

Master Judge Requirements – 2017

Name _____

SBN Member # _____

Requirement		Completed / Checked by SBN Authorized Representative (initial / date)
- Be a member in good standing with the SBN	- To maintain the status as a member in good standing, the member must be current with required annual membership dues. - Recognized as a judged by attending an SBN Judges Training class or is currently a certified judge by another BBQ judging body.	
- Judged in 20 SBN events. (Judges prior to 2014 will be "grandfathered")	- Any person becoming a judge after December 31, 2014 must meet the requirement of judging 20 SBN events.	
- Perform duties at the turn-in table	- Works with an experienced turn in table person (assigned by an Event Rep)	
- Perform the duties of renumbering table	- Works with an experienced renumbering table person (assigned by Event Rep)	
- Observe the scoring / calculation process	- Observe calculator. May assist at the discretion of the calculator	
- Serve or attend an SBN Table Captain's class	- Attended Table Captain training within the past 2 years and / or served as a Table Captain.	
- Cook with an SBN team	- Refer to Checklist for SBN Team Observer (below)*	
- Attend Cooks' meeting	- Refer to Checklist for SBN Team Observer (below)*	
- Take and pass a written exam in the presence of an authorized SBN member	- Exam consists of 15 true / false questions. Must answer 11 questions correctly	

***Judge must contact the SBN Cook Team PRIOR TO a contest to request to be an observer**

SBN Team Observer / Cook Team Verification * (to be completed by the Chief Cook)	
Team Name: _____	
Did judge attend Friday and Saturday activities as follows:	
- Attended the (Friday afternoon) Cook's meeting with the Chief Cooker	___ Yes / ___ No
- Observed the team in the preparation of the meat(s) on Friday evening	___ Yes / ___ No
- Observed the preparation of the box (es) as required by the SBN Event.	___ Yes / ___ No
Comments: _____ _____	
Chief Cook Signature _____	Date _____
Office Use Only	
SBN Board Reviewed / Approved: _____ Date _____	