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MEMORANDUM

To	Club Captains, Chief Training Officers, Club Secretaries, Club Presidents
From	Manager Lifesaving
CC	BOM, LSEC
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Subject	Patrol Captain Video Directive

Dear All

Further to the SLSS pre season meeting held 31/8/19, SLSNSW have introduced a new training video for holders of the Silver Medallion Beach Management (SMBM) award to provide supplementary and additional training surrounding Patrol Captain's roles and responsibilities.

Given this is a valuable tool for Sydney Branch's Patrol Captains, the Branch Lifesaving Executive Committee has endorsed this video and will make this a mandatory requirement for all Patrol Captains from the commencement of season 2019-2020.

Whilst we understand some holders of the SMBM award are not current patrol captains, this training will only be enforced for current Patrol Captains. Respective Lifesaving Area Coordinators will be checking this training has been undertaken during random patrol audits. We ask that Club Captains and Chief Training Officers assist in ensuring this is completed to avoid being marked unsatisfactory during patrol audits this season.

Essentially, every patrol must comply with their Lifesaving Service agreement and contain the following (at minimum) :

- 5 x Bronze (Cert II) qualified members (proficient) (3 x depending on LSA requirements)
- 1 x IRB Driver (proficient)
- 1 x IRB Crew (proficient)
- 1 x ARTC (proficient)
- 1 x Silver Medallion Basic Beach Management (who has completed the 'Supplementary Patrol Captains' online training)

If a Patrol Captain has not completed the training, they will be seen as not proficient and therefore not compliant. Once this training is completed, it will be added to the members Surfguard 'awards' list. There is no need to forward the certificate to Branch.



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To access the training please find attached the guide which steps out the process.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your respective Area Lifesaving Coordinator on the below details in the first instance.

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Regards and thank you

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