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APPLICATION: REVIEW OF ANGLING COVID PARTICIPATION PROTOCOLS

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Executive Summary

2. As the sport of angling is not a spectator sport, nor a contact sport due to the nature of angling (fishing) participation and the angling rules, the participation is strongly based on social distancing by virtue of the sport's type of activities.
3. We as the Angling Confederation and our 9-member National Federations & National Associations are very pleased and thankful to report that since the implementation of the SASACC PAL Covid-19 Participation Regulations, we have had no infections or infected individuals who participated in our competitions. It is our humble opinion that through the strict adherence and monitoring processes of the SASACC PAL Covid-19 Participation Regulations and by the grace of God, we could ensure that all our members participated in a safe environment.
4. With the participation over the last months, we came to realize that by making small changes to the SASACC PAL Covid-19 Participation Regulations, we can still continue to ensure safe participation of our members and create a competition atmosphere at our events.
5. SASACC is pleased to submit this application for the reviewing of specific clauses of the SASACC PAL Covid-19 Participation Regulations and the consideration of new clauses to be added. All of these will be part of the strategy to ensure a bio-safe angling participation environment.

The clauses to be reviewed

6. "1. **Lockdown Level 4.** The proposed controlled participation"

Current Clause

- a. "**Controlled Angling (Fishing) Rules.** The following controlled participation rules will apply:
 - ii. All the anglers will be screened (temperature testing) on arrival at the angling (fishing) venue or launching site."

Revised clauses:

- ii. All the anglers, participants and officials will every day be screened (temperature testing) on arrival at the angling (fishing) venue or launching site for single day events hosted on an individual basis or for multiple day events based on individual/team participation.



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- iii. All the anglers, participants and officials will for multiple day events, hosted on a team basis or group participation, submit a negative Covid-19 test not older than 72hours on arrival/registration before participation.”

Current Clause

- iii. “Angling (fishing) activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
1. No activity may be hosted where more than 50 persons will be attending.
 2. No opening and closing activities/ceremonies may be hosted where the participants are gathered in areas. “

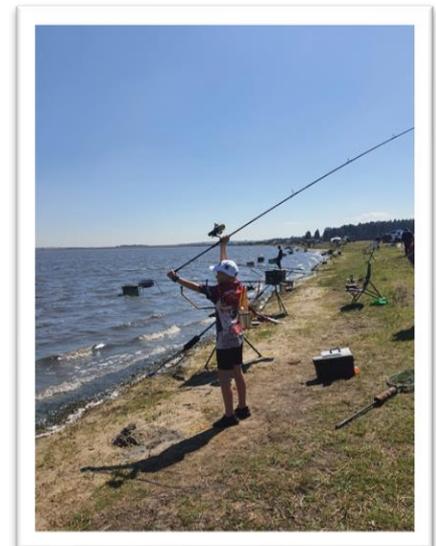
Revised clauses:

- iii. Angling (fishing) activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
1. No activity may be hosted where more than 100 persons will be attending per venue.
 2. Opening and closing ceremonies may be hosted in an open area where the participants are gathered with the maintaining of social distances and wearing masks.

Current Clause

b. **“Freshwater & Bank Angling (Fishing).**

- i. The participation in the angling (fishing) activities will be done under the following regulations:
1. Anglers will arrive at the venue/resort, after confirmation of fishing permit, completion of register and screening, the anglers will drive to the specific allocated angling position/spot at the bank area.
 2. A maximum of 2 persons will be allowed at an angling position/spot to fish together. The 2 anglers will maintain a minimum distance of 2 meters apart.
 3. The angling positions will be separated by at least 20 meters apart and clearly marked.
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Current Clause

c. **Off-shore Angling (Fishing).**

- i. Only one person per every full 1.5 meters of length of vessel, may be permitted on the same vessel.
- ii. Anglers/fishermen will be complying with all the Department of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries (DAFF) as well as the South African Marine Safety Authority (SAMSA) management regulations. Personal identification documents required permits and fishing licenses will be carried on the persons at all times.
- iii. Anglers will arrive at the launching site, the confirmation of the fishing permit will be done, completion of the register, screening and then the anglers will drive to the launch or place the vessel in the water and the vehicle will then be parked. The owner of the vehicle must drive the vehicle. No staff member may handle the vessel or vehicle.
- iv. The ski-boat club or relevant launch site authority will be responsible for ensuring compliance with the regulations. Failure to do this adequately will result in the closure of that launch site for the duration of all the lockdown level.
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 5. Family members, guardians and friends acting as drivers/guardians will be allowed at the allowed at launch sites and activities but refrain from having contact with other participants and maintaining social distance and wearing of masks.





