

**Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
(Department of Sports)**

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**COMPENDIUM OF INSTRUCTIONS  
ON  
SCHEME OF ASSISTANCE  
TO  
NATIONAL SPORTS FEDERATIONS  
(Volume-V)**

(Incorporating instructions issued from February 2018 to January 2021)

**S.P.S.Tomar  
Deputy Secretary**

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Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi-110001  
Dated : the 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2018

To

President/Secretary of All National Sports Federations

Sub: Using the expression of "India" or "Indian" in the list title or in any athletic competition by a Sports Organization


Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter No.29-13/2011-SP.III dated 5/7/2011 regarding using the expression of "India" or "Indian" by the sports organization and to state that as per the existing instructions only a recognized National Sports Federation is entitled to use the expression of "India" or "Indian" in its title or in any competition conducted by it. However, it has come to the notice of this Ministry of late that there are other categories of Sports bodies like Federations de-recognized by the Ministry, factional sports bodies and sports bodies not recognized by the Govt. of India which are using the expression of "India" or "Indian".

2. The matter has been examined in depth in the Ministry and following are decided:-
- i) Such bodies which have not been recognized by the Govt. of India or Sports Federations whose recognition has been withdrawn/suspended shall not to use "India" or "Indian" in their names.
  - ii) Temporary discontinuation of recognition for non-conformity to procedural requirements shall not attract the restriction relating to use of "India" or "Indian" in the name of a National Sports Federation. However, if the organization fails to complete formalities within six months of expiry of the recognition then it will not be considered in the temporary transition status and will lose the right to use the expression "India" or "Indian".


This has the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully.

  
(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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No.F.29-13/2011-SP-III  
 Government of India  
 Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports  
 Department of Sports

To,

Dated : 05.07.2011

The Director General,  
 The Indian Golf Union,  
 24, Adchini (First Floor),  
 New Delhi-100 017.

Sub: Using the expression "Of India" or "Indian" in the its title or in any athletic competition by a Sports organization.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 07.06.2011 regarding maushrooming of organization purporting to represent amateur golf in India and the State that only a recognized National Sports Federation is entitled to:-

- Use the expression "of India" or "Indian" in its title or in any athletic competition controlled by it;
- Represent or purport to represent itself as the National Sports Federation for the sport and represent India in the International Federation and/ or the Asian Federation for the sport;
- Regulate the sport in India;
- Select the Athletes who will represent India in international competitions for the sport and field the national team;
- Bid for and host, with the prior approval of the Government and others concerned, any officially recognized international amateur sport competition in India;
- Organise or conduct any officially recognized event, including annual national championship, for the sport.

Yours faithfully,

  
 (Deepika Kachhal)  
 Director (Sports)

Copy to:-

- (1) The Presidents and the Secretary Generals of all recognized National Sports Federation (As per list attached)

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F.No.54-2/2017-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2019.

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

***Sub:- Approval of Department of Sports, Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports for international sports events conducted in India by National Sports Federations – reg.***

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's O.M. No.8-53/2010-SP-III dated 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2014 (copy enclosed). The matter has been reviewed in the Ministry. It has been decided with the approval of the competent authority that no objection from 'Sports Angle' for international sports events conducted in India by National Sports Federation (NSF) including those events which are part of the approved Annual Calendar for Training & Competitions (ACTC) shall be issued by the Ministry on the request of the concerned NSF.

Encl:- As above.

  
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Sports Authority of India,  
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1. Joint Secretary, Foreigners, Ministry of Home Affairs, MDCNS Building, New Delhi – 110 006.
2. F.No.8-53/2010-SP-III

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F. No.8-53/2010-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Skill Development, Entrepreneurship,  
Youth Affairs & Sports  
( Department of Sports )

19 September, 2014

Office Memorandum

**Subject : Approval by Department of Sports, Ministry of Skill Development, Entrepreneurship, Youth Affairs & Sports for holding international sports events in India.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to MHA's OM No.42140637/CC, dated 30.7.2014 on the above cited subject and to say that Sports Authority of India is authorized to issue no objection from sports angle for international sports events organized only by the National Sports Federations, recognized by this Ministry. A list of National Sports Federations recognized by this Ministry is attached for reference.

Encl. As above

*A.K. Patro*  
(A.K. Patro)

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F.No.28-7/2018-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

New Delhi, 18 January/2019

To

Regional Director (TEAMS),  
Sports Authority of India, J. N Stadium,  
New Delhi-110003

**Subject:- Revised instructions regarding Financial grant under the Scheme of assistance to National Sports Federations to any entity other than National Sports Federation, reg.**

Madam,

I am directed to refer to SAI letter dated 29.11.2018 regarding financial grant to Subroto Mukherjee Sports Education Society (SMSES) and to state that during examination of the proposal of release of Grants-in-aid to SMSES for the conduct of 59<sup>th</sup> Subroto Cup, 2018, it was observed that SAI has released the grant to SMSES directly without the approval of Ministry on the basis of this Ministry's letter No.F.8-06/2011-SP.III dated 23.02.2011. However, as clearly laid down in letter No.F.8-06/2011-SP.III dated 23.02.2011 and 26.03.2014 (copies enclosed), SAI has been delegated the entire work of release of funds to NSFs under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs, subject to approval in the ACTC.

2. However, as SMSES is not a recognised National Sports Federation, but only a National Sports Promotion Organisation (NSPO), and the proposal under consideration cannot and was not approved in the ACTC, SAI is not delegated with the authority to release grant to SMSES without approval of this Ministry. However, as per sanction letter dated 29.10.2018, SAI has sanctioned a grant of Rs.25,00,000/- to the SMSES for the conduct of 59<sup>th</sup> Subroto Cup International Football Tournament, 2018.

3. In light of the instructions contained in letter No.F.8-06/2011-SP.III dated 26.03.2014, SAI may observe the following w.r.t. release of financial grant under the Scheme of assistance to National Sports Federations:

- (a) SAI will not to release any grant directly to any entity other than a recognized National Sports Federation, subject to approval in the ACTC.
- (b) For release of financial assistance to any entity other than recognized National Sports Federation, SAI will refer all such proposal to this Ministry for approval and will issue necessary sanction order and release the necessary fund only after approval of the Ministry.

**This issues with the approval of Secretary (Sports).**

Yours faithfully

(A.K.Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**( Department of Sports )**

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated : 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2014

To

Director General,  
Sports Authority of India,  
Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex,  
New Delhi.

**Subject : Operation of the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs**

Respected Sir,

Kindly refer to this office letter of even number dated 23.2.2011 and Letter No. 8-53 / 2010- SP III on the subject (copies enclosed as Annexure - I & II respectively ).

2. Further to the said letters, the undersigned has been directed to intimate as follows :-

- (i) It has been decided with the approval of the competent authority that from the next financial year, i.e., 2014-15, the entire work of release of funds to the NSFs under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs shall be handled by SAI in accordance with the provisions of the Scheme. As such the following work being presently done by MYAS is also delegated to SAI w.e.f. 1.4.14 onwards :-

Release funds to NSFs for zonal / national competitions and International tournaments in India. The same will also be a part of ACTC.

- (ii) Funding for international tournaments / events in India, being allowed to priority category sports disciplines shall be restricted to only one tournament per year and that too for Senior category sports only.
- (iii) Sports competitions in India whether domestic or International shall be specified in the ACTC.
- (iv) SAI will ensure to observe the instructions as stated in Annexure - III w.r.t the scheme of Assistance to NSFs and send a quarterly report to this office as per format in Annexure - IV.
- (v) Funding to the NSFs shall be based on the annual evaluation of performance of NSFs. The criteria for the said evaluation of NSFs is enclosed as Annexure-V. SAI will do the preliminary evaluation and send its report to MYAS for finalization of evaluation.
- (vi) The ACTCs of all the NSFs will be scrutinized by SAI in the light of the guidelines placed at Annexure-VI and those contained in the Sports Code. After scrutiny, the ACTCs shall be submitted to this Department by the end of January of each year from 2015 -16 onwards for

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consideration and approval. For the year 2014 -15 ACTC should be sent to MYAS for approval latest by 15.3.14 as already intimated vide letter enclosed as Annexure - II.

In case of any special situations necessitating changes in domestic or International completions, SAI shall make suitable amendments in the ACTC with the approval of the Ministry.

(vii) Hitherto, SAI was scrutinizing and finalizing the ACTCs of the NSFs belonging to the priority and General Categories. No ACTCs were prepared by SAI in respect of the NSFs of 'Others' category sports. It has now been decided that ACTCs for all NSFs need to be prepared.

3. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Sports), MYAS.

Yours faithfully,

*A. K. Patro*  
(A. K. Patro)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to :

- (i) OSD to Hon'ble MOS (I/C), MOYAS, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi.
- (ii) Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports), MOYAS Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi
- (iii) PPS to JS (Sports), MOYAS, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi.
- (iv) ED (Fin.) / ED (Teams) SAI.
- (v) Director (Sports)/Director (Finance), MYAS
- (vi) All Officers and Sections in Sports Bureau

*A. K. Patro*  
(A. K. Patro)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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**BY SPEED POST**

**No. F. 8-06/2011-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
( Department of Sports)**

New Delhi, the 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2011

1. Director General,  
Sports Authority of India,  
Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium,  
New Delhi--
2. Secretary General,  
Indian Olympic Association,  
Olympic Bhavan,  
Kutab Institutional Area,  
New Delhi
3. To Secretary General/General Secretary/Hony. Secretary/Secretary  
of all National Sports Federations

**Subject: Revised instructions regarding  
submission/consideration of proposals of National  
Sports Federations for holding Zonal/National  
/International Championships in India and sending the  
Indian teams abroad for participation in training and  
international sport events -- reg.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that till now the proposals for holding national championships, international tournaments in India and visit of Indian sportspersons/teams abroad, as per their approved Long Term Development Plan, were being received from the National Sports Federations (NSFs) in the Ministry and being processed here. Now w.r.t. para 10.9.9 of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, it has been decided that henceforth all the above noted proposals will be sent to Sports Authority of India (Teams Wing) by the NSFs and processed by them.

2. For this purpose all National Sports Federations will be required to submit their proposals, in the prescribed proforma, giving complete details, generally 3 months prior to the event and atleast 30 (thirty) days prior to the event to the Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, New Delhi. A specimen of the proforma for holding Zonal/National Championship (Annex.I), holding of International Championship in India ( Annex. II) and for sending Indian

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teams/sportspersons abroad for training and participation in international events ( Annex. III ) are attached.

3. On receipt of the proposals for visit of Indian teams/sportspersons abroad for training and/or participation in international events, the Sports Authority of India will seek approval of Ministry of External Affairs from political angle. Similarly for holding international sport events in India, approval of Ministry of Home Affairs from security angle as may be required as per their circulars No. 25022/62/2010-F(CC) dated 16-8-2010 and 23-8-2010 (Annex.VII & VIII) will be sought by SAI.

4. Sports Authority of India will also prepare agenda papers for each proposal in the respective proforma attached at Annex. IV to VI, giving complete details, for the consideration of the Steering Committee which has been set up for this purpose. SAI will issue agenda papers for the meeting, get the meeting conducted, prepare the minutes of the meeting and submit them to the competent authority in the Ministry for approval.

5. After the approval of the minutes by the Ministry, the Sports Authority of India will issue necessary sanction order and release the necessary fund to the NSF and settle the accounts with the NSF. For this purpose, necessary funds will be placed at the disposal of the SAI from the Scheme of Assistance to National Sports Federations.

Yours faithfully,

  
( Deepika Kachhal )  
Director

Copy to:

The Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, New Delhi.

Copy also forwarded for information to:

1. Director (Sports)
2. DS(Sports)
3. US(SP.I & SP.III)
4. US(SP.II)
5. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
6. PS to JS(SP)
7. All Sections in Sports Bureau.
8. Guard File.

F.No. 12-3/2018-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated: 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2019

**ORDER**

**Subject: Revision of scale of Out of Pocket Allowance (OPA) to athletes for competitions abroad under the Scheme of Assistance to National Sports Federation-reg.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's Order No: 12-5/2013-SP-III dated 04.11.2015 and to state that in partial modification of Para 14(iv) of the said order, the rates of Out of Pocket Allowance (OPA) will be as under:

S.No	Events	OPA
1	Olympics, Asian Games, Commonwealth Games, World Cup/championships	USD 50 per day
2	All other international events including South Asian Games.	USD 25 per day

2. All other provisions under the Scheme of Assistance to National Sports Federations shall be governed by the existing instructions in force.
3. This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (IC) YAS.

Yours faithfully,

(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to Government of India

To

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, JLN Stadium, New Delhi- 110003
2. Secretary General, All recognized National Sports Federation belonging to "High Priority" and "Priority" Sports disciplines

Copy to:

1. OSD to MOS(IC) YAS
2. PS to Secretary (Sports)
3. PS to JS(Dev)
4. PS to JS(Sports)
5. Dir(RB)
6. NIC- with a request to upload this order on Ministry's website.

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F. No. 63-04/2001-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
(Department of Sports)  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated: 9<sup>th</sup> May, 2019

To

Director General,  
Sports Authority of India,  
JLN Stadium, East Gate,  
New Delhi- 110003.

**Subject: Guidelines for appointment of experts in coaching, skill, sports science & management personnel- reg.**

Madam,

I am directed to refer to guidelines of even number dated 12.03.2018 on the subject cited above (copy enclosed).

2. In this regard, it has been decided by the Competent Authority that in all cases where foreign experts in coaching, skill, sports science & management personnel are recommended for appointment under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs, the designated Committee should keep the following criteria in view while negotiating their remuneration, viz.,

- i. Demand – supply scenario of International coaches;
- ii. Prevailing market rates in comparable cases;
- iii. Qualifications of the proposed expert;
- iv. Experience of the proposed expert;
- v. Last pay (remuneration) drawn by him/her, etc.

3. The reasons for arriving at a decision with respect to a foreign expert may be recorded in the minutes, especially regarding the factors indicated above.

4. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully,



(Arun Kumar Singh)  
Under Secretary to the Government of India

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No. F. 8-32/2020-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
(Department of Sports)

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New Delhi, the 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

President / Secretary General  
NSFs as per list attached

**Sub: Holding of General Body Meetings and Elections of NSFs in the wake of COVID-19 pandemic – reg**

Sir,

Reference is invited to the Model Election Guidelines, which is an integral part of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). As per the guidelines some of the activities are required physical presence of the involving persons.

2. References from some of the National Sports Federations have been received in this Ministry highlighting their difficulties in holding their AGM / SGM for conducting elections of their executive / managing committees as the same requires physical gatherings. While some of the NSFs postponed their elections as decided in their General Body meeting held through video conferencing, a few NSFs had conducted their AGM / SGM through video conferencing in which election results were declared.

3. This Ministry, upon taking into consideration that travel restriction and gathering restrictions imposed during the country-wide lockdown have been eased out, has decided to give time up to 31.12.2020 to such NSFs whose elections have become due.

4. However, taking cognizance of COVID-19 pandemic and requirement to maintain social distancing in the current situation, it has been decided to allow the NSFs to conduct their elections / AGMs or SGMs by using virtual platforms or through Video Conferencing (VC) / other audio visual means (OAVM) as an alternative to avoid physical gatherings. However, this will be applicable only till 31.03.2021. However, while adopting the said alternative, NSFs shall ensure the due transparency and secrecy of vote in the election procedure.

5. The above advisory is not obligatory to those NSFs who desire to conduct their AGM/SGM or elections by way of physical meetings.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel No. 011-24361819



1.	Athletic Federation of India
2.	Boxing Federation of India
3.	Indian Golf Union
4.	Softball Association of India
5.	Shooting Ball Federation of India
6.	Indian Body Builders Federation
7.	Sepaktakraw Federation of India
8.	School Games Federation of India
9.	Cycle Polo Federation of India
10.	Amateur Baseball Federation of India
11.	Mallakhamb Federation of India
12.	Billiard and Snooker Federation of
13.	Roll Ball Federation of India
14.	Bridge Federation of India

F. No. 8-33/2020-SP-III / 1  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 30<sup>th</sup> December, 2020

To

- (1) Chief Secretaries of all State Governments and Union Territories
- (2) Sports Secretaries of all State Governments and Union Territories

Sub: Adoption of instructions relating to fixing an upper limit of terms / the number of years for which Government servants can hold elective posts; and prior approval of the Government for contesting / canvassing in the elections to sports bodies - reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter No. 14-82/2009-SP.IV dated 04.02.2010 and letter No. 9-38/2016-SP.I dated 14.02.2017, whereby it was intimated that holding of elective office in various Sports Bodies by Government servants belonging to Central Government is regulated in terms of the provisions contained in the CCS (Conduct Rules), 1964; and that employees of PSUs / autonomous bodies of Union / State Government will also be governed by the same principle as applicable to Government servants, respectively (copies enclosed).


2. I also directed to refer to Department of Personnel & Training's Office Memoranda No. 11013/1/2016-Estt.A-III dated 05.08.2019 and 27.02.2020 regarding Sanction for holding an elective office under rule 15(1)(c) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 (copies enclosed), wherein the relevant provision reads as under:

*"a Government servant may be allowed to hold elective office in any body, whether incorporated or not, for period of two terms or for a period of 5 years, whichever is earlier, for which prior sanction would be required when a Government servant contests an election in such body, as per existing rules."*

3. Since the instructions issued by the Department of Sports on the limiting the term and tenure of Government servants of Union & State Governments and employees of PSUs / autonomous bodies of Union and the State Government for holding elective office in a NSF were based on the instructions of DoP&T, it is requested that appropriate rules / instructions suitably incorporating the above mentioned provisions may kindly be formulated for regulating the association of Government servants borne on the strength of State Governments with the sports associations / federations, if such instructions have not already been formulated.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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No 14-82/2009-SP-IV  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Annexure-XXVIII

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
4<sup>th</sup> February 2010

To,

- (1) Chief Secretaries of all State Governments and UTs
- (2) Sports Secretaries of all State Governments and UTs

**Subject:** Adoption of instructions relating to prior sanction necessary for contesting/canvassing in elections to sports bodies - regarding

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that a number of Government servants of State Governments and Union Territory Administrations are holding posts in various sports associations and bodies of national level, state level and district level. Holding of elective offices by Government servants belonging to the Central Government is regulated in terms of the provisions contained in the Central Civil Services (Conduct Rules), 1964. In terms of Rule 15 (1) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, previous sanction of the Government is required to hold an elective office, in any body, whether incorporated or not. Under Rule 12 of the CCS (Conduct) Rules, previous sanction of the Government or the prescribed authority is also necessary for a Government servant associating himself with raising of any funds or other collections in pursuance of any object whatsoever. Further, instructions issued vide the Department of Personnel & Training's OM No. 11013/3/9/93-Estt(A) dated 22.4.1994 provide, inter alia, that no Government servant should be allowed to hold elective office in any sports association/federation for a term of more than 4 years, or for one term, whichever is less. Copies of Rule 12 and 15 of CCS (Conduct) Rules and DOPT's aforesaid OM dated 22.4.1994 are enclosed.

2. It is presumed that State Governments/UT Administrations have already framed similar rules/instructions for regulating the association of the Government servants borne on their strength with the sports associations/federations. If not already formulated, it is requested that appropriate rules/instructions suitably incorporating the above-mentioned provisions of the Government of India may kindly be formulated.

3. It is also requested that requests of officers belonging to All India Services viz., Indian Administrative Service, Indian Police Service and Indian Forest Service for holding elective offices in sports associations/federations may be processed in accordance with relevant provisions of the AIS (Conduct) Rules.

4. Further, a list of names of officers, both belonging to All India Services and State Services, holding elective posts in Sports Federations/Associations, alongwith details of their term and tenure, may please be sent to this Ministry for record.

Yours faithfully

(A.K. Agnihotri)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel No. 23073576

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F.No.9-38/2016-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.

To

- (i) Secretaries of All Union Ministries/Departments
- (ii) Chief Secretaries of All State Governments and UTs
- (iii) Sports Secretaries of all State Governments and UTs

Subject: Instructions regarding holding of elective posts in sports bodies by employees of Public Sector Undertakings, autonomous bodies of Union and the State Governments.

Sir/Madam,

As you are aware, that holding of elective offices in various sports bodies by employees of Central Government is regulated in terms of the provisions contained in the Central Civil Services (Conduct Rules), 1964. In terms of Rule 15(1) of the CCS (Conduct) Rules, previous sanction of the Government or the prescribed authority is required to hold an elective office in any body, whether incorporated or not. Further, instructions issued vide the Department of Personnel & Training's OM No. 11013/3/9/03 Estt (A) dated 22-07-1994 provide, inter alia, that no Government servant should be allowed to hold elective office in any sports association/federation for a term of more than 2 years or for one term whichever is less. These instructions were made part of the National Sports Development Code of India, effective from 31-01-2001. vide letter No. 1432/2009 SP-IV dated 04-07-2010 the aforesaid provisions were made applicable to the employees of State/UT governments and all Chief Secretaries of States/UTs were informed.

2. The issue of holding elective post by the employees of Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs)/autonomous bodies of Union and State Governments has been considered in this Ministry and it has been decided that employees of PSUs/autonomous bodies of Union/State Governments will also be governed by the same principle as applicable to government servants.

Yours faithfully,

*Sagar Preet Hooda*

(Dr. Sagar Preet Hooda)

Director (Sports)

Tele/Fax: 2338 3666,

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F. No. 11013/1/2016-Estt.A-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions  
Department of Personnel & Training  
(Establishment A-III Desk)

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North Block, New Delhi - 110001  
Dated: 5 August, 2019

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject:** Sanction for holding an elective office under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS(Conduct) Rules, 1964 - reg.

The undersigned is directed to say that as per Rule 15 (1) (c) of the CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964, no Government servant shall except with the previous sanction of the Government, hold an elective office, or canvass for a candidate or candidates for an elective office, in any body, whether incorporated or not. DoPT's O.M. No. 11013/9/93-Estt.(A) dated 22.04.1994 had also stipulated that no Government servant should be allowed to hold elective office in any sports association/federation for a term of more than 4 years, or for one term whichever is less. Further, according to Department of Personnel & Training's OM No. 11013/11/2007-Estt (A) dated the 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2007, the entire time of the Government servant should be available to the Government and that no activities unconnected with his or her official duties should be allowed to interfere with the efficient discharge of such duties. All Ministries were requested to ensure that the participation of the Government servants in the activities of the cooperative societies conform to the above provisions and does not interfere with the discharge of their official duties.

2. Instances have come to notice where Government servants continue to hold elective offices in various capacities for unduly long periods. In some cases, where bye-laws of these bodies place restrictions on the number of consecutive terms a person may hold an office, Government servants are reported to have either got themselves re-elected after a gap or have got a family member/ close relative elected as a surrogate in order to keep control of such bodies. In such cases, Government servants may not be bestowing adequate attention upon their official duties and, as a result, an apprehension may arise that such Government servants also develop vested interests, particularly if the body is involved in commercial activities, directly or indirectly.

3. The policy on fixing an upper limit of the number of years for which Government servants can hold elective office in any body in their entire career has been reviewed and it has been decided that a Government servant may be allowed to hold elective office in any body, whether incorporated or not, for period of two terms or for a period of 4 years, whichever is earlier, for which prior sanction would be required when a Government servant contests an election in such body, as per existing rules.

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4. It is, therefore, necessary for the Competent Authority to keep in mind all the relevant factors while granting permission under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS(Conduct) Rules, 1964. It may also be necessary that cases of such sanctions are reviewed from time to time and permissions earlier granted revoked where Government servants have been holding office in any body, whether incorporated or not, for more than four years or in cases there are charges of corruption, adverse audit paras etc. In such cases, the Government servant concerned may be directed to resign from his office in such body immediately. He will cease to discharge any function from the date such direction is conveyed to him, irrespective of the fact whether his resignation from the body is accepted or not. This action may be taken immediately in those cases where information is already available with the Ministries and Departments. In addition, all the Ministries and Departments are also requested to obtain information from their employees in the proforma attached to this Office Memorandum for reviewing the position as well as while considering the request for sanction under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS(Conduct) Rules, 1964 in future.

5. This O.M. issues in supersession of DoPT's 11013/9/93-Estt.(A) dated 22.04.1994.

6. In so far as the employees of Indian Audit and Accounts Departments are concerned, this O.M. issues after consultation with Comptroller & Auditor General of India.

7. All Ministries/Departments/Offices are requested to bring the above instructions to the notice of all administrative authorities under their control.

8. Hindi version will follow.

(Satish Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

The Secretaries of All Ministries/Departments  
(as per the standard list)

Copy to:

1. President's Secretariat, New Delhi.
2. Vice-President's Secretariat, New Delhi.
3. The Prime Minister's Office, New Delhi.
4. Cabinet Secretariat, New Delhi.
5. Rajya Sabha Secretariat/Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
6. The Comptroller and Auditor General of India, New Delhi.
7. The Secretary, Central Vigilance Commission
8. The Secretary, Union Public Service Commission, New Delhi.
9. The Secretary, Staff Selection Commission, New Delhi.
10. All attached offices under the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions.
11. National Commission for Scheduled Castes, New Delhi.
12. National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, New Delhi.

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13. National Commission for OBCs, New Delhi.
14. Secretary, National Council (JCM), 13, Feroze Shah Road, New Delhi.
15. CVOs of all Ministries/Departments.
16. ADG (M&C), Press Information Bureau, DoP&T
17. NIC, Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi [for uploading the same on the website of this Ministry under the under the Head : Notifications → OMs & Orders → Establishment → CCS (Conduct) Rules & What's New]
18. Hindi Section, DoP&T for translation in Hindi.



(Satish Kumar)  
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

PROFORMA

Name of the Government Servant and Designation	Name of the body and the elective office held by the Government servant from time to time.	The different periods during which he/she has held an elective office in the body	Whether any family member or relative of the Government servant is holding or has held any elective office in the body.	Whether the Government servant receives any remuneration from the body as honorarium/allowance etc.	Any perks or facilities given by the body viz. car/air-conditioner etc.
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F. No. 11013/1/2016-Estt.A-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions  
Department of Personnel & Training  
(Establishment A-III Desk)  
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North Block, New Delhi - 110001

Dated: 27 February, 2020

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject:** Sanction for holding an elective office under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS(Conduct) Rules, 1964 - reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department O.M. No. 11013/1/2016-Estt.A-III dated 5.08.2019 (copy enclosed) to say that the competent authority has now approved the modification in Para 3 and Para 4 of the existing O.M. dated 5.08.2019. Para 3 and Para 4 of existing OM dated 5.08.2019 are modified as under:

"3. The policy on fixing an upper limit of the number of years for which Government servants can hold elective office in any body in their entire career has been reviewed and it has been decided that a Government servant may be allowed to hold elective office in any body, whether incorporated or not, for period of two terms or for a period of 5 years, whichever is earlier, for which prior sanction would be required when a Government servant contests an election in such body, as per existing rules.

4. It is, therefore, necessary for the Competent Authority to keep in mind all the relevant factors while granting permission under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964. In cases where the Government servants have assumed charge of elected posts prior to the issuing of O.M. dated 5.08.2019, they may be allowed to complete the full period of their current tenure, except in cases where there are charges of corruption and adverse audit paras etc."

2. All Ministries/Departments/Offices are requested to bring the above instructions to the notice of all administrative authorities under their control.

3. In their application to the employees of Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these order are issued after consultation with Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution

4. Hindi version will follow.

  
(Umesh Kumar Bhatia)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel: 23094471

To

The Secretaries of All Ministries/Departments  
(as per the standard list)

Copy to:

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6. The Comptroller and Auditor General of India, New Delhi.
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16. ADG (M&C), Press Information Bureau, DoP&T
17. NIC, Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi [for uploading the same on the website of this Ministry under the under the Head Notifications→ OMs & Orders→Establishment→CCS (Conduct)Rules & What's New]
18. Hindi Section, DoP&T for translation in Hindi.

*Umesh Kumar Bhatia*  
27/2/2020

(Umesh Kumar Bhatia)  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India  
Tel: 23094471

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F. No. 8-33/2020-SP-III / 2  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 30<sup>th</sup> December, 2020

To

1. The President / Secretary General,  
Indian Olympic Association,  
B-29, Qutub Institutional Area, New Delhi - 110 016.
2. Presidents / Secretary Generals of recognised National Sports Federations.

**Sub: Adoption of instructions relating to fixing an upper limit of terms / the number of years for which Government servants can hold elective posts; and prior approval of the Government for contesting / canvassing in the elections to sports bodies - reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter No. 14-82/2009-SP.IV dated 04.02.2010 and letter No. 9-38/2016-SP.I dated 14.02.2017, whereby it was intimated that holding of elective office in various Sports Bodies by Government servants belonging to Central Government is regulated in terms of the provisions contained in the CCS (Conduct Rules), 1964; and that employees of PSUs / autonomous bodies of Union / State Government will also be governed by the same principle as applicable to Government servants, respectively (copies enclosed).

2. I also directed to refer to Department of Personnel & Training's Office Memoranda No. 11013/1/2016-Estt.A-III dated 05.08.2019 and 27.02.2020 regarding Sanction for holding an elective office under rule 15(1)(c) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 (copies enclosed), wherein the wherein the relevant provision reads as under:

*"a Government servant may be allowed to hold elective office in any body, whether incorporated or not, for period of two terms or for a period of 5 years, whichever is earlier, for which prior sanction would be required when a Government servant contests an election in such body, as per existing rules."*

3. Since the instructions issued by the Department of Sports on the limiting the term and tenure of Government servants of Union & State Governments and employees of PSUs / autonomous bodies of Union and the State Government for holding elective office in a NSF were based on the instructions of DoP&T, the Indian Olympic Association and all the recognised National Sports Federations are hereby advised to follow and implement the above quoted instructions contained in the latest DoP&T O.M. dated 27.02.2020.

