

# Cycling New Zealand - Selection Regulations

## Schedule 2 – Road Teams



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1. **Athlete Selection:** All athletes seeking selection to the Pool, and potentially selected to Road Teams must complete the Athlete Selection process by completing all information on the on-line Rider Application Form by 23 July 2019.
  
2. **Consideration for selection the Road Pool:** All athletes seeking selection to the Road Pool, for eventual selection to Teams for Events outlined in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2, who have completed the athletes selection procedure outlined in [Clause 1](#) of Schedule 2 and who have met the minimum eligibility requirements outlined in Clause 4 (Eligibility) of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations must have met one or more of the following requirements:
  - 2.1. Considered by Road Manager, or National Coach or designate, based on, but not limited to:
    - 2.1.1. Coaches' or designate recommendation to the High Performance Director. Will be considered, but not limited to;
      - 2.1.1.1. Future development potential
      - 2.1.1.2. Demonstrated ability to perform in specialist road event
      - 2.1.1.3. Demonstrated ability to perform as a support rider
    - 2.2. National New Zealand road<sup>1</sup> and individual time trial<sup>1</sup> champion in all UCI categories of events of the current UCI road<sup>1</sup> season.
    - 2.3. Oceania continental road<sup>1</sup> and individual time trial<sup>1</sup> champion in all UCI categories of events of the current UCI road season. Finished as specified in the table below in one-day or stage race UCI sanctioned events in either class, in all UCI categories of events of the current UCI road season; over the course of the UCI season coinciding with dates mentioned in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2.
    - 2.4. As participation at the Road Race events<sup>1</sup>, as mentioned in present selection regulation document, is dependent on selected athletes being able to fund themselves, the number of athlete selected to represent NZL in each available UCI category will be based on the maximum quota permitted by the UCI per country.

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<sup>1</sup> No Team Time Trials or Criteriums are to be considered

Category	Sanctioned Continental Federation Events	Women	Men	U23 Men	Junior men/women
1.1 - 1 day - Class 1	Europe	Top 8	Top 8	Top 10	Top 10
	America	Podium	Podium	Podium	Podium
	Oceania, Africa & Asia	Podium	Podium	Podium	Podium
1.2 - 1 day - Class 2	Europe	Top 5	Top 5	Top 5	
	America	Winner	Winner	Winner	
	Oceania, Africa & Asia	Winner	Winner	Winner	
1.2U - 1 day - Class 2 – U23				Podium	
1.HC – 1 day – Hors Class		Top 10	Top 10	Top 10	
1.NCup – 1 day – Class Nations' Cup		Podium	Podium	Top 10	Top 10
1.UWT – 1 day – UCI World Tour			Top 10	Top 15	
1.WWT – 1 day – UCI Women's World Tour		Top 10			
2.1 - Stages - Class 1	Europe	GC Top 5 Stage Podium	GC Top 5 Stage Podium	GC Top 10 Stage Winner	GC Top 10 Stage Winner
	America	GC Podium	GC Podium	GC Podium Stage Winner	GC Podium Stage Winner
	Oceania, Africa & Asia	GC Podium	GC Podium	GC Podium Stage Winner	GC Podium Stage Winner
2.2 - Stages - Class 2	Europe	GC Podium Stage Winner	GC Podium Stage Winner	GC Top 5 Stage Podium	
	America	GC Winner	GC Winner	GC Winner	

	Oceania, Africa & Asia	GC Winner	GC Winner	GC Winner	
2.2U - Stages - Class 2 – U23				GC Podium. Stage Winner	
2.HC – Stages – Hors Class		GC Top 10. Stage Podium	GC Top 10. Stage Podium	GC Top 10, Stage Podium	
2.NCup – Stages – Class Nations’ Cup		GC Podium. Stage Winner	GC Podium. Stage Winner	GC Top 10. Stage Podium	GC Top 10
2.UWT – Stages – UCI World Tour			GC Top 10. Stage Podium	GC Top 15, Stage Top 15	
2.WWT – Stages – UCI Women’s World Tour		GC Top 10. Stage Podium			
CM – UCI World Championships		Previous Year Top 10	Previous Year Top 10	Previous Year Top 10	

2.5. Under racing contract by a UCI World Tour Team during the UCI season that coincides with dates mentioned in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2 (See clause 2.15.048 of UCI Cycling Regulations – Part 2 Road Races)

2.6. Under racing contract by a UCI Women’s Team ranked in the top 10 in the first available ranking of the present calendar year.

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Note<sup>1</sup>: From the point where a rider has been selected to the Pool for any event listed in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2, the HPD, or designate, will be required to communicate with Pool selected rider on a regular basis<sup>2</sup>. Once the Team is selected, the HPD, or designate, will focus most communication with Team selected riders.

Note<sup>1</sup>: All athletes selected to the pool would also be notified by Cycling New Zealand of any needed financial contribution, should this be required.

<sup>2</sup> In this context, “regular basis” is considered to be, at a minimum, on a monthly basis via email, phone, or other means of communication. There is shared responsibility from designated Cycling New Zealand official(s) and athlete to ensure regular communication.

