EASTERN GAUTENG AQUATICS
CODE OF ETHICS

APPENDIX IV:

01 SEPTEMBER 2020

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PRESIDENT

C.A. KNIGHT

<u>Code of Ethics</u>

<u>Terms of Reference</u>

The content of this Code of Ethics applies to all those involved within the sport of swimming, diving, water polo, open water swimming and synchronized swimming.

The Code of Ethics should be read in conjunction with the EGA and SSA Codes of Conduct

It is accepted that all registered swimmers, parents, coaches and officials will enter into the spirit of competition and their behaviour will be acceptable as expected of reasonable sportsmen and women that will embrace equality, dignity, fair play, integrity, neutrality and confidentiality in the sport of Aquatics

1. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person, be they adult or child, treating everyone equally within the context of the sport.

2. Respect the spirit of the sport adhering to the rules and laws in and out of the pool, incorporating the concept of friendship, teamwork and respect for others.

3. Promote the positive aspects of the sport and never condone the use of inappropriate or abusive language, inappropriate relationships, bullying, harassment, discrimination or physical violence.

4. Accept responsibility for their own behaviour and encourage and guide all EGA members and parents of junior members to accept responsibility for their own behaviour and conduct.

5. Ensure all concerns of a child safeguarding nature are referred in accordance with EGA Child Safeguarding Policy and Procedures

6. Conduct themselves in a manner that takes all reasonable measures to protect their own safety and the safety of others.

7. Promote the reputation of the sport and never behave or encourage or condone others to behave in a manner that is liable to bring the sport into disrepute.

8. Adhere to EGA, AG & SSA and FINA Policies, Procedures & Rules governing the

   sport of Aquatics

9. Adhere to the EGA Code of Conduct.

10. Adhere to the SSA Anti-Doping Rules.