

DECLARATION OF AVAILABILITY

To be considered for selection, this form must be completed, stating your availability or unavailability to represent Great Britain in the event below and your compliance with the associated Selection Policy and preparatory requirements.

1. ATHLETE AVAILABILITY/NON-AVAILABILITY

Please indicate your availability, non-availability or non-eligibility by ticking the appropriate box:

EUROPEAN YOUTH OLYMPIC FESTIVAL – TAMPERE, FINLAND
20TH JULY – 24TH JULY 2009

Available

Not Available

If you are not available, please indicate your reasons below:

PLEASE NOTE THAT BRITISH SWIMMING WILL IMPOSE A FINE OF £500 ON ANY SWIMMER WHO WITHDRAWS FROM THE TEAM FOR ANY REASON OTHER THAN ILLNESS OR INJURY (AS CERTIFIED BY AN INDEPENDENT MEDICAL ADVISOR APPROVED BY BRITISH SWIMMING MEDICAL STAFF). ANY ATHLETE FINED SHALL REMAIN INELIGIBLE TO REPRESENT BRITISH SWIMMING OR PARTICIPATE IN BRITISH SWIMMING EVENTS UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE FINE HAS BEEN PAID IN FULL

2. PERSONAL DETAILS

Name		Date of Birth
Current Mobile/ Contact Number		
Current Coach		
Doping Control	Are you taking any medication, including nutritional supplements and over the counter medicines? YES/NO If you have answered YES to the above and you have not yet completed a Medical Declaration or Therapeutic Use Exemption Form then please contact Wendy Coles at the British Swimming Office immediately.	

3. AGREEMENT

I have read and fully understood all aspects of the European Youth Olympic Festival 2009 Selection Policy and acknowledge that failure to comply with any of the Selection Policy conditions including the required dates could result in my non-selection or withdrawal from the team.

Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

4. COACH SIGNATURE

Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

IMPORTANT NOTE

This form, together with a copy of the European Youth Olympic Festival 2009 Selection Policy signed on each page, must be returned **NO LATER THAN FRIDAY 20TH MARCH 2009**

It is your responsibility to personally hand in your completed form to Nicky Jones, National Teams/Camps Logistics Manager (07824 340583) or Maria Kelly, World Class Administration Officer (07824 314057) who will be in attendance at the British Long Course Championships 2009, located in the viewing stands daily.

FAILURE TO COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM TOGETHER WITH THE SIGNED SELECTION POLICY WILL BE INTERPRETED AS NON AVAILABILITY

CONDITIONS

1. It is compulsory for ALL selected team members to attend ALL programmed activities organised between selection and departure for the European Youth Olympic Festival 2009.
2. Any swimmer wishing to take holiday or attend overseas camps and/or competitions between selection and the European Youth Olympic Festival 2009 must gain prior written approval from the British Swimming Development Coach to ensure no interruption to training.
3. All selected team members will be required to sign and comply with the British Swimming Code of Conduct.
4. Any appeals against selections in relation to this GB Technical Swimming Committee selection policy must be made in accordance with the British Swimming appeals procedures.

EUROPEAN YOUTH OLYMPIC FESTIVAL – REQUIRED DATES	
17 th July	Team to meet at the Sheraton Hotel, Heathrow
17 th July	Team kit collection at the Sheraton Hotel, Heathrow
18 th July	Depart UK for Tampere
20 th – 24 th July	European Youth Olympic Festival, Tampere (Swimming Events)
25 th July	Depart Tampere for UK