



**SINGAPORE COACH EXCELLENT (SG-COACH) PROGRAMME
TECHNICAL CERTIFICATION ACCREDITATION POLICY**

Policy Name:	SG-Coach Programme - Technical accreditation policy				
Approval Authority:	Chairman for Coaching Committee	Adopted:	15 July 2015	Reviewed:	7 July 2019
Responsible Executive:	See siew boon	Revised:			
Responsible Office:	High Participation	Contact:			

1. Definitions

a) National Team Player – A national team player is an individual that represents a nation, rather than a club or region and taken part in BWF sanctioned international tournaments, major games such as SEA Games/Commonwealth Games etc and served at least 2 years of full-time training in Singapore National team.

2. The Reason

The rationale of this policy is to define applicants to receive SG-Coach Technical certificate accreditation based on their playing experience or prior coaching certification.

3. The Policy

3.1 To achieve Sport SG Coaching Certification and register under the National Registry of Coaches (NROC), all participants must achieve these four elements of certification. They are:

a. Technical – covers the sport specific considerations such as sport demands, specific training methodologies, techniques, and sport strategies. The course is conducted with a mixture of classroom-based and workshop-based teaching. Assessment may come in forms of assignment, demonstration, and/or examination. Technical courses are mainly organized by SBA and/or BWF.

b. Theory – covers the general principles of coaching such as sport pedagogy, fundamental movement skills, sport safety and management, effective communication, Singapore sports ecosystem as well as impartation of values and principles. The course is conducted with a mixture of classroom-based and workshop-based teaching. Assessment comes in form of both assignment and examination. The theory courses are organized by Sport Singapore.

c. Basic Sport Science – The Basic Sports Science (BSS) Course is an introduction to various sports science concepts which will aid participants in their pursuit of other Sport Singapore Courses. It is mainly conducted in a classroom format where participants are guided with theoretical

knowledge and practical applications for the topics of Anatomy & Injury Prevention and Strength & Conditioning. The course is jointly organized by Sport SG and Republic Polytechnic.

d. **Standard First Aid with AED** - During coaching, there could be incidences of emergency or injury, it is essential that coaches are trained in the knowledge and skills in Standard First Aid, Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and usage of Automated External Defibrillator (AED). This will better prepare coaches for emergency situations and manage the risks involved in sports coaching. There is a list of Sport SG recognized first aid course provided.

3.2 The following categories of individual will be allowing exemption of attending Level 1 SG-Coach Technical Coaching Course:

Categories	Types of Exemption	Qualifying Criterial		Outcome
1. Former National Team Player	1. Skill Test 2. Course fee of \$749 (inc. GST) 3. All assessment and assignment of the course	If participant had Obtained Basic Sports Science Course, SG Coach Level 1 Theory Course and Values and Principles in sports a. Administrative Fee of \$53.50 (inc of GST) b. Attend the course with 100% attendance		Obtain SG-Coach Level 1 Technical Course Certification
	1. Skill Test 2. Subsidies course fee	If Participant Have NOT obtain any / either of the mentioned below: - Basic Sport Science, - SG Coach Theory Level 1 - Values and Principles a. Pass the course with 100% attendance with assessment and assignment as required. b. Payable course fee: \$374.5 (inc GST)		Obtain SG-Coach Level 1 Integrated Course Certification
2. Foreign Coaches in Singapore with oversea coaching certificates	1. SG-Coach Level 1 Technical Course lesson	1. Applicant must be able to produce an equivalent coaching certificate from their respective countries 2. Must have been coaching for a minimum period of 3 years with completion of at least 300hrs in coaching assignments.	a. Participant must Obtained Basic Sports Science Course & SG Coach Level 1 Theory Course prior application b. Accreditation Fee of \$428 (inclusive of GST) c. Attend the course with 100% attendance	Obtain SG-Coach Level 1 Technical Course Certification

		Proof of coaching assignments must be presented. 3. Subject to SBA approval		
3. Applicant with BWF Coach Level 1 certificate	1. SG-Coach Level 1 Technical Course lesson 2. Skill test	1. Applicant must be able to produce BWF coaching certification 2. Must have been coaching for a minimum period of 3 years with completion of at least 300hrs in coaching assignments. Proof of coaching assignments must be presented.	a. Accreditation Fee of \$535 (inclusive of GST) b. Pass the course with 100% attendance with assessment and assignment as required.	Obtain SG-Coach Level 1 Integrated Course Certification

3.3 The following categories of individual will be allowing exemption of attending Level 2 SG-Coach Technical Coaching Course:

Categories	Types of Exemption	Qualifying Criterial	Outcome
1. Former National Team Player		Not Applicable. All former national team players are required to take up the SG-Coach Level 2 technical course.	
2. Foreign Coaches in Singapore			
3. Applicant with BWF Coach Level 2 certificate	1. SG-Coach Level 2 Technical Course	1. Applicant must be able to produce BWF coaching certification 2. a. Must have been coaching for a minimum period of 5 years with completion of at least 500hrs in coaching assignments. Proof of coaching assignments must be presented.	Obtain SG-Coach Level 2 Technical Course Certification *subject to approval from coaching committee*

- 3.4 Any forms of waiver and accreditation must be presented to the Coaching Committee Chairman / Committee by SBA staff with valid reasons and subject for approval.
- 3.5 All applicants will only be awarded with SG-Coach Technical Course Certification issued by SBA / Sport SG. The policy does not accredit or issue any BWF coaching certification.
- 3.6 All coaches can only be allowed for one successful accreditation application. For subsequent level, coaches will be required to attend courses to obtain higher level.