

SURVA Guidelines for Provisional Officials

Moving to a Regional Rating

Preface: Any Provisional referee who wishes to be considered for a Regional rating must follow these guidelines (but not limited to): their previous commitment to the region, good standing status, their officiating/scoring ability and their ability to facilitate matches with little difficulty. All guidelines are flexible and depending on specific circumstances can be waived with the concurrence of the Region's Trainer and Official's Representative.

1. The referee shall have a Sponsor/Mentor as a focal point to confer officiating issues with, as well as point of contact for other officials to relay pertinent information through. The Sponsor/Mentor will be a National level referee, not necessarily from their respective area (but is recommended).
2. Discuss a training plan with the Trainer and Sponsor/Mentor; depending on the specific level of volleyball knowledge and the expectations required from a Regional referee.
3. Be in good standing with the Region. The Good standing policy for all officials is posted on the Sun Country website
4. As a minimum, confer with at least two National referees outside of your area for their feedback; their feedback will be sent to the Trainer and Sponsor/Mentor. *(In the opinion of the National referees, could the official manage a court on their own, with little difficulty?)*
5. The official must be observed by at least two National referees outside of your area for their feedback. The official must be observed facilitating a D-II, or DI match. During the match, the official must display the ability to recognize rotational faults, illegal/legal back-row plays, maintain consistency of "hands" calls and issue any sanctions necessary.
6. Display the ability and recognize when preventative officiating is necessary.
7. The official must commit to attending at least 2 of 5 Bid Qualifiers. Non-attendance to these tournaments will be by-exception.
8. Display the competency of scoring; submit no less than two completed scoresheets to include a third set to at least two National Scorers (not from the area of the candidate) for their feedback.