



Pool Coverage–By Stroke

Freestyle

S&T judges at the start and turn end of the pool should remain there throughout the race.

Backstroke

S&T judges at the start and turn ends of the pool should remain there throughout the race. For the **backstroke** the finishes may **not** be judged from the side of the pool. The Stroke and Turn Judges must be in between the timers over the lanes. Otherwise it is impossible to determine accurately if the swimmer has gone past vertical at the finish.

Breaststroke

S&T judges at the start and turn end of the pool should remain there throughout the race. There is no requirement to watch the 15-meter mark for this stroke.

Butterfly

Four Stroke and Turn Judges (normal dual meet arrangement)

S&T judges at the start and turn end of the pool should remain there throughout the race. At the turn and finish, the Turn Judge must be in position to see both hands touch (usually best to be over the end between the timers at the finish end).

THE REFEREE WILL ADJUST THIS BASIC FORMAT TO CONFORM TO POOL CONFIGURATION AS SHOWN IN DIAGRAMS

Jurisdictions will be determined by the Referee but normally each S&T Judge will be assigned their appropriate quadrant of the pool.

