

UNITED STATES LUGE ASSOCIATION

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NTC Chair R. J. [Signature]
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SLEDS

All USLA sleds will be painted and custom striped in any tasteful variation of the colors of the US flag. Logo placement must conform to all USLA, USOC, FIL and/or IOC rules. The responsibility for logo placement will rest with the Marketing Director. Final approval will rest with the Executive Director and the President. All "speed taping" must match the color of paint being covered. The responsibility for all sleds to look sharp, clean, and professional rests with the coaching staff.

Color schemes for USLA Naturbahn sleds will be uniform (with those of kunstbahn) and will be determined by the Marketing Director and the person functioning as a National Naturbahn Coach.

This portion of the policy outlines the priorities for the distribution of sleds to the elite athletes of the USLA.

Group 1: Senior National Team.

Group 2: Senior National Team Select, Graduating Juniors and Junior National Team members. When it is necessary to prioritize within these three teams of Group 2, the Team Selection Committee will look at the three groups as a whole and rank the athletes on a discretionary basis in order to allocate the sleds.

Group 3: Nation's Cup Team

USLA policy will be, at a minimum but as the budget allows, to supply sleds to the athletes in groups one and two. Athletes, who in the opinion of the Team Selection Committee are expected to concentrate primarily on doubles, are required to have a singles sled; however, the sled they eventually receive will likely be the singles sleds remaining after all the athletes in Groups one and two designated as singles drivers have received their sleds.

After distribution of National Team sleds to the groups in the list referenced above, any remaining sleds would be allocated on a discretionary basis by the Team Selection Committee.