#### TIME IN GRADE EVALUATION CRITERIA

### II. REDUCTION IN TIME IN GRADE FOR CONTRIBUTION:

# THE MAXIMUM REDUCTION IN TIME IN GRADE CAN NOT EXCEED 30%, EXCEPT FOR COMPETITIONS - See Item 11.

1.	USA Judo Club - Head Instructor:	Based on teaching in this position the entire time since the
	last promotion.	

40 or more members	10%
30 to 39 members	9%
20 to 29 members	7%
10 to 19 members	3%
1 to 9 members	2%

2. Assistant Instructor: Based on teaching in this position the entire time since the last promotion.

40 or more members	5%
30 to 39 members	4%
20 to 29 members	3%
10 to 19 members	2%
1 to 9 members	1%

3. Referee & Technical Staff:

Work an Average of 6 or More Events per Year During Entire Time Since Last Promotion.

Referee Class- A/B/C/N	6%	Technical Staff- National Events	6%
Referee Class- Regional/Local	4%	Technical Staff- Regional/Local Events	4%

Work an Average of 3 or More Events per Year During Entire Time Since Last Promotion.

Referee Class- A/B/C/N	3%	Technical Staff- National Events	3%
Referee Class- Regional/Local	2%	Technical Staff- Regional/Local Events	2%

4. Kata Judge & Kata Technical Staff

Work an Average of 2 or More Events per Year During Entire Time Since Last Promotion.

Kata Judge Class A	6%	Kata Technical Staff- National Events 6%	
Kata Judge- Regional/Local	4%	Kata Technical Staff- Regional/Local Events	4%

5. Kata Instructor Certification

Class A	5%	Class D	2%
Class B	4%	Class E	1%
Class C	3%		

6. Teacher and Coaches Certification:

Class A	5%	Class D2%
Class B	4%	Class E 1%
Class C	3%	

7. Clinics and Courses:

30 hours 4% 15 hours 2%

8. USA Judo Life Member: 5%

9. AJI Officer: 10%

10. USA Judo Officer 10% Must have been an officer for more than 50% of

the "Time in Grade" for a non-competitor.

## 11. Competitor Time in Grade Reductions:

## Shiai Contest:

(Points can only be accumulated against an opponent only once within any promotion period).

<u>Points</u>	<u>Description</u>
2.0	Winning against an opponent more than two ranks higher
1.5	Winning against an opponent one rank higher
1.0	Winning against an opponent of the same rank
0.5	Winning against an opponent one rank lower
0.1	Winning against an opponent two ranks lower
0.0	Winning against an opponent three or more ranks lower

#### Kata Contest:

<u>Points</u>	<u>Description</u>
1.0	First place (National, Regional)
0.5	Second Place (National, Regional)
0.3	Third Place (National, Regional)

## For promotion to the rank shown below:

Rank	Non-competitor	5 pts.	10 pts.	15 pts.	20 pts.	Min. Age
Shodan	3 years	2 years	1 year	9 mos	6 mos	15 years
Nidan 4 years		3 years	2 years	1 year	6 mos	16 years
Sandan	6 years	4 years	3 years	1.5 year	1 year	18 years
Yodan	8 years	5 years	3 years	2 years	1 year	21 years
Godan	10 years	6 years	4 years	2 years	1.5 year	26 years
Rokudan	15 years	12 years	9 years	7 years	5 years	32 years
Shichidan	18 years	15 years	12 years	9 years	6 years	42 years
Hachidan	21 years	18 years	15 years	12 years	9 years	55 years