

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
CANADIAN JUDGES ADVISORY GROUP (CJAG)
November 26th, 2025.

1. Call to order and roll call.

Microsoft Teams Meeting scheduled for 20:00 hours Eastern time but due to uncontrollable situation the Microsoft Teams Meeting commenced at 20:22 hours Eastern time.

Were present at the meeting.

Mr. Ian Hutchings – Head Judge Atlantic Region.

Mr. Daniel Thibault – Head Judge Quebec.

Mrs. Jocelyne Volpe – Head Judge Ontario

Mr. Don Lewis – Judge member at large.

M. Richard Hiron – Head Judge Alberta

Mr. Jay Henitiuk – Head Judge British Columbia and Yukon

Mr. Charles-Antoine Morache – Canadian Freestyle representative

Mr. Real Robichaud – Judge member at large and Chairperson of the CJAG

Late:

Mr. Gerry Benoit – Head Judge Manitoba / Saskatchewan 20:38 hours.

Mrs. Danielle Gingras – Judge member at large. 20:44 hours.

2. Chairperson's welcome and thanks to the CJAG members to be at the CJAG meeting

3. Approval of the agenda.

Propose: Mr. Rich Hiron

Seconder: Mr. Don Lewis

4. Approval of minutes of the meeting September 24th, 2025.

Propose: Mr. Ian Hutchings

Seconder: Mrs. Jocelyne Volpe

Mr. Rich Hiron mentioned at the point no.15 the underscore after the website

5. Education/clinic Recap:

5.1 Clinic " A " Calgary

Mr. Ian Hutchings said the CJAG the Calgary 16 Judges (9 Canadian Judges)

Mr. Ian Hutchingd asked to Mr. Charles-Antoine Morache if the budget was ok. Mr. Charles-Antoine Morache said it is correct

5.2 Clinic " B " Montreal

Mr. Ian Hutchings said 12 Canadian Judges missed some time for more Aerials videos.

5.3 Clinic " A " Webinar North America

Mr. Ian Hutchings said 5 Canadian Judges some issued with the internet.

5.4 Clinic regional and provincial

- 5.4 Quebec will be 3 clinics (Lac-Beaupre with 13 judges + Montreal already 36 judges and will be a virtual clinic on December 9th, 2026.
- 5.5 Ontario 1 virtual clinic with 10 judges (Moguls +Aerials)
- 5.6 Alberta will be 2 clinics 1 was scheduled for November 8th but due to adverse weather there will be another clinic December 6th, 2026.
- 5.7 British Columbia No clinic schedule, Judges are mainly Park and Pipe Judges. Chairperson from British-Columbia do not see any relevance for a Moguls clinic.
CJAG Chairperson said it time that Freestyle Canada will help to commence an Aerials program in Alberta and British-Columbia. There are several sites already.

6. Licensing and Upgrade:

- 6.1 Deadline to submit passport for upgrade December 5th, 2025. Mrs. Joceline Volpe show explained and clarifier the upgrade criteria including the downgrade as per FIS rules. Also maintain the proper license for the "A" and "B" licenses.

6.2 Evaluation form online at the Web site.

The CJAG chairperson said it is important to all Head Judges fill in the Evaluation form after the event. Especially for Judges who asking for an upgrade.

7.NorAm and National Assignments:

7.1 Recap/challenge

Mrs. Danielle Gingars explains the difficulties for the Upgrades.

Members of the Assignment Group, Mr. Daniel Thibault and Mr. Jay Henitiuk both said they do some compromise East versus West judges.

CJAG Chairperson thanks and members of the Assignment Group for their good work. Also mention that some Judges will not be happy due they are non-judging a lot of events, especially the Eastern Judges who will have one or two events.

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8. Website:

Mrs. Jocelyne Volpe is showing the new website. Some judges are impressed with the web site and many CJAG members congratulate Mrs. Jocelyne Volpe on the wonderful work on the website.

Chairperson said it is time to put some meat (documents)

9. Dual differentials (Speed point)

3 Speeds
1 Turn
1 Air

The new Dual Moguls differential will be only for the Canada Cup development + Junior National.

CJAG Chairperson said now it is important to have one of the best judges for the overall judges at the Dual Moguls. Before we used a judge with least experience.

10. Canada Cup Guideline

Canadian Freestyle representative Mr. Charles-Antoine Morache, there are some corrections on the Canada Cup Guideline especially on the Park and Pike side. As soon correction done, he will publish same

11. New business:

9.1 NorAm meeting

9.2 Also at the Red Deer Canyon will be an award for the best jump of the events and at Calabogie, Ontario the award will be

of the best turn of the event. Both will be the panel decision. The winner can be an athlete who is not on the podium.

12. Next Meeting

End of January between the 19th to 23rd, 2026.

End of meeting 21:05