III.D.17. (July 2023)

This rule was amended:

No smoking <u>or vaping</u> will be allowed in the ballroom or any designated competitor assembly area at any time.

VI.D.1.a. - VI.D.1.b. - and VI.D.1.c. (July 2023)

The following text was removed from these three rules that pertain to Amateur couples eligibility to compete in the U.S. National Amateur DanceSport Championships due to the nomination process described in this portion of the rules is no longer used around the world.

and neither member of the partnership has been nominated by a national organization to represent another country in the previous 12 months.

X.D.1.a.(1).(d). (July 2023) This rule for Pre-Teen boys was amended: Satin stripes are allowed One satin stripe (no wider than 1") is allowed on the outside of each leg, and a satin waistband is allowed if it is sewn as part of the trousers.

X.D.1.b.(3).(f). (July 2023) This rule for Pre-Teen girls was amended: Piping is allowed provided it is no larger than 1/8 of an inch across

X.D.1.d. (July 2023) This rule was added for Pre-Teen competitors: Sponsor logos are allowed on Pre-Teen costumes.

X.D.2. (July 2023)

This rule was added for costume checks for Pre-Teen attire:

Any sanctioned event that includes a full day of Pre-Teen, Junior, and Youth Divisions shall be required to have at least 1 designated "Costume Check" person in the on-deck area at all times where regulation costume divisions are danced. A copy of the required NDCA costume rules should be provided to the Costume Check person by the organizer.