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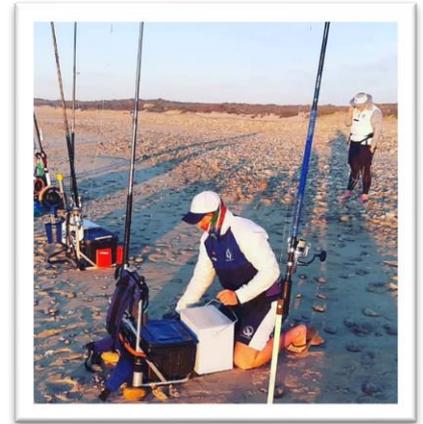


Current Clause

- f. **“Shore/Beach Angling (Fishing).**
- i. The participation in the angling (fishing) activities will be done under the following regulations:
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 6. The participation will be done on an individual basis and not in an organized group format.”

Revised clauses:

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5. Family members, guardians and friends acting as drivers/guardians will be allowed on the beach site but refrain from having contact with other participants and maintaining social distance and wearing of masks.
 6. The participation will be done on an individual basis and in an organized group format.



7. “2. **Lockdown Level 3.** The proposed controlled participation”

Current Clause

- a. **“Controlled Angling (Fishing) Rules.** The following controlled participation rules will apply:
- ii. All the anglers will be screened (temperature testing) on arrival at the angling (fishing) venue or launching site.”

Revised clauses:

- ii. All the anglers, participants and officials will every day be screened (temperature testing) on arrival at the angling (fishing) venue or launching site for single day events based on an individual basis or for multiple day events based on an individual/team/group participation.
- iii. All the anglers, participants and officials will for multiple day events hosted on team/group participation submit a negative Covid-19 test not older than 72hours on arrival/registration.

Current Clause

- iii. “Angling (fishing) activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
3. No activity may be hosted where more than 50 persons will be attending.
 4. No opening and closing activities/ceremonies may be hosted where the participants are gathered in areas. “

Revised clauses:

- iii. Angling (fishing) activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
1. No activity may be hosted where more than 250 persons will be attending per venue.
 2. Opening and closing ceremonies may be hosted in an open area where the participants are gathered with the maintaining of social distances and wearing masks.



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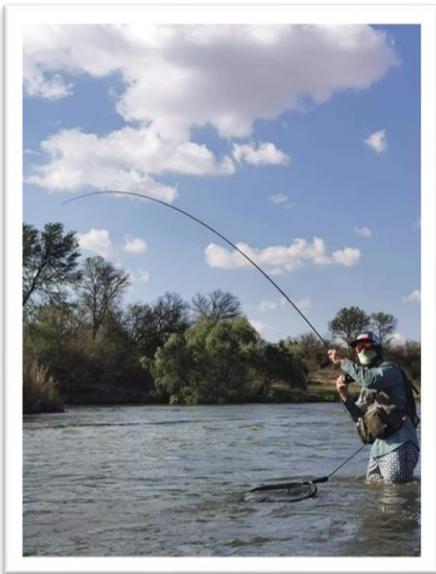
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b. “Freshwater & Bank Angling (Fishing).”

- i. The participation in the angling (fishing) activities will be done under the following regulations:
 1. Anglers will arrive at the venue/resort, after confirmation of fishing permit, completion of register and screening, the anglers will drive to the specific allocated angling position/spot at the bank area.
 2. A maximum of 2 persons will be allowed at an angling position/spot to fish together. The 2 anglers will maintain a minimum distance of 2 meters apart.
 3. The angling positions will be separated by at least 20 meters apart and clearly marked.
 4. No spectators and guests will be allowed at the angling position/spot or on the bank area of the venue/resort.”

Revised clauses:

b. Freshwater & Bank Angling (Fishing).



