CODE OF CONDUCT FOR TECHNICAL OFFICIALS

As a responsible technical official you are expected to:

- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every athlete and others involved in athletics and treat everyone equally.
- Ensure the welfare and safety of the athletes under my supervision.
- Be appropriately qualified, update license and education when required by UKA and adhere to the terms of the technical official's license
- Keep up to date with changes in the relevant competition rules and seek the advice of others if necessary
- Cooperate fully in the provision of fair and equitable conditions for the conduct of athletics events under the relevant rules of competition.
- Act in a decisive, objective but friendly manner and carry out duties in an efficient and non-abrasive manner.
- Act with dignity and display courtesy and good manners.
- Consistently promote positive aspects of the sport, never condone rule violations and challenge inappropriate behavior and language by others.
- Be fully prepared for the officiating tasks assigned.
- Work in a spirit of cooperation with other officials and offer guidance and support to less experienced officials.
- Maintain clear boundaries between friendship and intimacy and not conduct inappropriate relationships with athletes.
- Encourage and guide athletes to accept responsibility for their own performance and behavior.

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