

USPSA UTAH SECTION BYLAWS

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- I. Section Coordinator may either be an elected or appointed position per USPSA, SCSA or IPSC bylaws, which are controlling.
 - a The election for Section Coordinator will be every two years or within sixty days of the resignation of the existing Section Coordinator.
 - b The Area Director may appoint an interim Section Coordinator until an election can be held, or if an appointment is not made, will act as Section Coordinator until an election is held.
 - c Election for Section Coordinator will be conducted as follows:
 - i The existing or Interim Section Coordinator will contact Utah Section club contacts listed on the USPSA website announcing the election. In addition, they will post on social media a notification of the upcoming election.
 - ii Section clubs may then put forth nominations for candidates to the position of Section Coordinator. All candidates must be Utah State residents and current USPSA members. In addition, individuals meeting qualification requirements may notify the Section Coordinator of their intent to be a candidate and the SC will add them to the election process.
 - iii Votes shall be cast by the club President or Match Director listed with USPSA.
 - iv There will be no restrictions on the number of eligible candidates on the ballot. There will, however, be a primary election if there are more than two candidates, with one vote for each club USPSA and SCSA affiliation being cast and with the candidate(s) with the least number of votes being eliminated until only two candidates are remaining.
 - v The election process for the two remaining candidates will be the same as the primary process with one vote being cast for each USPSA or SCSA club affiliation with a simple majority of the votes cast determining the winning candidate.
 - vi In the event there is only one candidate for the position each club shall cast a vote with a simple majority of the votes cast approving the candidate. In the event the candidate is not approved the Section Coordinator or Interim Section Coordinator will again recruit candidates and proceed with the election process until a successful candidate is chosen.
- II. The Section Coordinator may call for meetings with the sections club representatives at any time with a minimum one-week lead time.
- III. The Section Coordinator shall ensure that the section's USPSA, SCSA or IPSC matches are held in complete compliance with all current USPSA, SCSA or IPSC rules.
- IV. Section Bylaws may be amended by the section or its' Section Coordinator at any time provided they are submitted in writing at least thirty days in advance of institution to all the section's club representatives listed on the USPSA web site and are approved by the said body. Votes for changes must be submitted by an announced ratification date thirty or more days from submitted bylaws. A simple majority of the votes cast by the announced date will be sufficient for ratification.

UTAH SECTION NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS SLOT DISTRIBUTION

- I. The Section Coordinator shall announce the availability of championship slots when received and will make a list of Utah USPSA members desiring a slot to the National Championship. The Section Coordinator will make a reasonable cutoff date for slot requests. Candidates for slots must submit all match links for consideration as outlined in IV. a., by the announced cutoff date. Qualifying competitors will be offered slots for the division with the highest calculated score for the calculation period. If those individual decline, the slot will be offered to the 2nd highest scoring candidate in that division and so on until the slot is allocated. This will cycle through all divisions and eligible competitors until all slots are awarded as determined above

- II. **ELIGIBILITY PERIOD:** Distribution will be based on slot points earned in the eligibility period of the twelve-months preceding the receipt of the National Championship slot distribution announcement by the Section Coordinator.

- III. **ELIGIBILITY:** Any current USPSA member and Utah resident who has participated in at least 5 matches in any Utah Section club, during the eligible period, in any one Division, will be eligible to receive any Utah Section allocated slots to the USPSA, SCSA or IPSC National Championships.

- IV. **SLOT POINTS CALCULATION FOR EACH USPSA, SCSA OR IPSC SLOT.**
 - a. Each candidate requesting a slot must submit Practiscore links for their five best matches they wish to submit for calculation of match points for the division they are applying for. Only one division application per candidate is allowed.
 - b. Match Participation will equal 100 points per match for a maximum of 500 points.
 - c. One additional point will be added for each participant in the match net of duplicate classifier entries.
 - d. For each match submitted, the number of participants will be multiplied by the match finish percent for the competitor submitting the match in that division.
 - e. The total of match participation points, and competitor finish percent times match participants will be the score for that submitted match. E.G., 100 points for the match plus division finish percent of 50% times match net participants of 70 would yield a score for that submitted match of 135. The total of all five submitted match calculations will be the slot candidate's score for that divisions slot.
 - f. If more slots are available than the number of divisions in the championship match one slot will be allocated to each division and awarded based on the calculations above. The extra slot(s) will be awarded by random drawing of all candidates requesting a slot that did not succeed in the initial calculation round. When less slots are available than the number of divisions in the match the slots will be awarded from the highest to lowest scoring candidates for all divisions combined.
 - g. Slots are non-transferable and must be returned for distribution if not used.
 - h. Any unclaimed slots will be returned to USPSA by the Section Coordinator.