4. Any further instruction by DoP&T in this regard will be automatically applicable on Indian Olympic Association and all the recognised National Sports Federations in the matter of Government servants holding elective posts in IOA / NSFs.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
2. Director (CDN), Department of Sports.
3. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.

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No 14-82/2009-SP-IV  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Annexure-XXXIII

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
4<sup>th</sup> February 2010

To,  
(1) Chief Secretaries of all State Governments and UTs  
(2) Sports Secretaries of all State Governments and UTs

**Subject:** Adoption of instructions relating to prior sanction necessary for contesting/canvassing in elections to sports bodies - regarding

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that a number of Government servants of State Governments and Union Territory Administrations are holding posts in various sports associations and bodies of national level, state level and district level. Holding of elective offices by Government servants belonging to the Central Government is regulated in terms of the provisions contained in the Central Civil Services (Conduct Rules), 1964. In terms of Rule 15 (1) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, previous sanction of the Government is required to hold an elective office, in any body, whether incorporated or not. Under Rule 12 of the CCS (Conduct) Rules, previous sanction of the Government or the prescribed authority is also necessary for a Government servant associating himself with raising of any funds or other collections in pursuance of any object whatsoever. Further, instructions issued vide the Department of Personnel & Training's OM No. 11013/3/9/93-Estt(A) dated 22.4.1994 provide, inter alia, that no Government servant should be allowed to hold elective office in any sports association/federation for a term of more than 4 years, or for one term, whichever is less. Copies of Rule 12 and 15 of CCS (Conduct) Rules and DOPT's aforesaid OM dated 22.4.1994 are enclosed.

2. It is presumed that State Governments/UT Administrations have already framed similar rules/instructions for regulating the association of the Government servants borne on their strength with the sports associations/federations. If not already formulated, it is requested that appropriate rules/instructions suitably incorporating the above-mentioned provisions of the Government of India may kindly be formulated.

3. It is also requested that requests of officers belonging to All India Services viz., Indian Administrative Service, Indian Police Service and Indian Forest Service for holding elective offices in sports associations/federations may be processed in accordance with relevant provisions of the AIS (Conduct) Rules.

4. Further, a list of names of officers, both belonging to All India Services and State Services, holding elective posts in Sports Federations/Associations, alongwith details of their term and tenure, may please be sent to this Ministry for record.

Yours faithfully

(A.K. Agnihotri)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel No. 23073576

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.

To

- (i) Secretaries of All Union Ministries/Departments
- (ii) Chief Secretaries of All State Governments and UTs
- (iii) Sports Secretaries of all State Governments and UTs

Subject: Instructions regarding holding of elective posts in sports bodies by employees of Public Sector Undertakings/autonomous bodies of Union and the State Governments.  
Sir/Madam,

As you are aware, that holding of elective offices in various sports bodies by employees of Central Government is regulated in terms of the provisions contained in the Central Civil Services (Conduct Rules), 1964. In terms of Rule 15(1) of the CCS (Conduct) Rules, previous sanction of the Government or the prescribed authority is required to hold an elective office in any body, whether incorporated or not. Further, instructions issued vide the Department of Personnel & Training's OM No. 11013/3/9/93-PH dated 22.07.1994 provide inter alia, that no Government servant should be allowed to hold elective office in any sports association/federation for a term of more than 4 years or for one term, whichever is less. These instructions were made part of the National Sports Development Code of India, effective from 31.01.2001. Vide letter No. 1432/2009-SP-IV dated 02.02.2010, the aforesaid provisions were made applicable to the employees of State/UT governments and all Chief Secretaries of States/UTs were informed.

2. The issue of holding elective post by the employees of Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs)/autonomous bodies of Union and State Governments has been considered in this Ministry and it has been decided that employees of PSUs/autonomous bodies of Union/State Governments will also be governed by the same principle as applicable to government servants.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Sagar Preet Hooda)

Director (Sports)

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F. No. 11013/1/2016-Estt.A-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions  
Department of Personnel & Training  
(Establishment A-III Desk)  
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North Block, New Delhi - 110001  
Dated: 5 August, 2019

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject:** Sanction for holding an elective office under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS(Conduct) Rules, 1964 - reg.

The undersigned is directed to say that as per Rule 15 (1) (c) of the CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964, no Government servant shall except with the previous sanction of the Government, hold an elective office, or canvass for a candidate or candidates for an elective office, in any body, whether incorporated or not. DoPT's O.M. No. 11013/9/93-Estt.(A) dated 22.04.1994 had also stipulated that no Government servant should be allowed to hold elective office in any sports association/federation for a term of more than 4 years, or for one term whichever is less. Further, according to Department of Personnel & Training's OM No. 11013/11/2007-Estt (A) dated the 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2007, the entire time of the Government servant should be available to the Government and that no activities unconnected with his or her official duties should be allowed to interfere with the efficient discharge of such duties. All Ministries were requested to ensure that the participation of the Government servants in the activities of the cooperative societies conform to the above provisions and does not interfere with the discharge of their official duties.

2. Instances have come to notice where Government servants continue to hold elective offices in various capacities for unduly long periods. In some cases, where bye-laws of these bodies place restrictions on the number of consecutive terms a person may hold an office, Government servants are reported to have either got themselves re-elected after a gap or have got a family member/ close relative elected as a surrogate in order to keep control of such bodies. In such cases, Government servants may not be bestowing adequate attention upon their official duties and, as a result, an apprehension may arise that such Government servants also develop vested interests, particularly if the body is involved in commercial activities, directly or indirectly.

3. The policy on fixing an upper limit of the number of years for which Government servants can hold elective office in any body in their entire career has been reviewed and it has been decided that a Government servant may be allowed to hold elective office in any body, whether incorporated or not, for period of two terms or for a period of 4 years, whichever is earlier, for which prior sanction would be required when a Government servant contests an election in such body, as per existing rules.

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4. It is, therefore, necessary for the Competent Authority to keep in mind all the relevant factors while granting permission under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS(Conduct) Rules, 1964. It may also be necessary that cases of such sanctions are reviewed from time to time and permissions earlier granted revoked where Government servants have been holding office in any body, whether incorporated or not, for more than four years or in cases there are charges of corruption, adverse audit paras etc. In such cases, the Government servant concerned may be directed to resign from his office in such body immediately. He will cease to discharge any function from the date such direction is conveyed to him, irrespective of the fact whether his resignation from the body is accepted or not. This action may be taken immediately in those cases where information is already available with the Ministries and Departments. In addition, all the Ministries and Departments are also requested to obtain information from their employees in the proforma attached to this Office Memorandum for reviewing the position as well as while considering the request for sanction under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS(Conduct) Rules, 1964 in future.

5. This O.M. issues in supersession of DoPT's 11013/9/93-Estt.(A) dated 22.04.1994.

6. In so far as the employees of Indian Audit and Accounts Departments are concerned, this O.M. issues after consultation with Comptroller & Auditor General of India.

7. All Ministries/Departments/Offices are requested to bring the above instructions to the notice of all administrative authorities under their control.

8. Hindi version will follow.

  
(Satish Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

The Secretaries of All Ministries/Departments  
(as per the standard list)

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11. National Commission for Scheduled Castes, New Delhi.
12. National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, New Delhi.

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13. National Commission for OBCs, New Delhi.
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18. Hindi Section, DoP&T for translation in Hindi.

(Satish Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India



PROFORMA

Name of the Government Servant and Designation	Name of the body and the elective office held by the Government servant from time to time.	The different periods during which he/she has held an elective office in the body	Whether any family member or relative of the Government servant is holding or has held any elective office in the body.	Whether the Government servant receives any remuneration from the body as honorarium/ allowance etc.	Any perks or facilities given by the body viz. car/ air-conditioner etc.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)



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F. No. 11013/1/2016-Estt.A-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions  
Department of Personnel & Training  
(Establishment A-III Desk)

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North Block, New Delhi – 110001

Dated: 27 February, 2020

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject:** Sanction for holding an elective office under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS(Conduct) Rules, 1964 – reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department O.M. No. 11013/1/2016-Estt.A-III dated 5.08.2019 (copy enclosed) to say that the competent authority has now approved the modification in Para 3 and Para 4 of the existing O.M. dated 5.08.2019. Para 3 and Para 4 of existing OM dated 5.08.2019 are modified as under:

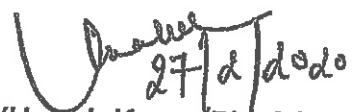
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4. It is, therefore, necessary for the Competent Authority to keep in mind all the relevant factors while granting permission under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964. In cases where the Government servants have assumed charge of elected posts prior to the issuing of O.M. dated 5.08.2019, they may be allowed to complete the full period of their current tenure, except in cases where there are charges of corruption and adverse audit paras etc."

2. All Ministries/Departments/Offices are requested to bring the above instructions to the notice of all administrative authorities under their control.

3. In their application to the employees of Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these order are issued after consultation with Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution

4. Hindi version will follow.

  
27/2/2020

(Umesh Kumar Bhatia)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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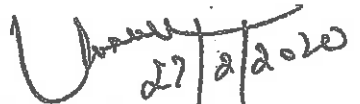
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D.O. No:8-38/2020-SP-III

Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> January 2021

Dear *Shri Rai,*

**Sub: -Procedure for Political clearance in respect of incoming/outgoing visits of sports team/personnel - reg.**

Please refer to your letter No. AA/325/02/2020 dated 02.12.2020 on the above subject. The issues indicated in your letter have been deliberated at length. As far as request of sports bodies for holding of sporting events in India in which other countries' teams/sportspersons/officials visit India, NOC of this Ministry from sports angle is required to be given as per the provision of visa manual of MHA so that Indian Mission may issue visas to the foreign sportspersons and official participating in such events. Accordingly, this Department grants clearance from the sports angle for the events which are organised by the recognised National Sports Federations or events supported by them. Also Sports Authority of India issues sanctions in respect of the events funded by the Government and forward a copy of the same to Ministry of External Affairs and Ministry of Home Affairs for the purpose of Political Clearance and Security Clearance, respectively. Nonetheless the NOC/clearance from sports angle are issued to Sports Bodies subject to clearances from Ministry of External Affairs and Ministry of Home Affairs. While issuing NOC, sports bodies are also advised to approach Ministry of External Affairs and Ministry of Home Affairs for obtaining their clearances by giving them requisite details as per the requirements.

2. As regards, participation of Indian sportspersons/team in various international event held abroad, NOC from this Department is not necessary as it has nothing to do with the visa process. However, where the Indian participation is funded by the Government, Sports Authority of India issues administrative/financial sanctions for sending of Indian teams abroad.

3. In view of the above, there seems to be no requirement to develop SOP afresh. However, while examining and considering the applications seeking political clearance made by Sports Bodies/NSFs, Ministry of External Affairs could impress upon the Sports Bodies/NSFs to produce the NOC/sports angle clearance issued by this Ministry/administrative sanction issued by Sports Authority of India.

*With warm regards*

Yours Sincerely,

*L.S. Singh*  
[L.S. SINGH]

**Shri Anil Rai**

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F. No. 75-2/2009-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi-110001,  
dated 6<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

*Done*  
9/8/18

To

General Secretary  
Roller Skating Federation of India,  
A-695, Shastri Nagar, Delhi-110052.

Subject:- Matter relating to election of office bearers of the Roller Skating Federation of India (RSFI) for the period of 2017-2021 held on 16.7.2017 at Kolkatta.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the letter dated 27.7.2017 from RSFI forwarding therewith the report of the elections, to various posts of the Roller Skating Federation of India (RSFI) held on 16.7.2017. The election report of RSFI has been examined. The following office bearers who have been elected in the elections for the period 2017-2021 have been noted:-

<u>Name of candidate</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Date of birth</u>	<u>Tenure</u>
I. Shri Tulsi Ram Aggarwal	President	16.6.1959	1 <sup>st</sup>
II. Shri Naresh Kumar Sharma	Secretary General	6.1.1978	1 <sup>st</sup>
III. Sebastian Prem C	Treasurer	2.8.1953	1 <sup>st</sup>

2. It is also noticed that the following elected persons are Govt. employees and had earlier held elective post in the RSFI/State/District level sports bodies:-

- Dr. Amit Kumar Aggarwal - Vice President
- Shri Manpreet Singh Chhatwal- Vice President

As per the provision of Sports Code, the employees of State/Union Govt. can hold such post for four year or for one term which ever is earlier. Hence, the election of the these two persons has not been accepted.

They may be asked to step-down. RSFI, if it so desires, may fill the vacancies as per provisions of Sports Code.

This has approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully,

*A.K. Patro*  
(A.K. Patro)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001  
Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> August, 2018

To,

The Secretary General  
Atya Patya Federation of India  
Nagpur Sharirik Shikshan Mahavidyalaya,  
Dr. Moonga Marg, Dhantoli Nagpur,  
Maharashtra-440012

Subject: Election of Atya Patya Federation of held on 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2018 at Green City Hotel, Dhantoli, Nagpur.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the letter dated 20.04.2018 from Atya Patya Federation of India forwarding the report of the elections, to the various posts of the federation held on 15.04.2018. Atya Patya Federation vide the said letter has informed that the elections to the executive council for the period 2018-2022 has been conducted as per government norms.

The election report duly signed by the Returning Officer along with various other documents for the said elections has been examined in this office. It has been decided to accept the elections of Atya Patya Federation held on 15.04.2018 and the following office bearers who have been elected in the said elections have been noted in the records of this Ministry for the period 2018-2022.

S. No.	Name	Post held
1.	Dr. V. D. Patil	President
2.	Dr. D.P. Kavishwar	Secretary General
3.	Shri. P. S. Lamba	Treasurer

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C), YAS.

Yours Sincerely,

(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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Government of India  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(Department of Sports)

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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2018

To

The General Secretary,  
Indian Weightlifting Federation,  
WZ-78, First Floor, Todapur Village,  
New Delhi-110012

Sub: Election of office bearers of Indian Weightlifting Federation held  
on 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2017, reg.

Sir,


I am directed to refer to the report of the Returning Officer submitted to the Ministry in connection with election of Indian Weightlifting Federation held on 30/10/2017 and to say that the following office bearers have been taken on record of the Ministry:

- |       |                                |                   |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| (i)   | Shri Birendra Prasad Baishya - | President         |
| (ii)  | Shri Sahdev Yadav -            | Secretary General |
| (iii) | Shri Naresh Sharma -           | Treasurer         |

2. I am further directed to convey that the election of Government servants viz, Mr. Pardeep Sharma, Mr. H. Thangchungnunga and Mr. Ranjit Bhattacharya have been elected as Executive Member, Joint Secretary and Executive Member respectively is not in accordance with the provisions of the Sports Code as only one term is allowed for a Government servants and hence they may be asked to demit office. Indian Weightlifting Federation, if so desire, may conduct fresh election for these posts as per the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India.

3. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C) for Youth Affairs & Sports.

Yours faithfully,



(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.  
Dated: 13<sup>th</sup> February, 2019

To

Secretary General,  
Hockey India,  
B1/E14, Ground Floor,  
Mohan Co-operative Industrial Estate,  
Mathura Road, New Delhi – 110044.

**Sub: Election of Hockey India Executive Board for the period 2018-2022 –Reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to HI's letters No. HI/1/2019 dated 01.10.2018, 18.10.2018; letters No. HI/M/1/2018 dated 11.11.2018, 22.11.2018; and HI/M/1/2019 dated 10.01.2019 on the above subject and to state that the Report of Returning Officer and Government Observer received in the Ministry have been examined in light of the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 and the following facts have emerged:

- i. Hockey India held its first elections on 05.08.2010, i.e., after issue of the modified Age & Tenure guidelines vide this Department's letter No.8-17/2009-SP.III dated 01.05.2010.
- ii. Hockey India was granted recognition in February 2014, vide letter No.32-14/2013-SP.III dated 28.02.2014, upon compliance of the guidelines of recognition as laid down in the NSDCI, 2011. It may be noted that the Ministry took full cognizance of the elections of Hockey India held in August, 2010 and the recognition of Hockey India was based on these elections.
- iii. At the time of recognition, the following Officer Bearers, elected on the basis of the elections of Hockey India held on 05.08.2010 through the laid down process, were accepted by this Department as they were not violating any of the age & tenure guidelines at that point of time:
  - a. Ms. Mariamma Koshy, President;
  - b. Dr. Narinder Batra, Secretary General;
  - c. Md. Mushtaque Ahmed, Treasurer.
- iv. It was also clarified in the letter dated 28.02.2014, conveying the recognition that continuation of recognition of Hockey India will be subject to following the

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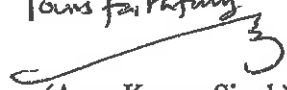
guidelines of the Government issued from time to time and also those prescribed under the NSDCI, 2011.

- v. After recognition of Hockey India in February, 2014, they held their elections on 13.10.2014. At the time of examination of these elections of Hockey India, inter-alia, the tenure of the elected officer bearers of Hockey India was also taken into account and it was found that Md. Mushtaque Ahmed, who was elected as Secretary General, was serving his second term. Approval for the elections and elected officer bearers conveyed accordingly.
2. In light of the above, it is clarified that though the present election of Hockey India, held on 01.10.2018 are their second elections after their recognition in February, 2014, Md. Mushtaque Ahmed was holding the position of elected office bearer, i.e., Treasurer, in Hockey India at the time of recognition of Hockey India for the term 2010-2014. Further, since recognition of Hockey India in February, 2014, was done on the basis of elections held in August, 2010, the tenure of Md. Mushtaque Ahmed, for the term 2014-2018, was taken as second term of which the Ministry took full cognizance since the modified age and tenure guidelines were in place at that time vide this Department's letter dated 01.05.2010. Therefore, the tenure of Md. Mushtaque Ahmed during the term 2010-2014 had to be taken as his first term.
3. It would also not be out of place to mention that the recognition of Hockey India in February, 2014 was based on their elections held in 2010 and contingent on their adhering to the provisions of the NSDCI, 2011. Thus, had the elections of August, 2010 of Hockey India not conformed to the guidelines of recognition as laid down in the NSDCI, 2011, and had they not complied with the provisions of the NSDCI, 2011, the Ministry could not have granted them recognition as NSF in February, 2014. Therefore, neither the elections of 2010 of Hockey India nor the resultant tenure of their office bearers elected in these elections (of 2010) can be ignored and they have to be taken into account while deciding their adherence to tenure limitations. It appears that perhaps, Hockey India, while furnishing the details of their office bearers vide Annexure II of their letter dated 11.11.2018, have not taken into account the tenure of their office bearers during the term 2010-2014, i.e. on the basis of their elections of 2010.
4. The age and tenure guidelines are being applied uniformly for office bearers of all National Sports Federations, and the tenure of Md. Mushtaque Ahmed for 2018-2022 will be his third tenure inconsistent with the provisions of the said guidelines. Therefore, the election of Md. Mushtaque Ahmed as President of Hockey India cannot be accepted.
5. The following office bearers who have been elected in the said elections have been noted in the records of this Ministry for the period 2018-2022:-

S. No.	Name	Post	Tenure
1	Shri Rajinder Singh	Secretary General	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tenure
2	Shri Tapan Kumar Das	Treasurer	1 <sup>st</sup> Tenure

6. In view of the above, HI may advise Md. Mushtaq Ahmed to demit the office of President in Hockey India with immediate effect. HI is also advised to conduct elections for the posts of President and Joint Secretary (which is vacant consequent upon resignation of Ms. Asunta Lakra) afresh as per the provisions of the NSDCI, 2011, immediately.

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS(I/C) YA&S.

*Yours faithfully*  
  
 (Arun Kumar Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
 Tel: 24361823

Copy for necessary action to:-

1. R.D. (TEAMS) SAI, J.N. Stadium Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
2. The Joint Director, Traffic Commercial -II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Secretary, DOPT, North Block, New Delhi.
4. Secretary, Deptt. of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.
5. Services Sports Control Board, New Delhi.
6. Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association, B-29, Olympic Bhawan, Qutub Institutional Area, New Delhi - 110016.

Copy also to:

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2. PS to Secretary (Sports).
3. PS to Joint Secretary (Dev.).
4. Director (Sports-III)

  
 (Arun Kumar Singh)  
 Under Secretary to the Government of India

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Government of India  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(Department of Sports)  
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ShastriBhavan, New Delhi  
Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2019

To

The General Secretary,  
Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India (ASTFI),  
818/33/1, Laxmipura, Gitamandir Road,  
Near Ankur Mills, Ahmedabad-380022,

**Sub: Election of office bearers of Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India held on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2019, reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the letter dated 10/03/2019 from Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India (ASTFI) forwarding therewith the report of the elections, to the various posts of the ASTFI held on 28/02/2019 at Ahmedabad and to convey that it has been decided to accept the elections of ASTFI and the following office bearers have been taken on records of the Ministry for the period 2019-2023:-

- |       |                                   |   |                   |
|-------|-----------------------------------|---|-------------------|
| (i)   | Shri Mahant Shambhuprasad Tundiya | - | President         |
| (ii)  | Shri J.K. Khodadhara              | - | Secretary General |
| (iii) | Shri Vijay Solanki                | - | Treasurer         |

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) for YA&S.

Yours faithfully,

  
(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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2. Secretary General, IOA, New Delhi.
3. ED (TEAMS), SAI, New Delhi.
4. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial, TC-II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. Deptt. Of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary, Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi.

F.No. 17-1/2018/SP-I/SP-III.  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
(Department of Sports)

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> August, 2019

To

Hony. Secretary,  
Billiards and Snooker Federation of India,  
5/1, Miller Tank Build Area,  
JasmaBhawan Road,  
Bangalore- 560052

Subject: Elections of BSFI held on 23.03.2019 for the term 2018-22- matter regd.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your email dated 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2019 on the subject noted above and to say that the election report submitted by BSFI has been examined in the Ministry. Apart from the fact that BSFI conducted their elections 8 months after the due date, the following has also been observed:

- (i) Seven votes were cast by the outgoing office bearers in their capacity as office bearer and not representatives of any State/UT unit. However as per the Model Election Guidelines of the NSDCI, 2011 only representatives of affiliated State/UT units of the NSF are eligible to cast votes in the elections of office bearers. Hence these seven votes cannot be considered as valid.
- (ii) Shri Balasubramanian voted in the elections as the outgoing Secretary General and also acted as the Returning Officer for the elections which is clear case of conflict of interests.
- (iii) As per the Model Election Guidelines of the NSDCI, 2011 each State/UT unit shall have 2 votes in the election of office bearers. However, BSFI has given each affiliated State/UT unit 1 vote.

2. In view of the observations made above, it has been decided that the elections conducted by BSFI on 23.03.2019 cannot be considered as valid. Hence, BSFI is advised to amend their constitution in accordance with the provisions of the Model Elections Guidelines of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011.

3. Further, BSFI is required to conduct elections after suitable modifications in their constitution as per the provisions of NSDCI, 2011 within 3 months from the issue of this letter.

4. BSFI is also called upon to furnish its clarification as asked by this Department vide letter of even number dated 05.04.2019 (copy enclosed). BSFI is also requested to convey as to why action must not be taken against the federation for failing to comply with the directions of this ministry within the stipulated time frame.

5. The explanation of BSFI with the relevant supporting documents may be furnished within 10 days of issue of this letter i.e. latest by 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 failing which it will be presumed that BSFI has nothing to say in the matter and further action as deemed fit will be taken by Department.

6. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully



(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

F.No. 17-1/2018-SP-I  
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Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2019

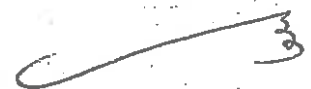
To  
Secretary General,  
Billiards and Snooker Federation of India,  
5/1, Miller Tank Build Area,  
JasmaBhawan Road,  
Bangalore- 560052

Subject: Annual General Meeting and Elections of BSFI- matter regd.

Sir,  
I am directed to refer to your letter dated 20.02.2019 on the subject noted above. On perusal of records it has come to the notice of this Department that the elections of BSFI were due in the month of June, 2018. However, BSFI is conducting elections on 23.03.2019, which is 8 months after the expiry of previous term and in contravention to the Model Election Guidelines of the Sports Code.

2. In view of the above, BSFI is requested to clarify the position before a decision in the matter is taken by the Ministry.

Yours faithfully

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(Arun Kumar Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
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Shatri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2019.

**ORDER**

**Sub: Elections of Bridge Federation of India held on 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 – reg.**

Bridge Federation of India (BFI) has been granted recognition by this Ministry as a National Sports Federation for promotion and regulation of Bridge Sport in the country. Elections of governing body of BFI were due in 2018.

2. Accordingly BFI informed the Ministry that it will conduct elections for its governing body for the term 2018-2020 on 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 at Mysore under the supervision of Mr. Swarup Anand. Ministry deputed Regional Director, Sports Authority of India's Southern Centre, Bengaluru as Government observer for the said elections of BFI.

3. Report of Returning Officer and Government Observer along with other relevant documents received in the Ministry have been examined in light of the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 and it has been decided to accept the elections of BFI held on 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 and following office bearers have been taken on records of the Ministry for the period 2018-2020:-

S.No.	Post	Name	Age	Tenure
1	President	Shri Suresh Sundareshan	66	1 <sup>st</sup>
2	Hony Secretary General	Shri Anand K.S. Samant	66	2 <sup>nd</sup>
3	Hony Treasurer	Shri Nirmal Rajagopalan	36	2 <sup>nd</sup>

4. However, BFI is also directed to amend its constitution and grant each affiliated State units equal voting rights.

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS(I/C) YA&S.

  
(O.P.Chanchal)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele/Fax: 2338 2560  
Email: chanchal.op@gov.in

To

Hon. General Secretary,  
Bridge Federation of India,  
18, Institutional Area,  
Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi – 110 003.

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
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Shatri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2019.

**ORDER**

**Sub: Elections of Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association held on 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2018 – reg.**

Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association (IKCA) is granted recognition by this Ministry as a National Sports Federation for promotion and regulation of Kayaking & Canoe Sport in the country. Elections of IKCA were due in April, 2018.

2. Accordingly IKCA informed the Ministry that it will conduct elections for its governing body for the term 2018-2022 on 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2018 at Bhopal. Elections were held under the supervision of Dr. P.S.Chauhan, Ex-Principal Secretary, Department of Law, Govt. Of Madhya Pradesh as Returning Officer. Ministry deputed Shri Rajinder Singh, Director In-charge, Central Regional Centre, Sports Authority of India as Government observer for the said elections of IKCA.

3. Report of Returning Officer and Government Observer along with other relevant documents received in the Ministry have been examined in light of the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 and it has been decided to accept the elections of IKCA held on 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2018 and following office bearers have been taken on records of the Ministry for the period 2018-2022:-

S.No	Post	Name	Age	Tenure
1.	President	Shri Syed Matloob Hashmi	64	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2.	Secretary General	Shri Prashant Kushwaha	42	1 <sup>st</sup>
3.	Treasurer	Ch. Benhur	56	1 <sup>st</sup>

4. However, it is further informed that elections of Mr. K. Jayabalan has not been accepted in light of this Ministry's order No.9-38/2016-SP-I dated 14.02.2017 (copy enclosed) as he is a PSU employee and has already been Joint Secretary since 2010. Therefore, IKCA shall ask Mr. K. Jayabalan to step down.

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5. Further, for the posts which have been vacated after few persons stepped down from such posts on being elected to two posts, IKCA may fill these vacant post as per the provisions of the Sports Code, if it so desires.

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS(I/C) YA&S.

Encl: As above

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(O.P.Chanchal)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Tele/Fax: 2338 5101

Email: chanchal.op@gov.in

To

Shri Prashant Kushwaha,  
Secretary General,  
Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association,  
7A/42, W.E.A. 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
Western Chamber, Channa Market,  
Karol Bagh,  
New Delhi – 110 005.

Copy to:-

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways,
3. Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi.
4. Secretary, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.

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(O.P.Chanchal)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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Government of India  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(Department of Sports)  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated the 23, September, 2019

To

The General Secretary,  
Squash Rackets Federation of India (SRFI),  
Khivraj Complex II, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, No. 480,  
Anna Salai, Nandanam, Chennai-600035

**Sub: Election of office bearers of Squash Rackets Federation of India held on 15/06/2019 at Chennai, reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 26/07/2019 and the election report of Returning Officer and Government Observer w.r.t. to the election of office bearers of Squash Rackets Federation of India (SRFI), held on 15/06/2019 at Chennai and to convey that it has been decided to accept the election of SRFI and the following office bearers have been taken on record of the Ministry for the period 2019-2023:-

S.No.	Name	Post	Term
1.	<b>Shri Debendranath Sarangi , IAS (Retd.)</b>	President	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2...	<b>Shri Cyrus Poncha</b>	Secretary General	1 <sup>st</sup>
3,...	<b>Shri K.Harish Kumar</b>	Treasurer	1 <sup>st</sup>

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) for YA&S.

Yours faithfully,



(S.P.S.Tomar)

Deputy Secretary(Sports)

Copy to:

1. PS to Director General, SAI, SAI Building, JN Stadium Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
2. Secretary General, IOA, New Delhi.
3. ED (TEAMS), SAI, New Delhi.
4. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial, TC-II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. Deptt. Of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary, Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi.

