Deduction Chart – Novice

Description	Penalty	Who is responsible
Program time violation - Free Dance– as per Novice Communication for season 2018/19	**1.0 up to every 5 seconds lacking or in excess**	**Referee**
Program time violation -Pattern dance– as per Rule 706, para 6	**- 1.0 up to every 5 seconds in excess of permitted time after the last prescribed step in the Pattern Dance to the ending movement/pose**	**Referee**
Costume / prop violations – as per Rule 501, para 1 and ISU Communication 2148 (Revised)	**-1.0 per program**	**Referee + Judges***
Part of the costume / decoration fall on the ice – as per Rule 501, para 1	**-1.0 per program**	**Referee**
Fall - per fall by one partner - per fall by both partners · A Fall is defined as loss of control by a skater with the result that the majority of his/her own body weight is on the ice supported by any other part of the body other than the blades e.g. hand(s), knee(s), buttock(s), or any part of the arm (Rule 503, para 1).	-**0,5** **-1.0**	**Technical Panel****
Late start – as per Rule 350, para 2 – for start between 1 and 30 seconds late	**-1.0**	**Referee**
Interruption in performing the program in excess of 10 seconds - more than 10 sec. and up to 20 sec. - more than 20 sec. and up to 30 sec. - more than 30 sec. and up to 40 sec. An interruption is defined as the time elapsed between the moment a Skater stops performing the program until the moment he resumes performing the program (Rule 503, para 2)	**-0.5** **-1.0** **-1.5**	**Referee***** If an Interruption lasts more than 40 seconds, an acoustic signal is produced by the Referee and the Couple is withdrawn.
Interruption of the program with allowance of up to three (3) minutes to resume from the point of interruption (Rule 515, para 3.b) As the values of those deductions are not the standard ones provided by Rules 353, paragraph 1.n) and 843, paragraph 1.n), the Referee must give specific instructions to the system operator and check the correct input in each instance.	**-2.5**	**Referee***** If one partner does not report to the Referee within 40 seconds after the interruption started, or if the Couple does not resume the program within the additional 3 minutes allowance, the Couple is withdrawn.
Extra Element – for each Lift or Spin in a Step Sequence (e.g. CiSt3+RoLi+ExEl, DiSt4+Sp+ExEl)	**-1.0 per element** **Element receives no value**	**Computer** applies deduction. **Technical Controller** authorizes or corrects the Call and confirms the deduction applied'.
Additional Element * - for each additional Lift not according to requirements for ~~Short~~ Rhythm Dance or not according to the "Well-Balanced Free Dance Program (e.g. CuLi*)		
Music requirements – according to Rule 707, paragraph 5 and ISU Communication 2148 (Revised) (Rhythms): the music must be chosen in accordance with the Rhythm of the Pattern Dance. The chosen music may be a tune from ISU Ice Dance music. In this case, only tunes 1 to 5 can be chosen.	-**2.0 per program**	**Referee + Judges***
Tempo specifications – according to Rule 707, paragraph 5 and ISU Communication 2148 (Tempo): the tempo throughout the required Sequences must be constant and in accordance with the required tempo of the Pattern Dance (see ISU Handbook Ice Dance 2003 and patterns and descriptions for Basic Novice Pattern Dances published on the ISU website) plus or minus 2 beats per minute.	**-1.0 per program**	**Referee**

*** Referee + Judges:** the deduction is applied according to the opinion of the majority of the Panel which includes all the Judges and the Referee and no deduction in case of a **50:50** split vote. The Judges and Referee will press a button on their screen to apply the above mentioned deductions.

**** Technical Panel:** Technical Specialist identifies. Technical Controller authorizes or corrects and deducts. However, if both Technical Specialists disagree with a correction requested by the Technical Controller, the initial decision of the Technical Specialist and Assistant Technical Specialist stands.

*******As the values of these deductions are different from the standard ones provided by Rule 353, paragraph 1.n), the Referee must give specific instructions to the system operator and must check the correct input in each instance