

Proposed National Disqualification & Recertification Policy

Application: All IPSC sanctioned matches in Canada

In the event that a competitor is disqualified twice in a twelve-month period (starting with the first disqualification and regardless of the level of the sanctioned match) a suspension **may be issued** by the Section Training Coordinator¹ of the Section.

Once a suspension occurs, the process for recertification begins.

Recertification Process:

Level 1 Recertification: Consists of eight exercises from the Black Badge course, including the "el prez". The suspended member must demonstrate competency in all exercises to be allowed to compete.

Once the re-certification is completed, the member will be issued a new provisional card and must successfully complete a sanctioned match in the year following the re-certification. The provisional card is sent to the Section Training Coordinator and kept on file for a minimum of 12months.

If the member is disqualified in the twelve months following the re-certification, they may be suspended. If suspended they would move to Level 2 recertification.

Level 2 Recertification: Requires that the member retake the entire Black Badge Course and successfully shoot a sanctioned match in the following twelve months.

If the member is disqualified in the twelve months following the completion of Level 2 Recertification (Black Badge Course), they may be suspended. If suspended they would move to Level 3 recertification.

Level 3 Recertification: The matter is referred to the board of directors of the section to decide if the disqualified member should continue to be a member of IPSC in Canada.

Notes:

1. The Section Training Officer or their designate will review all match disqualifications for possible follow up.