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SCOTTISH AMATEUR SWIMMING ASSOCIATION

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From : D.C.J. Brown (Swimming Convener)

Date : 29th April 1990

Report : AGM of the Commonwealth Games Council for Scotland

There are several points arising from the attached Report :-

- i) That the concerns of the Swimming Committee can be met by the issue of formal instruction to Mr. Taylor/Mr. Park that their reports on the 1990 Games must be submitted through the Association ;
- ii) This will enable the Association (possibly via the Swimming Committee) to ensure that the results of the de-briefing are built into the formal report to the Commonwealth Games Council ;
- iii) That the AGM decided that the reports should all be submitted within four weeks - in effect by 23rd May at the latest ;
- iv) As the Swimming Committee Meeting is scheduled to be held on Sunday 20th May, it seems logical to suggest that the draft report from the Association be submitted to that meeting - however, as Diving is also involved, do you wish to arrange for a separate (continuation) meeting in the afternoon under other chairmanship in order to deal with this matter ?

  
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Report to Swimming Committee (20th May 1990) on the AGM of the Commonwealth Games Council for Scotland held on 25th April 1990 at the Grosvenor Hotel, Edinburgh.

The SASA was represented by Mr. Black (Secretary), Mr. Sheppard (Treasurer) and the Swimming Convener.

Undoubtedly, the major talking points and media interest centred on the position of the Chairman (Mr. E. Murray) who was accepted as being ineligible to continue in the Chair as he was no longer a Delegate, was rejected by the Meeting on a vote (10 against/ 4 for) for co-option and continuation as Chairman and deemed to be ineligible to serve for the coming year as Past-Chairman.

There were however several points of more direct interest which should be noted as follows :-

- (1) That the formal Reports from Team Managers should be submitted through their Association.  
(Significant clarification on this matter as Swimming Committee had previously wished to be assured that our Report would not be submitted direct to the Games Council and that opportunity would be available for the results of our de-briefing to be incorporated into the final Report)
- (2) That the formal Reports from the Associations should be submitted within four weeks.  
(ie by 23rd May at the latest)
- (3) That the Council would, on receipt of these Reports, arrange a full Meeting to consider points arising from the Reports or identified by the Associations as an overall de-briefing.
- (4) That despite spending more than the total income (sponsorships and appeals) on the 1990 Games, the Council still had available some £83,000 towards 1994.  
The financial position was somewhat 'clouded' by potential 'claw-back' by the Scottish Sports Council and by a small amount of sponsorship income promised but not yet received.
- (5) The Meeting agreed to the disbursement of £37,500 towards the expenses of participants in full-time education.

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