consideration.

Change to: All official verified times including Lead off splits, intermediate splits and Time Trials from Short Course Age Group Championships will be considered for participation. Lead off splits, intermediate splits and time trials will not be considered as one of the two fastest times in the LSC.

J. Time trials and intermediate splits from any race will not be considered for consideration.

Change to: All official verified times including Lead off splits, intermediate splits and time trials will be considered for participation. Lead off splits, intermediate splits and time trials will not be considered as one of the two fastest times in the LSC.

Rationale: Propose new language to VSI Policies and Procedures pertaining to Zone Selection Criteria to provide every possible opportunity for our athletes to participate. Current language prohibits participation. This topic has been discussed in committee many times and is consistently an issue for some athletes every year. The proposed changes will create opportunity for all athletes who wish to support VSI.