

Memorandum

To	SLSNSW Directors of Surf Sports
From	Greg Pierce, SLSNSW Surf Sport Manager
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Subject	Clarification on Competitors Draft for 2026 Interbranch Championships

Draft Procedure for the 2026 Interbranch Championships

1. Competitors wishing to be considered for the draft must submit the Draft Nomination Form by Friday, 6th November.
2. Branches who have not been able to fill all the places in their team, and want to draft athletes from other Branches, must notify SLSNSW, via email, by Sunday 8th November. They must identify the age group and gender of the athletes they want to draft. Emails are to be sent to gpierce@surflifesaving.com.au
3. The SLSNSW Selection Panel will allocate athletes from the draft pool to the Branches.
4. It's up to each Branch to decide:
 - If the drafted athlete receives a uniform.
 - If the drafted athlete stays with the Branch team.
 - If the drafted athlete is required to pay a levy.
5. Drafted athletes are to be included in the Branches Entries spreadsheets which are to be submitted to SLSNSW by Sunday 15th November.
6. Once the allocations are confirmed, it's up to the Branch to communicate with the drafted athlete.

For more information, please contact Surf Sports at surfsports@surflifesaving.com.au