

2003 FIGURE COMMITTEE REPORT

Submitted by Del Neel, Figures Chair Pro Tem

Approved by body as presented on September 14, 2003

Pages 26/27:

301. Barracuda

305. Barracuda, Back Pike Somersault

325. Barracuda, Front Pike Somersault

301h and 301i - See Twists and Spins, Rule V. Difficulties, see I.A.

Recommended for approval as follows:

From the **Vertical Position**, a rapid *Vertical Descent* stopping at the ankles precedes the designated spins with a rapid *Vertical Descent* following to complete the figure.

Page 41:

342. Heron

Recommended for approval as follows:

Front a **Front Layout Position**, a partial Front Pike Somersault (320) is executed to a **Submerged Double Ballet Leg Position**. One leg is lowered to a ~~bent knee position~~ **Compact Submerged Flamingo Position**, with the shin parallel to the surface and the mid-calf opposite the vertical leg, as the trunk moves toward the legs. From that pike position, with the vertical leg remaining perpendicular to the surface, a vertical upward movement of the hips is rapidly executed as the body unrolls.....(rest remains as is).

Page 13:

FIGURE RULE IV - BASIC POSITIONS FOR FIGURES

Recommended for approval as follows:

K. Flamingo Positions:

- (a) **Surface** - description and illustration remain as is.

(b) **Submerged** - description and illustration remain as is.

(c) **Compact** - Add new description and new illustration as follows:

The trunk is as compact as possible, with the back rounded. The extended leg is perpendicular to the surface. The mid-calf of the bent leg is opposite the vertical leg. The water line is between the knee and ankle of the vertical leg.

Note: New illustration can be found on page 41.

Page 14:

FIGURE RULE IV - BASIC POSITIONS FOR FIGURES

Recommended for approval as follows:

T. Tub Position

The legs are bent and together. Feet and knees at and parallel to the surface with the thighs perpendicular. ~~Head in line with the back.~~ Face at the surface.

Note: Illustration remains as is.

Page 22:

240. Albatross

240a to 240e - See Twists and Spins, Rule V. Difficulty, see I.A.

Recommended for approval as follows:

Following the *Half Twist*, the bent knee is straightened during the designated twist, **twirl**, or spin.