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Department of Sports

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2019

To

Secretary General,  
Cycling Federation of India,  
#12, Pandit Pant Marg,  
Near Gol Daak Khana,  
New Delhi - 110001

Subject: Elections of Cycling Federation of India held on 23.06.2019.

Sir,

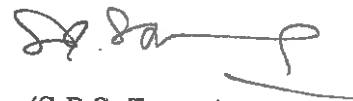
I am directed to refer to the report of the Returning Officer submitted to the Ministry in connection with election of Cycling Federation of India (CFI) held on 23.06.2019 for the term 2019-2023 and to say that the following office bearers have been taken on record of the Ministry:

- |      |                             |   |                   |
|------|-----------------------------|---|-------------------|
| i.   | Mr. Parminder Singh Dhindsa | - | President         |
| ii.  | Mr. Maninder Pal Singh      | - | Secretary General |
| iii. | Mr. Pratap S Jadhav         | - | Treasurer         |

2. I am also directed to convey that the post of Additional Secretary is not as per the Model Election Guidelines contained in the NSDCI, 2011. Hence, the post of Additional Secretary may be dispensed with by CFI and the Ministry may be informed of the same accordingly.

3. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C) Youth Affairs & Sports.

Yours faithfully



(S.P.S. Tomar)

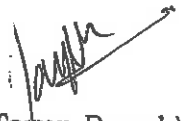
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:-

1. PS to MOS(I/C)YAS
2. ~~Sr.~~ PPS to Secretary (Sports)

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3. ED(Teams) SAI, JLN Stadium Complex (East Gate), Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003
4. Secretary General, IOA, New Delhi
5. DG, NADA, New Delhi
6. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial- II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. DoPT, North Block, New Delhi
8. Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), North Block, New Delhi
9. US (SP-II/I /IV/V/VI)
10. NIC, MYAS with a request to post the same in the website of the Ministry.



(Tarun Pareek)  
Section Officer (SP-III)

F.No. 9-32/2015-SP-I / SP-II  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports  
Department of Sports

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 20 November, 2019

To

Secretary General,  
Indian Pencak Silat Federation,  
Malla Pora, Near Press,  
Jama Masjid,  
Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir- 190002

**Subject:** Elections of Office bearers of Indian Pencak Silat Federation for the term 2019-23- matter regd.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 18.09.2019 on the subject cited above and to say that the report of the election of the office bearers of Indian Pencak Silat Federation for a period of four years term 2019-2023 wherein the following office bearers were elected, has been examined in the Ministry and the elections conducted has been accepted as valid and the same has been noted in Ministry's records :-

- |       |                            |   |
|-------|----------------------------|---|
| (i)   | Shri Kishor Prakash Yelwe- | President, 43 years, 1 <sup>st</sup> term         |
| (ii)  | Shri Mufti Hamid Yasin-    | Secretary General, 47 years, 2 <sup>nd</sup> term |
| (iii) | Shri Irfan Aziz Botta-     | Treasurer, 42 years, 2 <sup>nd</sup> term         |

2. This issues with the approval of the Hon'ble MOS(I/CY&AS).

Yours faithfully



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:-

1. PS to MOS(I/C)YAS
2. ~~PS~~ PS to Secretary (Sports)
3. Regional Director (Teams) SAI, JLN Stadium Complex (East Gate), Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003
4. Secretary General, IOA, New Delhi

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5. DG, NADA, New Delhi
6. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial- II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. DoPT, North Block, New Delhi
8. Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), North Block, New Delhi
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10. SO(SP-I/II/IV/V/VI)
11. NIC, MYAS with a request to post the same in the website of the Ministry.



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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Government of India  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(Department of Sports)  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Date: 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2020

**Order**

**Subject: Elections of All India Carrom Federation and grant of recognition, reg.**


The election of All India Carrom Federation (AICF) was held on 18.11.2018 under the directions of the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi given in the Judgment dated 06.08.2018 in Writ Petition (C) No. 3314 / 2016. While deciding the said Petition the Hon'ble Court, *inter-alia*, directed that the elections shall be completed on or before 10 weeks effective from 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 and the election results along with the report of the Observer [Justice R.V. Easwar, (Retd)] shall be submitted to the Government for its approval.

2. Before the date of election, i.e. 18.11.2018 a court case bearing No. CS (OS) 576 /2018 was filed before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi by the Haryana Carrom Association seeking stay on the conduct of the election process and direction for the AICF to include the names submitted by the Haryana Carrom Association in the Electoral College. The Hon'ble Court did not grant stay on the election and passed directions in its order dated 14.11.2018 and 16.11.2018 that the representative of the Plaintiff in the matter shall be allowed to cast their votes separately which shall be kept in a sealed cover and the candidates nominated by the Haryana Carrom Association be also allowed to contest the election. The Hon'ble Court clarified that the result of the elections shall be subject to further orders that may be passed by the Court. The election for Office Bearers and members of the Managing Committee of AICF was held on 18.11.2018 and the results of the elections were declared by the Returning Officer - Justice Parthasakha Datta (Retd).

3. Meanwhile, vide this Department's letter of even number dated 07.03.2019 AICF was given provisional recognition till 31.03.2019 or decision of the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in the matter, whichever is earlier. However, the said court matter is still undecided.

4. Vide email / letter dated 19.08.2019 AICF has requested for renewal of its annual recognition citing that in absence of the renewal of annual recognition AICF could not start its activities for the year 2019-20 and the players from all over India are put on irreparable loss.

5. As no injunction has been granted by Hon'ble Delhi High Court for accepting the elections of AICF, the election result of AICF along with the Report of Returning Officer and Court appointed Observer have been examined in light of the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (NSDCI). It has been noted that some posts of the Managing Committee, viz. Executive President, Assistant General Secretary, Technical Director, Deputy Secretary Marketing and Director Media are not in conformity with the NSDCI, 2011. Accordingly, AICF was asked to dispense with such posts from the management committee of AICF. AICF vide its letter dated 20.10.2019 informed the Ministry that the persons holding these posts have been made to demit the office and the posts would be dispensed with. AICF is directed to dispense with these posts from its constitution at the earliest.



6. Upon examination, it has been decided to accept the elections of the AICF and following office bearers and members of the management committee have been taken on records of the Ministry for the period 2018-22 (from the date of election, i.e. 18.11.2018):

S.No.	Name	Post
1.	<b>Mr. Rakibul Hussain</b>	<b>President</b>
2.	<b>Mr. Baij Nath Singh</b>	<b>Sr. Vice President</b>
3.	<b>Mr. Francis Serrao</b>	<b>Vice President</b>
4.	<b>Mr. Prabhjeet Singh Bachher</b>	<b>Vice President</b>
5.	<b>Mr. Shiv Kumar</b>	<b>Vice President</b>
6.	<b>Ms. Bharti Narayan</b>	<b>General Secretary</b>
7.	<b>Mr. Bigek Goswami</b>	<b>Joint Secretary North East</b>
8.	<b>Mr. Arif Ahmed Khan</b>	<b>Joint Secretary North</b>
9.	<b>Mr. V. Subramani</b>	<b>Joint Secretary South</b>
10.	<b>Mr. Arun Ramakant Kedar</b>	<b>Treasurer</b>

7. The election of Government servants viz., Mr. Mahesh Sekhri, Mr. Mukul Kumar Jha and Mr. Dinanath Pilarhekar elected as Vice President, Joint Secretary East and Joint Secretary West, respectively, are not in accordance with the provisions of the NSDCI, 2011 as they have not obtained prior clearance from their employer as such they may be asked to demit office. AICF, if so desire, may conduct fresh election for these posts as per the provisions of the NSDCI, 2011.

8. It has also been decided to renew the recognition of AICF with immediate effect. As a result, All India Carrom Federation is eligible to conduct normal activities with regard to Carrom sport and for its promotion. However, the acceptance of elections of AICF and the Government recognition is subject to the outcome of the court case bearing No. CS (OS) 576 / 2018 pending in the Hon'ble Delhi High Court.

9. AICF is directed to upload suo-moto disclosures on its web-site including details of its activities such as holding of events, selection criteria, expenditure etc.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

*Raju Bagga*  
(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

The President/General Secretary,  
All India Carrom Federation,  
C-457, Pocket-11, Jasola Vihar,  
New Delhi-110025.  
(email: indianacarrom@gmail.com)

Copy to:

1. PS to Director General, SAI, SAI Building, JN Stadium Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
2. ED (TEAMS), SAI, New Delhi.
3. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial, TC-II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
4. Deptt. of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary, Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi.
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Government of India  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(Department of Sports)

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated the 22 January, 2020

To

The President/General Secretary,  
Rowing Federation of India,  
Old No.7, New No.15, Shri Ram Colony,  
Alwarpet, Chennai-600018

**Sub: Election of office bearers of Rowing Federation of India (RFI) held on 06/12/2019 at Hyderabad, reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the report of Returning Officer and Government Observer regarding the election of office bearers of Rowing Federation of India (RFI), held on 06/12/2019 at SATS Water Sports Academy, Hussainsagar Lake, Hyderabad and to convey that upon examination of the matter, it has been found that the said elections of the RFI are not in accordance with the Model Elections Guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code of India (NSDCI), 2011. The following are the said violations:

- (i) As per the website of the RFI, RFI has 21 State/UT units out of which only 18 units participated in the election process. RFI does not fulfill the 2/3 State/UT affiliation criteria of the affiliation as RFI must have had at least 25 State/UT as its affiliated members.
- (ii) There are no provisions of proxy voting in the Model elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code of India (NSDCI), 2011, however, proxy voting has taken place in the office bearers election of the RFI.
- (iii) The RFI has allowed three (3) votes, instead of 2 votes as prescribed in the Guidelines, to each State/UT;
- (iv) Shri M.V. Sriram had held the post of the Secretary General for two terms till January, 2016 and hence as per the cooling off provisions of the NSDCI, 2011, he would have been eligible to contest elections only after 29.01.2020 (after the completion of cooling off period of four year).

2. The above matter has been considered and it has been decided that the recognition of the RFI would cease w.e.f. 01/02/2020 and not be renewed in view of the positions explained above.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. President/Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association.
2. PS to Director General, SAI, SAI Building, JN Stadium Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
3. Secretary General, IOA, New Delhi.
4. ED (TEAMS), SAI, New Delhi.
5. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial, TC-II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. Deptt. of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary, Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi.

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F.No. 62-11/2009-SP-I-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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New Delhi, the 22 January, 2020

To

The President/Secretary General,  
Indian Olympic Association,  
B-29, Olympic Bhawan,  
Qutub Institutional Area,  
New Delhi-110016.

**Sub: Election of office bearers of Rowing Federation of India (RFI) held on 06/12/2019 at Hyderabad, reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter of even number dated 22.01.2020 on the above subject (copy enclosed) and to convey that in terms of the decision of this Ministry conveyed to Rowing Federations of India in the said letter, Indian Olympic Association (IOA), is advised to constitute a committee for discharging the functions of RFI.

Yours faithfully

  
(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Encl: as above.

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F.No: 51-1/2019-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Date: 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2020

To  
The President,  
Wrestling Federation of India,  
21, Ashoka Road,  
New Delhi – 110 001.

**Subject: Matter relating to the election of Office Bearers and Members of Executive Committee of Wrestling Federation of India held on 24.02.2019 at New Delhi -reg**

Sir,

I am directed to refer the report of Returning Officer, Report of Government Observer and subsequent information furnished by Wrestling Federation of India in respect to the election of Office Bearers and Members of Executive Committee of Wrestling Federation of India held on 24.02.2019 at New Delhi. The matter has been examined in this Ministry and the following Office Bearers elected in the said election have been noted in the records of this Ministry:

Post	Name	Tenure in WFI
President	Sh. Brijbhushan Sharan Singh	3 <sup>rd</sup>
General Secretary	Sh. V. N. Prasood	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Treasurer	Sh. Satya Pal Singh Deshwal	1 <sup>st</sup>

2. However, the election of the following member of Executive Committee of WFI, who are also Government Servants, has not been considered valid in view of the Order No: 9-38/2016-SP-I dated 14.02.2017 and due to failure to provide prior permission/NOC from the concerned employer. WFI is directed to remove the persons mentioned below from the concerned posts/office with immediate effect and thereafter WFI may conduct elections for these posts, if it so desires:

Name	Post
Sh. R. K. Hooda	Vice President
Sh. Dushyant Sharma	Joint Secretary
Sh Jagdish Kumar	Executive Member
Sh S. Anilvasan	Executive Member

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS(IC) Youth Affairs and Sports.

  
(Raju Bagga)  
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India


1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, C.G.O Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.
2. The Joint Director, Traffic Commercial –II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi – 110 001.

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3. Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi.
4. Secretary, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.

Copy for information to:

1. PS to MOS(I/C) YAS.
2. PPS to Secretary (Sports).
3. PS to Joint Secretary (Sports).
4. Director (Finance)/ Director (RB) / Director (AKY).
5. Deputy Secretary (SPST).
6. NIC, MYAS for placing the same on the website of the Ministry.

  
(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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Department of Sports

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated : 5<sup>th</sup> June: 2020

ORDER

Sub: Elections of Swimming Federation of India held on 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 - regarding.

Swimming Federation of India (SFI) is the recognised National Sports Federation for promotion and regulation of Swimming Sport in the country. Elections of SFI were due in May, 2019.

2. SFI informed the Ministry that it conducted elections for its governing body for the term 2019-2023 on 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 at Conference Room, Hotel Savera, Chennai under the supervision of Justice Pramod V. Kamat (Retd. Judge).

3. Report of Returning Officer and other relevant documents pertaining to the said elections received in the Ministry have been examined in light of the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 and it has been decided to accept the elections of SFI held on 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 and following office bearers have been taken on records of the Ministry for the period of 4 years from the date of elections:-

S.No.	Name	Post held	Date of Birth	Tenure
1.	Shri R.N. Jayaprakash	President	29/9/1964	Ist term
2.	Shri Monal D. Chokshi	General Secretary	25/3/1964	First Term
3.	Shri M. Ramakrishna	Treasurer	4/9/1954	Second Term

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) YA&S.

Yours faithfully,



(Shantha Sharma)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India  
Tele No.23385101

To

Shri Monal D. Chokshi,  
General Secretary,  
Swimming Federation of India,  
"Krishna Villa", Plot No.1,  
Paraskunj Society-1, Satallite Road,  
Ahmedabad-380015

Copy to:-

1. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.



F. No. 9-6/2015.SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated: 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
KIFI Association (Kudo International Federation India),  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Sohini Building, Station Road,  
Opp. Avon Arcade, Vile Parle (West),  
Mumbai 400 056 (Maharashtra).

**Sub: Elections of KIFI Association (Kudo International Federation India) held on 16.12.2019- reg.**

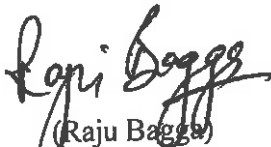
Sir,

I am directed to refer to the letters dated 18.12.2019 and 25.02.2020 forwarding therewith Results and Report of the Returning Officer of the elections KIFI Association held on 16.12.2019 and to say that the election has been found valid accordingly, the following office bearers have been taken on record of this Ministry:

President	: Shri Mehul Jivraj Vora – 2nd Term
Secretary General	: Shri Vispy J Kharadi, Secretary General – 2nd Term
Treasurer	: Shri Jasmine Vallabhbhai Makwana – 1st Term

However, while going through the Constitution / MoA of KIFI Association it has been noticed that under the clause/article 'Business of the Annual General Body Meeting' the term is referred as five years, while in other relevant places it has been mentioned as four years. It is advised that the Clause 5.c.(iii) may suitably be corrected / amended.

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS(I/C) YA&S.

  
(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

1. DG (SAI), JL Stadium, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
2. Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association, New Delhi.

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2020

To

The Secretary General,  
Hockey India,  
B1/E14, Ground Floor,  
Mohan Co-operative Industrial Estate,  
Mathura Road, New Delhi - 110044.

**Subject: Regarding Hockey India elections for the period 2018-2022.**

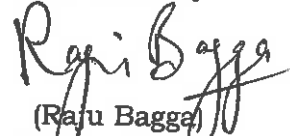
Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 23.02.2019 in response to this Department's letter dated 13.02.2019 and to say that the matter has been examined in the Department and it has been observed that Md Mushtaque Ahmed had earlier served as Treasurer in Hockey India (HI) from 2010-2014 and Secretary General from 2014-18. The instant term 2018-2022 of Md Mushtaque Ahmed as President, is his third consecutive term as an office bearer in HI. Thus his election as President of HI is not in consonance with the Government guidelines limiting age & tenure of office bearers of National Sports Federations.

2. Accordingly, HI is directed to advise Md Mushtaque Ahmed to demit the post of President and to conduct fresh election for the post of President by 30.09.2020 for the remaining term i.e. upto 30.09.2022 and inform the same to the Department.

This is issued with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully



(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

No. 30-8/2009-SP-I/SP-III (Vol. II)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2020

To

The President,  
Gymnastics Federation of India,  
Chingamakha Yanglem Leikai,  
P.O. Singjamei – 795008,  
Imphal, Manipur  
Email id: mital.sudhir@yahoo.in ; indiagymnastics2019@gmail.com

**Subject: Regarding elections of Gymnastics Federation of India (GFI) – 2019.**

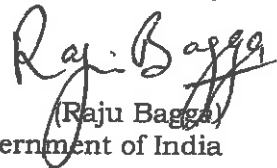
Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Departments letter dated 27.04.2020 and GFI's subsequent letters dated 13.05.2020 and 18.05.2020, regarding elections of Gymnastics Federation of India (GFI) held on 05.11.2019 for Government recognition and to say the following:

- a) Dr. S. Shantikumar Singh, elected as Secretary General in the given elections, has already served two consecutive terms in GFI and since this will be his third consecutive term without cooling off period of four years, as per National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, his election to the post of General Secretary is not valid. Dr. S. Shantikumar Singh may be asked to demit the post of Secretary General and GFI may hold fresh election for the post of Secretary General, as per the provisions of Sports Code and thereafter seek recognition of this Ministry.
- b) Election of Shri Parmeshwar Prajapat, Executive Member, will be accepted by the Department subject to verification of NOC and other facts from his employer.

This is issued with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully

  
(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Government of India



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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated: 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2020

To,

The Secretary General,  
Hockey India,  
B1/E14, Ground Floor,  
Mohan Co-operative Industrial Estate,  
Mathura Road, New Delhi - 110044

Subject: Regarding Hockey India elections for the period 2018-2022.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Departments' letter dated 06.07.2020, vide which Hockey India was directed to hold election for the post of President before 30.09.2020, for the remaining term i.e. up to 30.09.2022 and Hockey India's letter dated 10.07.2020 in which it was stated that due to Covid-19 travel restrictions across India, the Hockey India Executive Board was unable to call Congress meeting to conduct fresh elections. Now since travel restrictions have been lifted, Hockey India is directed to conduct fresh elections for the post of President within two months of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully

  
(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Rowing Federation of India  
33-17/2, Officers Colony, RK Puram,  
Secunderabad 500 056.  
(email: rowingindia@yahoo.co.in, rowingindia@gmail.com)

**Sub: Election of Rowing Federation of India held on 22.02.2020 - reg.**

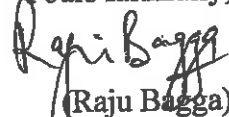
Madam,

I am directed to refer to letters dated 28.02.2020, 23.04.2020 and 18.05.2020 on the above subject received from Rowing Federations of India (RFI) and to state that the Report of the Returning Officer along with the other supplied documents on the election of the Executive Body of RFI for the term 2020-2024 have been examined in this Ministry. The result of the election is confirmed except the election of Mr. G. Sreekumara Kurup as Vice President, who has already resigned from the said post as being a State Government employee elected second time. The following officer bearers who have been elected in the said elections are taken on record:

- (i) Mrs. Raj Laxmi Singh Deo, President - 3<sup>rd</sup> Term
- (ii) Mr. M.V. Sriram, Secretary General - fresh term after mandatory cooling off
- (iii) Mr. Nababuddin Ahmed, Treasurer - 1<sup>st</sup> Term

2. As regards the vacant post of Vice President arising due to the resignation of Mr. G. Sreekumara Kurup, RFI is advised to hold election for the said vacant post, if it so desires.
3. This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C), Youth Affairs & Sports.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Raju Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

1. President / Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association.
2. PS to Director General, SAI, JN Complex, Lodhi Road New Delhi.
3. ED (TEAMS), SAI, New Delhi.
4. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial, TC-II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. Deptt. of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary - Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi.

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
**SP-I Section**

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

Dr. Himanta Biswa Sarma,  
President,  
Badminton Association of India  
D-6/10, Ground Floor,  
Vasant Vihar, New Delhi – 110 057.

**Sub:- Elections of Badminton Association of India for the period 2018-2022 – reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Badminton Association of India (BAI)'s letter No.BAI/Gen./MYAS/245/2018 dated 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 regarding elections of BAI for its executive body held on 03.04.2018 at Goa. Report of the Returning Officer and Government Observer along with other relevant documents/information pertaining to the said elections have been examined in the Ministry. Election of following office bearers of BAI have been noted in records:-

S.No.	Post	Name	Age	Tenure
1	President	Dr. Himanta Biswa Sarma	49	1 <sup>st</sup>
2	General Secretary	Shri Ajay Kumar Singhania	56	1 <sup>st</sup>
3	Treasurer	Dr. Anbumani Ramadoss	50	1 <sup>st</sup>

2. However, elections of following elected representatives have not been accepted as they did not comply with the provisions of Sports Code, 2011:-

S.No.	Name	Post
1	Shri Devender Singh	Sr. Vice President
2	Dr. Alaknanda Ashok	Vice President
3	Shri Rajinder Sharma	Joint Secretary
4	Shri Rajesh Kamal Rajput	Executive Committee Member

5	Shri Navneet Sehgal	Executive Committee Member
6	Shri Rakesh Sekhar	Executive Committee Member

3. BAI is therefore requested to direct the elected representatives as mentioned in para 2 above to step down and fill these vacant post as per the provisions of the Sports Code, if it so desires.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(Shantha Sharma)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele/Fax: 23385101

Copy to:-

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India.
2. Director, Commercial Railway Traffic, Ministry of Railways.
3. PS to MOS.
4. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
5. PPS to JS (Development)
6. NIC Team for uploading on the website of the Ministry



(Shantha Sharma)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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**Department of Sports**  
**SP-I Section**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
 Dated the 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

Dr. Abhinav Nath Tiwari,  
 President,  
 Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India  
 Sports Point, Near Post office,  
 Main Bazar, Gorakhpur,  
 Uttar Pradesh – 273 001.  
 email:- tbcfi.gkp@gmail.com

**Sub:- Elections of Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India for the period 2020-2024 – reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No.EC-09/786/TBCFI/GKP/20 dated 21.02.2020 regarding election of Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India's (TBCFI) office bearers held on 16.02.2020 at Gorakhpur, Uttar Pradesh for the term 2020-2024. Report of the Returning Officer along with other relevant documents/information pertaining to the said elections have been examined in the Ministry. Election of following office bearers of TBCFI has been noted in records:-

S.No.	Post	Name	Age	Tenure
1	President	Dr. Abhinav Nath Tiwari	38	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2	Secretary General	Shri Imran Ahmad Lari	34	1 <sup>st</sup>
3	Treasurer	Shri Chandrakant Jha	62	1 <sup>st</sup>

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



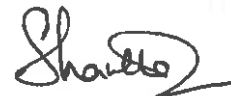
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5. PPS to JS (Development)
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(Shantha Sharma)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports  
Department of Sports

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President  
Basketball Federation of India,  
No.2 B, Sagar Apartments,  
6 Tilak Nagar,  
New Delhi- 110 001

Subject: Election of Basketball Federation of India (BFI) held on 24.03.2019 at Bangalore for the term 2019-2023 -reg

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letters dated 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2020 and 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 on the subject cited above and to say that the report of election of the office bearers of Basketball Federation of India (BFI) for a period of four years term 2019-2023 has been examined in the Ministry. Election of the following office bearers has been noted in our records:-

(i)	President:	Shri K. Govindaraj	(2 <sup>nd</sup> term)- 61 years
(ii)	Secretary General:	Shri Chander Mukhi Sharma	(2 <sup>nd</sup> term)- 56 years
(iii)	Treasurer:	Shri V. Raghotaman	(2 <sup>nd</sup> term)- 65 years

2. This issues with approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(Shantha Sharma)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Ph: 011-23385101

Email: sp1section@gmail.com

Copy to:-

1. PS to MOS(I/C)YAS
2. PS to Secretary (Sports)
3. ED(Teams) SAI, JLN Stadium Complex (East Gate), Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003
4. Secretary General, IOA, New Delhi



5. DG, NADA, New Delhi
6. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial- II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. DoPT, North Block, New Delhi
8. Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), North Block, New Delhi
9. US (SP-II/III/IV/V/VI)
10. SO(SP-II/III/IV/V/VI)
11. NIC, MYAS with a request to post the same in the website of the Ministry.

(Shantha Sharma)  
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated:  
Date: 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

The President / General Secretary,  
Ball Badminton Federation of India,  
H.No: 105, Nayakara Street,  
Hinkar, Mysore, Karnataka- 570017  
Email: bbfi@1954@gmail.com

**Subject: Election of Ball Badminton Federation of India (BBFI) for 2019-2023-reg**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter no.: BBFI/50-1961/2020/114 dated 14.01.2020 and the election of BBFI held on 18.10.2019 at Chhattisgarh. The matter related to the election of BBFI was examined. During holding of its elections, BBFI has not followed the provisions of National Sports Development Code of India (NSDCI) which are as under:

- I. BBFI has appointed Shri P. Ramakrishna as Returning Officer. He was elected as Vice President of BBFI for the period 2015-2019. Hence he cannot be treated as independent Returning Officer.
  - II. The Electoral College formed by BBFI also provide voting rights to the Sports Control Boards like Railway Sports Control Board, Major Port, D.A.E, IRO, CPSPCB, NCR, whereas as per NSDCI, only State and UT should have the voting rights.
2. It has also been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Ball Badminton Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Federation is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

Sf [Signature]

4. In view of the above, it has been decided the election held on 18.10.2019 cannot be taken on record by this Department and BBFI is advised to amend its constitution in conformity to NSDCI and hold fresh elections as per the provisions of the Sports Code.

5. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: as above

  
(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi - 110003.

Copy for information:

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
2. PS to JS(Development)

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Government of India  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(Department of Sports)

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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated the 18/11/2020

To

President/ Hon. Secretary General,  
All India Tennis Association,  
R.K.Khanna Tennis Stadium,  
Africa Avenue, New Delhi-110029

**Subject: Election of office bearers of All India Tennis Association (AITA) held on 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 for the term 2020-24, reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to All India Tennis Association's letter dated 12/10/2020 and the election report of Returning Officer w.r.t. to the election of office bearers of All India Tennis Association held on 06/09/2020 and to convey that it has been decided to accept the election of AITA and the following office bearers have been taken on record of the Ministry for the period 2020-2024:-

S.No.	Name	Post	Term
1.	Dr. Anil Jain	President	1 <sup>st</sup>
2.	*Mr. Anil Dhupar	Hon. Secretary General	1 <sup>st</sup>
3.	Mr. Rohit Rajpal	Treasurer	1 <sup>st</sup>

2. \*The election of Mr. Anil Dhupar, Hon. Secretary General, has been approved till he attains the age of 70 years i.e. till 10.05.2023.

3. I am further directed to convey that the election of Mr. Navneet Sehgal (Government Servant), who has been elected as Vice President has not been accepted as he has not obtained prior NOC to contest the election. AITA is advised to ask Mr. Navneet Sehgal to demit office and AITA, if so desired, may conduct fresh election for this post as per the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India.

This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C) for Youth Affairs & Sports.

Yours faithfully,



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
**SP-I Section**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

President,  
Shootingball Federation of India,  
Campus, S.D. Public School,  
Rajnagar Extension,  
Ghaziabad - 201 017.  
Email:- sbfi2015@gmail.com

**Sub:- Elections of Shootingball Federation of India for the period 2020-2024 - reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Shootingball Federation of India (SBFI)'s letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 2020 regarding election of office bearers held on 18.10.2020 at Ghaziabad for the period 2020-2024. Report of the Returning Officer along with other relevant documents/information pertaining to the said elections have been examined in the Ministry. Election of following office bearers of SBFI has been noted in records:-

S.No.	Post	Name	Age	Tenure
1	President	Anjul Aggarwal	42	1 <sup>st</sup>
2	Secretary General	Ravindra Singh Tomar	52	2 <sup>nd</sup>
3	Treasurer	Jai Prakash Kadian	48	1 <sup>st</sup>

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(S.P.S.Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele/Fax: 24361819

Copy to:-

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India.
2. Director, Commercial Railway Traffic, Ministry of Railways.
3. PS to MOS.
4. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
5. PPS to JS (Development)

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

President,  
Netball Federation of India,  
487/5, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
Peeragarhi Chowk,  
New Delhi – 110 087  
email:- indianetball@gmail.com

**Sub:- Elections of Netball Federation of India for the period 2020-2024 - reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Netball Federation of India (NFI)'s letter No. NFI-MYAS-001-2020 dated 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2020 regarding election of office bearers held on 23.08.2020 at Gurgaon for the period 2020-2024. Report of the Returning Officer along with other relevant documents/information pertaining to the said elections have been examined in the Ministry. Election of following office bearers of NFI has been noted in records:-

S.No.	Post	Name	Age	Tenure
1	President	Shri Vagish Pathak	61	3 <sup>rd</sup>
2	Secretary General	Shri Vijender Singh	37	1 <sup>st</sup>
3	Treasurer	Shri Mohit Kaushik	27	1 <sup>st</sup>

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

O/C



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele/Fax: 24361819

Copy to:-

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India.
2. Director, Commercial Railway Traffic, Ministry of Railways.
3. PS to MOS.
4. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
5. PPS to JS (Development)

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Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 2<sup>nd</sup> December, 2020

To

The Secretary General,  
Hockey India,  
B1/E14, Ground Floor,  
Mohan Co-operative Industrial Estate,  
Mathura Road, New Delhi – 110044.

