



## 2011-2012 Technical Q & A #3

### Cumulative Points Calculation (CPC) Judging System Clarifications

#### Unintended 3-jump combination

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The below clarifications are regarding the program requirements for the 2011-2012 season. Once reviewing the document if you still have a concern that needs to be clarified, contact Skate Canada at [coaching&programs@skatecanada.ca](mailto:coaching&programs@skatecanada.ca)

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(1) **Question:** If a skater intends on doing a 2-jump combination (i.e. 1Lz+1T+C) and they do a "loop-like" hop/jump in between the Lutz and the toe-loop, what is the call?

**Answer:** Every scenario will be slightly different. Here are some guidelines.

**Example A:** If the program allows only for a 2-jump combo (i.e. all STARSkate programs and CompetitiveSkate programs up to and including Novice) and the skater does a "loop-like" hop/jump in between both jumps, the guideline for the panel is as follows: If the panel is unable to clearly identify a 1Lo but instead sees the hop/jump as a lack of control or balance (with no weight transfer), the call would be a 1Lz + 1T + C. The GOE would reflect the loss of control.

**Example B:** If there is a clear 1Lo, with no touch down or the free foot touches down with no weight transfer, then the call in the Free Program would be 1Lz+1Lo+1T+C. In the short program and all free programs up to and including Novice, the entire jumping box would be invalidated and the call would be 1Lz+1Lo+1T+C \*\*

**Example C:** If there is a transfer of weight and the jump element is no longer meeting the definition of either a jump combination or a jump sequence, then the call in the Free Program would be a 1Lz+S or a 1Lz+1Lo+S (depending on when the weight transfer happens). In the Short Program, the call would be 1Lz+C.

Please note that the Technical Panel will make every effort possible to maintain the standard of the calls throughout the event.