



## Circular 184:12:07

**To:** Club Secretaries                      Club Captains  
          Officials                                Team Managers  
          Competition Coordinators

**Cc:** Aquatic Sports Executive    Aquatic Sports Council

**From:** Chris Munro, Manager Aquatic Sports

**Date:** 13 December 2007

**Subject:** Nominations for Officials for Wieland Shield Tour USA July – August 2008.

**Action:** Applications Due 5.00 pm Friday 18 January

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Since 1967, the Los Angeles County Lifeguards and Surf Life Saving Victoria have been exchanging competitive and educational tours on a bi-annual basis.

A perpetual trophy for competition between Surf Life Saving Victoria and American teams was awarded during the visit of the USA team to Australia in 1967. The trophy, made from Victorian red gum wood, is retained by the winning team until the next opportunity comes for competition between Victoria and the United States. The idea for the trophy came from the then American Consul-General in Victoria, Mr W. A. Wieland.

Successful nominations for these positions are expected to choose an area of specific interest to investigate. A report on this area of interest is required upon returning to Australia.

Whilst Life Saving Victoria can provide some office support, all applicants should be aware the total tour cost is to be covered by the team's fundraising and individual financial commitments.

Applications are now invited for the following positions:

- 2 x Officials Positions

### Please Note

- Officials will be expected to participate in fundraising activities (remaining cost to be covered by the official)
- \$100 refundable deposit is to be paid with all nominations.
- No education officers will be sent as in the past - they will be replaced by officials.

Length of tour will be approximately 14-21 days, with the approximate cost of each individual being \$3,500.00.

Please find attached a Nomination form.

**For additional detail on this Circular contact: Peter Van Deuren, Chief Referee**

Email [pfvd@bigpond.com.au](mailto:pfvd@bigpond.com.au) or by phone 0419 608 325

Circulars are also available at [www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au](http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au)

Address: P O Box 353 South Melbourne DC 3205



**Nomination Form – Wieland Shield – Officials**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ (AH) \_\_\_\_\_ (BH) \_\_\_\_\_ (Mob)

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list previous experience, performances and accreditation (if applicable):**

Note: If you would like to write more about how you may contribute, additional papers may be attached to this nomination form.

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Signature of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Please Fax to the Manager of Aquatic Sports on (03) 9676 6938 by no later than **5.00 pm Friday 18th January 2008.**