



## **Australian Breaking Association (ABA)**

[ratified 14/04/2021]

### **Ranking and Ratings Committee (RARC) Mandate**

This document once approved by the executive committee of the Australian Breaking Association hereafter referred to as the ABA will confirm and authorise the creation of the Ranking and Ratings Committee hereafter referred to as the RARC.

#### **Role of the RARC**

##### **Chief responsibilities:**

1. Regulation of the national breaking rankings of all registered breakers (bboys & girls) in Australia.
2. To put forth a classification rating before an event that includes a breaking competition in Australia based on eligibility criteria set forth by the ABA
3. All rankings and ratings are subject to final confirmation by the ABA executive committee with the RARC to regulate and carry out the outcomes once confirmed.

Members of the RARC include: Jo H. Yoon and Stephen Gow.

#### **Authority of the RARC**

With regards to ranking of breakers in Australia the RARC has the authority to publish the national ranking every month or as frequently deemed necessary by the ABA executive committee should committee scheduling dictate otherwise. The RARC will maintain a transparent process for determining the rankings accessible to the public i.e. point allocation based on competition results.

Event competition ratings will be given before an event takes place by the RARC as a predicted classification rating, once an event has taken place and results have been recorded, a final rating will be put forth and subject to final approval from the ABA executive committee. Once approved or reclassified by the executive committee the RARC will confirm and publish the rating, followed accordingly with updating the national rankings.

#### **Rules, limitations and amendments**

ABA executive committee have approved initial rules and guidelines at the creation of the RARC outlined in spreadsheet documents detailing the criteria related to competition rating and national ranking. Any amendments or changes to these rules are to be raised first at ABA general meetings by any ABA member. The proposed amendment or change will be either approved or denied through majority vote held during the same ABA general meeting or rescheduled.

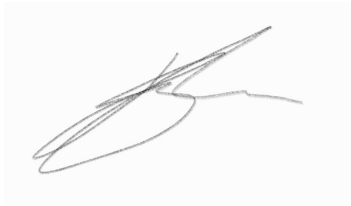
### **Arbitration**

In the event a member of the ABA or Australian breaking community or general public raise an issue:

- Complaint or
- Contest a ruling/decision by the RARC or ABA executive committee with regards to competition rating or national ranking

The first point of contact in the process of arbitration will be the RARC itself. Wherein the RARC must address the issue within thirty days of it being received, should the RARC and the party who raised the issue not reach an agreed solution the RARC will forward the issue onto the ABA executive committee. The executive committee will then make a ruling through majority vote within thirty days of notification and the RARC will carry out the decision and any changes to the rating or rankings as a result. Once an issue has been decided upon and ruled it cannot be appealed unless new evidence has emerged or circumstances involving the issue have changed enough to warrant the RARC to reopen the issue; this is at the discretion of the RARC.

Executive committee signature:



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ABA President

Date

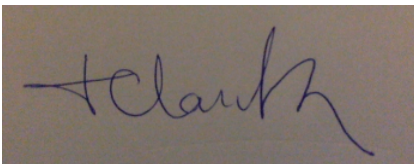


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ABA Vice President

Date



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ABA Treasurer

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ABA Secretary

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