



Technical Notification 227

Dated: December 13, 2018

Re: Synchronized – Non-Permitted Elements

Implementation date: Immediate

The Synchronized Skating Committee and the Board of Directors have approved the following amendment to the rules regarding Non-Permitted Elements (Rule 9170 (D)). All other requirements remain as printed in the [2018-19 U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook](#), page 300.

9170 Non-Permitted Elements, Features, Additional Features and Movements

When non-permitted elements, features, additional features/extra features or movements are included, a deduction will be made from the total score by the technical panel in an IJS event and by the judges in 6.0 events.

D. Free Skate – All Levels Except Senior, Junior, Novice and Collegiate

9. Jumps through the point of intersection or stepping over clasped hands.