F. No. 9-18/2007-SP-I/SP-III

Government of India Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports Department of Sports

> Hall No. 103, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Lodhi Road, New Delhi -110003 Dated: 5th September, 2023

ORDER

WHEREAS the Sqay Federation of India (SFI) was recognized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports as Regional Sports Federation (RSF) for the promotion and development of 'Sqay' sport vide letter No. 9-18/2007-SP-I dated 24.09.2015. At the time of recognition, SFI had submitted copy of Registration Certificate bearing No.3170-S of 2000 dated 02.06.2000 registered with Directorate of Industries and Commerce, Jammu & Kashmir Government.

- 2. WHEREAS a complaint was received in the Ministry stating that at the time of registration, the SFI has submitted fake certificate. The Ministry has sought information from the Director, Directorate of Industries and Commerce, Kashmir whether the registration certificate bearing registration number 3170-S of 2000 dated 02.06.2000 was registered with the Registrar of Societies, Jammu & Kashmir Government.
- 3. WHEREAS the Directorate of Industries and Commerce, Division Kashmir, Government of Jammu & Kashmir vide letter No. Di&c/Estt-Rs/24 dated 07.01.2023 informed to the Ministry that Sqay Federation of India bearing registration number 3170-S of 2000 does not exist as per their records.
- 4. WHEREAS in terms of eligibility condition prescribed under Para 3.1 of Annexure-II of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, the Federation should have legal status as a voluntary registered body. However, the SFI at the time of seeking recognition misrepresented the fact of being a duly registered society.
- 5. WHEREAS the Ministry, in its letter dated 22.09.2015 granting recognition to SFI as RSF for Sqay, clearly specified, inter alia, that the recognition may be withdrawn if the recognition has been obtained by submitting false information or by misrepresentation of facts.
- 6. Therefore, in light of the above circumstances, recognition of Sqay Federation of India as RSF for the sport of Sqay is withdrawn with immediate effect.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

(SPS Tomar) Director (Sports)

To

The President/Secretary General, Sqay Federation of India, Drangbal Pampore-192121, (J & K)

Copy to:

- 1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
- 2. Joint Secretary cum CEO, Indian Olympic Association
- 3. DDG (TEAMS), Sports Authority of India
- 4. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.