**Sub: List of Office Bearers with the name of new President – Hockey India – reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Hockey India's letter No. HI/MYAS/2020/11/01 dated 06.11.2020 informing about the elections held on 06.11.2020 and to state that the Report of the Returning Officer along with the other supplied documents on the said election have been examined in this Ministry. The election of Shri Gyanendro Ningombam as President of Hockey India for the remaining term of Executive Committee of Hockey India i.e. up to 30.09.2022 has been accepted and taken on record.

2. Accordingly, names of the following office bearers of Hockey India are hereby updated in the records:

- (i) Shri Gyanendro Ningombam - President
- (ii) Shri Rajinder Singh – Secretary General
- (iii) Shri Tapan Kumar Das - Treasurer

3. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, JN Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
2. President / Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association.
3. ED (TEAMS), Sports Authority of India, JN Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
4. Director, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

A.F.

F. No. 80-3/2020-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 17.12.2020

To

1. The President,  
School Games Federation of India,  
Chhatrasal Stadium, Model Town, Ring Road, New Delhi-110009  
(through email: president@sgfibharat.com)
2. Secretary General,  
School Games Federation of India,  
Campus Radha Ballabh Inter College,  
Shahganj, Agra (U.P.) —282 010.  
(Through email: infosgfi@sgfibharat.com)

**Sub: Elections of School Games Federation of India (SGFI) – reg**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 12.11.2020 regarding renewal of recognition of SGFI up to 31.12.2020 and Secretary General's letter No. SGFI /1451 dated 7<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 regarding conduct of elections of SGFI on 29.12.2020 and President-SGFI's letter No. 0137/E/11/2020-21 dated 07.12.2020 requesting for extension of deadline of 31.12.2020 for conducting election of new Executive Committee of SGFI and to say that upon consideration of the matter, the time-line for conduct of elections for electing a new Executive Committee of SGFI is extended beyond 31.12.2020 by three months up to 31.03.2021.

2. Renewal of recognition of SGFI for the period beyond 31.12.2020 will be done only after conduct of elections and examination of the election results in light of the provisions of the Sports Code 2011.

Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2021

To

The President / Secretary General  
Athletics Federation of India,  
A-90, Naraina Industrial Area, Phase-I  
Near PVR Cinema, New Delhi 110028.  
(Email: indianathletics@gmail.com)

**Sub: Election of Athletics Federation of India for the term 2020-2024- reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Athletics Federation of India's letter dated 21.12.2020 furnishing the information related to the election of Athletics Federation of India held on 31.10.2020 and to say that Returning Officer's Report along with the information adduced by AFI has been examined in the Ministry.

2. Election of the following office bearers of AFI for the term 2020-2024 is taken on record of the Ministry:

Sl. no	Post	Name	Tenure/Term
1	President	Shri Adille J. Sumariwalla	3 <sup>rd</sup> term
2	Secretary	Shri Ravinder Chaudhry	1 <sup>st</sup> term
3	Treasurer	Shri Madhukant Pathak	1 <sup>st</sup> term

3. Further, AFI is advised to ask Ms Anju Bobby George to demit the post as the post of Senior Vice President as the same is not prescribed in National Sports Development Code of India, 2011.

4. AFI is also advised to ask the following elected members to demit the posts as their election is against the provisions of Government guidelines relating to holding of elective posts by Government servants in sports bodies and AFI may consider to conduct fresh elections for vacancies arising out of their resignations, if it wishes so:



*n.f.*



Sl. No	Post	Name
1	Vice President	Ms. Suman Rawat Mehta
2	Vice President	Ms. Mumtaz Khan
3	Vice President	Mr. Pramod Jadam
4	Joint Secretary	Mr. A.V. Raghavendra
5	Executive Council Member	Mr. Liaquit Ali
6	Executive Council Member	Mr. Laxman V. Karanjgaokar
7	Executive Council Member	Ms. A. Hyma

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
4. Guard file.

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Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 21 January, 2021

To

President,  
All India Chess Federation,  
Hall No. 70,  
Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium,  
Chennai- 600003  
(Email: indianchessfed@gmail.com)

**Subject:** Election of the office bearers of All India Chess Federation (AICF) for the term 2020-2023 - regd.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter dated 8<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 on the subject cited above and to say that the report of election of the office bearers of All India Chess Federation (AICF) held on 04.01.2021 for a period of three years term 2020-2023 has been examined in the Ministry. Election of the following office bearers has been noted in records of the Ministry:-

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|-------|----------------------------|--|
| (i)   | Dr Sanjay Kapoor-          | President- 45 years (1 <sup>st</sup> term)         |
| (ii)  | Shri Bharat Singh Chauhan- | Secretary General- 62 years (2 <sup>nd</sup> term) |
| (iii) | Shri Naresh Sharma-        | Treasurer- 62 years (1 <sup>st</sup> term)         |

2. This issues with approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Ph: 011-24361819

Email: spstomar@nic.in

Copy to:-

1. PS to MOS(I/C)YAS
2. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
3. ED(Teams) SAI, JLN Stadium Complex (East Gate), Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003
4. Secretary General, IOA, New Delhi
5. DG, NADA, New Delhi
6. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial- II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. DoPT, North Block, New Delhi

**F. No. 29-08/2012-SP.III**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.  
Date: 24.07.2018

To

The Director General,  
Indian Golf Union  
C-1/52, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor,  
Safdarjung Development Area,  
New Delhi - 110016

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. IGU\G-17 dated 06.07.2018 regarding renewal of Annual Recognition for 2018 and to say that upon consideration of the matter, it has been decided to grant interim recognition to the Indian Golf Union for 90 days from the date of this letter. IGU shall conduct its election for all the posts, as per the provisions of amended Constitution and National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 within 90 days and seek confirmation of their elections from the Department of Sports. The amended Constitution may be got registered from the Registrar of Societies, immediately, if not already done.

This issues with the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully,

  
(Rohit Bhardwaj)  
Director (Sports)

Copy to:

1. Director General,  
Sports Authority of India,  
Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex,  
New Delhi.
2. President, Indian Olympic Association,  
B-29, Olympic Bhawan, Qutub Institutional Area,  
New Delhi - 110016.

Copy also to: PS to Secretary (Sports) / PS to Joint Secretary (Dev.)

C.G.F.

F. No. 29-08/2012-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date 14.09.2018

To

Director General,  
Indian Golf Union,  
C-1/52, 3rd Floor,  
Safadarjung Development Area,  
New Delhi-110016.

**Sub: Interim recognition to Indian Golf Union (IGU) – extension thereof.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 07.08.2018 and to say that the request of IGU for granting annual recognition till 31.12.2018 has been considered in this Department and it has been decided to extend interim recognition granted to IGU vide letter of even number dated 24.07.2018 (copy enclosed) up to 31.12.2018 as a final opportunity.

IGU is directed to conduct its election as prescribed in National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 and seek confirmation of the same from the Department of Sports before 31.12.2018.

This has the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully

(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary Government of India

Copy to:

1. Director General  
Sports Authority of India  
Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex,  
New Delhi.
2. President, Indian Olympic Association  
Olympic Bhawan,  
B-29, Qutub Institutional Area,  
New Delhi 110016.

Copy also to: PS to Secretary (Sports) / PS to Joint Secretary (Dev.)

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Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2018

To

Shri M. Kannan,  
Isha Outreach,  
Isha Yoga Centre,  
Velliangiri Foothills,  
Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu-641114

Subject: - Grant of recognition to Isha Outreach as a National Sports Promotion Organization (NSPO).

Sir,


I am directed to refer to letter dated 15.09.2018 from Isha Outreach seeking recognition from the Government as National Sports Promotion Organization for promotion of Sports among the rural people and to state that it has been decided to recognize Isha Outreach as a National Sports Promotion Organization (NSPO) by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, for promoting sports among the rural people.

2. The recognition is granted subject to observance of the following terms and conditions by Isha Outreach :-

- i. Isha Outreach will follow the guidelines on transparency and good governance as contained in the National Sports Development Code of India (NSDCI), 2011.
- ii. Isha Outreach shall give at least two months advance notice to the Union Government for any change in its constitution/trust deed. The copy of the existing constitution/deed and the proposed changes should invariably be sent along with the notice.
- iii. Isha Outreach must maintain its accounts as per the Mercantile System of accounting. The Accounting year should be from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March. The books of accounts shall always be open to inspection by authorized representatives of the Union Government.
- iv. The accounts of Isha Outreach must be audited by a practicing Chartered Accountant. Audited Statement of account should be sent to the Union Government within six months from the date of expiry of the accounting year.
- v. Isha Outreach must scrupulously abide by the guidelines of the Government issued from time to time, for the conduct of Championships, drawing of advance calendar for holding Championships, players grievance redressal system, etc.
- vi. Isha Outreach should also abide by the directions of the Government, issued, if any, in the interest of promotion of sports among physically challenged sportspersons or its players or the public in general.

- vii. Isha Outreach shall scrupulously follow the Ministry's guidelines on RTI applicability and suo moto disclosure of information on its website and appointment of a Public Information Officer and an Appellate Authority.
  - viii. Isha Outreach shall ensure strict compliance with the Government guidelines to prevent unethical practices in sports such as age fraud, prevention of sexual harassment of women in sports, anti-doping, issuance of identity cards to sportspersons etc.
  - ix. Provisions for adequate representation of renowned sportspersons in the management and various committees set up by Isha Outreach has to be made.
3. The recognition to the Foundation as NSPO may be withdrawn if:
- a) Any of the terms and conditions of the recognition are violated;
  - b) Provision of its own Constitution/Trust deed is violated;
  - c) Directions issued by the Union Government are not complied with as required;
  - d) In the opinion of the Union Government, Isha Outreach is not functioning properly;
  - e) The recognition has been obtained by submitting false information or by misrepresentation of facts.
  - f) If the organization is not able to achieve the desired objective.
4. Financial assistance will not be provided by the Ministry to Isha Outreach for its regular activities. However, for specific important activities the Ministry may consider extending financial assistance. The organization may avail the support of Sports Authority of India for use of the facilities, logistics and technical support, etc. on mutually agreed terms between SAI and Isha Outreach.
5. NSPO status to Isha Outreach is granted for one year from the date of issue of this letter.
6. This comes into force with immediate effect.
7. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble MoS s(I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports.

Yours faithfully

  
(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to: -

- 1. PS to Hon'ble MoS (I/C), Youth Affairs and Sports, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 2. PS to Director General, Sports Authority of India, Khel Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Colony, New Delhi-110003.
- 3. Secretary, Sports Authority of India, Khel Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Colony, New Delhi-110003.
- 4. PS to Secretary (Sports)

5. PS to JS (Sports)
6. PS to JS (Development)
7. Dir (RB)/DS(AKY)/DS(SPST)
8. All Under Secretaries and Section Officers of the Department of Sports.
9. NIC for placing the order on the website of the Ministry.



(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

F No. 8-32/2014-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated 26<sup>th</sup> December, 2018

To

Shri Om Pathak,  
Chairman,  
School sports Promotion Foundation,  
315/274, Westend Marg,  
Said ul Ajab, New Delhi- 110030

**Sub:- Grant of recognition to School Sports Promotion Foundation (SSPF) as a National Sports Promotion Organization (NSOP) for one year-reg**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 24.08.2018 seeking recognition of SSPF as National Sports Promotion Organization for promotion of sports in schools and conduct of National Talent and nurture competitions across the states. The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports agrees to recognize the School Sports Promotion Foundation (SSPF) as a National Sports Promotion Organization for One year, for promoting sports at the school level.

2. The recognition is granted subject to observance of the following terms and conditions:-

- a) SSPF will follow the guidelines on transparency and good governance as contained in the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011.
- b) Various instructions issued by the Ministry, from time to time, including the age and tenure criteria, for holding the offices of the organisation shall be observed. The required changes in provisions/amendments to the MOA/Deed of the organisation will be made by it within a year.
- c) The Foundation shall give at least two months' advance notice to the Union Government for any change in its constitution. The copy of the existing Constitution and the proposed changes should invariably be sent along with the notice.
- d) The Foundation must maintain its accounts as per the Mercantile System of accounting- The Accounting year should be from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March. The books of accounts shall always be open to inspection by authorized representatives of the Union Government.
- e) The accounts of the Foundation must be audited by a practising Chartered Accountant. Audited Statement of account should be sent to the Union Government within six months from the date of expiry of the accounting year.



- f) The Foundation must scrupulously abide by the guidelines of the Govt. issued from time to time, for the conduct of Championships, drawing of advance calendar for holding Championships, players' grievance redressal system, etc..
- g) The Foundation should also abide by the directions of the Union Govt. issued, if any in the interest of promotion of sports among physically challenged sportspersons or its players or Public in general.
- h) The Foundation shall scrupulously follow the Ministry's guidelines on RTI applicability and suo-moto disclosure of information on its website and appointment of a Public Information Officer and an Appellate Authority.
- i) The Foundation shall ensure strict compliance with the Government guidelines to prevent unethical practices in sports such as age fraud, prevention of sexual harassment of women in sports, Anti-doping, issuance of identify cards to sportspersons etc.
- j) Provisions for adequate representation of renowned sportspersons in the management and various committees set up by the foundation has to be made.
- k) Certificates issued by SSPF would not be treated at par with the certificates issued by the National Sports Federations.

3. The recognition to the Foundation as NSPO may be withdrawn if:

- a) any of the terms and conditions of the recognition are violated.
- b) its own Constitution is violated.
- c) directions issued by the Union Govt. are not complied with as required.
- d) in the opinion of the Union Govt., the Foundation is not functioning properly.
- e) the recognition has been obtained by submitting false information or by mis-representation of facts.
- f) If the organization is not able to achieve the desired objective.

4. No financial assistance will be provided by the Ministry to SSPF for its activities. The organization may avail the support of Sports Authority of India for use of the facilities, logistics and technical support, etc. on mutually agreed terms between SAI and SSPF.

5. NSPO status to SSPF is granted for one year in the instance.

6. This comes into force with immediate effect.

7. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble MOS(I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports.

Yours faithfully



(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:-

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
2. PS to Director General, Sports Authority of India, JLN Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
3. Secretary, Sports Authority of India, JLN Stadium, New Delhi- 10003.
4. PS to Secretary (Sports)
5. PS to JS (Sports)
6. PS to JS(Development)
7. Dir(RB)/Dir(AKY)
8. All Under Secretaries and Section Officers of the Department of Sports.
9. NIC for placing the order on the website of the Ministry.

(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

**F.No.9-12/2017-SP-I**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
 Dated the 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2019.

To  
 Director General,  
 Sports Authority of India,  
 JLN Stadium, Lodhi Road,  
 New Delhi – 110 003.

**Sub:- Renewal of annual recognition of National Sports Federation for the year 2019 – regarding.**

Madam,

The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to various National Sports Federations (NSFs) for the year 2019 has been examined in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the annual recognition for the year 2019 i.e. upto 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2019 to the NSFs indicated in the list at Annexure-I and Annexure-II.

2. The Ministry has issued instructions on suo-moto disclosure of information by NSFs on their website vide letter No.9-7/2014-SP-I dated 26.02.2015 (copy enclosed as Annexure-III). Based on the information uploaded by the NSFs on their respective websites on the date of examination, it has been found that while NSFs listed at Annexure-I have complied with the instructions, those listed at Annexure-II have not yet fully complied with the guidelines issued by the Ministry. However, in the interest of sports and sportspersons, it has been decided to renew the annual recognition of the NSFs listed at Annexure-II, who are required to comply with the guidelines by 31.03.2019 failing which their recognition may be reviewed.

3. It is also informed that renewal of recognition to Equestrian Federation of India is subject to their compliance of Sports Code within the time frame allotted to them i.e. latest by 03.08.2019 failing which their recognition status will be reviewed and action taken as per extant guidelines.

4. Since, the recognition has been made based on the suo-moto disclosure of information by the NSFs on their website, in case it comes to the notice of this Ministry that such information in respect of any NSF(s) is/are not correct, recognition of the concerned NSF(s) may be withdrawn forthwith without prejudice to any other action as deemed appropriate as per the NSDCI, 2011 or any other extant guidelines.

This has the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully,

**Encl:- As above.**



(Rohit Bhardwaj)  
 Director (Sports)

Tele/Fax: 2436 8244.

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2. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
3. PS to JS (Dev.)/JS(Sports)
4. All NSFs as per Annexures-I & II.
5. Director (Passenger Marketing), Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
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(Rohit Bhardwaj)

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Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
भारत सरकार, नई दिल्ली  
Govt. of India, New Delhi

Annexure-I

S.No.	Name of the Federation
1.	All India Football Federation
2.	Amateur Baseball Federation of India
3.	Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India
4.	Ball Badminton Federation of India
5.	Bridge Federation of India
6.	Equestrian Federation of India
7.	Indian Body Builders Federation
8.	Cycle Polo Federation of India
9.	Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association
10.	Indian Polo Association
11.	Indian Weightlifting Federation
12.	Karate Association of India
13.	National Rifle Association of India
14.	Softball Association of India
15.	The Federation of Motor Sports Clubs of India
16.	Tug-of-War Federation of India
17.	Yachting Association of India
18.	All India Sports Council of the Deaf
19.	Hockey India
20.	Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India
21.	Athletics Federation of India
22.	Squash Racket Federation of India
23.	Indian Triathlon Federation
24.	Volley Ball Federation of India
25.	Indian Rugby Football Union
26.	Boxing Federation of India
27.	All India Chess Federation
28.	Atya Patya Federation of India
29.	Roll Ball Federation of India
30.	Wrestling Federation of India
31.	Cycling Federation of India
32.	Ten-Pin Bowling Federation of India
33.	All India Tennis Association
34.	Badminton Association of India
35.	Sepak Takraw Federation of India
36.	Judo Federation of India



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**Annexure-II**

S.No.	Name of the Federation
1.	Basketball Federation of India
2.	Handball Federation of India
3.	Netball Federation of India
4.	Paralympic Committee of India
5.	Rowing Federation of India
6.	School Games Federation of India (SGFI)
7.	Special Olympics Bharat
8.	Swimming Federation of India
9.	Table Tennis Federation of India
10.	Mallakhamb Federation of India
11.	Fencing Association of India
12.	Tenni Koit Federation of India
13.	Kho-Kho Federation of India
14.	Wushu Association of India
15.	Roller Skating Federation of India
16.	Billiards & Snookers Federation of India



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 निदेशक / Director  
 युवा कार्यक्रम एवं खेल मंत्रालय  
 Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi,  
Date: 12/07/2019

To

Director General,  
Sports Authority of India (SAI),  
JN Stadium, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi-110003,

**Subject: Annual recognition of National Sports Federation for the year 2019-reg.**

Madam,

I am directed to refer to this Department's order of even number dated 01/02/2019 vide which annual recognition for the year 2019 were granted to National Sports Federations mentioned in Annexure I and Annexure II (copy enclosed). The annual recognition of the NSFs listed in Annexure II to the above letter, has been reviewed and based on the information uploaded by the NSFs on their respective websites, it has been found that NSFs listed in Annexure-A have fully complied with the guidelines issued by this Ministry and hence their annual recognition stands renewed for the year 2019 i.e. upto 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2019.

2. The other content of the above referred order remains unchanged.

This has the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully,

Encl: as above



(A. K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

अरुण कुमार सिंह / ARUN KUMAR SINGH  
अवर सचिव / Under Secretary  
युवा कार्यक्रम एवं खेल मंत्रालय  
M/o Youth Affairs & Sports  
भारत सरकार, नई दिल्ली  
Govt. of India, New Delhi


Copy to:

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3. PS to JS(Dev.)/JS(Sports).
4. All the NSFs as per Annexures-A.
5. Director (Passenger Marketing), Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. RD(TEAMS), SAI.
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**Annexure-A**

S.No.	Name of the Federation
1.	Basketball Federation of India
2.	Netball Federation of India
3.	School Games Federation of India
4.	Table Tennis Federation of India
5.	TenniKoit Federation of India
6.	Kho-Kho Federation of India
7.	Roller Skating Federation of India

  
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अवर सचिव / Under Secretary  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi,  
Dated the 18/11/2019

To

Director General,  
Sports Authority of India (SAI),  
JN Stadium, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi-110003,

**Subject:- Annual recognition of National Sports Federation for the year 2019-reg.**

Madam,

I am directed to refer to this Department's order of even number dated 01/02/2019 vide which annual recognition for the year 2019 were granted to National Sports Federations mentioned in Annexure I and Annexure II (copy enclosed). The annual recognition of the NSF's listed in Annexure II to the above letter, has been reviewed and based on the information uploaded by the NSF's on their respective websites, it has been found that Handball Federation of India and Special Olympic Bharat have fully complied with the guidelines issued by this Ministry and hence their annual recognition stands renewed for the year 2019 i.e. upto 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2019.

2. The other content of the above referred order remains unchanged.

This has the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State(I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports:

Yours faithfully,

Encl: as above



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary(Sports)

Copy to:

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS(I/C), YAS.
2. PPS to Secretary (Sports). ✓
3. PS to JS(Dev.)/JS(Sports).
4. President/Secretary of Handball Federation of India.
5. President/Secretary of Special Olympic Bharat.
6. Director (Passenger Marketing), traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. RD(TEAMS), SAI.
8. NIC for uploading on the website of the Ministry.

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

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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi,  
Dated the 18/11/2019

To,

President/Secretary of

1. Swimming Federation of India
2. Billiards & Snooker Federation of India
3. Mallakhamb Federation

**Subject:- Annual recognition of National Sports Federation for the year 2019-regarding.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to this Department's order No.9-12/2017-SP-I dated 01/02/2019 vide which annual recognition for the year 2019 were granted to National Sports Federations mentioned in Annexure-I and Annexure II (copy enclosed). A show cause notice dated 21/06/2019 was also issued to those NSFs which haven't complied with the suo-moto disclosure of information order of this Ministry (copy enclosed). A letter of even No. dated 10/10/2019 was also issued to your federation with direction to comply the suo-moto disclosure of information order of this Ministry (copy enclosed). However, upon checking the websites of NSFs it has been found that Swimming Federation of India, Billiards & Snooker Federation of India and Mallakhamb Federation have not yet fully complied with the suo-moto disclosure of information order of this Ministry.

Since, the annual recognition has been made based on the condition to comply with the guidelines by 31.03.2019 failing which their recognition may be reviewed. Based on the review of the matter, it has been decided that Swimming Federation of India, Billiards & Snooker Federation of India and Mallakhamb Federation are directed to comply the suo-moto disclosure of information order of this Ministry within fifteen (15) days of issue of this letter failing which annual recognition of your federation will be cancelled without giving any further opportunity.

This has the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State(I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: as above



(S.P.S. Tomar)  
Deputy Secretary (Sports)

F.No.9-12/2017-SP-I-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi,  
Dated the 27<sup>th</sup>/12/2019

To,

Director General,  
Sports Authority of India (SAI),  
JN Stadium, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi-110003,

**Subject:- Annual recognition of National Sports Federation for the year 2019-reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Department's order of even number dated 01/02/2019 vide which annual recognition for the year 2019 were granted to National Sports Federations mentioned in Annexure I and Annexure II (copy enclosed). The annual recognition of the NSFs listed in Annexure II to the above letter, has been reviewed and based on the information uploaded by the NSFs on their respective websites, it has been found that Swimming Federation of India, Billiards & Snooker Federation of India and Mallakhamb Federation of India has complied with the guidelines issued by this Ministry and hence their annual recognition stands renewed for the year 2019 i.e. upto 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2019.

2. The other content of the above referred order remains unchanged.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: as above



(S. P. S. Tomar)  
Deputy Secretary(Sports)

Copy to:

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS(I/C), YAS.
2. PPS to Secretary (Sports).
3. PS to JS(Dev.)/JS(Sports).
4. President/Secretary of Swimming Federation of India, Billiards & Snooker Federation of India and Mallakhamb Federation of India
5. Director (Passenger Marketing), traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. RD(TEAMS), SAI.
7. NIC for uploading on the website of the Ministry.

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Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New - Delhi  
Dated the 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2019

To

Shri Mehul Vora,  
President,  
KIFI Association,  
(Kudo International Federation India)  
408 /C Wing, Amit Darshan Society,  
Dadabhai Cross Road 3,  
Parle West Mumbai - 400056.  
(email: kudoindia@gmail.com)

Sub: Grant of provisional recognition to KIFI Association (Kudo International Federation India) as National Sports Federation.

Sir,


Reference is invited to your letter dated 07.01.2019 and 23.02.2019 on the subject cited above. The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports agrees to recognize the KIFI as a National Sports Federation with immediate effect with the condition that it shall comply with the provisions of National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 and other relevant guidelines by 05.09.2019 failing which recognition will stand automatically withdrawn.

2. The recognition means granting a major role to KIFI Association, for promotion and development of Kudo sport in India.

3. The recognition granted is subject to continued observance of the following terms and conditions:-

- a) The Office bearers of the Federation shall invariably be appointed by election as per the Model Election Guidelines issued by the Ministry. The various instructions issued by the Ministry, from time to time, including the age and tenure criteria, for holding the elective offices of the Federation shall be scrupulously followed. No person shall be allowed to hold the offices of President, Secretary and Treasurer (by whatever corresponding designation they are known) for more than the period prescribed in the Ministry's instructions.

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- b) The Federation shall give at least two months' advance notice to the Government for any change in its constitution. The copy of the existing constitution and the proposed changes should invariably be sent along with the notice.
  - c) The Federation must maintain its accounts as per the Mercantile System of accounting. The Accounting year should be from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March. The books of accounts shall always be open to inspection by authorized representatives of the Government.
  - d) The accounts of the Federation must be audited by a practicing Chartered Accountant. Audited Statement of account should be sent to the Union Government within six months from the date of expiry of the accounting year.
  - e) The Federation must scrupulously abide by the guidelines of the Govt. issued from time to time, for the conduct of national Championships, drawing of advance calendar for holding National Championships, players' grievance system in the management of the federations, etc.
  - f) The Federation shall have corresponding State/UT bodies affiliated to it in all the State/UTs within two years from the date of this recognition.
  - g) The Federation should also abide by the directions of the Government issued, if any, in the interest of promotion of sports among physically challenged sportspersons or its players or Public in general.
  - h) The Recognition can be reviewed by the Govt. in case Memorandum of Association (MoA) of the KIFI Association or its practices come into conflict with the Govt. Guidelines as amended from time to time.
  - i) The Ministry's Guidelines for selection procedure shall be followed by the Federation. The tournaments shall be held for Men & Women at all levels i.e. National, State, District level for Senior, Junior and Sub-Junior categories.
  - j) The Federation shall scrupulously follow the Ministry's guidelines on RTI applicability and suo-moto disclosure of information on its website and appointment of a Public Information Officer and an Appellate Authority.
  - k) The Federation shall ensure strict compliance of the Government guidelines to prevent unethical practices in sports such as age fraud, prevention of sexual harassment of women in sports, Anti-doping, issuance of identify cases to sportspersons etc.
4. The Kudo sport is placed in the 'Others' category.
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5. The recognition may be withdrawn if:

- a) any of the terms and conditions of the recognition are violated;
- b) its own Constitution is violated;
- c) directions issued by the Union Govt. are not complied with as required;
- d) in the opinion of the Union Govt., the Federation is not functioning properly;;
- e) the recognition has been obtained by submitting false information or by misrepresentation of fact;
- f) the concerned International Federation cancels affiliation or derecognizes or disaffiliates the Federation.

7. A copy of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, currently in force is available at <https://yas.nic.in/sports/national-sports-development-code-india-2011>. The grant of recognition is subject to compliance of the Provisions of National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, as modified from time to time, by the Federation including displaying information on their website as per the instructions issued by this Ministry.

8. The requests for financial assistance and clearance of proposals must be submitted in the prescribed manner. Assistance may be provided to the Federation subject to the availability of funds, submission of the relevant documents, fulfillment of the terms & conditions/ guidelines etc., as may be prescribed from time to time.

This issues with the approval of Hon'ble MOS(I/C) Y&S.

Yours faithfully,



(Arun Kumar Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel No.24361823

Copy to:-

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, JLN Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
2. Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association, New Delhi.
3. ED (Teams), SAI, Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
4. DPIO (Sports), Room No.130, 'A' Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial (R-II), Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi – Please include the name of this Federation in the list of recognized Federations.
6. Department of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary, Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi - Please include the name of this Federation in the list of recognized Federations.



(Arun Kumar Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

**F. No. 29-08/2012-SP.III**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

Date: 08.03.2019

To

The President,  
Indian Golf Union  
C-1/52, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor,  
Safdarjung Development Area,  
New Delhi – 110016.

