



<i>General</i>	The chief referee has overall responsibility for the standard of refereeing in Australia. The role takes into account the different needs of club, state and national referees and proactively works with the states to educate and train referees.
<i>Prerequisite</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Current member of Australian Canoeing• Experience as a level A or ICF referee
<i>Term of appointment</i>	Two years
<i>Responsibilities</i>	Chief referee responsibilities include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• establish a high standard of refereeing• implement the AC canoe polo referee accreditation scheme• conduct referee assessment at the annual Australian Canoe Polo Championships• maintain a register (on the AC web pages) of accredited referees• keep up to date with the current ICF Canoe Polo Rules• work with the states to promote and organise referee training• encourage appropriate Australian referees to seek ICF accreditation
<i>AC reference</i>	<i>Terms of Delegation, Canoe Polo Technical Committee</i>
<i>AC website</i>	Selection policies, procedures and bylaws are given on website. The website also lists accredited coaches, referees and officials and has a section on high performance.
<i>Special skills</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Accredited level A canoe polo referee• Accredited official or other suitable qualifications and experience