

# PMSA International Forum Recognition Standard

## 1. Statement

It is the position of the PMSA that staff and students in our Schools who, through dedication to their chosen field of endeavour (i.e., sport, music, chess, debating, robotics as examples), their chosen study or work, achieve the status of international representation should be appropriately recognised in the PMSA community.

## 2. Scope

Application of this standard is Groupwide encompassing all students and staff.

## 3. Determination

The criterion for an award will be that the student or staff member has been chosen having being recognised following a competitive selection process by the peak body in that field for representation on behalf of Australia or another country, to participate in and represent that country in an international competition or symposium (either individually or as a member of a group).

A competitive selection process of a peak body must be at least a two-step selection process (i.e. regional and national selection) for the criteria to apply, however, this does not apply in circumstances where a teacher or student is selected on merit to present a chosen piece of work at an international forum or conference.

## 4. Procedure

Outlined below are the steps for recognition by the PMSA:

- 4.1. The Principals will make representations to the PMSA CEO once each term as to any students or staff members who meet the criteria for such an award.
- 4.2. The Chair of the PMSA Board (or the Deputy Chair/delegate of the Board Chair) would make the Presentation as soon as practicable after the award being agreed by the PMSA.
- 4.3. The Presentation would be before the recipient's peers within the School community and other appropriate people.

## 5. Review and version control register

Version	Authorising officer	Approval date	Effective date	Change history / superseded documents	Next review date
1.0	PSMA Council	28/05/2018	28/05/2018	Amendments to Policy Statement and Criteria adopted by the PMSA Council.	
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