**Subject: Extension of recognition to Indian Golf Union (IGU) – reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your d.o. letter No. 0041/IGU/Gen dated 18.02.2019 addressed to Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C), Youth Affairs & Sports requesting for extension of further recognition for a period of 60 days and to say that the matter has been considered in this Department. It has been decided to extend the recognition to IGU till 30.06.2019 only for the purpose of governance of the sports of Golf in the country and to facilitate participation of players in tournaments, conduct of sports events, etc. subject to the conditions that IGU should :

- i. modify their constitution to ensure that all the clauses of the modified constitution are in conformity with the NSDCI, 2011;
- ii. get the modified constitution duly ratified by their General Body and registered with the Registrar of Societies;
- iii. conduct elections under the duly modified constitution for election of Office Bearers and members of their Management Committee, as per the Model Election Guidelines laid down in the NSDCI, 2011;
- iv. submit the modified constitution and the results of their elections, alongwith requisite documents like report of the Returning Officer, age and tenure details of the elected Office Bearers, etc., for examination by the Ministry.

2. This recognition will not entitle IGU to receive any financial assistance from the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs or any other Scheme of the MYAS/SAI. In case the need is felt to provide financial assistance for development of the sports of Golf, the same will be managed through the SAI.

*Admit*  
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3. It is also made clear that in case the IGU fails to completely align themselves with the NSDCI, 2011, and complete the election process, as mentioned in above paragraph, its recognition will stand withdrawn w.e.f. 01.07.2019. However, if it is found that the IGU are fully compliant with the NSDCI, 2011, on submission of documents by IGU, before 30.06.2019, their recognition will continue for the year 2019.

This issues with the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) YAS.

Yours faithfully, .



(Rohit Bhardwaj)  
Director (Sports)

Copy to:

1. The Director General,  
Sports Authority of India,  
Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex, New Delhi.
2. President, Indian Olympic Association,  
B-29, Olympic Bhawan, Qutub Institutional Area, New Delhi – 110016.

Copy also to: PS to Secretary (Sports) / PS to Joint Secretary (Dev.)



F.No. 9-17/2017-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2019

To

Shri Siddhartha Upadhyay,  
Chairman & Managing Director  
STAIRS Foundation,  
B-55, Ground Floor, Kalkaji,  
New Delhi 10019.

Sub: Grant of recognition to STAIRS Foundation as a National Sports Promotion Organization (NSPO).

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter dated 07.10.2017 from STAIRS Foundation seeking recognition of the government and to state that STAIRS Foundation is hereby recognized as a National Sports Promotion Organization by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, for promoting sports at grassroots and community level on non-commercial basis.

2. The recognition is granted subject to observance of the following terms and conditions:-

- a) STAIRS Foundation will follow the guidelines on transparency and good governance as contained in the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011
- b) Various instructions issued by the Ministry, from time to time, including the age and tenure criteria, for holding the offices of the organisation shall be observed. The required changes in provisions/amendments to the Memorandum of Articles of the organisation will be made by it within a year.
- c) STAIRS Foundation shall give at least two months' advance notice to the Union Government for any change in its constitution/ MoA. The copy of the existing MoA and the proposed changes should invariably be sent along with the notice.
- d) STAIRS Foundation must maintain its accounts as per the Mercantile System of accounting. The Accounting year should be from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March of the concerned financial year. The books of accounts shall always be open to inspection by authorized representatives of the Union Government.
- e) The accounts of STAIRS Foundation must be audited by a practicing Chartered Accountant. Audited Statement of account should be sent to the Union Government within six months from the date of expiry of the accounting year.



- f) STAIRS Foundation must scrupulously abide by the guidelines of the Govt. issued from time to time, for the conduct of Championships, drawing of advance calendar for holding Championships, players' grievance redressal system, etc.
  - g) STAIRS Foundation should also abide by the directions of the Union Govt. issued, if any, in the interest of promotion of sports among physically challenged sportspersons or its players or Public in general.
  - h) STAIRS Foundation shall scrupulously follow the Ministry's guidelines on RTI applicability and suo-moto disclosure of information on its website and appointment of a Public Information Officer and an Appellate Authority.
  - i) STAIRS Foundation shall ensure strict compliance with the Government guidelines to prevent unethical practices in sports such as age fraud, prevention of sexual harassment of women in sports, Anti-doping, issuance of identify cards to sportspersons etc.
  - j) Provisions for adequate representation of renowned sportspersons in the management and various committees set up by STAIRS Foundation has to be made.
3. The recognition to the Foundation as NSPO may be withdrawn if:
- a) any of the terms and conditions of the recognition are violated;
  - b) provision of its own Constitution/Trust deed is violated;
  - c) directions issued by the Union Govt. are not complied with as required;
  - d) in the opinion of the Union Govt., the Foundation is not functioning properly;
  - e) the recognition has been obtained by submitting false information or by misrepresentation of facts.
  - f) If the organization is not able to achieve the desired objective.
4. Financial assistance will not be provided by the Ministry to STAIRS Foundation for its regular activities. The organization may avail the support of Sports Authority of India for use of the facilities, logistics and technical support, etc. on mutually agreed terms between SAI and STAIRS Foundation.
5. NSPO status to STAIRS Foundation is granted for one year from the date of issue of this letter.
6. This comes into force with immediate effect.
7. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports.

Yours faithfully



(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

अरुण कुमार सिंह / ARUN KUMAR SINGH  
 अवर सचिव / Under Secretary  
 युवा कार्यक्रम एवं खेल मंत्रालय  
 M/o Youth Affairs & Sports  
 भारत सरकार, नई दिल्ली  
 Govt. of India, New Delhi

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F.No. 9-17/2017-SP-I

dated the 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2019

Copy to:-

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
2. PS to Director General, Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex (East Gate)  
Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110003.
3. Secretary, Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex (East Gate)  
Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110003.
4. PS to Secretary (Sports)
5. PS to JS(Sports)
6. PS to JS(Development)
7. Dir(RB)/DS(AKY)/DS(SPST)
8. All Under Secretaries and Section Officers of the Department of Sports.
9. NIC for placing the order on the website of the Ministry.



(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

अरुण कुमार सिंह / ARUN KUMAR SINGH  
अवर सचिव / Under Secretary  
युवा कार्यक्रम एवं खेल मंत्रालय  
M/o Youth Affairs & Sports  
भारत सरकार, नई दिल्ली  
Govt. of India, New Delhi

F. No. 9-32/2015-SP.I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2019.

To

Shri Farooq Ahmed,  
President, Indian Pencak Silat Federation,  
Malia Pora, Near Press, Jama Masjid,  
Srinagar-Jammu & Kashmir- 190002  
(Email: silat.india@gmail.com)

Sub: Extension of recognition of Indian Pencak Silat Federation – reg.

I am directed to refer to letter of even number dated 03.11.2017 vide which provisional recognition was granted to Indian Pencak Silat Federation (IPSF), for one year by this Ministry as a National Sports Federation for promotion and regulation of sport of Pencak Silat in the country with a view to facilitate participation Indian athletes in the Asian Games 2018 and the fact that International Pencak Silat Federation (PERSILAT), the international body for Pencak Silat Sport, has recognized IPSF headed by Mr. Farooq Ahmed (Copy enclosed).

2. After the conclusion of the Asian Games, 2018, the issue of granting extension of government recognition to IPSF has been considered / deliberated at length based on the application dated 19.12.2018 submitted by IPSF and the documents adduced thereto and it has been found that IPSF fulfils the conditions of recognition, including having affiliation of world body, Asian body and South Asian body and having requisite number of State units as its members, as per the provisions of National Sports Development Code of India, 2011. It has also been found that the sport of Pencak Silat has already featured as a competitive event in the last concluded Asian Games 2018, in which Indian sportspersons/team were fielded by IPSF through Indian Olympic Association and the information required to be placed on the website of recognized NSFs, vide letter No. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 are also available on the website of IPSF. Accordingly, it has been decided to extend recognition to Indian Pencak Silat Federation as National Sports Federation (NSF) with immediate effect for the year 2019 for promotion and regulation of sport of Pencak Silat in the country.

3. The recognition means granting a major role to Indian Pencak Silat Federation, for development of the Pencak Silat sport in India.

4. The recognition granted is subject to continued observance of the following terms and conditions:-

- a) The Office bearers of the Federation shall invariably be appointed by election as per the Model Election Guidelines issued by the Ministry. The various instructions issued by the Ministry, from time to time, including the age and tenure criteria, for holding the elective offices of the Federation shall be scrupulously followed.
  - b) The Federation shall give at least two months' advance notice to the Government for any change in its Constitution. The copy of the existing Constitution and the proposed changes should invariably be sent along with the notice.
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- c) The Federation must maintain its accounts as per the Mercantile System of accounting. The Accounting year should be from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March. The books of accounts shall always be open to inspection by authorized representatives of the Government.
  - d) The accounts of the Federation must be audited by a practicing Chartered Accountant. Audited Statement of account should be sent to the Union Government within six months from the date of expiry of the accounting year.
  - e) The Federation must scrupulously abide by the guidelines of the Govt. issued from time to time, for the conduct of national Championships, drawing of advance calendar for holding National Championships, players' grievance system in the management of the, federations, etc.
  - f) The Federation shall have corresponding State/UT bodies affiliated to it in all the State/UTs within two years from the date of this recognition.
  - g) The Federation should also abide by the directions of the Government issued, if any, in the interest of promotion of sports among physically challenged sportspersons or its players or Public in general.
  - h) The Recognition can be reviewed by the Government in case Memorandum of Association (MoA) of the Indian Pencak Silat Federation or its practices come into conflict with the Govt. Guidelines as amended from time to time.
  - i) The Ministry's Guidelines for selection procedure shall be followed by Indian Pencak Silat Federation. The tournaments shall be held for Men & Women at all levels i.e. National, State, District level for Senior, Junior and Sub-Junior categories.
  - j) The Federation shall scrupulously follow this Ministry's guidelines on RTI applicability and suo-mote disclosure of information on its website and appointment of a Public Information Officer and an Appellate Authority.
  - k) The Federation shall ensure strict compliance of the Government guidelines to prevent unethical practices in sports such as age fraud, prevention of sexual harassment of women in sports, Anti-doping, issuance of identify cases to sportspersons etc.
5. The Pencak Silat sport is continued to be placed in the 'Others' category.
6. The recognition may be withdrawn if:
- a) any of the terms and conditions of the recognition are violated;
  - b) its own Constitution is violated;
  - c) directions issued by the Union Govt. are not complied with as required;
  - d) in the opinion of the Union Govt., the Federation is not functioning properly;
  - e) the recognition has been obtained by submitting false information or by misrepresentation of fact;
  - f) the concerned international Federation cancels affiliation or derecognizes or disaffiliates the Federation.
7. The grant of recognition is subject to compliance of the provisions of National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, as modified from time to time by the Federation including

displaying information on their website as per the Sports Code. A copy of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, currently in force is available at <https://yas.nic.in/sports/national-sports-development-code-india-2011>.

8. The requests for financial assistance and clearance of proposals must be submitted in the prescribed manner. Assistance may be provided to the Federation subject to the availability of funds, submission of the relevant documents, fulfillment of the terms & conditions/ guidelines etc., as may be prescribed from time to time.

This issues with the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C)Y&S.

Yours faithfully,



(Arun Kumar Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel No. 2436 1823

Email: arunkumar.s@nic.in

Copyto:-

1. The Director General, Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
2. Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association, New Delhi.
3. Regional Director (TEAMS), Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
4. Director, (Passenger and Marketing), Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. Department of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary, Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi -  
(Please include the Federation in the list of recognized Federations.)



(Arun Kumar Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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No. 94-3/2015-SP.III  
Govt. of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2019

To

Shri J. Chandrashekhar,  
Secretary General  
Paralympic Committee of India,  
28, Sports Authority of Karnataka Building,  
Gate No. 2, Sree Kangteerava Stadium,  
Kasturba Road,  
Benguluru – 560 001.

**Sub: Renewal of annual recognition of PCI for the year 2019 – reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letters bearing No. 9-12/2017-SP.I dated 01.02.2019 and reminder dated 29.05.2019 and to state that the PCI has failed to comply with the requirements laid down by this Ministry for renewal of annual recognition as the requisite information has not been provided to this Department.

2. You are aware that renewal of recognition of PCI for the year 2019 was made conditional as it was not fully compliant with the requirements for renewal as per NSDCI, 2011. PCI was directed to comply with the requirements by 31.03.2019. A reminder was also sent on 29.05.2019 to ensure compliance. However, even till date the major information inter alia regarding details of national championships conducted, basis of selection of athletes for international events, action taken to prevent age fraud, WADA/NADA compliance, details of present selection committee for national athletes etc have not been provided by PCI.

3. PCI is, therefore, asked to show cause as to why its recognition as National Sports Federation not be suspended/withdrawn for failure to provide timely information to the Department which is in violation of the terms and conditions of recognition or as prescribed in the National Sports Development Code of India (NSDCI), 2011.

4. A reply to this notice may be furnished to this Ministry latest with 7 days of receipt of letter failing which it will be presumed that PCI has nothing to say in the matter and action as deemed fit under the NSDCI, 2011 will be intimated by this Department.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Arun Kumar Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel: 24361823

**F. No. 29-08/2012-SP.III**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

Date: 08.08.2019  
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To  
The Director General,  
Indian Golf Union (IGU)  
C-1/52, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor,  
Safdarjung Development Area,  
New Delhi - 110016

Sir,

I am directed to state that the issue of renewal of Annual Recognition of the IGU for 2019 has been reconsidered and it has been decided to grant interim recognition to the Indian Golf Union for 90 days from the date of this letter.

2. This interim recognition of 90 days is the last opportunity given to IGU to put in place duly elected governance and comply with the NSDCI, 2011. During the period of interim recognition IGU will not be entitled to any financial support directly or indirectly from the Government as was the condition during the last extension granted to IGU.

This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge), Youth Affairs & Sports.

Yours faithfully,

*Arun Kumar Yadav* / 09.08.2019  
(Arun Kumar Yadav)  
Director (Sports)

Copy to:

1. Director General,  
Sports Authority of India,  
Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex,  
New Delhi.
2. President, Indian Olympic Association,  
B-29, Olympic Bhawan, Qutub Institutional Area,  
New Delhi - 110016.

Copy also to: PS to Hon'ble MoS (I/c), YAS.

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F. No. 94-3/2015-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2019

To

Shri J. Chandrashekhar,  
Secretary General,  
Paralympic Committee of India,  
# 28, Sports Authority of Karnataka Building,  
Gate No. 2, Sree Kanteerava Stadium,  
Kasturba Road,  
Bengaluru 560 001.

**Sub: Suspension of Paralympic Committee of India (PCI).**

Sir,

Paralympic Committee of India, (PCI) was granted recognition by this Ministry as a National Sports Federation for promotion and regulation of sports amongst the physically challenged sportspersons in the country.

2. AND WHEREAS a serious complaint was received against PCI from Shri Rao Inderjit Singh regarding his removal from the elected post of President of PCI.

3. AND WHEREAS, explanation had been sought from PCI vide this Ministry's Notices of even number dated 11.07.2019 and 29.08.2019 on the complaint. The explanation furnished by PCI was found unsatisfactory.

4. AND WHEREAS it has come to the notice of the Government that the AGM conducted on 04.05.2019 and the SGM conducted on 25.01.2019 and 25.02.2019 by PCI have been considered invalid by the concerned District Registrar of Societies, Zone-3, Bangalore Urban District, vide its letter No. DRB-3/SOR/86/2019-20 dated 06.09.2019 (Copy enclosed) on the ground that Bye-Laws of PCI have been amended without bringing the same to the consideration of District Registrar of Societies, in violation of the Karnataka Societies Registration Act 1960 and Rules 1961.

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5. AND WHEREAS in view of foregoing, the Government is of the view that PCI has failed to follow the good governance practices as also it has violated the National Sports Code of India, 2011 and its own constitution in removing its elected President.

6. AND WHEREAS under the given situation the Government is left with no choice but to suspend Paralympic Committee of India in accordance with the provisions under clause I (ix) and (x) of Annexure-III of National Sports Development Code of India, 2011.

7. In view of above, the Government hereby suspends the recognition of PCI with immediate effect till further orders. PCI is directed to comply with the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 and ensure good governance practices in its internal functioning.

8. This has the approval of Competent Authority.

(Arun Kumar Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Tel: 24361823

Encl: As above.

**Copy for necessary action to:**

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex (East Gate), Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110003.
2. Executive Director (Teams Division), Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex (East Gate), Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110003
3. The Joint Director, Traffic Commercial II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi - 110 001.
4. Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi.
5. Secretary, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.
6. Secretary, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, 5th Floor, Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110003.
7. Services Sports Control Board, New Delhi.

KARNATAKA GOVERNMENT  
 (DEPARTMENT OF CO-OPERATION)  
 OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT REGISTRAR OF SOCIETIES AND  
 DEPUTY REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, 3<sup>RD</sup> ZONE  
 # 146, SAHAKARA Soudha, 8<sup>TH</sup> CROSS, MARGOSA ROAD,  
 MALLANAHARASE, BENDALURU-560003

DRB/SOR/36/2019-20

DATE: 4-09-2019

TO,  
 PRESIDENT/SECRETARY  
 PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE OF INDIA  
 JAISAMER HOUSE,  
 28 MAYAPUR ROAD,  
 NEW DELHI-110011

SUBJECT: Complaint against Paralympic committee of India

REFERENCE: 1. Letter from Hon'ble Additional registrar of  
 co-operative societies (cdm), dated: 07-08-2019

2. Letter from Hon'ble Indira, MP, ministry for  
 planning, dated: 21-07-2019

3. Letter of Mr. S P Sangwan, (present Vice President  
 Paralympic committee of India, dated: 30-08-2019)

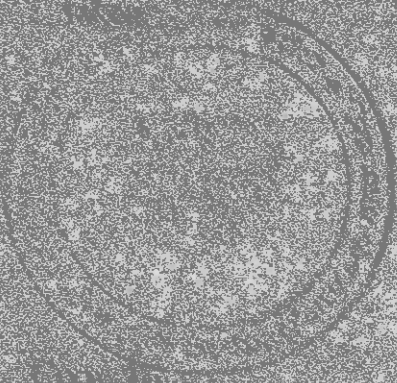
4. letter of Mr. S P Sangwan, (present Vice President) and  
 Treasurer, Paralympic committee of India  
 Date: 06-09-2019

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With reference to the above mentioned subject, Hon'ble Additional  
 registrar of cooperative societies (cdm), in reference (1) enclosing the reference  
 letter (2) has directed to submit the action taken report of the by-law of the PCI.  
 In reference letter (3), Mr. S P Sangwan (current vice president), Paralympic  
 committee of India, has raised a complaint against the committee mentioning  
 that the minutes of AGM dated 04-05-2019 was fabricated. And the AGM  
 conducted on 25-01-2019 and 25-02-2019 was not intimated to the President  
 Vice President and treasurer. Without bringing this to our notice.  
 By-laws of PCI has been amended which is the violation of the



...Hence the AGM conducted on 23.01.2019 and 24.02.2019 is considered to be invalid. Further, the reference letter (4) Vice President and Treasurer expressed that meeting of governing board may be called and the decision of both the President and Secretary as soon as possible, as that the decision for holding AGM may be taken and agenda may also be decided in the AGM. Hence, it is directed to conduct the AGM and AGM in the presence of the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and all executive members and submit all the required documents on which further action will be taken.



**T.H.P. KUMARI**  
District Registrar of Societies  
Zone-3, Bangalore Urban District

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| 1. Hon. Dr. Additional Registrar of Societies | Dr. J. K. Aravind |
| 2. Vice President, Bangalore Soc.             | Dr. J. K. Aravind |
| 3. Vice President, Paralympic Club            | Dr. J. K. Aravind |
| 4. Treasurer, Paralympic Committee Of India   | Dr. J. K. Aravind |
| 5. ...  | Dr. J. K. Aravind |

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District Registrar of Societies  
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F.No.59-2/2017-SP-I /SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shatri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2019.

ORDER

**Sub: Recognition of National Sports Federation for the sports of Powerlifting- Reg.**

Indian Powerlifting Federation (IPF) was granted recognition by this Ministry as a National Sports Federation (NSF) for promotion and regulation of Powerlifting Sport in the country. The annual recognition of the Petitioner organization was valid till 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2017.

2. The Government was informed that the International Powerlifting Federation and the Asian Powerlifting Federation (the Asian and international bodies for Powerlifting sports to which Indian Powerlifting Federation was affiliated) had dissolved the then executive body / Officer Bearers of IPF and supported the formation of new ad hoc body of IPF to run the current day to day affairs of the Federation (Annexure - 1).

3. As per the National Sports Development Code of India (NSDCI), 2011, which, inter-alia, lays down the conditions for recognition of NSFs and continuation of such recognition, inter-alia provides that "Suspension by the concerned International or Asian Federation on any ground whatsoever" is a ground for suspension of recognition granted by the Government to a NSF. Accordingly, Government recognition of IPF was suspended on 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2017, vide letter No. 59-4/2016/WP.I dated 3.10.2017 (Annexure - 2).

3. The IPF, vide their letter dated 30.10.2017, informed this Ministry that as per the directions of Asian Powerlifting Federation (APF) and the International Powerlifting Federation, the adhoc committee of IPF had called for a General Body Meeting for holding of elections for the next four years (Annexure - 3).

4. Thereafter, a letter dated 07.12.2017 was received from an organization named "Powerlifting India" informing this Ministry that the Ad-hoc body of IPF had conducted its election for the office bearers on 03.12.2017 at Alappuzha (Alleppey), Kerala and in the said meeting the General Body had unanimously agreed to change the name of Indian Powerlifting Federation as "Powerlifting India" and necessary steps were to be taken by them to inform change of name to the Registrar of Societies - West Bengal, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Indian Olympic Association, International Powerlifting Federation, Asian Powerlifting Federation and other concerned bodies / offices (Annexure - 4).

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5. In response to the letter dated 07.12.2017, this Ministry vide letter dated 29.12.2017, requested IPF to apply afresh for examination of the case, inter-alia, on grounds that the status of recognition of the new body by the name of Powerlifting India, by its international body is not known (Annexure – 5).

6. In the meanwhile, another letter dated 09.12.2017 was received from Powerlifting India, inter-alia emphasizing that it is the only recognized body of India which has the approval and recognition of the Asian Powerlifting Federation and the International Powerlifting Federation to run and manage the affairs of Powerlifting in India, and therefore sought recognition from the Ministry too (Annexure – 6).

7. Thereafter, vide letter dated 16.01.2018, Powerlifting India through its Secretary General – Mr. P.J. Joseph informed that the change of name of the federation had been accepted by the International Powerlifting Federation and the Asian Powerlifting Federation (Annexure – 7).

8. However, since IPF was registered under the Societies Act having Registration no. S/16242 of 1975-1976 dated 21.06.1975 at West Bengal, IPF was requested to intimate the change of name to the Registrar of Societies and provide amended copy of Registration Certificate to this Ministry vide letter dated 08.02.2018 (Annexure – 8). Incidentally, the requisite information has still not been provided to this Ministry by Powerlifting India.

9. In the meanwhile, a Writ Petition bearing no. WP(C) 10716 / 2017 (Indian Powerlifting Federation vs UOI & Ors.) was filed in the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi by Shri Sanjeev Kumar Sharma, claiming to be the authorized signatory taking care of the legal affairs of the petitioner organization, praying for revocation of suspension of recognition granted to the petitioner organization by the Respondent No.1, i.e., the UOI. While disposing of the said WP the Hon'ble Court passed an Order dated 01.12.2017 that it would be apposite for Respondent No. 1 (UOI) to consider the petition as a representation in addition to any other representation made by the petitioner and pass a speaking order within a period of twelve weeks from 01.12.2017. In a subsequent order on 21.12.2017 in the matter the Hon'ble Court while deciding an application filed by the Petitioner for clarification, observed that it is obvious that the necessary inquiry would have to be conducted before any reasoned order can be passed (Annexure – 9 Colly).

10. In compliance of the directions of Hon'ble High Court of Delhi vide orders dated 01.12.2017 and 21.12.2017, meetings were held by this Ministry between February and April, 2018 to hear the matter to pass speaking orders. Both the factions of the Federation, viz., the Indian Powerlifting Federation and the Ad-hoc Committee of Indian Powerlifting Federation were called for the said meetings. It may be pertinent to note that the petitioner, i.e., IPF, through Dy. CEO, vide their letter dated 07.03.2018, inter-alia, informed that the case of self-styled President, namely



Mr. Rajesh Tiwari, is in the trial court, hence matter is sub-judice and do not require any interference from the Ministry's end and requested the Ministry to keep the matter pending and oblige (Annexure - 10).

12. In light of the developments as elucidated above and the directions of the Hon'ble Court that the petition (in the WP cited above) be treated as a representation of the petitioner, the said petition and other documents adduced by the petitioner have been examined in this Ministry and the following has been observed :

- i. As is evident from the above, the Petitioner's Federation was suspended on 3rd October, 2017, on account of its dissolution by the body, viz the International Powerlifting Federation and the Asian Powerlifting Federation. The period of annual recognition of the Federation was valid till 31st December, 2017. During the period of suspension, validity of recognition of the Federation came to an end and thus, suspension ceased to have any relevance as such suspension could not have continued beyond the validity period of the recognition.
- ii. As per the NSDCI, 2011, some relevant conditions of eligibility for recognition of a National level Sports Federation as NSF are as under :
  - a) At the National level, there will be only one recognised federation for each discipline of sport.
  - b) Where an international federation for the sports exists, the National Federation must be affiliated to the respective international federation.
  - c) A system of renewal of annual recognition of NSFs was introduced from the year 2010.
- iii. The Petitioner organization has also enclosed an approved Constitution 2011 with its petition. Article II of the Constitution of IPF annexed by the Petitioner with the Petition clearly states that the Federation is a member of the International Powerlifting Federation and Asian Powerlifting Federation.
- iv. The Petitioner, even as late as in April, 2019, had furnished a copy of its amended constitution 2018 vide letter dated 04.04.2019, wherein the Article-II also states that the federation is a member of the International Powerlifting Federation, Asian Powerlifting Federation.
- v. The Petitioner submitted an amended constitution of the IPF alongwith their letter dated 09.04.2019 which was received through the DoPT vide O.M. Dy.No.1368399/2019-Estt (A-IV) dated 18.04.2019. The clause about affiliation status of IPF is absent in this Constitution.
- vi. At present the Petitioner, i.e., IPF, does not have the affiliation of the International Powerlifting Federation or the Asian Powerlifting Federation but now claims affiliation of International Powerlifting League and Asian Powerlifting League.



- vii. Therefore, there is apparent contradiction in the stand of IPF with regard to the International Body for Powerlifting sports and its affiliation thereof.
- viii. The recognition to IPF as the NSF for Powerlifting Sports was, inter-alia, granted by this Ministry on the basis of affiliation with the International Powerlifting Federation and Asian Powerlifting Federation.

13. At present no Federation is recognized as NSF by the Ministry for the sport of Powerlifting. Thus only fresh recognition can be granted to any Federation as NSF for the sport of Powerlifting. No application in the prescribed format for fresh recognition as NSF for Powerlifting has been made by the Petitioner till date. Further, recognition of any National Federation as NSF for the sport of Powerlifting can be granted only on fresh application and as per the provisions of the NSDCI, 2011.

14. In light of the position explained above there is no action pending on part of the Ministry with regard to the request of the Petitioner for recognition as NSF for the sport of Powerlifting.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

To

**Indian Powerlifting Federation of India,**

**Present Address :**

3-A/C Green Belt, Gandhi Nagar,  
Jammu - 180004.

**Address mentioned in the WP (C) 10716/2017**

3/3 Meghmallhar Apartment, 86 'M' Road,  
Bistupur, Jamshedpur 831001.



F. No. 80-6/2017-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
School Games of Secretary General,  
Campus Radha Ballabh Inter College,  
Shahganj, Agra (U.P.) -282 010.

**Sub: Suspension of School Games Federation of India - reg.**

Sir,

School Games Federation of India (SGFI) was granted recognition by this Ministry as a National Sports Federation for promotion of sports in schools.

2. WHEREAS SGFI has sent its contingent for participation in the 10<sup>th</sup> Pacific School Games 2017, held from 1<sup>st</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2017, at Adelaide, Australia.
3. AND WHEREAS upon reporting in the media about the School Girl's Hockey team sent by SGFI as part of the contingent in the Pacific School Games 2017 was stranded and left to fend for themselves in Adelaide, an inquiry was instituted into the matter of negligence noticed on the part of team management in respect of the participation of SGFI's contingent in the Pacific School Games, 2017 held at Adelaide, Australia vide this Ministry's Order dated 08.12.2017. And later the issue of another unfortunate incident, i.e. death of one member of the Girl's Football team due to drowning on 10.12.2017, was also enquired by the Inquiry officer. SGFI was directed to provide necessary information and documents as may be required for the inquiry.
4. AND WHEREAS, upon receiving the inquiry report, vide this Ministry's letter dated 27.11.2018, SGFI was requested to submit its inquiry report (as referred by SGFI in its letter dated 20.06.2018) along with the detailed account of action taken by SGFI in the matter. SGFI vide its letter dated 03.12.2018 informed that team Coach and three Managers were held responsible for the unfortunate event and hence life ban were imposed on them.
5. AND WHEREAS, vide this Ministry's letter dated 01.01.2019, SGFI was again asked to submit complete inquiry report along with supporting documents w.r.t. the action taken against the persons who were found responsible. On perusal of the inquiry report of SGFI submitted vide letter dated 25.01.2019, it was found that the Committee constituted by the SGFI had not mentioned names of any coaches/managers who were responsible for the negligence.
6. AND WHEREAS, upon acceptance of the report of the inquiry instituted by this Ministry, on 22.05.2019 SGFI was asked to show cause why the Government recognition should not be withdrawn due to the irregularities committed by them as pointed out in the inquiry report.



