

The PATHWAYS to becoming an MSA OFFICIAL

The table below outlines each of the positions in which you can become an accredited MSA official. SAL and overseas accredited officials can fast track the process. Refer to Cross Accreditation and Re-accreditation document at beginning of TECHNICAL/TECHNICAL COURSES on the National website.

Official Position	Supervisors must have following current accreditation to supervise trainees	Maximum candidates per course	No. of assessments per activity
<i>The following course may be completed at club level</i>			
Timekeeper	Timekeeper	10	2 (at club or meet)
<i>The following documents should be read before commencing further courses</i>			
GPoO 1. Self Management	Available on line	-	None
GPoO 2. Roles and Responsibilities of MSA Officials	Available on line	-	None
GPoO 3. People Management	Available on line	-	None
<i>The following may be done in any order. It is preferable to complete each course before starting another. You must also read and sign an "Officials Code of Conduct" form.</i>			
Chief Timekeeper	Chief Timekeeper	6	2 (at meets)
Marshal / Clerk of Course / Check Starter	Marshal	6	2 (at meets)
Starter	Starter/Referee	4	3 (at meets)
Inspector of Turns	Referee	6	3 (at meets)
Judge of Stroke	Referee	4	3 (at meets)
<i>Candidates must complete all of the above before starting the following</i>			
REFEREE Including following	Referee	4	Event Referee 3 (at meets)
			Meet Referee 3 (at meets)
GPoO 4. Managing the Competition Environment	Course Presenter must be approved by Branch officer	4	none

For information and documents see: [www.mastersswimming.org.au/Technical/Technical Courses](http://www.mastersswimming.org.au/Technical/Technical%20Courses)