

# N.Z.F.R.S ATHLETE WITHDRAWAL POLICY

#### **PURPOSE:**

To detail responsibilities when an athlete withdraws from an international team.

### **PROCEDURE:**

- The Athlete advises the NZFRS Board Secretary of decision to withdraw
- NZFRS Board Secretary notifies the relevant Sports Committee and Team Manager
- Valid reasons could include medical, financial or personal circumstances and are assessed independently by Sports Committees.

## **Cost of Withdrawal**

It is likely that an athlete withdrawing from an International team may suffer a monetary loss due to cancellation of air tickets/accommodation or any other payments made for the Team. Any refund is at the discretion of the relevant Sports Committee.

#### Other

An athlete withdrawing from an International team may need to return any uniforms issued or purchased and a refund shall be given.

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