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TO: Club Presidents, Club Secretary, Club Captains, Surf Sports, Junior Secretaries, BoSS

FROM: Michael Schetter, Surf Life Saving SA

SUBJECT: Expression of Interest for 2011-12 High Performance Program – Wild Card entry

Expressions of interest are being sought for athletes to be part of the 2011/12 High Performance Program. The High Performance Program has been designed to produce top level surf lifesaving athletes in South Australia now and in the future. One of the greatest honours an athlete can receive is to be selected to represent their State in competition. Participation in the program may lead to State Team and State Development Team selection.

Any athlete who placed in the **top three positions in relevant events** at the 2011 State Championships will receive their own invitation.

In addition we will allow limited wild card entries. These are for athletes who did not place in the 2011 State Championships but may have the necessary attributes to be considered for inclusion. This would mean that the athlete has the necessary attributes to potentially finish in the top two positions in relevant individual events. Expressions of Interest for these wild card entries are now being called.

Please note this is for athletes Under 13 and above in the 2011-12 season. The State Team will comprise athletes Under 15 and above while the Development Team will include Under 13, Under 14 and Under 15.

To begin the program and provide all the information that athletes require, a forum will be conducted on **Wednesday 12th October 5.30 pm at the Somerton SLSC**. At the forum we will provide information on:

- Selection policy
- Squad / team membership agreement
- Training program and requirements
- Interstate competition
- Development and high performance camps

Please complete the enclosed Expression of Interest form and return it to Carly Hogg, Surf Life Saving SA by **Friday 7th October 2011** at:

- Email; carly.hogg@surfrescue.com.au
- post to PO Box 108 Torrensville SA 5031
- fax 83546999 or
- drop off at 219 Henley Beach Road, Torrensville



At the time of signing this form I acknowledge that:

1. I agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the SLSSA Constitution and Regulations (please see SLSSA website).
2. I agree to comply with the SLSA Anti Doping Policy (please see SLSA website).
3. I specifically agree that in the case of any appeal, I will follow the appeals procedure set out in the policy and will not pursue any other action whether under the SLSSA Constitution or otherwise in relation to selection.
4. If I am selected to the State Team/Squad I agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of the Squad/Team Athlete Agreement (to be provided at the Forum).
5. SLSA has a Privacy Policy and the information collected is necessary for the purpose of selecting the State Squad and Team and for the management of that Squad and Team. I acknowledge and agree that the information will only be for the purpose of the provision of services directly related to the management of the State Squad or Team. I understand that I will be able to access the information held about me by those service providers.
6. By signing this form I warrant that I am eligible for selection.

Applicants Name: _____ Applicants Signature: _____

Signature of Parent/legal guardian where applicant is under 18 years of age _____

Date: ____/____/____.

This Application for Selection has been endorsed by an Officer of my Surf Life Saving Club

Club Endorsement

Club name _____	Name _____	Signature _____
	Position _____	
	Date _____	