

## Squash Australia Official Framework

### Course Outline – Level 3

#### Program Competency Statement

- Required to develop skills to a national level.
- Ability to officiate at National events.
- Work towards an understanding of elite player movement and play.
- Develop good presentation and match management skills.
- Display clear communication, and composure under stress.

#### Key Information

**Suitable Candidates:** Open to anyone who wants to be considered for selected to referee or supervise at appropriate national, WSF and/or PSA events.

**Insurance:** Squash Australia certified referees are insured against Public & Products Liability, Professional Indemnity & Personal Accident. (V-Insurance Group [Click Here](#))

**Certification Validity:** 2-year term (before re-appraisal)

WSO certification will not be recognised in Australia until completion of Squash Australia requirements through the Squash Australia Learning Centre. Recognition at the certification level Squash Australia have on record will apply until domestic certification requirements have been met.

#### Certification Fee

**Squash Australia:** \$15.00 (each certification level and recertification)

**World Squash Officiating:** USD\$50.00

(WSO note: Payment in US dollars. Upon certification and payment at a higher level a refund of the lower-level certification fee will automatically apply on a pro-rata basis. This refund is automatically generated and appears on the credit card within 3 to 4 days).



## Officiating Level

Level 3 Referees will be able to officiate up to:

- Oceania
- PSA challenger tour
- WSF Championships
- Australian National Championships
- Australian Open

A minimum of 12-months experience as a Level 3 Referee.

## Certification Pre-requisites Requirements (with past two years)

### Requirement for Squash Australia course completion and certification

- Vision-Hearing declaration completed and signed by your Physician
- Sport Integrity Australia (SIA)
  - PBTR - Harassment & Discrimination
  - Decision Making in Sport

### Requirement for WSO course completion and certification

- Completion WSO Level 0, 1 & 2 online courses
- Procedure to certify refer to WSO Resources – Level 3 Information Summary [Click Here](#)
- Referees are required to complete each level of the World Squash Officiating (WSO) referee levels, starting at Level 0 to be recognised as a certified referee within Australia

## Recertification Requirements (within the past two years)

### Requirement for Squash Australia Recertification

#### (Must be completed during two-year Certification)

- Vision-Hearing declaration completed and signed by your Physician
- WSO Level 0 - Rules of Squash
- Sport Integrity Australia (SIA) - Annual Anti-Doping update 2022 (formerly Level 2) (Reflect current trends in anti-doping and broader integrity issues) – every 12 months

### Requirement for WSO Recertification

- Level 3 certification is valid for two (2) years

Note: If you allow your certification to expire after 2-years the official must repeat the modular training online/practical criteria

- Procedure to recertify refer to WSO Resources – Level 3 Information Summary [Click Here](#)



Note: Recertification can begin through Squash Australia Learning Centre 18 months from certification date. Go to your profile in the Learning Centre, Record of Learning, Certifications for your renewal date.

### Summary of Administrative Requirements

- Once all program assessment requirements have been satisfied, a Level 3 referee must provide:
  - Read and acknowledge and comply with Squash Australia Referee Code of Behaviour
  - Complete payment of the program including the above-mentioned certification fee
  - Evidence of current Working with Children Check card/letter
  - Evidence of current state/territory membership
- Requirements above must be submitted online at [www.learning.squash.org.au](http://www.learning.squash.org.au)

### Enquiries

Contact Squash Australia via email at [education@squash.org.au](mailto:education@squash.org.au)

