

# **Transportation Policy**

#### **Preamble**

1. The Manitoba Freestyle Ski Association (MFSA) may on occasion have a requirement to coordinate or provide transportation for operational, training or competition reasons. Although this policy does not apply to carpooling with others to attend events, it is recommended that clubs and members ensure the safety of all involved by adhering to this policy.

#### Responsibility

- 2. Vehicles used to transport MFSA equipment, workers, athletes, coaches or officials shall be driven by fully qualified drivers for the specific vehicles being used.
- **3.** When engaged in driving operations all drivers shall be well rested, fully alert and not be under the influence of any substance that could diminish driving skills. Drivers shall not consume alcohol or drugs within 8 hours of transporting any other person. Drivers must adhere to all local and national regulation regarding safe operation of a motor vehicle.

## **Insurance**

**4.** All vehicles used in MFSA operations must have a valid registration, be in roadworthy condition, and carry adequate insurance.

# **Transportation of Minors**

**5.** A driver of a vehicle that will carry members and/or minors that are not related to the driver may be required to produce a Driver's Abstract to MFSA before these individuals are carried in the vehicle supporting MFSA activities. In the absence of MFSA approval, at a minimum, written approval (waiver) of the individual member and/or the parent or guardian of a minor must be provided to the driver before they can be carried.

## **Discipline**

**6.** Failure to adhere to this policy may give rise to discipline in accordance with MFSA Code of Conduct and Ethics Policy.



## **Approval**

7. This policy was approved by the Board of Directors on the Board Approval Date and will be reviewed by the Executive Committee on an annual basis.

Name of PSO: Manitoba Freestyle Ski Association

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