



## **Communication No. 2245**

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It is with profound regret and sorrow that we inform you of the death of our good friend

## **Dr. Franklin Nelson**

Dr. Nelson passed away on February 6, 2019 at the age of 85.

Born on June 2, 1933, Dr. Nelson served as Chair of the ISU Medical Commission from 1984 to 1989 and as a member from 1989 to 1998.

He was also an ISU Judge for Single and Pair Skating and was appointed as an ISU Referee in 1996. He participated as an ISU Referee and Judge in numerous International Competitions, ISU Championships and at the 1984 Olympic Winter Games in Sarajevo.

Dr. Nelson will be remembered for his great commitment, passion, and lifelong contribution to our Sport and we will be forever very grateful for his service.

The ISU pays tribute to Dr. Franklin Nelson's devoted service to the ISU and Figure Skating and asks the ISU Members to remember him with affection.

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