

British Dance Council

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APPLICATION FORM: REQUEST TO RETURN TO AMATEUR STATUS

For your case to be considered your application must be accompanied with your fee of £250.00

Name: _____

Address: _____ Post code: _____

Telephone number: _____ Mobile Telephone: _____ email: _____

For your case to be considered by the British Dance Council please provide the following information

1. Please give full details of your reasons for requesting your return to amateur status below:

2. Give details of the length of time you were registered with the BDC as a professional competitor and the competitions you entered as a professional and any prizes received and any other relevant information:

3. Are you a current member of a Teaching Organisation that is a Corporate Member of the British Dance Council?

If yes please give details: _____

If no please state when you ceased your membership of the Teaching Organisation: _____

4. Give details of any qualifications you have obtained from a British Dance Council Dance Teaching Corporate Member OR any other Dance Qualification obtained by you.

5. *If not a registered professional competitor with the British Dance Council or a qualified dance teacher please give details of any teaching activities you have been involved with.*

Please continue on a separate page if necessary

The following page sets out the British Dance Council rule relating to a professional wishing to return to amateur status.

From BDC rulebook 2018-2020

British Dance Council rule 56.(b)

(b) Professional returning to Amateur Status:

- i. A professional who wishes to return to amateur status should apply to the Council.
- ii. Upon receipt of such an enquiry the Secretary of the Council will inform the applicant of the administration fee of £250 and forward an application form. Once the completed form and fee are received the Secretary will forward the request to the relevant committee for consideration.
- iii. If the committee agrees to reinstate it will set a date when the applicant may start competing as an amateur, which will be no longer than 12 months from the date of the original application.
- iv. Right of Appeal: In the event of a refusal the applicant has the right to appeal to the Council President, any such appeal to be received in writing within 14 days from receipt of the refusal.
- v. The President will form an Appeals Committee to consist of no less than three people, none of whom shall have been members of the Inquiry Committee. The findings of the Appeals Committee will be conveyed to the applicant by the President of the Council.