Meeting called to order by Deanna Hanford at 8:30pm EDT on August 6th, 2020.

Technical Committee Meeting Agenda

1. **Judges Exams**

   The committee discussed their progress with the new quad judges exams.

   It was agreed that it would be best to delay the deadline for the Cat 2 and 3 exam drafts to the first week in January 2021, to allow for more information to be confirmed by the FIG.

   The committee reviewed and agreed on clarifications for several pieces of terminology, with the goal to be consistent across all resources.

   The committee reviewed the rules around of instability as it appears in the Understanding Scoring resource.

2. **Virtual Sanctions**

   Patti and Jacqui updated the committee on progress with virtual sanctions.

3. **Virtual Judges Courses**

   Feedback was received regarding the possibility of conducting judges courses virtually, and the committee re-opened this discussion in light of continued COVID-related restrictions.
It was agreed that this would be piloted on the Category 3 courses for this year. Dante will create Google testing forms, and a DMT course will be tested with the Leader Level judges in September 2020 to be prepared for the start of testing in October.

4. **Judges Safety at Competitions**

   Patti updated the committee on progress with a Return to Competition guide. Member Services is managing this project so this will likely move forward further after Congress has taken place.

5. **Athlete Bill of Rights**

   Jacqui showed the committee the draft Athlete Bill of Rights, to be launched in the coming weeks. It was agreed that this is an excellent document, and all are in support of the principles contained within.

6. **T210**

   Patti requested any clarifications needed be sent to her to create the 2020-2021 season T210 course.

Meeting adjourned at 10:45pm.