

Composition

The Executive shall consist of at least eight (8) Bureau Members:

- the President
- the First Vice President
- the Second Vice President
- the Treasurer
- the three (3) other Vice Presidents
- the Chair of the Athletes Committee

Responsibilities

The Executive has the following responsibilities:

- a) dealing with all matters within the competence of the Bureau requiring immediate decision between two meetings of the Bureau;
- b) monitoring the establishment and implementation of the annual business plan and the long-term strategic plans defined and approved by the Bureau and ensuring that audited Financial Statements are submitted to the Bureau for approval by Congress;
- c) being the interface between the Bureau, the Executive Director and the World Aquatics Office;
- d) dealing with critical issues which may impact on the outcomes of the strategy defined by the Bureau and matters requiring immediate attention between meetings of the Bureau;
- e) taking decisions in case of emergency and in any situation in which neither the Bureau nor other World Aquatics body may act;
- f) taking decisions on the application of World Aquatics Rules, in cases which are not delegated to the Aquatics Integrity Unit or another specific body of World Aquatics.

Decisions of the Executive shall be ratified in due course by the Bureau.

Remuneration

Members of the Executive are not remunerated. Their expenses are reimbursed pursuant to the [World Aquatics Travel and Expenses Policy](#).

Term of office

The term of office of a member of the Executive (excluding the President for whom Article 20.3 applies) is four (4) years, renewable twice. Terms served are calculated cumulatively, irrespective of any interruption of the service. If a Bureau Member is elected to a position within the Executive, any previous term served outside the Executive (i.e. as a Bureau Member) is not counted as part of the new term of office within the Executive. If an Executive Member (e.g. a Vice President) is elected to a new position within the Executive (e.g. as Treasurer), any previous term served within the Executive (e.g. as a Vice President) is counted as part of the individual's overall term of office in the Executive.

Requirements

- a) The Executive meets around 10 times per year, in person or remotely.
- b) The Executive must be willing and able to travel to World Aquatics competitions, as so requested.
- c) The Executive shall keep discussions, decisions and communications confidential, in that they will not disclose such discussions, decisions and communications beyond parties as pre-approved in writing by World Aquatics.
- d) The Executive shall respect and abide by all World Aquatics Rules, notably, the Integrity Code, and are bound to the jurisdiction of the Aquatics Integrity Unit (AQIU).