

# NAMIBIAN ADULT DRESS CODE POLICY (MALE)

**PLEASE NOTE: This dress code policy applies to adult sponsors, judges, and guests!**

## INTRODUCTION

The manner of appearance and dress of the Namibian Student Convention participants reflects an image of Christian modesty, refinement, and self-discipline. Students and sponsors are expected to support the ACE Student Convention image, programme and requirements in appearance and dress. Appropriateness and modesty are the basic principles governing all appearance and dress for the Namibian Student Convention. The principle of showing deference should be the lifestyle of Christian leaders. Students, sponsors, judges, and guests are to be dressed completely and according to the Guidelines upon arrival and while attending Student Convention. Only those meeting the dress and appearance requirements will be allowed to register and remain on the premises. (Please note that dress inspection will be done according to evening rally dress code.)

*Please check each box in agreement to comply*

### **Hair:**

Male sponsors, judges, and guests must have neat, trimmed, conservative haircuts. Hair is to be tapered (no steps) not touching the ears or collar. Sideburns may be no lower than the middle of the air. Very curly hair or afros may not exceed 2.5cm in length. (The following are: dying or colouring of hair - not even your tips, punk styles, spikes, braids, pony tails, etc.) *not allowed .If in doubt, comb it down!*

### **Facial Hair:**

Male sponsors, coaches, and guests may wear neatly trimmed moustaches and/or beards.

### **Jewellery:**

One watch and one ring (wedding, class, or purity rings only) is permitted. All other jewellery must be removed.

### **Dress Code during day:**

This applies to male sponsors, judges, and guests.

Button shirts/ golf shirts with collars and long conservative trousers are appropriate attire. Belts must be worn with trousers that have belt loops. (The following are not allowed: denim jeans, cargo pants, bicycle shorts, swimsuits, or fad extremes.) Clean athletic shoes may be worn during the day. No sandals allowed

**For athletic events** -Loose-fitting, full length tracksuit pants, trousers, or knee-length hemmed shorts are acceptable. Golf shirts or T-shirts are appropriate. (Vests may only be worn over white T-shirts.) Team events require uniforms. Full length tracksuit pants must be worn over shorts en route to and from competition and to meals. Only adults assisting at athletic events may wear athletic attire.

### **Evening Dress Code:**

Button shirts with collar, tie, dress pants or suit, and dress shoes must be worn to the Evening Rallies as well as the evening meal. Smart jackets/blazers are not compulsory, but are recommended. Men must be fully clothed in street attire when in the residence hall foyer or on another floor. Modest sleep attire may be worn en route to or from the bathrooms.

Dress code checks will be made at registration, performance areas, dining halls, and evening rallies. Please avoid disruptions in procedures by adopting a good attitude and complying without trying to test the boundaries

***In signing this document, I am aware of the dress code policy and will abide by these guidelines at all times during the All Africa Student Convention.***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_