- i. The participation in the angling (fishing) activities will be done under the following regulations:

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5. Family members, guardians and friends acting as drivers/guardians will be allowed at the angling position/spot on the bank area of the venue/resort but refrain from having contact with other participants and maintaining social distance and wearing of masks.

Current Clause

c. “Off-shore Angling (Fishing).”

- i. Only one person per every full 1.5 meters of length of vessel, may be permitted on the same vessel.
- ii. Anglers/fishermen will be complying with all the Department of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries (DAFF) as well as the South African Marine Safety Authority (SAMSA) management regulations. Personal identification documents required permits and fishing licenses will be carried on the persons at all times.
- iii. Anglers will arrive at the launching site, the confirmation of the fishing permit will be done, completion of the register, screening and then the anglers will drive to the launch or place the vessel in the water and the vehicle will then be parked. The owner of the vehicle must drive the vehicle. No staff member may handle the vessel or vehicle.
- iv. The ski-boat club or relevant launch site authority will be responsible for ensuring compliance with the regulations. Failure to do this adequately will result in the closure of that launch site for the duration of all the lockdown level.
- v. Angling activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
 1. The activities will be planned to ensure that staggered time slots are used for launching of boats/entry of venue to ensure that anglers are kept apart from each other and prevent group forming.



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2. Drawing of launching slot or starting positions and skippers' meetings will be done via live streaming or similar methods or WhatsApp to the participants which will prevent the participants to attend any group gatherings.
3. If a fish weigh-in process takes place, it will be limited to the weighmaster or official and the particular angler.
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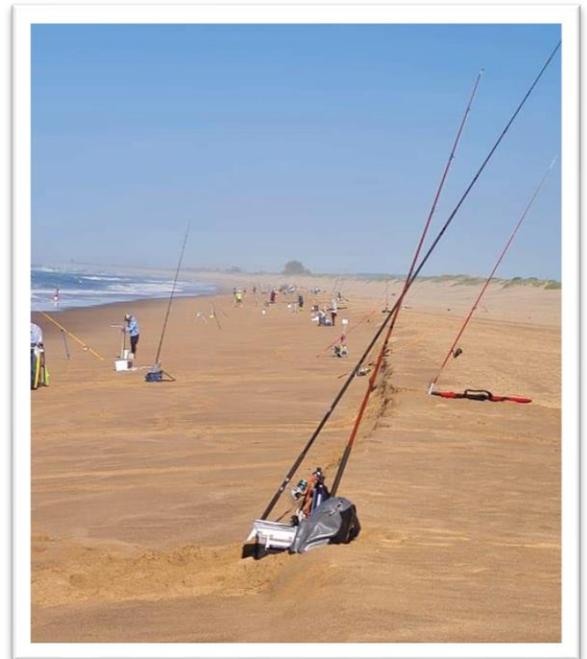
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5. Family members, guardians and friends acting as drivers/guardians will be allowed at the allowed at launch sites and activities but refrain from having contact with other participants and maintaining social distance and wearing of masks.



Current Clause

f. **"Shore/Beach Angling (Fishing).**

i. The participation in the angling (fishing) activities will be done under the following regulations:

5. No spectators and guests will be allowed on the beach site.
6. The participation will be done on an individual basis and not in an organized group format."

Revised clauses:

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i. The participation in the angling (fishing) activities will be done under the following regulations:

5. Family members, guardians and friends acting as drivers/guardians will be allowed on the beach site but refrain from having contact with other participants and maintaining social distance and wearing of masks.
6. The participation will be done on an individual basis and in an organized group format.



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7. "2. **Lockdown Level 2.** The proposed controlled participation"

Current Clause

- a. "The proposed regulations for the controlled angling activities for this level are a continuation of the regulations as contained in Lockdown Level 3."

Current Clause of Lockdown Level 3

- a. **"Controlled Angling (Fishing) Rules.** The following controlled participation rules will apply:
- ii. All the anglers will be screened (temperature testing) on arrival at the angling (fishing) venue or launching site."

Revised clauses:

- ii. All the anglers, participants and officials will every day be screened (temperature testing) on arrival at the angling (fishing) venue or launching site for single day events based on an individual basis or for multiple day events based on individual/team participation where all anglers, participants and officials."
- iii. All the anglers, participants and officials will for multiple day events based on team participation submit a negative Covid-19 test not older than 72hours on arrival/registration.

