## **NSP PROPOSAL FORM**

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	Proposal Number: F15 P001	
Assigned Committee:		

The proposal maker(s) submit this proposal for consideration by the NSP Board of Directors in accordance with the NSP Policies & Procedures. This proposal has been researched, is submitted in final wording with all applicable boxes completed and information provided. I (We) have contacted and discussed this proposal with the appropriate National Program Director or other staff and/or NSP Department Director prior to submitting the proposal to the national office. I (We) have indicated how I (we) believe this proposal will impact the budget, both long- and short-term. I (we) understand that incomplete proposal forms will be returned to the maker(s).							
Proposed by: Patrick Perlman Position: Division Certified Program Advisor Date: 8/10/2015							
I (we) have consulted the following people in drafting this proposal:							
The following references are relevant to this proposal:  NSP Bylaws:  NSP Policies & Procedures:							
⊠Other: Division Certified Program							
NSP Bylaws:   NSP Strategic Plan:  NSP Policies & Procedures:  NSP Policies & Procedur							
Proposal Text (attach additional pages as necessary; for bylaw, P&P, or other amendments of existing provisions, show changes with added words underlined, and deleted words with a line through them):							
To provide Certified candidates a fair opportunity to demonstrate their ski and tobogganing skills and to provide the Certified evaluators a proper ski slope to evaluate those skills identified on the Certified Score Card, the Certified Staff has created a minimum Hill Standard for a slope to be used in a Ski or Toboggan module evaluation.							
The Certified Staff is requesting to update the Central Division Certified Manual to reflect the approved list of Central Division Ski Areas where the Certified Program will hold their annual Certified Evaluation as well as approved venues for Certified Candidate Qualification Clinics. Updates to this list were facilitated by the creation of a Certified Sub-Committee whose mission was to develop a minimum Hill Standard for a ski run to be qualified to hold an on-hill event (i.e., ski and toboggan modules). All 8 Regions were represented and provided input on the Hill Standard Sub-							

Committee. See attached report detailing the process used to determine approved ski areas to hold Certified Evaluations. This update will modify previously approved Proposal F14 P003.

Proposal Explanation and Justification (attach additional pages as necessary):

To uphold the quality and integrity of the Central Division Certified Program, a minimum hill standard (for ski & toboggan modules) was developed by the Certified Sub-Committee and approved by vote of the entire Central Division Certified Staff. The establishment of the Certified hill standard was driven by the need to promote consistency of the Certified Evaluation in the Central Division.

The Certified Sub-Committee established two primary priorities in developing the minimum Hill Standard;

1) Uphold the integrity of the Evaluation and,

Final Board Action: Adopted as Reported

Vote on Final Consideration (if vote count taken): For -

2) Ensure the list of Ski Areas for Evaluations as well as Qualification Clinics was geographically spread throughout the Division to allow the program to be exposed to as many NSP patrollers as possible.

The Hill Standard, created and approved by an overwhelming majority of the Certified Staff has led to the amendments of the Certified venues as outlined below.

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Lutsen	Evaluation & all events	Lutsen	Evaluation & all events
Cascade Mountain	Re-cert & Qualification	Reclassify Cascade Mountain, qualification clinics only	
Welch Village	Re-cert & Qualification	Reclassify Welch Village, qualification clinics only	
Chestnut Mountain	Re-cert & Qualification	Reclassify Chestnut Mt to hold evaluations & all events	
ommittee Revision of Propo	osal (if any):		
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Adopted as Amended

Against -

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Abstain -