

Impartiality Policy

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Development and research Academy for Sports Science Activities- DRASSA is committed to ensure impartiality and objectivity in its certification activities and manage any conflict of interests.

DRASSA will comply with the requirements of ISO 17024:2012 and ensure impartiality for all its personnel related to the certification activities from time to time.

DRASSA commits to act impartially in relation to its applicants, candidates, and certified persons. Certification decisions are made in accordance with policies and procedures. Policies and procedures affecting applicants, candidates, and certified persons are made public and fairly and accurately convey information about the certification program.

DRASSA understands threats to impartiality that include, but are not limited to, self--interest, relationship of personnel, financial interests, favoritism, conflict of interest, familiarity, and intimidation.

DRASSA will periodically conducts a threat analysis to determine the potential, both real and perceived, of an individual or an organization to influence certification.

DRASSA does not and will not offer any commission, to any individual or institution in respect of referrals of Candidates.

To demonstrate effective Implementation of Impartiality policy, we are committed to:

- Maintain transparency regarding all information.
- Not restrict certification on the grounds of undue financial or other limiting conditions, such as membership of any association or group.
- Not use unfair means to impede or inhibit access by applicants and candidates.
- Not state or imply that certification would be simpler, easier, faster or less expensive if any specified education/ training services are used.
- Not carry—out business with any institutions inducing pressures to compromise impartiality.
- Not require the candidates to complete DRASSA own education or training as an exclusive prerequisite for certification.
- Not allow any Examiners / Invigilator to compromise on the assessment timing as required as per DRASSA policies.
- Not allow any of its Examiners and invigilators to accept any gifts from applicants / individuals/institutions.
- Not allow any Examiners / Invigilator to conduct examination for the candidates, who are family members or close relatives.
- Take action to respond to any threats to its impartiality arising from the actions of other persons, bodies or organization and ensure that our personnel, both external and internal, or committees, who could influence certification activities will not allow any commercial, financial or other pressures to compromise impartiality.

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