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7. AND WHEREAS SGFI furnished its reply to the above referred show cause notice, vide its letters dated 06.06.2019 and 22.06.2019. The replies of the SGFI were examined in this Ministry. Vide this Ministry's letter dated 26/09/2019, SGFI was asked to inform what action has been taken by it against Team Leaders and Managers of the Indian School contingent participated in the Pacific School Games, 2017 held in Adelaide, Australia for the lapses that led to unfortunate death of Miss Nitisha Negi. SGFI vide its letter dated 04.10.2019 again informed about the formation of three-member committee and life ban on team Coach and three Managers. The reply of the SGFI was found incomplete.

8. AND WHEREAS, vide Ministry's letter dated 22.10.2019, SGFI was further requested to inform about the action taken on the persons entrusted with the responsibility of coordination of the visit of SGFI contingent; contingent officials, including Chef-De-Mission, who were responsible for the entire contingent; how an unauthorised person was coordinating the visit without proper authorities; travel itineraries of all the officials and copy of the NOCs taken by the Govt. employees who were part of the Indian contingent.

9. AND WHEREAS, SGFI has failed to provide accurate and satisfactory information/reply to this Ministry despite given ample opportunities. The Government is of the view that SGFI has violated the provisions of National Sports Development Code of India, 2011. Under the given situation, Government is left with no choice but to suspend School Games Federation of India in accordance with the Clause I (vii) of procedure for suspension / withdrawal of recognition as laid down in Annexure III of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, failure to provide accurate information to the Department as and when called for'.

10. In view of above, the Government hereby suspends the recognition of SGFI with immediate effect till further orders.

This has the approval of Competent Authority.



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Tel: 23383336

**Copy for necessary action to:**

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex (East Gate), Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110003.
2. The Joint Director, Traffic Commercial II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi - 110 001.
3. Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi.
4. Secretary, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.

**Copy also to:**

1. PS to Hon'ble MoS(I/C), YAS.
2. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
3. PS to Joint Secretary (Sports)
4. PS to Joint Secretary (Development)
5. DG, NADA,
6. Secretary(SAI)
7. ED(Teams), SAI

F.No.8-30/2019-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated 13<sup>th</sup> March 2020

To

Dr. Piyush Jain,  
National Secretary Physical Education Foundation of India,  
Top Floor, 402/A, Street No.1,  
Ganesh Nagar-2, New Delhi-110092

**Sub: Grant of recognition to Physical Education Foundation of India as National Sports Promotion Organization (NSPO), reg.**

Sir

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 22/01/2020 seeking recognition of the government as National Sports Promotion Organization (NSPO) for promotion of sports and physical education across the states and to state that Physical Education Foundation of India (PEFI) is hereby recognised as a National Sports Promotion Organization (NSPO) by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, for promotion of sports and physical activities.

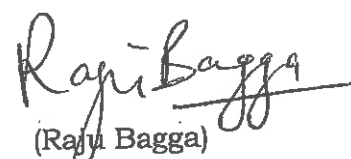
2. The recognition is granted subject to observance of the following terms and conditions: -

- a) PEFI will follow the guidelines on transparency and good governance as contained the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011.
- b) Various instructions issued by the Ministry, from time to time, including the age and tenure criteria, for the holding the offices of the organisation shall be observed. The required changes in provisions/amendments to the MOA/Deed of the organisation will be made by it within on a year.
- c) PEFI shall give at least two month's advance notice to the Union Government for any change in its constitution. The copy of the existing Constitution and proposed changes should invariably be sent along with the notice.
- d) PEFI must maintain its accounts as per the Mercantile System of accounting. The Accounting year should be from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March. The books of accounts shall always be open to inspection by authorized representatives of the Union Government.
- e) The accounts of the PEFI must be audited by a practising Chartered Accountant. Audited Statement of account should be sent to the Union government within six months from the date of expiry of the accounting year.
- f) PEFI must scrupulously abide by the guidelines of Govt. issued from time to time, for the conduct of Championships, drawing of advance calendar for holding championships, players grievance redressal system etc.
- g) PEFI should also abide by the directions of the Union Govt. issued, if any, in the interest of promotion of sports among physically challenged sportspersons or its players or Public in general.

*Rajiv Bagga*

- h) PEFI shall scrupulously follow the Ministry's guidelines on RTI applicability and suo-moto disclosure of information on its website and appointment of a Public Information Officer and an Appellate Authority.
  - i) PEFI shall ensure strict compliance with the Government guidelines to prevent unethical practices in sports such as age fraud, prevention of sexual harassment of women in sports, Anti-doping, issuance of identity cards to sportspersons etc.
  - j) Provisions for adequate representation of renowned sportspersons in the management and various committees set up by the PEFI has to be made.
  - k) Certificates issued by PEFI would not be treated at par with the certificates issued by the National Sports Federations.
3. The recognition to the Foundation as NSPO may be withdrawn if;
- a) any of the terms and conditions of the recognition are violated;
  - b) provisions of its own Constitution/Trust deed is violated;
  - c) directions issued by the Union Govt. are not complied with as required;
  - d) in the opinion of the Union Govt., PEFI is not functioning properly;
  - e) the recognition has been obtained by submitting false information or by misrepresentation of facts.
  - f) If the PEFI is not able to achieve the desired objective.
4. Financial assistance will not be provided by the Ministry to PEFI for its regular activities. However, for specific important activities the Ministry may consider extending financial assistance. The organization may avail the support of Sports Authority of India for use of the facilities, logistics and technical support etc. on mutually agreed terms between SAI and PEFI.
5. NSPO status to PEFI is granted for one year in the first instance which could be renewed based on its performance.
6. This comes into force with immediate effect.;
7. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Ravi Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

- 1. PS to Hon'ble MoS(I/C) Youth Affairs and Sports,
- 2. PS to Director General, Sports Authority of India,
- 3. PS to Secretary (Sports),
- 4. PS to JS(Sports)
- 5. PS to JS(Development)
- 6. DS(SPST)
- 7. NIC for placing the order on the website of the Ministry

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F. No. 8-2/2020-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: the 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2020

To

The Director General,  
Sports Authority of India,  
JN Stadium, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi – 110 003.

**Sub: Renewal of annual recognition of National Sports Federations for the year 2020 – reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to convey you that considering the current unprecedented situation arising out of the outbreak of COVID-19 and imposition of country-wide lockdown, the Competent Authority, in the interest of sports and sportsperson, has decided to renew the annual recognition for 2020 provisionally till 30.09.2020 to all those NSFs who had the Government recognition as on 31.12.2019 as also to those NSFs whose suspended recognition has been revoked after 31.12.2019 but except of those NSFs whose recognition has been suspended or withdrawn / remained suspended or withdrawn since 31.12.2019. A list containing names of such NSFs (in total 54) is annexed. However, the provisional annual recognition of these 54 NSFs will be subject to court order / judgment, if any, passed by the courts of law, for any NSF.

2. NSFs, who have not been able to furnish the information regarding names of active State / UT units, conduct of National / State Championships; and hosting of information on their website as mentioned in this Ministry's letter No. 9-7/2014-SP-I dated 26.02.2015, due to outbreak of COVID-19, are required to comply with the instructions by 30.09.2020.

3. Matters related to elections and other management issues of NSFs would be decided by this Ministry as deemed appropriate as per the provisions of NSDCI, 2011 on case to case basis.

4. The above Order is subject to any Order to be passed in WP(C) No. 195/2010 by the Hon'ble Delhi High Court.

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) YAS.

Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel: 23383336

Encl: List of 54 NSFs

शिव प्रताप सिंह तौमर / Shiv Pratap Singh Tomar  
उप सचिव / Deputy Secretary  
युवा कार्यक्रम एवं खेल मंत्रालय  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
भारत सरकार / Government of India  
शास्त्री भवन, नई दिल्ली / Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

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F. No. 8-2/2020-SP.III

Dated: the 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2020

Copy to:

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS(I/C) YA&S.
2. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
3. PS to JS(Sports) / JS(Development)
4. All NSFs as per list annexed
5. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
7. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
8. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi - 110003.
9. US (SP-I) / US (SP.II) / US(SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V)/ Under Secretary (SP-VI)/ US (CDN).
10. Technical Director, NIC with the request to upload the letter on the website of the Ministry.

List of NSFs for renewal of annual recognition for 2020 provisionally till 30.09.2020.

S.No.	Name of the Federation
1.	All India Chess Federation of India
2.	All India Football Federation
3.	All India Sports Council of the Deaf
4.	All India Tennis Association
5.	All India Carrom Federation
6.	Amateur Baseball Federation of India
7.	Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India
8.	Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India
9.	Athletic Federation of India
10.	Atya Patya Federation of India
11.	Badminton Association of India
12.	Ball Badminton Federation of India
13.	Basketball Federation of India
14.	Billiards & Snookers Federation of India
15.	Boxing Federation of India
16.	Bridge Federation of India
17.	Cycle Polo Federation of India
18.	Cycling Federation of India
19.	Equestrian Federation of India
20.	Fencing Association of India
21.	Handball Federation of India
22.	Hockey India
23.	India Polo Association
24.	Indian Body Builders Federation
25.	Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association
26.	Indian Pencak Silat Federation
27.	Indian Rugby Football Union
28.	Indian Triathlon Federation
29.	Indian Weightlifting Federation
30.	Judo Federation of India
31.	Karate Association of India
32.	Kho-Kho Federation of India
33.	KIFI Association (Kudo International Federation India)
34.	Mallakhamb Federation of India
35.	National Rifle Association of India
36.	Netball Federation of India
37.	Roll Ball Federation of India
38.	Roller Skating Federation of India
39.	Sepak Takraw Federation of India
40.	Shooting Ball Federation of India

41.	Softball Association of India
42.	Special Olympics Bharat
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44.	Swimming Federation of India
45.	Table Tennis Federation of India
46.	Tenni Koit Federation of India
47.	Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India
48.	Ten-Pin Bowling Federation of India
49.	The Federation of Motor Sports Clubs of India
50.	Tug-of War Federation of India
51.	Volley Ball Federation of India
52.	Wrestling Federation of India
53.	Wushu Association of India
54.	Yachting Association of India

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F. No. 8-2/2020-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: the 25 June, 2020

To

The Director General,  
Sports Authority of India,  
JN Stadium, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi – 110 003.

**Sub: Withdrawal of letter dated 02.06.2020 regarding 'Renewal of annual recognition of National Sports Federations for the year 2020'.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 02.06.2020 regarding 'Renewal of annual recognition of National Sports Federations for the year 2020' and to say that in compliance of the Order dated 24.06.2020 passed by the Hon'ble Delhi High Court in WP (C) No. 195/2010, the Department's letter of even number dated 02.06.2020 granting provisional annual recognition of 54 NSFs stands withdrawn.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel: 23383336

Copy to:

1. All NSFs as per list annexed
2. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
3. PS to JS(Sports) / JS(Development)
4. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
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F. No. 51-2/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Wrestling Federation of India  
21, Ashoka Road,  
New Delhi – 110 001  
Email: IND@united-world-wrestling.org

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Wrestling Federation of India-reg**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Wrestling Federation of India has been examined. The last election of Office Bearers of the federation held on 24.02.2019 for the term 2019-2024 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Wrestling Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Wrestling Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Wrestling Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to Government of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi - 110003.
6. US (SP-I) /US (SP.II) / US(SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V)/ US (SP-VI)/ US (CDN).
7. Technical Director, NIC with the request to upload the letter on the website of the Ministry.

Copy for information:

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
2. PS to JS(Development)

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F. No. 49-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 12/10/2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Indian Weightlifting Federation,  
WZ-78, First Floor, Todapur Village,  
New Delhi-110012  
Email: [iwlf2008@gmail.com](mailto:iwlf2008@gmail.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Indian Weightlifting Federation, reg.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Indian Weightlifting Federation has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 20/10/2017 for the term 2017-21 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Indian Weightlifting Federation for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Indian Weightlifting Federation needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Indian Weightlifting Federation is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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6. US (SP-I) / US (SP.II) / US(SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V)/ US (SP-VI)/ US (CDN).
7. Technical Director, NIC with the request to upload the letter on the website of the Ministry.

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F. No. 46-3/2020-SP-I  
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Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 13.10.2020

To

The President /Secretary General  
Swimming Federation of India,  
Krishna Villa, 128,  
Paraskunj Society-I, Satellite Road,  
Ahmedabad, Gujarat- 380015

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Swimming Federation of India- regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Swimming Federation of India has been examined in the Ministry. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 for the term 2019-23 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Swimming Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Swimming Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Swimming Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no, 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
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F. No. 99-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Date: 13/10 / 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India (ASTFI),  
818/33/1, Laxmipura, Gitamandir Road,  
Near Ankur Mills, Ahmedabad-380022,  
Email: [softtennisindia@gmail.com](mailto:softtennisindia@gmail.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India, reg.

Sir,


The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 28/02/2019 for the term 2019-23 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Amateur Soft Tennis Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 13.10.2020

To

President /Secretary General,  
Fencing Association of India,  
H.No. 52, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
J-Block, Saket,  
New Delhi- 110017

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Fencing Association of India- regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Fencing Association of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2017 for the term 2017-21 was taken on record by the Ministry.


2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Fencing Association of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Fencing Association of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Fencing Association of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Yours faithfully,

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

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- ✓ 2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 13/10/ 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Hockey India,  
B1 / E14, Mohan Co-Op.  
Industrial Estate,  
Mathura Road, New Delhi - 110044  
Email: [hockeyindia@hockeyindia.org](mailto:hockeyindia@hockeyindia.org)

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Hockey India - reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Hockey India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 01.10.2018 for the term 2018-22 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Hockey India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Hockey India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, Hockey India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
6. US (SP-I) / US (SP.II) / US(SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V)/ US (SP-VI)/ US (CDN).

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2. PS to JS(Development)

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F. No. 14-01/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 13/10/2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Indian Pencak Silat Federation  
Malla pora near Press, Jamia Masjid.  
Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir – 190002.  
Email: silat.india@gmail.com

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Indian Pencak Silat Federation, reg.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Indian Pencak Silat Federation has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 10.09.2019 for the term 2019-23 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Indian Pencak Silat Federation for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Indian Pencak Silat Federation needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Indian Pencak Silat Federation is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi 110003.
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1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
2. PS to JS(Development)

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F. No. 44-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
KIFI Association (Kudo International Federation India)  
1st Floor, Sohini Building, Station Road,  
Opp. Avon Arcade, Vile Parle (West),  
Mumbai 400 056. Maharashtra, India  
Email: kudoindia@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of KIFI Association (Kudo International Federation India) - reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to KIFI Association (Kudo International Federation India) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 16.12.2019 for the term 2019-23 which were taken on record vide letter dated 15.06.2020.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of KIFI Association for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Kudo International Federation India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Kudo International Federation India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi - 110003.
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Copy for information:

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
2. PS to JS(Development)

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F.No. 75-2/2020-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President,  
Roller Skating Federation of India,  
A-695, Shastri Nagar,  
New Delhi- 110052  
[rsfi@indiaskate.com](mailto:rsfi@indiaskate.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Roller Skating Federation of India- regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Roller Skating Federation of India has been examined in the Ministry. The last election held on 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2017 for the term 2017-21 was taken on record by the Ministry.


2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition to Roller Skating Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Roller Skating Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Roller Skating Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

President,  
Tennikoit Federation of India,  
No. 159 A, 3<sup>rd</sup> Cross,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Main, Dattareya, K.G. Nagar,  
Bangalore- 560019

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Tennikoit Federation of India- regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Tennikoit Federation of India has been examined in the Ministry. The last election held on 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2017 for the term 2017-21 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Tennikoit Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Tennikoit Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Tennikoit Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Yours faithfully,



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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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1. Director General, Sports Authority of India

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F.No. 89-2/2020-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President  
Tug of War Federation of India,  
301-302 Delhi Chamber Building,  
Delhi Gate, New Delhi- 110002

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Tug of War Federation of India - regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Tug of War Federation of India has been examined in the Ministry. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2017 for the term 2017-21 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Tug of War Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Tug of War Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Tug of War Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India



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2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Wushu Association of India  
524, Chaupatiya, R K Kacker Park,  
Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh -226003  
Email: president@wushuindia.in

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Wushu Association of India-reg**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Wushu Association of India has been examined. The last election of Office Bearers of the federation was held on 30.03.2019 for the term 2019-2023 and the same was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Wushu Association of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Wushu Association of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Wushu Association of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Yours faithfully,



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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi - 110003.
6. US (SP-I) / US (SP.II) / US(SP-III)/ US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V)/ US (SP-VI)/ US (CDN).

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
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**Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi**  
**Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020**

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Atya Patya Federation of India,  
c/o Nagpur Sharirik Shikshan Mahavidyalaya,  
Near Indian Gymkhana, Dr. Munje Marg,  
Dhantoli, Nagpur,  
Maharashtra - 440 012.  
Email:- principaldpk@gmail.com

**Sub:- Renewal of recognition to Atya Patya Federation of India - reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to Atya Patya Federation of India (APFI) has been examined. The last elections of office bearers of the federation were held on 15.04.2018 for the term 2018-2022 and the same were taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew recognition of Atya Patya Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / Article of Association of the Atya Patya Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the APFI is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time.

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele:- 2436 1819

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
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**Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi**  
**Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020**

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association,  
7A/42, W.E.A. 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
Western Chamber, Channa Market,  
Karol Bagh,  
New Delhi – 110 005.  
Email:- ikcasports@gmail.com

**Sub:- Renewal of recognition to Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association of India – reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association (IKCA) has been examined. The last elections of office bearers of the federation were held on 13.04.2018 for the term 2018-2022 and the same were taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew recognition of Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / Article of Association of the Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, Indian Kayaking & Canoeing Association is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time.

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
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**Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi**  
**Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020**

To

The President / Secretary General,  
National Rifle Association of India (NRAI),  
B-51, Tuglakabad Institutional Area,  
New Delhi – 110 062.  
Email: indiashooting@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to National Rifle Association of India- reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to National Rifle Association of India (NRAI), has been examined. The last elections of office bearers of the federation were held on 08.07.2017 for the term 2017-2021 and the same were taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew recognition of National Rifle Association of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / Article of Association of the National Rifle Association of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the NRAI is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time.

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Yours faithfully,



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**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
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**Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi**  
**Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2020**

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Table Tennis Federation of India,  
I-15, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, DSIDC Complex,  
Near Udyog Nagar Metro Station,  
Rohtak Road, New Delhi - 110 041  
Email: ttfi@ttfi.org

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to Table Tennis Federation of India- reg.**

Sir,

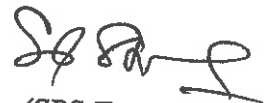
The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to Table Tennis Federation of India (TTFI) has been examined. The last elections of office bearers of the federation were held on 30.01.2017 for the term 2017-2021 and the same were taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew recognition of Table Tennis Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / Article of Association of the Table Tennis Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, Table Tennis Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele:- 2436 1819

Copy to:

✓ 1 Director General, Sports Authority of India

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F. No. 24-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 19/10/2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Cycling Federation of India,  
B 23, 4th Floor, Dwarka Sector 12 B.  
New Delhi – 110075  
Email: CFIindia@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Cycling Federation of India, reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Cycling Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 23.06.2019 for the term 2019-23 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Cycling Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Cycling Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Cycling Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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2. PS to JS(Development)

F. No. 34-01/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 19/10/2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Judo Federation of India,  
264, HARI NAGAR,  
ASHRAM, New Delhi - 110014.  
Email: jfiindia@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Judo Federation of India, reg.**

Sir,


The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Judo Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 10.02.2018 for the term 2018-2022 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Judo Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Judo Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Judo Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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F. No. 28-02/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 23 October 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
All India Football Federation,  
Football House, Sector 19, Phase 1,  
Dwarka, New Delhi: 110075.  
Email: [aiff@the-aiff.com](mailto:aiff@the-aiff.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of All India Football Federation, reg.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to All India Football Federation (AIFF) has been examined. Vide letter no. 9-12/2017 dated 01.02.2019 the annual recognition of AIFF for the year 2019 was renewed. While considering the matter, it has been noticed that the last election of AIFF conducted on 21.12.2016, which was challenged by the Petitioner in WP(C) No. 195/2010. While pronouncing its judgment/order dated 31.10.2017 in CM 46919/2016 & CM 19815/2012 in WP(C) No. 195/2010 – Rahul Mehra vs UOI & Ors., the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi set aside the election result declared on 21.12.2016. The Hon'ble High Court appointed Dr. SY Quraishi as Administrator-cum-Returning Officer for conduct of elections of AIFF as per the timelines prescribed in the said order. The said Judgment/Order dated 31.12.2016 was challenged by AIFF in SLP (C) Nos. 30748-30749/2017 before the Hon'ble Supreme Court. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in its order dated 10.11.2017 stayed the operation of the impugned judgment /order dated 31.12.2016. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in its order dated 10.11.2017 appointed Dr. SY Qureshi and Mr. Bhaskar Ganguly as the Committee of Administrators (Ombudsmen) for formulation of Constitution of AIFF to be in consonance with the National Sport Code and the Model Guidelines for the conduct of its business, constitution of the Executive Committee and elections thereto, whilst ensuring that the status and membership of AIFF is not undermined in any manner in the International body. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in its order dated 10.11.2017 specified that the directions issued in paragraph 22 (containing directions for appointment of Administrator-cum-Returning Officer and elections of AIFF) of the impugned judgment/order be remain in abeyance until further orders. Since then no further order has been passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court. The matter is still sub-judice before the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

2. Upon consideration of matter in entirety, it has been decided to renew the recognition of All India Football Federation for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter, subject to any outcome of SLP pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court.




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3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the All India Football Federation needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, All India Football Federation is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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F.No. 45-3/2020-SP-II.  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 23/10/2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Squash Rackets Federation of India (SRFI),  
Khivraj Complex II, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, No. 480,  
Anna Salai, Nandanam, Chennai-600035  
Email: [squashsecretariate@gmail.com](mailto:squashsecretariate@gmail.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Squash Rackets Federation of India, reg.

Sir,


The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Squash Rackets Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 15/06/2019 for the term 2019-23 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Squash Rackets Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Squash Rackets Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Squash Rackets Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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F. No. 62-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 23 October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Rowing Federation of India  
No 33-17/2, Officers Colony,  
R.K Puram, Secunderabad  
Andhra Pradesh-500056  
Email: rowingindia@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Rowing Federation of India (RFI)-reg**

Sir,

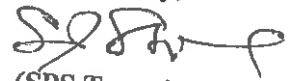
The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Rowing Federation of India has been examined. The last election of Office Bearers of the federation for the term 2020-2024 was held on 22.02.2020 and the same were taken on record vide letter dated 07.10.2020.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Rowing Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Rowing Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Rowing Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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F. No. 43-01/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 23 October 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Softball Association of India,  
26, Sikh Mohalla, M.G.Road, Indore-7, M.P.  
Email: [contact@softballindia.com](mailto:contact@softballindia.com), [pravin\\_anaokar@yahoo.com](mailto:pravin_anaokar@yahoo.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Softball Association of India, reg.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Softball Association of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 10.07.2016 for the term 2016-20 was taken on record by the Ministry. The elections of the Executive Committee of Softball Association of India for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Softball Association of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Softball Association of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Softball Association of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Softball Association of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as



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7. Technical Director, NIC with the request to upload the letter on the website of the Ministry.

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F.No. 90-2/2020-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 23.10.2022

To

The President  
Tenpin Bowling Federation (India),  
572, 16<sup>th</sup> B Main, 3<sup>rd</sup> Block,  
Koramangala, Bangalore,  
Karnataka- 560034

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Tenpin Bowling Federation (India)- regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Tenpin Bowling Federation (India) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2018 for the term 2018-22 was taken on record by the Ministry.


2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Tenpin Bowling Federation (India) for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Tenpin Bowling Federation (India) needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Tenpin Bowling Federation (India) is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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**F.No.66-2/2020-SP-1**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Shooting Ball Federation of India,  
Campus, S.D. Public School,  
Rajnagar Extension,  
Ghaziabad - 201 017.  
Email:- sbf12015@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to Shooting Ball Federation of India- reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Shooting Ball Federation of India (SBF) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation were held on 30<sup>th</sup> December, 2016 for the term 2016-20 and same was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The elections of the Executive Committee of SBF for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have been also held on 18.10.2020. Election report of Shooting Ball Federation of India held on 18.10.2020 has been received in the Ministry and the same is under examination in light of various guidelines issued by the Ministry.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has been decided to renew the recognition of Shooting Ball Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Shooting Ball Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Shooting Ball Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.1 dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele:- 23461819

Encl: As above.

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F. No. 13-2/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 23 October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Athletics Federation of India,  
A-90, Naraina Industrial Area, Phase-I  
Near PVR Cinema, New Delhi 110028  
Email: indianathletics@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Athletics Federation of India - reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Athletics Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 15.04.2016 for the term 2016-2020. The election of the federation for the term 2020-2024 have become due from 14.04.2020.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Athletics Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011 and other guidelines issued from time to time.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Athletics Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Athletics Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Federation is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same



fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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F. No. 19-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 23 October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Boxing Federation of India,  
319, Udyog Vihar, Phase - IV,  
Gurgaon, Haryana  
Email: info@boxingfederation.in

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Boxing Federation of India (BFI) - reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Boxing Federation of India has been examined. BFI was given MYAS recognition vide letter dated 28.10.2016. The elections of the Executive Committee of Federation for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Boxing Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011 and other guidelines issued from time to time.
3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Boxing Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.
4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Boxing Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Federation is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in



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F.No. 16-4/2020-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Sumit  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 23-10-2020

To

The President  
Basketball Federation of India,  
No.2 B, Sagar Apartments,  
6 Tilak Nagar,  
New Delhi- 110 001

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Basketball Federation of India (BFI)- regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Basketball Federation of India has been examined in the Ministry. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2019 for the term 2019-23 has been taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Basketball Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Basketball Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Basketball Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Indian Body Builders Federation,  
Pathare Gymco 280/A,  
Javalkar Mansion,  
Dr. B.A. Road, Parel, Mumbai,  
Maharashtra - 400 012.  
Email: ibbf\_mumbai@yahoo.in

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Indian Body Builders Federation - regd.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Indian Body Builders Federation (IBBF) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation were held on 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2016 for the term 2016-20 and same was taken on record by the Ministry. The elections of the Executive Committee of IBBF for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Indian Body Builders Federation shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Indian Body Builders Federation up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Indian Body Builders Federation needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Indian Body Builders Federation is required



to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele:- 23461819

Encl: As above.

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F. No. 29-01/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Date: 23 October 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Indian Golf Union,  
C-1/52, 3rd floor  
Safadarjung Development Area  
Hauz Khas Village Road, New Delhi - 110 016  
E-Mail: [info@indiangolfunion.org](mailto:info@indiangolfunion.org)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Indian Golf Union, reg.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Indian Golf Union (IGU) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation were held on 28.10.2016, however due to certain deviations in IGU's constitution with NSDCI, 2011, IGU was asked to amend its constitution. Subsequently IGU amended its constitution. The last AGM dated 15.12.2018 in which elections were to be held, was stayed by the Hon'ble District Court of Alipore, Kolkata. The impugned order of the District Court of Alipore was challenged by IGU before Calcutta High Court. The Calcutta High Court vide its order dated 19.02.2020 allowed the appeal of IGU and set aside the order passed by Hon'ble District Court of Alipore, Kolkata. The elections of IGU are due. IGU vide its letter dated 18.03.2020 informed the Department that it had to postpone its AGM scheduled on 23.03.2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Indian Golf Union shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Indian Golf Union up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of IGU needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, IGU is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution **within 6 months**



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so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Yours faithfully,



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F. No. 36-01/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Date: 23 / 10 / 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Kho Kho Federation of India,  
B-1, Dhawandeep Building, 6,  
Jantar Mantar Road, New Delhi  
Email: [khokhofederationofindia@gmail.com](mailto:khokhofederationofindia@gmail.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Kho Kho Federation of India, reg.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Kho Kho Federation of India, has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 06.08.2017 for the term 2017-21 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Kho Kho Federation of India, for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Kho-Kho Federation of India, needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Kho Kho Federation of India, is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President  
Mallakhamb Federation of India,  
Kamla Road, Kumbher Gate,  
Namak Katara, Bharatpur,  
Rajasthan-321 001

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Mallakhamb Federation of India - regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Mallakhamb Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2016 for the term 2016-20 was taken on record by the Ministry. The elections of the Executive Committee of Mallakhamb Federation of India for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Mallakhamb Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Mallakhamb Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Mallakhamb Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Mallakhamb Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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F. No. 92-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 26/10/2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Sepaktakraw Federation of India,  
H.No.110, Nangloi Extn,-3,  
Nangloie, New Delhi-110041  
Email: [gs.stfi@gmail.com](mailto:gs.stfi@gmail.com)

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Sepaktakraw Federation of India, reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Sepaktakraw Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 29.07.2016 for the term 2016-20 was taken on record by the Ministry. The elections of the Executive Committee of Sepaktakraw Federation of India for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Sepaktakraw Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Sepaktakraw Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Sepaktakraw Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Sepaktakraw Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to

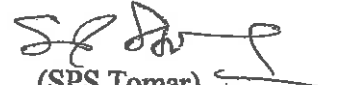
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take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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**Department of Sports**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India (TBCFI),  
Sports Point, Near post office, Mian Bazar,  
Gorakhpur, U.P.-273001.  
Email: tbcfi.gkp@gmail.com

**Subject: Annual Recognition of Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India - reg.**

Sir

The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India (TBCFI) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 16.02.2020 for the term 2020-2024 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew recognition of Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / Article of Association of the Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, TBCFI is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the provisions of the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 (copy enclosed) on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time.

