## **Connecticut Swimming, Inc.**

## **Meet Interruption Policy for LC Age Group Championship**

The safety of our swimmers and other participants is our highest priority. We will not allow competition to take place in unsafe conditions, including but not limited to the immediate threat of lightning.

Prior to the commencement of the session, the authority to determine time schedule or venue modifications lies with the Meet Director. Once the session has commenced, the authority to determine time schedule or venue modifications lies solely with the Meet Referee. The Town of Cheshire, in its sole discretion, may restrict the use of its facility, in which case the Meet Director or Meet Referee will comply with its instructions.

The decision to change the time schedule or venues shall be final and may not be protested.

Upon determination that the meet cannot be held outdoors, the events scheduled for that day at Cheshire will be conducted at Wesleyan University and will commence at the conclusion of the 13/14 and 15/18 preliminary morning session. The final session will commence at the conclusion of the 12/U afternoon session.

Should an event have actually commenced but is terminated prior to an official finish, and is postponed to another time or date, it shall then be conducted between the swimmers who were officially competing in the event at the time of termination. (102.8.4 D)

If the meet is suspended, the clock will stop on all preliminary events subject to scratch deadlines for Finals. The remaining time will be made up when the meet resumes, either at Cheshire or Wesleyan.

Time Trials are subject to cancellation at any time if the meet schedule or venue is changed.

Swim-offs will not be cancelled but may be moved to a different time that day or a different venue.

Connecticut Swimming will communicate changes made prior to the starting day of the meet or changes made two (2) hours in advance of that morning's warm-up time, via web site posting and email to the contact listed on the club entry hardcopy. It will be the club contact's responsibility to disseminate changes to his/her club's participating coaches and athletes.