

The following policy applies at all State Sport Centres Trust venues and facilities.

## 1. Unlawful photography and filming

It is **unlawful** for images or footages to be taken that are:

- a) indecent, which includes any form of nudity, 'up skirting', 'down blousing' or any footage obtained covertly
- b) taken in change rooms or toilets or where an individual has a reasonable expectation of being accorded privacy in a public place
- c) for the purposes of voyeurism or in an otherwise provocative or sexual manner
- d) of individuals protected by court order as this can divulge an individual's location and place them in danger
- e) being used for commercial purposes (to endorse or sell a product) without permission.

## 2. Photography and filming by patrons and visitors

The SSCT recognises patrons' expectations of recording their visit, but this expectation is balanced with other patrons' expectations of privacy and protecting children and young people from abuse and harm. In allowing filming and photography, the SSCT applies the following conditions:

- a) If taking photographs or filming crowds or performances (without specific focus on a child or young person), these images must be used respectfully.
- b) Permission should be obtained from a child's parent/guardian and the child/young person prior to taking any images or video of a child or young person who is unrelated to the photographer, including filming as a tool to review and develop performance.
- a) It is the SSCT's expectation that visitors are respectful of other patrons' privacy concerns and that visitors cease taking photos or footage and/or delete images, if reasonably requested to do so.

## 3. General right to inspect camera or film roll

If reasonably requested by the SSCT, patrons and visitors must:

- a) provide access to its camera or video library for the SSCT's inspection, and/or
- b) comply with the SSCT's request to delete any photos or footages of an SSCT patron or visitor who has not consented to being photographed or filmed.

## 4. Professional videographers and photographers

- c) All commercial filming and photography must be registered with SSCT by completing and submitting a Filming and Photography Authorisation Form for the SSCT's approval, at its absolute discretion.
- a) Professional photographers, videographers and members of the media are not permitted unsupervised access to children or young people.
- b) Written permission needs to be obtained from a parent/guardian prior to taking any images of children and young people, ensuring that they are aware of the purpose and use of the film and/or images.
- d) Professional photographers or videographers should be clearly identifiable and carry badges.

## 5. Filming and photography by the SSCT

Where the SSCT proposes to film, televise, photograph and otherwise record images of patrons for marketing purposes, it will use reasonable endeavours to notify and provide parents or carers with the opportunity to withhold or withdraw consent from any such recording. Parents or carers may withhold or withdraw consent on behalf of children and young people in their care by providing notice to the SSCT.