Current Clause

- iii. "Angling (fishing) activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
5. No activity may be hosted where more than 50 persons will be attending.
 6. No opening and closing activities/ceremonies may be hosted where the participants are gathered in areas."

Revised clauses:

- iii. Angling (fishing) activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
1. No activity may be hosted where more than 450 persons will be attending per venue.
 2. Opening and closing ceremonies may be hosted in an open area or indoor facility where the participants are gathered with the maintaining of social distances and wearing masks.

Current Clause

b. **"Freshwater & Bank Angling (Fishing).**

- i. The participation in the angling (fishing) activities will be done under the following regulations:
1. Anglers will arrive at the venue/resort, after confirmation of fishing permit, completion of register and screening, the anglers will drive to the specific allocated angling position/spot at the bank area.
 6. A maximum of 2 persons will be allowed at an angling position/spot to fish together. The 2 anglers will maintain a minimum distance of 2 meters apart.





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7. The angling positions will be separated by at least 20 meters apart and clearly marked.
8. No spectators and guests will be allowed at the angling position/spot or on the bank area of the venue/resort.”

Revised clauses:

b. **Freshwater & Bank Angling (Fishing).**

i. The participation in the angling (fishing) activities will be done under the following regulations:

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Current Clause

c. **“Off-shore Angling (Fishing).**

- i. Only one person per every full 1.5 meters of length of vessel, may be permitted on the same vessel.
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9. No grouping of persons will be allowed at weigh-in station.
10. No spectators and guests will be allowed at launch sites and activities.”

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8. **“2. Lockdown Level 1. The proposed controlled participation”**

Current Clauses

- a. The controlled individual angling (fishing) participation regulations of Level 3 will still apply.
- b. The movement per vehicles to fishing venues and crossing of borders will be in line with Lockdown Regulations.
- c. Sanitization will be done upon entry and exit of venue registered venues, resorts and launching sites.
- d. Adequate mask usage as prescribed by the Lockdown regulations.
- e. Controlled angling (fishing) activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
 - i. No activity may be hosted where more than 100 persons will be attending.



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- ii. No opening and closing activities/ceremonies may be hosted where the participants are gathered in areas.”

Revised clauses:

- a. The controlled angling (fishing) participation under the revised regulations of Level 3 will still apply.
- e. Controlled angling (fishing) activities may be hosted in group formats with the following hosting rules:
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Current Clause of Lockdown Level 3

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Motivation

7. The Confederation hereby respectfully applies for the approval of the reviewed Covid-19 Participation Regulations for the sport of angling for the events as hosted in the various disciplines to ensure sound continuation of the sport in a sustainable manner.



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8. The angling disciplines which are participated in by our members include saltwater (rock and surf, spearfishing, Deep Sea), freshwater (Bank Angling, Bass Angling, Artificial Lure Angling, Light Tackle Boat Angling, Fly Fishing) which are all outdoor based activities with very limited risk to infection exposure.
9. The hosting and participation regulations for revision as contained in this application will address small changes to the participation regulations of the sport which will further ensure that the controlled participation in angling activities is done in a safe environment.
10. The application is based on our approved participation regulations and the experiences obtained through hosting the events since July 2020, international trends.

Conclusion

11. The members of SASACC have been enjoying the opportunity to participate in our sport during these difficult times caused by Covid-19 although certain inherent aspects of the sport could not be presented or attended by our members.
12. The expected next steps which we foresee to be completed by the Ministry are:
 - 12.1. Step 1. Consideration of the application by the Ministry and revert to SASACC with approval of the application to review the hosting of angling sport events and training sessions and sanctions.
 - 12.2. Step 2. Approval for the hosting of angling sport events with the newly adopted regulations.
 - 12.3. Step 3. The Ministry to provide SASACC with the required authorization and guidelines for the hosting of angling sport events.
 - 12.4. Step 4. The SASACC implement the adopted regulations to enable the hosting of angling events.
13. We are looking forward to the reinstatement of “normal” angling sport activities under the safe participation environment.
14. We are confident that we can meet the challenges ahead, and are ready to continue with the effective, reliable hosting of angling events.
15. If you have questions on this proposal, feel free to contact me, Mr Andries Maree, at your convenience by email at president@sasacc.co.za or by phone at 0828298251.

Thank you for your consideration.

