

## **Team Event Runoff Information**

### **Michigan High School State Championships 2012**

State Championship award placements for the Team events (Level A, B, and C) on Sunday will be calculated by the same formula (combining Jumps, Moves, and Spins) as they are for each District competition.

If there is a tie at any level (A, B, or C) for FIRST PLACE (only) then a runoff will take place to determine the State Championship team for that (those) levels.

Marks will be calculated as quickly as possible following each event so that we may inform teams of the need for any runoffs. Any announcement of runoffs needed will be performed in the RINK, using the standard announcer. If a runoff-eligible team leaves the building or is not available within 5 minutes after such announcement, they will forfeit the runoff and be awarded 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

The runoff will consist of 3 elements, each to be performed by a skater as chosen by the coach or team. The elements shall be:

- 1/ Solo Jump (any solo jump as permitted as "element 1" of the jumps event for A or B level, or element 2 for C level)
- 2/ Combination Jump (any combination jump as permitted as "element 3" of the jumps event for that level)
- 3/ Combination Spin (any combination spin as permitted as "element 4" of the spin event for A or B level), or Sit Spin for C level.

The judges will award a single mark to each team, based on their evaluation of the quality of the 3 elements performed by that team.

If there is a tie for 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> place at any level, the marks will remain as a tie.

### **Team Event Element Clarification for States**

Also for reference, for those elements which had different specifications at Comp 1, Comp 2, Comp 3 during the regular season (ie 1<sup>st</sup> jump element) then at State Championships, the skater may choose to perform the element appropriate to ANY of the 3 competitions.