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Yours faithfully,



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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 26 October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Badminton Association of India,  
D-6/10, Ground Floor,  
Vasant Vihar, New Delhi - 110057.

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to Badminton Association of India-reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to Badminton Association of India (BAI) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 03.04.2018 for the term 2018-2022 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew recognition of Badminton Association of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / Article of Association of the Badminton Association of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the BAI is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the provisions of the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 (copy enclosed) on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time.

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F. No. 78-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Date: 26 October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Amateur Baseball Federation of India  
B - 19 1st Floor Sushant lok 2 Behind Police station,  
Sector - 56 Gurugram - 122011 (Haryana)  
Email: abfi.secretarygeneral@gmail.com.

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Amateur Baseball Federation of India - reg**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Amateur Baseball Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation were held on 31.08.2016 for the term 2016-2020 which were taken on record of this Department vide letter dated 17.11.2016. The elections of the Executive Committee of Federation for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Amateur Baseball Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011 and other guidelines issued from time to time.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Amateur Baseball Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.


3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Amateur Baseball Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the



Amateur Baseball Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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F. No. 35-2/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Date: 26 /10 / 2020

To

The Administrator/ President / Secretary General  
Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India (AKFI),  
E-386-B (Basement) GK 1, New Delhi-110048,  
Email: [assistantsecretaryakfi@gmail.com](mailto:assistantsecretaryakfi@gmail.com); [offadmnakfi@gmail.com](mailto:offadmnakfi@gmail.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India, reg.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India (AKFI) has been examined. Vide letter no. 9-12/2017 dated 01.02.2019, the annual recognition of AKFI for the year 2019 was renewed. While considering the matter, it has been noticed that in 2018 Hon'ble High Court of Delhi appointed Administrator to administer all the affairs of AKFI. The Administrator so appointed is still in place and looking after the affairs of AKFI.

2. Upon consideration of the matter, it has been decided to renew the recognition of Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.
3. The Federation is required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

President,  
Billiards and Snooker Federation of India,  
5/1, Miller Tank Build Area,  
JasmaBhawan Road,  
Bangalore- 560052

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Billiards and Snooker Federation of India - regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Billiards and Snooker Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation was held on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2014 for the term 2014-18. The election of the Federation held on 23.03.2019 was not accepted by the Ministry and the Federation was asked to hold fresh elections, which could not be conducted by the Federation so far due to outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Billiards and Snooker Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Billiards and Snooker Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Billiards and Snooker Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Billiards and Snooker Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To

President,  
Bridge Federation of India,  
18, Institutional Area,  
Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi- 110002

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Bridge Federation of India - regd.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Bridge Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 for the term 2018-20 was taken on record by the Ministry. The elections of the Executive Committee of Bridge Federation of India for the next term i.e. 2020-2022 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Bridge Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Bridge Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Bridge Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Bridge Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Government of India  
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Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 26 October, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Cycle Polo Federation of India,  
Dundlod House, Civil Lines,  
Hawa Sadak, Jaipur,  
Rajasthan- 302019  
Email: dundlod@dil.in

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Cycle Polo Federation of India-reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Cycle Polo Federation of India has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 01.05.2016 for the term 2016-20 was taken on record by the Ministry. The elections of the Executive Committee of Cycle Polo Federation of India for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Cycle Polo Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011 and other guidelines issued from time to time.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Cycle Polo Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Cycle Polo Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, Cycle Polo Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports

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Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

This is issued with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
6. US (SP-I) / US (SP.II) / US(SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V)/ US (SP-VI)/ US (CDN).

Copy for information:

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
2. PS to JS(Development)

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F. No: 95-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affair and Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated: 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

To,

The Secretary General,  
Sqay Federation of India,  
Drangbal, Pampore, 192121  
Kashmir - India  
Email: sqay@sqayindia.com

**Subject: Recognition of Sqay Federation of India (SFI) as Regional Sports Federation-reg**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No 235/SFI/20 dated 21.10.2020 enclosing therewith a copy of letter dated 20.10.2020 of Jammu & Kashmir Sports Council and requesting for renewed certificate of recognition in respect of Sqay Federation of India.

2. In above context it is stated that Sqay Federation of India was granted recognition by Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports as Regional Sports Federation vide letter No 9-18/2007-SP-I dated 22.09.2015 and SFI continues to be a recognized Regional Sports Federation for the promotion and development of Sqay sports in India.

Yours faithfully,



(S.P.S Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel: 011-24361819 email: spstomar@nic.in

Copy to:

Jammu & Kashmir Sports Council

Email: jkstatesportscouncil@gmail.com



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F. No. 80-3/2020-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 13.11.2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
School Games Federation of India,  
Campus Radha Ballabh Inter College,  
Shahganj, Agra (U.P.) —282 010.

(through email: president@sgfibharat.com; secretarygeneral@sgfibharat.com;  
infosgfi@sgfibharat.com)

**Sub: Revocation of suspension of School Games Federation of India – CORRIGENDUM.**

Sir,

With reference to letter of even number dated 12.11.2020 on the above subject, it is stated that in the addressing part of the said letter, the name of School Games Federation of India was mentioned erroneously as '*School Games of Secretary General*'. Accordingly, the same may be read as under:

For	Read
To The President / Secretary General, <i>School Games of Secretary General</i> , Campus Radha Ballabh Inter College, Shahganj, Agra (U.P.) —282 010.	To The President / Secretary General, <b>School Games Federation of India</b> , Campus Radha Ballabh Inter College, Shahganj, Agra (U.P.) —282 010.

2. Other contents of the letter will remain unchanged.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial II, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi.
4. Secretary, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.

Copy also to:

~~PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C), YAS / Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports) / PS to Joint Secretary (Sports/Development) / DG, NADA / Secretary (SAI) / Executive Director (Teams), SAI.~~

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F. No. 80-3/2020-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 12.11.2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
School Games of Secretary General,  
Campus Radha Ballabh Inter College,  
Shahganj, Agra (U.P.) —282 010.

(through email: presidentsgfbharat.com ; secretarygeneralsgfbharat.com;  
secretarygeneralsgfbharat.com)

**Sub: Revocation of suspension of School Games Federation of India – reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter of even number dated 25.02.2020 regarding suspension School Games Federation of India (SGFI) and SGFI's response, vide letters No. SGFI/1277/19- 20 dated 03.03.2020 and SGFI/1309/2020-21 dated 17.05.2020 requesting therein for restoration of government recognition of SGFI.

2. The matter has been considered in depth that continued suspension of SGFI would adversely affect sports at school level as the entire diaspora of school children in the country, most of which belong to the weaker sections of the society, will be put to irreparable and irrecoverable loss in their sporting and academic career as they would be deprived of financial assistance, sponsorship, denial of admission to academic institutions based on their performance, etc.

3. Accordingly, this Ministry has decided to revoke suspension of SGFI with the condition that SGFI will ensure that apart from Shri Pradeep Kumar, PET, Shri Naresh Kumar Mann, Senior Assistant and Shri Virender Singh, PET who have already been banned for life by SGFI from taking part in activities of the SGFI in any manner, all other officials, viz. Chef-De-Mission, all General Manager/Managers of the Indian Contingent fielded by SGFI for the 10th Pacific School Games, Adelaide, Mr. Gaurav Dixit (PRO-SGFI), and unauthorised person Ms. Akanksha Thapak also will not be associated with SGFI in any capacity as well as in any manner for a period of 5 years from the date of revocation of suspension of SGFI. SGFI shall also follow scrupulously the guidelines issued by this Ministry on visit of Indian Contingents abroad for participation in various sports events (copy enclosed).

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial II, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Secretary, Department of Personnel & Traninig, North Bolck, New Delhi.
4. Secretary, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.

Copy also to:

PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C), YAS / Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports) / PS to Joint Secretry (Sports/Development) / DG, NADA / Secretary (SAI) / Executive Director (Teams), SAI.

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

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 13.11.2020

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The President / Secretary General,  
School Games Federation of India,  
Campus Radha Ballabh Inter College,  
Shahganj, Agra (U.P.) —282 010.

(through email: president@sgfibharat.com; secretarygeneral@sgfibharat.com;  
infosgfi@sgfibharat.com)

**Sub: Renewal of recognition of School Games Federation of India till 31.12.2020 –  
CORRIGENDUM.**

Sir,

With reference to letter of even number dated 12.11.2020 on the above subject, it is stated that in the addressing part of the said letter, the name of School Games Federation of India was mentioned erroneously as 'School Games of Secretary General'. Accordingly, the same may be read as under:

For	Read
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2. Other contents of the letter will remain unchanged.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
6. US (SP-I) / US (SP-II) / US(SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V)/ US (SP-VI)/ US (CDN).

Copy for information:

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
2. PS to JS (Sports/Development)

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F. No. 80-3/2020-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated: 12.11.2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
School Games of Secretary General,  
Campus Radha Ballabh Inter College,  
Shahganj, Agra (U.P.) —282 010.

(through email: presidentsgfbharat.com ; secretarygeneralsgfbharat.com;  
secretarygeneralsgfbharat.com)

**Sub: Renewal of recognition of School Games Federation of India till  
31.12.2020 – reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to School Games Federation of India (SGFI), which was suspended vide Letter No. 80-6/2017-SP III dated 25.02.2020, has been examined. The suspension of recognition of SGFI has already been revoked, vide letter of even number dated 12.11.2020. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 25.06.2016 for the term 2016-2020 was taken on record by the Ministry. The elections of the Executive Committee of SGFI for the next term i.e. 2020-2024 have become due.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that School Games Federation of India shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to grant recognition to School Games Federation of India up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the School Games Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the School Games Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's




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letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
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Copy for information:

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
2. PS to JS(Development)

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**F.No.26-3/2020-SP-I**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 18<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To,  
President/Secretary General,  
All India Sports Council of the Deaf,  
1-B, Institutional Area, Near Janta Flats,  
Sarita Vihar,  
New Delhi-110076

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of All India Sports Council of the Deaf-reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to All India Sports Council of the Deaf has been examined in the Ministry. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 02.08.2019 and for the post of President on 27.12.2019 for the term 2019-23 has been taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of All India Sports Council of the Deaf for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution/MoA of All India Sports Council of the Deaf needs to be aligned with the previous of the National Sports Development code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the All India Sports Council of the Deaf is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution Within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP-I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (Copy Enclosed)

This issue the approval of competent authority.

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Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele:- 2436 1819

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India

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**F. No. 83-2/2020-SP-I**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

President,  
Indian Triathlon Federation,  
Khivraj Complex II, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
No.480, Anna Salai, Nandanam,  
Chennai – 600 035.  
email:- indiantriathlonfederation@gmail.com

**Subject: Annual Recognition of Indian Triathlon Federation– reg.**

Sir

The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to Indian Triathlon Federation (ITF) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 15.05.2019 for the term 2019-2023 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew recognition of Indian Triathlon Federation for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / Article of Association of the Indian Triathlon Federation needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, ITF is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the provisions of the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 (copy enclosed) on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele:- 24361819.

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India  
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.  
3. Director (MDS), Department of Sports.  
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports  
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi - 110003.

6. US (SP-I) / US (SP-II) / US (SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V) / US (SP-VI) / US (CDN).

Copy for Information:

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports) 2. PS to JS (Development)

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**F.No.9-7/2014-SP-I**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.  
Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2015.

To

1. President/Secretary General,  
Indian Olympic Association (IOA),  
Olympic Bhawan, Qutub Institutional Area,  
New Delhi.
2. President / Secretary of  
All the National Sports Federations (NSFs)

**Sub: Information to be hoisted mandatorily by IOA & NSFs on their website – reg.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to this Ministry's letter No. 9-69/2009-SP.I dated 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2010 and letter No. 8-20/2014-SP-III dated 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2014 wherein IOA and NSFs were asked to furnish the information to this office and to suo-moto disclose their various activities carried out by them. All these instructions have also been made part of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (copies enclosed)

2. It has been noticed that although some of the NSFs are furnishing the required information to this office, it is not available on the websites of many NSFs and hence is not available to general public and stake holders.

3. In a recent case of Badminton Association of India vs. Union of India, the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi has taken a serious view about non furnishing of information under RTI Act by the NSFs. Hence the court has passed an order dated 24<sup>th</sup> December, 2014 in W.P.(C) No. 9318/2014 stating, inter-alia, that this would be an appropriate case where Government of India should examine the manner in which the NSF is functioning.

4. Therefore, in order to reduce the paper work of NSFs while making the information available to stakeholders regarding the functioning of NSFs and IOA it has been decided that henceforth the information as per the enclosed list shall be uploaded on the website of IOA and the respective NSFs.

5. All these information should be made available on the website latest by 1.4.2015. Further, the website must be updated by IOA & NSFs as frequently as possible and atleast once in a fortnight.

6. Vide order No.8-20/2014-SP-III dated 15.10.2014 it was informed that the NSFs shall post their audited accounts and the Balance Sheet of the previous year by 30<sup>th</sup> June of the current year. It was brought to the notice of this Ministry that finalisation of audited

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accounts and balance sheet takes time and it is not possible to post the same on the website by 30<sup>th</sup> June. In view of this, it has been decided that the annual accounts of the previous financial year should be posted by the IOA & NSFs during the current year as soon as it is finalised but latest by 31<sup>st</sup> December of the current year.

7. Consolidated list of information to be uploaded on the website of IOA & NSFs is enclosed.

8. It is also informed that annual recognition for the year 2015 may be reviewed in case the above instructions are not complied with by 1.4. 2015.

9. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above.

  
(A. K. Patro)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele/Fax: 2338 2560.

Copy to:-

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) YA&S.
2. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
3. JS (Sports) / JS (Development)
4. Director (Sports) / Deputy Secretary (Sports)
5. Under Secretary (SP-II & IV) / Under Secretary (SP-V)
6. Section Officer (SP-I)/SP-II/SP-III/SP-IV/SP-V/SP-VI
7. Under Secretary ( Gen.) with the request to kindly place it on the Ministry's website.

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(Information to be hoisted by IOA & NSF's on their website)

1	Name of the NSF/organization			
2	Date of last election held alongwith the details of the electoral college of the said election			
3	Details of recognition of International/Asian body. (Copy of letter to be posted)			
4	Name & contact details of office bearers		President	Secretary
		Name		
		Address		
		Tel No.		
		Mail id		
		Tenure till (specify date)		
5	Details of ACTC for the year			
6	Annual Audited Accounts for last 3 financial years along balance sheet (As audited by C.A. in CAG's Panel) Note: Annual report for preceding year to be uploaded by 1 <sup>st</sup> October of the current year.			
7	Name and contact details of the firm which audited accounts.			
8	Copy of Valid registration certificate of the federation			
9	i) Constitution of the organization/NSFs.			
	ii) Copy of Memorandum/Articles of the association.			
10	Affiliation criteria of State/UT/Clubs units alongwith details of voting rights of each unit			
11	Name of the affiliated units with their registration numbers.			
12	Name and Contact details of President & Secretary of affiliated units.			
13	Details of National Championships conducted during the current calendar year.			
14	Calendar for National & Zonal championship to be held during current/next calendar year along with venue.			
15	Details in respect of international events abroad & held in India:-  (i) List of core probables and basis of their selection. (ii) Details of coaching camps organized including venue, dates and list of participants.			

	<p>(iii) Notification of selection criteria for such events at least 6 months in advance along with the details of time and venue for selection.</p> <p>(iv) List of the athletes selected.</p> <p>(v) Details of athletes, support personnel and other officials sent to the event along with the amount paid to them towards air fare, boarding and lodging, local transportation, daily allowance etc. This is required to be placed on the website within 15 days of conclusion of the event.</p> <p>(vi) Performance criteria which formed the basis of selection, actual performance in terms of timing, distance, etc. and the position obtained by each athlete/team.</p>	
16	List of I cards issued to National Athletes with Name of athlete, I card N. & validity date.	
17	The details of certificates issued by the NSFs to the participants such as the name of the athlete, date of event, position obtained by the athlete, etc.	
18	Action taken by the NSF for prevention of age fraud.	
19	Notifying/updating the present selection Committee for national athletes.	
20	Note on efforts for having dope free sports and compliance to WADA/NADA Code along with details of cases found positive during the last calendar year and action taken thereon.	
21	Details (amount & source) of funds received from other sources, including private sponsors, public sector undertakings, State Governments, etc.	
22	Revenue generated by the NSF on its own.	
23	Date on which the website was last updated.	

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Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affair and Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated: 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Archery Association of India,  
DDA Yamuna Sports Complex,  
Gate No. 2, Near Archery Ground,  
Surajmal Vihar, Delhi 110092.

**Sub: Restoration of Government recognition of Archery Association of India as the National Sports Federation for promotion and development of sport of Archery in the country – reg.**

Sir,

Archery Association of India (AAI) was granted recognition by this Ministry as a National Sports Federation for promotion and regulation of Archery Sport in the country. The Government recognition of AAI was withdrawn, vide letter no. 57-01/2012SP.II dated 07.12.2012, on account of failure to conduct its elections in accordance with the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code) despite directions of the Hon'ble Delhi High Court in Writ Petition (C) No. 195 of 2010.

2. The matter was under litigation before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi and Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. The Hon'ble High Court of Delhi, vide its orders dated 18.10.2019, 01.11.2019, 13.12.2019, 20.12.2019 and 10.01.2020 defined issues relating to electoral college and timelines for preparation thereof. The Hon'ble Court also appointed Shri P.K. Tripathi, former Chief Secretary, Government of NCT of Delhi, as Returning Officer for conduct of the election of AAI. After settlement of the certain issues arisen during October 2019 to January 2020, the election of Office Bearers and Executive Committee of AAI were conducted by Shri PK Tripathi on 18.01.2020. This Ministry also deputed an Observer from Sports Authority of India to the said election, who has concluded in his report that the election was conducted in transparent, free and fair manner without any complaint from anyone. The Report of High Court appointed Returning Officer on the said election has been supplied to this Ministry. The result has been examined in light of this Sports Code provisions on Age & Tenure restrictions and restriction on Government servant for holding elective posts in National Sports Federations and it has been decided to accept the elections of AAI held on 18.01.2020 as



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such following office bearers have been taken on records of the Ministry for the period 2020-2024:

S. No.	Name	Post held
1	Shri Arjun Munda	President (First term)
2	Shri Pramod Chandurkar	Hon. Secretary General (First term)
3	Shri Rajendar Singh Tomar	Hon. Treasurer (First term)

3. However, it is further informed that elections of Shri P.B. War Nongbri (elected as Vice President); Shri K.B. Gurung and Shri Kumjum Riba (both elected as Joint Secretaries) have not been found in accordance to the provisions of Sports Code (elected in absence of prior NOC from the prescribed government authority to contest election). Accordingly, AAI is advised to ask these officials to demit the office and conduct fresh election for these posts, if they wish so.

4. It is pertinent to mention that after conduct of the abovesaid election of AAI, World Archery (international federation for Archery sport) has also lifted the suspension of AAI and as such at present the AAI has the recognition both of Indian Olympic Association and the World Archery. It is apparent that concerns of this Ministry for adherence of government guidelines by Archery Association of India have been resolved; accordingly, it has been decided to restore the Government recognition of AAI, which will be valid for one year from the date of issue of this letter.

5. AAI is also advised to incorporate such provisions of the Sports Code which do not have any referral in its constitution, within 6 months of issue of letter of restoration of recognition.

6. AAI is also advised to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

7. The recognition of Government is subject to continued observance of the following terms and conditions:-

- The Office bearers of the Federation shall invariably be appointed by election as per the Model Election Guidelines issued by the Ministry. The various instructions issued by the Ministry, from time to time, including the age and tenure criteria, for holding the elective offices of the Federation shall be scrupulously followed.
- The Federation shall give at least two months' advance notice to the Government for any change in its Constitution. The copy of the existing Constitution and the proposed changes should invariably be sent along with the notice.
- The Federation must maintain its accounts as per the Mercantile System of accounting. The Accounting year should be from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March. The



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books of accounts shall always be open to inspection by authorized representatives of the Government.

- d) The accounts of the Federation must be audited by a practicing Chartered Accountant. Audited Statement of account should be sent to the Union Government within six months from the date of expiry of the accounting year.
  - e) The Federation must scrupulously abide by the guidelines of the Govt. issued from time to time, for the conduct of national Championships, drawing of advance calendar for holding National Championships, players' grievance system in the management of the federations, etc.
  - f) The Federation shall have corresponding State/UT bodies affiliated to it in all the State/UTs within two years from the date of this recognition.
  - g) The Federation should also abide by the directions of the Government issued, if any, in the interest of promotion of archery sports among its players or Public in general.
  - h) The recognition can be reviewed by the Govt. in case Memorandum of Association (MoA) of the Federation or its practices come into conflict with the Govt. Guidelines as amended from time to time.
  - i) The Ministry's Guidelines for selection procedure shall be followed by Archery Association of India. The tournaments shall be held for Men & Women at all levels i.e. National, State, District level for Senior, Junior and Sub-Junior categories.
  - j) The Federation shall scrupulously follow the Ministry's guidelines on RTI applicability and suo-moto disclosure of information on its website and appointment of a Public Information Officer and an Appellate Authority.
  - k) The Federation shall ensure strict compliance of the Government guidelines to prevent unethical practices in sports such as age fraud, prevention of sexual harassment of women in sports, Anti-doping, issuance of identify cases to sportspersons etc.
10. The Archery sport is continued to be placed in the 'High-Priority' category.
11. The recognition may be withdrawn if:
- a) any of the terms and conditions of the recognition are violated;
  - b) its own Constitution is violated;
  - c) directions issued by the Union Govt. are not complied with as required;
  - d) in the opinion of the Union Govt., the Federation is not functioning properly;
  - e) the recognition has been obtained by submitting false information or by misrepresentation of fact;
  - f) the concerned international Federation cancels affiliation or derecognizes or disaffiliates the Federation.

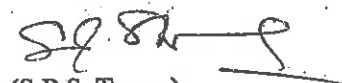


12. A copy of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011, currently in force is available on the website of this Ministry i.e. <https://yas.nic.in>.

13. The requests for financial assistance and clearance of proposals must be submitted in the prescribed manner. Assistance may be provided to the Federation subject to the availability of funds, submission of the relevant documents, fulfillment of the terms & conditions/ guidelines etc., as may be prescribed from time to time.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to Government of India  
Tel No. 011-24361819 Email: [spstomar@nic.in](mailto:spstomar@nic.in)

Copy to:-

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India, JLN Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
2. Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association, New Delhi.
3. Mr. Tom Dielen, Secretary General, World Archery (Email: [tdielen@archery.org](mailto:tdielen@archery.org))
4. ED (Teams), SAI, Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
5. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial (R-II), Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi - with the request to include the name of this Federation in the list of recognized National Sports Federations.
6. Department of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary, Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi - with the request to include the name of this Federation in the list of recognized National Sports Federations.

Copy also to:-

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Youth Affairs & Sports
2. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
3. PS to Joint Secretary (Development)
4. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
5. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
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F. No. 37-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 24 / 11 / 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
All India Tennis Association,  
R.K.Khanna Tennis Stadium,  
Africa Avenue, New Delhi-110029  
Email: [aita@aitatennis.com](mailto:aita@aitatennis.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of All India Tennis Association, reg.

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to All India Tennis Association has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation held on 06/09/2020 for the term 2020-24 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of All India Tennis Association for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the All India Tennis Association needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the All India Tennis Association is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



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Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
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F. No. 33-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Date: 26 / 11 / 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
Indian Rugby Football Union,  
Nawab House, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
63, M.Karve Road, Marine Lines, Mumbai-400002,

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Indian Rugby Football Union - reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Indian Rugby Football Union has been examined. Indian Rugby Football Union's letter dated 25/10/2019 has been examined vide which Indian Rugby Football Union (IRFU) has informed that IRFU has nominated new Office Bearers in the AGM/BOD meeting held on 28/09/2019, Kolkata to hold the office till next election. It is informed that the nominated Office Bearers cannot be taken on record as they are not in accordance with the Model Election Guidelines under National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 hence IRFU is advised to conduct fresh election for the office bearers as per Model Election Guidelines under National Sports Development Code of India, 2011.

2. The matter regarding elections of NSFs which have not been conducted during the country-wide lockdown imposed to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic have been looked into by the Ministry. The restrictions imposed are being relaxed in phased manner by re-opening of activities outside the containment zone. Also under the latest guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions and other congregations have been permitted with a ceiling of 100 persons. However, directives for COVID-19 management are to be followed mandatorily. In the circumstances, it has been decided that Indian Rugby Football Union shall conduct election of its executive body by 31.12.2020, following the Model Elections guidelines prescribed in the National Sports Development Code 2011.

3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Indian Rugby Football Union up to 31.12.2020.

4. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of the Indian Rugby Football Union needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Indian Rugby Football Union is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution **within 6 months** so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as

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contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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To

The President / Secretary General  
Equestrian Federation of India,  
C/o 'B' Sqn. 61 Cavalry  
Cariappa Marg  
Delhi Cantt: 110 010  
Email: efiindianf@yahoo.co.in

**Subject: Renewal of recognition of Equestrian Federation of India (EFI) - reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter dated 24.02.2020 and 31.10.2020 regarding exemption/relaxation from National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). The matter has been examined and upon consideration of the matter, it has been decided to renew the recognition of Equestrian Federation of India for a period of one year from date of issue of this letter, during which EFI is required to bring its constitution and governance structure in line with the Sports Code. Accordingly, the Federation is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code.

2. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
The Federation of Motor Sports Clubs of India,  
Krishna Towers-1, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor,  
Apt. #25, 50 Sardar Patel Road,  
Chennai – 600 113.

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to The Federation of Motor Sports Club of India-reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to The Federation of Motor Sports Club of India (FMSCI) has been examined. The last elections of FMSCI were held 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2018 and the same were taken on record by the Ministry.

2. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has been decided to renew the recognition of FMSCI for a period of one year with immediate effect.

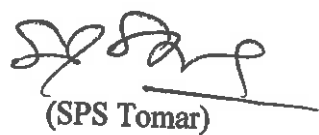
4. It has been noticed that structure of FMSCI is not in line with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, The Federation of Motor Sports Club of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution and governance structure within 1 year from the date of issue of this letter so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Copy to:

✓ Director General, Sports Authority of India

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**Government of India**  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Yachting Association of India,  
Room No.403, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor,  
Chanakya Bhawan, Chanakya Puri,  
New Delhi – 110 021.  
Email:- yaiindia1@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to Yachting Association of India- reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Yachting Association of India (YAI) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the Federation were held on 24<sup>th</sup> October, 2019 for the term 2019-22 which are under examination in the Ministry.

2. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has been decided to renew the recognition of Yachting Association of India for a period of one year with immediate effect.

4. It has been noticed that constitution and governance structure of YAI is not in line with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Yachting Association of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution and governance structure within 1 year so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General/ National Director,  
Special Olympic Bharat,  
J-47, Lajpat Nagar-3,  
New Delhi - 110 024.

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to Special Olympic Bharat- reg.**


Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Special Olympic Bharat (SOB) has been examined. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has been decided to renew the recognition of Special Olympic Bharat for a period of one year with immediate effect.

2. It has been noticed that structure of SOB is not in line with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Special Olympic Bharat is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution and governance structure within 1 year from the date of issue of letter so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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Yours faithfully,



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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
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- 4/ Director (CDN), Department of Sports
- 5/ Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Indian Polo Association,  
C/o B Squadron 61<sup>st</sup> Cavalry,  
Cariappa Marg (Cantonment),  
New Delhi - 110010.  
Email:- office@ipa.co.in

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to Indian Polo Association- reg.**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Indian Polo Association (IPA) has been examined. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has been decided to renew the recognition of Indian Polo Association for a period of one year with immediate effect.

4. It has been noticed that structure of IPA is not in line with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Indian Polo Association is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution and governance structure within 1 year from the date of issue of this letter so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

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F.No: 8-6/2020-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affair and Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2020

To

The President / Secretary General  
National Yogasana Sports Federation  
68, Ashoka Road,  
Near Gole Dak Khana,  
New Delhi - 110 001, India.

**Sub: Grant of Government recognition to National Yogasana Sports Federation as the National Sports Federation for promotion and development of Yogasana as a competitive sport in the country – reg.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to National Yogasana Sports Federation's letter No. NYSF/01/2020-21/GA dated 21.10.2020 requesting therein for recognition of National Yogasana Sports Federation (NYSF) for promotion and development of Yogasana as a competitive sport in India.

2. The matter for granting recognition to a national level sports body for the sport of Yogasana has been deliberated at length taking into account all the relevant factors including developing Yogasana as a competitive sport. On recommendation of the Ministry of AYUSH, it has been decided to recognize National Yogasana Sports Federation as a National Sports Federation with immediate effect for promotion and development of Yogasana as a competitive sport in the country. National Yogasana Sports Federation has affiliation of International Yogasana Sports Federation.

3. The recognition of Government to National Yogasana Sports Federation is subject to continued observance of the following terms and conditions:-

- a) The Office bearers of the Federation shall invariably be appointed by election as per the Model Election Guidelines issued by the Ministry. The various instructions issued by the Ministry, from time to time, including the age and tenure criteria, for holding the elective offices of the Federation shall be scrupulously followed.
- b) The Federation shall give at least two months' advance notice to the Government for any change in its Constitution. The copy of the existing Constitution and the proposed changes should invariably be sent along with the notice.
- c) The Federation must maintain its accounts as per the Mercantile System of accounting. The Accounting year should be from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March. The books of accounts shall always be open to inspection by authorized representatives of the Government.



