

### PARA-EQUESTRIAN RECOGNITION SQUAD CRITERIA 2020

The Equestrian Australia High-Performance Program recognises existing and new Para-Equestrian Combinations who have achieved performances within a 6-month period between January 2019 and July 2020, as well as riders and/or combination who are showing potential to be included on a National High-Performance Squad in the Medium to Long Term.

Para-Dressage Recognition Squads are currently divided into two programs;

**Program 1: Recognition Squad A (FEI Team and/or Individual Tests)**

**Program 2: Recognition Squad B (FEI Novice or Introductory Tests or EA Para-Dressage Tests)**

#### **RECOGNITION SQUAD A (FEI TEAM AND/OR INDIVIDUAL TESTS)**

- Athletes are required to have achieved three (3) scores with a minimum of 62% in the FEI Team and/or Individual Tests in the previous 6 months. Tests must be judged by qualified EA or FEI Para-Dressage Judges.
- Athletes are expected to display attributes that suggest consistent commitment to the sport and the aptitude to progress to a High-Performance Squad in the future

#### **RECOGNITION SQUAD B (FEI NOVICE OR INTRODUCTORY TESTS OR EA PARA-DRESSAGE TESTS)**

- Athletes are required to have achieved three (3) scores with a minimum of 60% in the FEI Novice or Introductory Tests or EA Para-Dressage Tests within a 6-month period between January 2019 and July 2020. Tests must be judged by qualified EA or FEI Para-Dressage Judges.

A copy of the test papers must be submitted to Stef Maraun ([stefanie.maraun@equestrian.org.au](mailto:stefanie.maraun@equestrian.org.au)) when applying for the Recognition Squad.

A Certificate of Recognition will be sent once Athletes have achieved the specified criteria as listed above