

IRISH WATER SKI FEDERATION

Minutes of meeting of the Irish Water Ski Federation held at Golden Falls, on 5th August, 1990.

A special meeting was called to cover a few items. Accepted items for the agenda were as follows:

Minutes of previous meeting
Letter received from Cormac Fitzpatrick.
5' Jump
Squad.

Present at the meeting were Richard Armstrong, President, Lill Fitzpatrick, Secretary, Eimar Galvin, Treasurer, Robin Skelton, R.O.I. Officer, Chris McBrinn, Coaching Officer, Geoff Shanks, Technical Officer, and Gerry McInerney.

Minutes of previous meeting

The minutes were read and comment was made that behaviour of skiers which resulted in the resignation of Ken Scott did not occur at a Federation event.

Letter from Cormac Fitzpatrick.

Geoff Shanks read a letter received from Cormac regarding a judgement decision received by him at a previous competition. After a very long discussion it was felt that Cormac had not intended any bad feeling between judges and skiers, and that he was unaware of the fact that a protest cannot be made on a judgement decision. Geoff was instructed to inform him of this fact. The federation gave it's full support to the judge in question.

5' Jump

The question of allowing a 5' jump category was brought up by Robin. It was discussed at length, the feeling of the meeting was that it was not a good policy to change rules in the middle of the season, however the proposal was a good one and should be considered by the 1991 Technical committee.

Squad.

A request had been received from Barbera Fair to be included in the team for the European Championships. A report was received from Robin that at that time only Barry Galvin was able to travel to this event. It was pointed out by Robin that whereas the Federation might recommend Barbera be included in the Squad it was up to the selectors to decide the final team. A vote was taken on whether or not Barbara's name should be included in the Squad. The decision was made that the following names should be included in the squad, Barbara Fair, David Galvin, and Barry Rankin. Barbara to be notified of this fact by Robin Skelton.

The meeting came to an end.

Place and time of next meeting to be decided at a later date.