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- d) The accounts of the Federation must be audited by a practicing Chartered Accountant. Audited Statement of account should be sent to the Union Government within six months from the date of expiry of the accounting year.
  - e) The Federation must scrupulously abide by the guidelines of the Govt. issued from time to time, for the conduct of national Championships, drawing of advanced calendar for holding National Championships, players' grievance system in the management of the federations, etc.
  - f) The Federation shall have corresponding State/UT bodies affiliated to it in all the State/UTs within two years from the date of this recognition.
  - g) The Federation should also abide by the directions of the Government issued, if any, in the interest of promotion of Yogasana sport among its players or Public in general.
  - h) The recognition can be reviewed by the Govt. in case Memorandum of Association (MoA) of the Federation or its practices come into conflict with the Govt. Guidelines as amended from time to time.
  - i) The Ministry's Guidelines for selection procedure shall be followed by National Yogasana Sports Federation. The tournaments shall be held for Men & Women at all levels i.e. National, State, District level for Senior, Junior and Sub-Junior categories.
  - j) The Federation shall scrupulously follow the Ministry's guidelines on RTI applicability and suo-moto disclosure of information on its website and appointment of a Public Information Officer and an Appellate Authority.
  - k) The Federation shall ensure strict compliance of the Government guidelines to prevent unethical practices in sports such as age fraud, prevention of sexual harassment of women in sports, Anti-doping, issuance of identify cases to sportspersons etc.
4. National Yogasana Sports Federation is also required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same in line with the Sports Code.
5. The recognition may be withdrawn if:
- a) any of the terms and conditions of the recognition are violated;
  - b) its own Constitution is violated;
  - c) directions issued by the Union Govt. are not complied with as required;
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7. The requests for financial assistance and clearance of proposals must be submitted in the prescribed manner. Assistance may be provided to the Federation subject to the availability of funds, submission of the relevant documents, fulfillment of the terms and conditions/ guidelines etc., as may be prescribed from time to time.

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Yours faithfully,



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2. Director General, Sports Authority of India, JLN Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
3. Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association, New Delhi.
4. ED (Teams), SAI, Stadium, New Delhi-110003.
5. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial (R-II), Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi - with the request to include the name of this Federation in the list of recognized National Sports Federations.
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F. No.21-1/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date: 7 / 12 / 2020

To

The President/General Secretary,  
All India Carrom Federation,  
C-457, Pocket-11, Jasola Vihar,  
New Delhi-110025

Subject: Renewal of recognition of All India Carrom Federation, reg.


Sir,

Vide this Department's letter number F.No.21-2/2018-SP-III dated 07/03/2019 elections of office bearers and members of the management committee of the AICF were taken on record and AICF recognition was renewed w.e.f. 16/01/2020 subject to the outcome of the court case filed by Haryana Carrom Association & Ors against the AICF, pending in the Hon'ble Delhi High Court (copy enclosed).

2. The matter regarding renewal of recognition to All India Carrom Federation (AICF) has been examined. After perusal of the electoral college of the said election of AICF it has been observed that AICF is having two units in the State of Maharashtra viz. Maharashtra Carrom Association and Vidarbha Carrom Association and voting rights were given to members of these units and also members from the units of Maharashtra Carrom Association and Vidarbha Carrom Association have been elected during the elections, which is against One State One Unit principle of National Sports Development Code of India, 2011. Therefore, the elections of the candidates elected from Maharashtra Carrom Association and Vidarbha Carrom Association units cannot be accepted. AICF is advised to ask candidates elected as office bearer or for any other position from Maharashtra Carrom Association and Vidarbha Carrom Association units to demit office immediately under intimation to the Ministry. Action for renewal of recognition will be taken thereafter.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
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F.No.21-2/2018-SP-III  
Government of India  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(Department of Sports)  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Date: 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2020

**Order**

**Subject: Elections of All India Carrom Federation and grant of recognition, reg.**

The election of All India Carrom Federation (AICF) was held on 18.11.2018 under the directions of the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi given in the Judgment dated 06.08.2018 in Writ Petition (C) No. 3314 / 2016. While deciding the said Petition the Hon'ble Court, *inter-alia*, directed that the elections shall be completed on or before 10 weeks effective from 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 and the election results along with the report of the Observer [Justice R.V. Baswar, (Retd)] shall be submitted to the Government for its approval.

2. Before the date of election, i.e. 18.11.2018 a court case bearing No. CS (OS) 576 /2018 was filed before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi by the Haryana Carrom Association seeking stay on the conduct of the election process and direction for the AICF to include the names submitted by the Haryana Carrom Association in the Electoral College. The Hon'ble Court did not grant stay on the election and passed directions in its order dated 14.11.2018 and 16.11.2018 that the representative of the Plaintiff in the matter shall be allowed to cast their votes separately which shall be kept in a sealed cover and the candidates nominated by the Haryana Carrom Association be also allowed to contest the election. The Hon'ble Court clarified that the result of the elections shall be subject to further orders that may be passed by the Court. The election for Office Bearers and members of the Managing Committee of AICF was held on 18.11.2018 and the results of the elections were declared by the Returning Officer - Justice Parthasakha Datta (Retd).

3. Meanwhile, vide this Department's letter of even number dated 07.03.2019 AICF was given provisional recognition till 31.03.2019 or decision of the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in the matter, whichever is earlier. However, the said court matter is still undecided.

4. Vide email / letter dated 19.08.2019 AICF has requested for renewal of its annual recognition citing that in absence of the renewal of annual recognition AICF could not start its activities for the year 2019-20 and the players from all over India are put on irreparable loss.

5. As no injunction has been granted by Hon'ble Delhi High Court for accepting the elections of AICF, the election result of AICF along with the Report of Returning Officer and Court appointed Observer have been examined in light of the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (NSDCI). It has been noted that some posts of the Managing Committee, viz. Executive President, Assistant General Secretary, Technical Director, Deputy Secretary Marketing and Director Media are not in conformity with the NSDCI, 2011. Accordingly, AICF was asked to dispense with such posts from the management committee of AICF. AICF vide its letter dated 20.10.2019 informed the Ministry that the persons holding these posts have been made to demit the office and the posts would be dispensed with. AICF is directed to dispense with these posts from its constitution at the earliest.

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6. Upon examination, it has been decided to accept the elections of the AICF and following office bearers and members of the management committee have been taken on records of the Ministry for the period 2018-22 (from the date of election, i.e. 18.11.2018):

S.No.	Name	Post
1.	Mr. Rakibul Hussain	President
2.	Mr. Baij Nath Singh	Sr. Vice President
3.	Mr. Francis Serrao	Vice President
4.	Mr. Prabhjeet Singh Bachher	Vice President
5.	Mr. Shiv Kumar	Vice President
6.	Ms. Bharti Narayan	General Secretary
7.	Mr. Bigek Goswami	Joint Secretary North East
8.	Mr. Arif Ahmed Khan	Joint Secretary North
9.	Mr. V. Subramani	Joint Secretary South
10.	Mr. Arun Ramakant Kedar	Treasurer

7. The election of Government servants viz., Mr. Mahesh Sekhri, Mr. Mukul Kumar Jha and Mr. Dinanath Pilarhekar elected as Vice President, Joint Secretary East and Joint Secretary West, respectively, are not in accordance with the provisions of the NSDCI, 2011 as they have not obtained prior clearance from their employer as such they may be asked to demit office. AICF, if so desire, may conduct fresh election for these posts as per the provisions of the NSDCI, 2011.

8. It has also been decided to renew the recognition of AICF with immediate effect. As a result, All India Carrom Federation is eligible to conduct normal activities with regard to Carrom sport and for its promotion. However, the acceptance of elections of AICF and the Government recognition is subject to the outcome of the court case bearing No. CS (OS) 576 / 2018 pending in the Hon'ble Delhi High Court.

9. AICF is directed to upload suo-moto disclosures on its web-site including details of its activities such as holding of events, selection criteria, expenditure etc.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

*Rajni Bagga*  
(Rajni Bagga)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

The President/General Secretary,  
All India Carrom Federation,  
C-457, Pocket-11, Jasola Vihar,  
New Delhi-110025.  
(email: indiancarrom@gmail.com)

Copy to:

1. PS to Director General, SAI, SAI Building, JN Stadium Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
  2. ED (TEAMS), SAI, New Delhi.
  3. Joint Director, Traffic Commercial, TC-II, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
  4. Deptt. of Personnel & Training (Under Secretary, Pay-I), North Block, New Delhi.
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Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 14.12.2020

To

The President  
Netball Federation of India,  
487/5, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor,  
Peeragarhi Chowk,  
New Delhi- 110087  
Email: [indianetball@gmail.com](mailto:indianetball@gmail.com)

Subject: Renewal of recognition of Netball Federation of India- regd.

Sir,


The matter regarding renewal of recognition to Netball Federation of India has been examined in the Ministry. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2020 for the term 2020-2024 has been taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided to renew the recognition of Netball Federation of India for one year with effect from date of issue of this letter.

3. It has been noticed that constitution / MoA of Netball Federation of India needs to be aligned with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Netball Federation of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India

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No. 94-3/2015-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 16 December, 2020

To

Paralympic Committee of India,  
# 28, Sports Authority of Karnataka Building,  
Gate No. 2, Sree Kanteerava Stadium,  
Kasturba Road,  
Bengaluru 560 001.

Delhi Office: Jaisalmer House, 26 Mansingh Road, New Delhi – 110011.

Email: [info@paralympicindia.org.in](mailto:info@paralympicindia.org.in), [hopcidelhi@yahoo.com](mailto:hopcidelhi@yahoo.com);

Sub: Revocation of suspension of Paralympic Committee of India; acceptance of election for the term 2019-2023; and renewal of recognition of Paralympic Committee of India – reg.

Madam / Sir,

I am directed to refer to Paralympic Committee of India's letters dated 11.05.2020 and 17.11.2020 and to state that after considering the relevant and material facts, such as that the Order dated 06.09.2019 of District Registrar of Societies, Bengaluru being stayed by the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka by order dated 27.09.2019 passed in Writ Petition No. 43746 / 2019; that the term of the Executive Committee in which Shri Rao Inderjit Singh was President is over on 07.10.2019; and that the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in Writ Petition No. 10647/2019 on 27.01.2020 has allowed the declaration of results of the election notified on 03.09.2019 subject to the further orders to be passed in the said petition, it has been decided to revoke the suspension of Paralympic Committee of India with immediate effect.

2. I am further directed to say that the election result of Paralympic Committee of India declared by the Returning Officer on 31.01.2020 have been accepted by this Ministry subject to further orders of Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in Writ Petition No. 10647/2019 and other Court order, if any. Accordingly, following office bearers who have been declared elected are taken on record:

- (i) Dr. Deepa Malik, President
- (ii) Shri Gursharan Singh, Secretary General
- (iii) Shri M Mahadeva, Treasurer



3. Upon consideration of the entire matter, it has also been decided to renew the recognition of Paralympic Committee of India for one year from the date of issue of the letter, which will be subject to orders to be passed by the Delhi High Court and High Court of Karnataka or any other Court in the pending matters.

4. It has been noticed that constitution of the Paralympic Committee of India needs to be aligned in line with the provisions of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (Sports Code). Accordingly, the Paralympic Committee of India is required to make categorical affirmation of the provisions of the Sports Code in its constitution within 6 months so as to bring the same fully in line with the Sports Code. The Federation is also required to take necessary steps for uploading of the information in compliance to the instructions as contained in this Ministry's letter no. 9-7/2014-SP.I dated 26.02.2015 on suo-moto disclosure within 3 months' time (copy enclosed).

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi - 110003.
6. US (SP-I) / US (SP.II) / US(SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V)/ US (SP-VI)/ US (CDN).

Copy for information:

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
2. PS to JS(Development)



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F.No.9-7/2014-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.  
Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2015.

To

1. President/Secretary General,  
Indian Olympic Association (IOA),  
Olympic Bhawan, Qutub Institutional Area,  
New Delhi.
2. President / Secretary of  
All the National Sports Federations (NSFs)

Sub: Information to be hoisted mandatorily by IOA & NSFs on their website – reg.

Sir,

Reference is invited to this Ministry's letter No. 9-69/2009-SP-I dated 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2010 and letter No. 8-20/2014-SP-III dated 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2014 wherein IOA and NSFs were asked to furnish the information to this office and to suo-moto disclose their various activities carried out by them. All these instructions have also been made part of the National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (copies enclosed)

2. It has been noticed that although some of the NSFs are furnishing the required information to this office, it is not available on the websites of many NSFs and hence is not available to general public and stake holders.

3. In a recent case of Badminton Association of India vs. Union of India, the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi has taken a serious view about non-furnishing of information under RTI Act by the NSFs. Hence the court has passed an order dated 24<sup>th</sup> December, 2014 in W.P.(C) No.9318/2014 stating, inter-alia, that this would be an appropriate case where Government of India should examine the manner in which the NSF is functioning.

4. Therefore, in order to reduce the paper work of NSFs while making the information available to stakeholders regarding the functioning of NSFs and IOA it has been decided that henceforth the information as per the enclosed list shall be uploaded on the website of IOA and the respective NSFs.

5. All these information should be made available on the website latest by 1.4.2015. Further, the website must be updated by IOA & NSFs as frequently as possible and atleast once in a fortnight.

6. Vide order No.8-20/2014-SP-III dated 15.10.2014 it was informed that the NSFs shall post their audited accounts and the Balance Sheet of the previous year by 30<sup>th</sup> June of the current year. It was brought to the notice of this Ministry that finalisation of audited

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accounts and balance sheet takes time and it is not possible to post the same on the website by 30<sup>th</sup> June. In view of this, it has been decided that the annual accounts of the previous financial year should be posted by the IOA & NSFs during the current year as soon as it is finalised but latest by 31<sup>st</sup> December of the current year.

7. Consolidated list of information to be uploaded on the website of IOA & NSFs is enclosed.

8. It is also informed that annual recognition for the year 2015 may be reviewed in case the above instructions are not complied with by 1.4. 2015.

9. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Sports).

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above.

  
(A.K. Patro)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Tele/Fax: 2338 2580.

Copy to:-

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) YA&S.
2. PPS to Secretary (Sports)
3. JS (Sports) / JS (Development)
4. Director (Sports) / Deputy Secretary (Sports)
5. Under Secretary (SP-II & IV) / Under Secretary (SP-V)
6. Section Officer (SP-I)/SP-II/SP-III/SP-IV/SP-V/SP-VI
7. Under Secretary (Gen.) with the request to kindly place it on the Ministry's website.

## (Information to be hoisted by IOA &amp; NSF's on their website)

1	Name of the NSF/organization			
2	Date of last election held alongwith the details of the electoral college of the said election			
3	Details of recognition of International/Asian body. (Copy of letter to be posted)			
4	Name & contact details of office bearers		President	Secretary
		Name		
		Address		
		Tel No.		
		Mail id		
		Tenure (ii) (specify date)		
5	Details of ACTC for the year			
6	Annual Audited Accounts for last 3 financial years along balance sheet (As audited by C.A. in CAG's Panel) Note: Annual report for preceding year to be uploaded by 1 <sup>st</sup> October of the current year.			
7	Name and contact details of the firm which audited accounts.			
8	Copy of Valid registration certificate of the federation			
9	i) Constitution of the organization/NSF's.			
	ii) Copy of Memorandum/Articles of the association.			
10	Affiliation criteria of State/UT/Clubs units alongwith details of voting rights of each unit			
11	Name of the affiliated units with their registration numbers.			
12	Name and Contact details of President & Secretary of affiliated units.			
13	Details of National Championships conducted during the current calendar year.			
14	Calendar for National & Zonal championship to be held during current/next calendar year along with venue.			
15	Details in respect of international events abroad & held in India.  (i) List of core probables and basis of their selection. (ii) Details of coaching camps organized including venue, dates and list of participants.			



	(iii) Notification of selection criteria for such events at least 6 months in advance along with the details of time and venue for selection. (iv) List of the athletes selected. (v) Details of athletes, support personnel and other officials sent to the event along with the amount paid to them towards air fare, boarding and lodging, local transportation, daily allowance etc. This is required to be placed on the website within 15 days of conclusion of the event. (vi) Performance criteria which formed the basis of selection, actual performance in terms of timing, distance, etc. and the position obtained by each athlete/team.	
16	List of I cards issued to National Athletes with Name of athlete, I card N. & validity date.	
17	The details of certificates issued by the NSI's to the participants such as the name of the athlete, date of event, position obtained by the athlete, etc.	
18	Action taken by the NSF for prevention of age fraud.	
19	Notifying/updating the present selection Committee for national athletes.	
20	Note on efforts for having dope free sports and compliance to WADA/NADA Code along with details of cases found positive during the last calendar year and action taken thereon.	
21	Details (amount & source) of funds received from other sources, including private sponsors, public sector undertakings, State Governments, etc.	
22	Revenue generated by the NSF on its own.	
23	Date on which the website was last updated.	

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F.no: 94-2/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affair and Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated 12 January, 2021

To

District Sports and Youth Affair Officer  
Kurukshetra  
Email: dsokkr@gmail.com

**Subject: Recognition of Paralympic Committee of India (PCI)-reg**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to your letter no. 2020/3186 dated 21.10.2020 received through email dated 21.10.2020 regarding application of Smt Sonali, Para Taekwondo player.

2. It is informed that Paralympic Committee of India (PCI) had the Government recognition during 01.03.2018 to 31.03.2019 represented by following Office Bearers:

1. President- Sh Rao Inderjit Singh
2. Secretary General- Sh J. Chandrashekar
3. Treasurer – Sh Dinesh Kumar Upadhyay

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully,



(S.P.S. Tomar)  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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**F.No.66-2/2020-SP-I**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
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**Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi**  
**Dated the 21<sup>st</sup> January, 2021**

To

The President / Secretary General,  
Shootingball Federation of India,  
Campus, S.D. Public School,  
Rajnagar Extension,  
Ghaziabad - 201 017.  
Email:- sbfi2015@gmail.com

**Subject: Renewal of Annual Recognition to Shootingball Federation of India for 2021- reg.**

**Ref:- Letter of even no. dated 23.10.2020**

Sir,

The matter regarding renewal of annual recognition to Shootingball Federation of India (SBFI) has been examined. The last election of office bearers of the federation held on 18.10.2020 for the term 2020-2024 was taken on record by the Ministry.

2. The matter has been considered in the Ministry and it has been decided that in continuation to this Ministry's letter of even no. dated 23.10.2020 (copy enclosed) recognition of SBFI is extended for one year beyond 31.12.2020 and up to 31.12.2021.

3. The other terms and conditions of the recognition remains same as conveyed vide this Ministry's letter of even no. dated 23.10.2020.

This issues with approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Tele:- 2436 1819

Copy to:

1. Director General, Sports Authority of India
2. Director, Passenger Marketing, Traffic Commercial, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Director (MDSD), Department of Sports.
4. Director (CDN), Department of Sports
5. Executive Director (Teams), Sports Authority of India, JN Stadium, New Delhi -110003.
6. US (SP-I) / US (SP.II) / US(SP-III) / US (SP-IV) / US (SP-V) / US (SP-VI) / US (CDN).

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**F. No. 70-6/2019-SP-III**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports**  
**Department of Sports**  
**SP-III Section**  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated: 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2019

**OFFICE ORDER**

**Sub : Constitution of High Level Committee to oversee/support/coordinate and strategize the preparation for 2020 and 2024 Olympics – Reg.**

The performance of Indian athletes in prestigious sporting mega-events has always been the priority for the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports. The mandate for excelling in sports and participation of athletes at the international level rests with the National Sports Federations and the Indian Olympic Association but at the same time National pride and aspirations are also closely attached with such participation and outcome thereof. Therefore, it is felt that all possible support to facilitate better performance of Indian athletes needs to be extended by the Government, with guidance from the highest level.

2. Accordingly, a High Level Committee comprising of members from relevant stakeholders is hereby constituted under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge), Youth Affairs & Sports to oversee/support/coordinate and strategize the preparation for the 2020 and 2024 Olympics. The Committee shall comprise the following :

S.No.	Name and designation	Position in Committee
1.	Shri Kiren Rijju, Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge), Youth Affairs & Sports	Chairman
2.	Shri Radhey Shyam Julaniya, Secretary, Department of Sports	Member
3.	Director General, Sports Authority of India	Member
4.	Dr. Narinder Dhruv Batra, President, Indian Olympic Association	Member
5.	Shri Rajeev Mehta, Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association	Member
6.	Shri Adille Sumariwalla, President, Indian Athletics Federation	Member
7.	Shri Ajay Singh, President, Boxing Federation of India	Member
8.	Shri Gagan Narang, Olympian	Member
9.	Shri Leander Paes, Olympian	Member
10.	Commander (Retd.) Rajesh Rajagopalan, Chief Executive Officer, Target Olympic Podium Scheme	Member Convener

2. The Committee may co-opt any person(s) as a member if so required.

3. The objectives of the Committee are aligned to ensure that the performance of Indian athletes is optimized in the Olympics and other multidisciplinary events. The Terms of Reference (TOR) of the Committee is as follows :

- i. For the Tokyo Olympics, 2020
  - a. Advising and ensuring all possible support that can be extended to potential and qualified athletes;
  - b. Facilitating smooth logistical arrangements for participation of the Indian contingent;
  - c. Ensuring seamless acclimatization and hospitable environment for the contingent in Tokyo;
  - d. Ensuring coordination among all stakeholders;

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- ii. For Paris Olympics, 2024
    - a. Charting out a road-map for preparation for the Paris Olympics, 2024;
    - b. Continually review the preparation process and suggest course correction whenever needed;
    - c. Ensuring coordination among all stakeholders;
  - iii. Prepare a strategy for bidding of multi-disciplinary sporting events for India
  - iv. Take up any other issue that the Committee may consider relevant.
4. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge), Youth Affairs & Sports.



(A.K. Singh)  
Under Secretary to the Government of India

To

- 1. Hon'ble MoS (I/c), Chairman of the Committee
- 2. All Members of the Committee



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F. No. 10-23/2019-SP.III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
(Department of Sports)

New Delhi 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2020

To

President / Secretary General  
All India Tennis Association  
RK Khanna Tennis Stadium,  
Africa Avenue,  
New Delhi - 110029.  
(email: [aita@aitatennis.com](mailto:aita@aitatennis.com))

**Sub: Creation of Posts of Life President and such similar posts in contraventions to NSDCI, 2011**

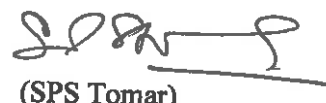
Sir,

As you are aware that with a view to ensure good governance practices in National Sports Federations (NSFs), this Ministry has brought out National Sports Development Code of India, 2011 (NSDCI). The NSDCI does not provide for the posts such as 'Life President' and 'Life Vice President' etc in NSF.

2. Attention is invited to the Judgment dated 03.08.2018 pronounced by the Hon'ble Delhi High Court in "Mahipal Singh & Ors v. Union of India & Ors. (WP (C) No. 4601 of 2013)" wherein the Hon'ble Court has observed that "NSF availing recognition from the Government, did not have any authority to create a post of 'Life President', where the NSCI did not contemplate the existence of any such post ...."

3. As the appointment of "Life President" etc in All India Tennis Association is not in accordance with the provisions of the NSDCI-2011, AITA is directed to amend its bye-laws in conformity with NSDCI-2011 within 6 weeks from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully



(SPS Tomar)  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India  
(Tel: 23383336)

**F.No.23-15/2014-SP-I**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2020.

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To

Dy. Land & Development Officer,  
Land & Development office,  
Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs  
Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.

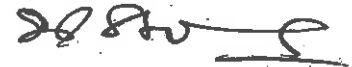
**Sub: Delhi & District Cricket Association – Government Nominees on Managing Committee – reg.**

Sir,

In supersession of this Ministry's letter of even number dated 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2020 (copy enclosed) nominating Shri Sumit Narwal as nominee of the Ministry in the Management Committee of Delhi & District Cricket Association (DDCA), I am directed to say that it has been decided to nominate Shri Sunil Yadav as nominee of the Ministry in the Management Committee of DDCA vice Shri Sumit Narwal.

This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (IC) YAS.

Yours faithfully,



(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Email:- spstomar@nic.in

Encl: As above.

Copy to:-

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS (IC) YAS.
2. Shri Sunil Yadav, G-48, First Floor, Jor Bagh Lane, B.K. Dutt Colony, New Delhi – 110003. Email:- sunilyadavbjpdelhi@gmail.com

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F.No. 23-15/2014-SP-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2020

To

Dy. Land & Development Officer,  
Land & Development Office  
Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs,  
Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi- 110001

Subject: Delhi & District Cricket Association- Government Nominees on Managing Committee- regd

Sir,

In continuation of Ministry's letter of even number dated 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2019 (copy enclosed), I am directed to say that the tenure of Shri Rajan Tiwari as the nominee of Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports in Delhi & District Cricket Association for the period 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2019 to 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2020 is over. In view of this, the Ministry nominates Shri Sumit Narwal, 945/1, Arjun Nagar, Kotla Mubarakpur, Delhi in place of Shri Rajan Tiwari.

2. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Y&AS.

Yours faithfully

S.P.S. Tomar

(S.P.S. Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India  
Phone No. 011-23383336

Copy to:

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Y&AS
2. Shri Sumit Narwal, 945/1, Arjun Nagar, Kotla Mubarakpur, Delhi

Encl: as above

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Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2019

To

Dy. Land & Development Officer,  
Land & Development office,  
Ministry of Housing & urban Affairs  
Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.

**Sub: Delhi & District Cricket Association – Government Nominees on Managing Committee – reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter of even number dated 02.11.2017 on the subject cited above whereby this Ministry had nominated the following as nominee of the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports and SAI respectively for the period 2017-2019:-

- (i) Shri Rajan Tiwari, R-584, New Rajinder Nagar, New Delhi – 110 060.
- (ii) Shri Gautam Gambhir, 16-B/4, Old Rajinder Nagar, NEA, Opposite Gangaram hospital, New Delhi – 110 060

2 This Ministry is now in receipt of a resignation from Mr. Gautam Gambhir. Accordingly, this Ministry nominates the following as nominee in place of Mr. Gautam Gambhir for the period 2017-19.

Shri Maninder Singh, 2A, Motilal Nehru Marg, New Delhi – 110011 and  
F-11-12, Jangpura Extension, New Delhi – 110014.

3. This has the approval of Hon'ble MOS (I/C) YA&S.

Yours faithfully,

  
(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele: 2338 5101.

Copy to:

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS(I/C) YA&S.
2. Shri Maninder Singh, 2A, Motilal Nehru Marg, New Delhi – 110011/F-11-12, Jangpura Extension, New Delhi – 110014.

  
(A.K. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tele: 2338 5101.

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 12 November, 2020

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Sub: Constitution of a Committee for revision of norms of financial assistance under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs – reg.**

The undersigned is directed to say that the norms of providing financial assistance to National Sports Federations (NSFs) under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs were last revised by the Ministry vide letter dated 04.11.2015. There has been demand from NSFs for revision of norms of financial assistance under the Scheme.

2. It has been decided to constitute a Committee consisting of following to suggest the revised norms of scale of assistance for various components under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs:

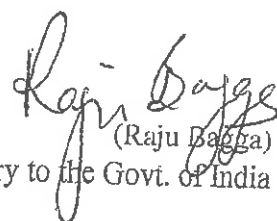
- (i) Director General (SAI) as Chairperson
- (ii) Executive Director (TEAMS)
- (iii) CEO (TOPS)
- (iv) Representative of Indian Olympic Association
- (v) Deputy Secretary (SP.I and SP.III)

3. Terms of reference of the Committee shall be as follows:

- a) To suggest the revised norms of scale of assistance for various components under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs;
- b) To give any other suggestions relating to implementation of the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs, if any.

4. The Committee will submit its report within 15 days of the its constitution.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

  
(Raju Bagga)  
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

1. Director General (SAI)
2. Executive Director (TEAMS)
3. CEO (TOPS)
4. President / Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association (with the request to nominate a representative of IOA to the above Committee)
5. Deputy Secretary (SP.I & SP.III)

Copy to: PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Y&AS; Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)


No. 12-2/2020-SP-III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 12 January, 2021

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Sub: Constitution of a Committee for revision of norms of financial assistance under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs – reg.**

In continuation of the Office Memorandum of even number dated 12.11.2020 (copy enclosed), the timeline for submission of report by the Committee is extended up to 31.01.2021.  
This issues with the approval of competent authority.

  
(SPS Tomar)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

All Members

Copy to: PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) Y&AS; Sr. PPS to Secretary (Sports)

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Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
Department of Sports  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
24<sup>th</sup> November 2020

To,  
President,  
Hockey India,  
B1/E4, Ground Floor,  
Mohan Cooperative Industrial Estate Mathura Road, New Delhi-110044

**Subject: Holding of Honorary posts in Hockey India to enable members to contest for posts in the International Federation**

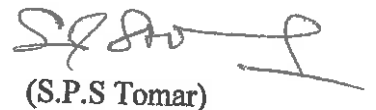
Sir,

I am directed to refer to Hockey India's letter No. HI/MYAS/2020/11/04 dated 17.11.2020 on the above subject and to acknowledge the receipt of proposed amendments in Hockey India's constitution. Comments of the Ministry on the said proposed amendments in Hockey India's constitution will be conveyed in due course of time.

2. As regards the honorary post of Life Member, it is informed that as there is no specific mention in the National Sports Development Code 2011 for the post of honorary life member, it is for the respective National Sports Federation to take a view for having life members without voting rights in their Executive Body as well as General Body.

3. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



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