### 3. Consideration to the Final Road Team Selection:

- 3.1 Only riders having been selected to the Pool, based on considerations mentioned in [Clause 2](#) of Schedule 2 will be considered by the Selection Panel for selection to the Team for competitions outlined in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2.
- 3.2 In considering pool riders to be selected to the Team, the selection panel shall consider, but is not limited to, the following factors drawn from Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations:
  - 3.2.1 Items mentioned in clause 2.2 (Overall Purpose)
  - 3.2.2 Items mentioned in clause 4. (Eligibility)
  - 3.2.3 Items mentioned in clause 8. (Factors)
  - 3.2.4 Items mentioned in clause 8. (Selection Trials)
  - 3.2.5 Items mentioned in clause 9. (Extenuating Circumstances)
- 3.3 There is no obligation on the relevant Selection Panel to fill the maximum number of positions specified by the UCI, pursuant to the UCI World Championship participation rules.

[https://www.uci.org/docs/default-source/2019-uci-road-world-championships/2019-uci-road-world-championships-qualification-system.pdf?sfvrsn=12ab6adb\\_8](https://www.uci.org/docs/default-source/2019-uci-road-world-championships/2019-uci-road-world-championships-qualification-system.pdf?sfvrsn=12ab6adb_8)

- 4 **Weighting:** Pursuant to Clause 7.2 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations, the relevant Selection Panel, when going through the Team selection process, will put more weight on any results or performances of a rider in the following events over the course of the UCI season coinciding with dates mentioned in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2.

- 4.2 **Elite Men:** In considering the Elite male riders to be selected to the Road Team under Schedule 2, and considering the factors in accordance with Clause 7 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations, the Road Selection Panel must put more weight on any results and performances, which may or may not include ranking points, of a rider in the following competitions on the UCI calendar over the course of the season that coincides with dates mentioned in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2. The below mentioned events are listed in priority order:

- i. UCI World Tour;
- ii. UCI 1.HC
- iii. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 European Tour;
- iv. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 America Tour;
- v. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 Oceania, Africa and Asia Tours

4.3 **Elite Women:** In considering the Elite female riders to be selected to the Road Team under Schedule 2, and considering the factors in accordance with Clause 7 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations, the Road Selection Panel must put more weight on any results and performances, which may or may not include ranking points, of a rider in the following competitions on the UCI calendar over the course of the season that coincides with dates mentioned in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2. The below mentioned events are listed in priority order:

- i. UCI World Tour;
- ii. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 in Europe
- iii. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 in America's
- iv. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 in Oceania, Africa or Asia

4.4 **Under 23 Men:** In considering the U23 Men riders to be selected to the Road Team under Schedule 2, and considering the factors in accordance with Clause 7 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations, the Road Selection Panel must put more weight on any results and performances, which may or may not include ranking points, of a rider in the following competitions on the UCI calendar over the course of the season that coincides with dates mentioned in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2. The below mentioned events are listed in priority order:

- i. UCI 1.1, 1.2 & 2.1, 2.2 in Europe
- ii. UCI 1.2 & 2.1 Ncup
- iii. UCI 1.1, 1.2 & 2.1, 2.2 in America's
- iv. UCI 1.1, 1.2 & 2.1, 2.2 in Oceania, Africa or Asia

4.5 **Junior women & men:** In considering the Junior women and men riders to be selected to the Road Team under Schedule 2, and considering the factors in accordance with Clause 7 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations, the Road Selection Panel must put more weight on any results and performances, which may or may not include ranking points, of a rider in the following competitions on the UCI calendar over the course of the season that coincides with dates mentioned in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2. The below mentioned events are listed in priority order:

- i. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 in Europe
- ii. UCI 1&2 Ncup
- iii. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 in America's
- iv. UCI 1.1 & 2.1 in Oceania, Africa or Asia

**5 Naming of alternates:**

5.1 Only riders having been selected to the Pool, based on considerations mentioned in [Clause 2](#) of Schedule 2 will be considered by the Selection Panel as alternate(s) to the Team for competitions outlined in [Clause 6](#) of Schedule 2.

5.2 In considering Pool riders to be selected to the Team as alternates, the selection panel shall consider, but is not limited to, the following factors drawn from Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations:

5.2.1 Items mentioned in Clause 2.2 (Overall Purpose)

5.2.2 Items mentioned in Clause 4. (Eligibility)

5.2.3 Items mentioned in Clause 7. (Factors)

5.2.4 Items mentioned in Clause 8. (Selection Trials)

5.2.5 Items mentioned in Clause 9. (Extenuating Circumstances)

**6 International Road Competitions where formal Selection is needed:** Unless Cycling New Zealand decides otherwise, Pool selections and Road Teams will be selected and named at or before the dates mentioned below. Teams will be selected to attend the International Road Competitions listed in the table below:

International Road Competition	Competition Date	Pool selection Date	Team Selection Date
2019 World Road Championships, Yorkshire, GBR	22 – 29 Sep 2019	30 Jul 2019	26 Aug 2019
<p>The 2019 Road World Championships is the pinnacle event of the 2019 road season. As such, Cycling New Zealand's road selection panel will be focussing on selecting athletes that have demonstrated an ability to perform in top level international events. In order for any rider to be competitive at the most challenging event of the season riders will have to have demonstrated competitiveness in high level European events closer to the Team selection date.</p>			

- 7 Additional Competitions:** Without limiting the Board's power under clause 1.5 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations, HP Director or designate, as applicable, may, in his/her sole discretion, decide to send Road Teams to compete in additional International Road Competitions as outlined in 6.4 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations.