

**U.S. Synchronized Swimming
International Relations
2005 Club Option Procedures**

Applications for the 2005 Club Option program are now being accepted. A 2005 Club Option Application for Specific Events form must be completed. The application form must be submitted to the National Office no later than Friday, December 10, 2004.

Details of the Club Option Policy are located in Appendix F of the USSS Rulebook. Two (2) websites can be searched to identify international competitions that the club is interested in participating in:

1. FINA – www.fina.org This is a worldwide calendar (US events are included).
2. LEN – www.lenweb.org This calendar covers competitions held in Europe.

The application form should be self-explanatory. Provide the club name and contact information, the type of competition (Sr, Jr, Masters), the events in which the club will enter, the judges who would accompany the club and an approximate number of people in the delegation. As stated in the Club Option Policy in Appendix F, a \$500.00 deposit must be submitted with the application form.

Applications will be reviewed and approved no later than month-end January 2005.