

# POWERLIFTING\_v2

## MEDAL EVENTS

Male	Female	Mixed	Total
10	10	0	20
Up to 49.00kg	Up to 41.00kg		
Up to 54.00kg	Up to 45.00kg		
Up to 59.00kg	Up to 50.00kg		
Up to 65.00kg	Up to 55.00kg		
Up to 72.00kg	Up to 61.00kg		
Up to 80.00kg	Up to 67.00kg		
Up to 88.00kg	Up to 73.00kg		
Up to 97.00kg	Up to 79.00kg		
Up to 107.00kg	Up to 86.00kg		
Over 107.00kg	Over 86.00kg		

\*The final medal events program under the total events quota, including combined weight categories, will be announced following the Entry by Name.

## ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender Free	Total
110	80	20	210*

\*Where the allocated quota offered to either gender is not used, any remaining slots (to the maximum of 210) can be made available to the other gender at WPPO discretion.

## ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

The qualification slot is allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

## MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC may be allocated no more than, **ten (10) female and ten (10) male qualification slots**. Exceptions may be granted through the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

## ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for selection by an NPC, athletes must:

1. hold an active World Para Powerlifting Athletes License for the 2023 season;
2. be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2024 or later;
3. be ranked in the World Para Powerlifting Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022 Ranking List closing 31 July 2023 (inclusive).

Exceptions may be granted to criteria 3 through the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

## MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

An NPC may enter a maximum of two (2) eligible female athletes and two (2) eligible male athletes per medal event. Exceptions can be granted through the Bipartite Invitation Commission Allocation method.

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
<b>Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022 Ranking List</b>	The top eight (8) ranked female athletes, and top eleven (11) ranked male athletes in each medal event on the WPPO Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022 Ranking List closing 31 July 2022 will obtain one (1) qualification slot.	80 female athletes 110 male athletes
<b>Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation</b>	Twenty (20) athletes will be selected by WPPO for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.  To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation slot, an athlete must hold a WPPO Athlete Licence for the 2023 season and WPPO must receive an official application from the relevant NPC no later than 6 August 2023 via the IPC Online SDMS Entry and Bipartite System (EBS).  The Bipartite Commission Invitation slot is allocated to the individual athlete and is not transferable to another athlete.	20 athletes
<b>Total</b>		<b>210 athletes</b>

## PARIS 2024 PARALYMPIC GAMES QUALIFICATION

This competition will provide an opportunity for athletes to increase their Paralympic Rankings for Paris 2024 only if the athlete has competed in the Asia-Oceania Open Championships in Pyeongtaek, KOR or got granted a WPPO extenuating circumstances.

### TIMELINE

27 November 2021	Start of the period for athletes to achieve performances for the Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022 Ranking List
31 March 2023	Deadline for NPCs to submit the Entry by Number to APC and HAPGOC
20 June 2023	Deadline for HAPGOC to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs (“Accreditation Long List”).
31 July 2023	<p>Deadline for NPCs to submit the Entry by Name to APC and HAPGOC</p> <p>Deadline for NPCs with athletes ranked in more than one bodyweight category and /or more than ten (10) athletes per gender ranked in the top eight (8) for female and ranked in the top eleven (11) for male of their respective bodyweight category to declare in writing to World Para Powerlifting both the medal event that their athlete(s) wish to compete in and/or which ten (10) athletes per gender they wish to be allocated a qualification slot.</p> <p>If an NPC fails to submit this declaration, WPPO will take this decision with no opportunity for protest or appeal, based on the results of the most recent competition.</p>
3 August 2023	World Para Powerlifting publishes the Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022 Ranking List
3 August 2023	World Para Powerlifting confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of the Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022 Ranking List qualification slots
3 August 2023	World Para Powerlifting opens the Online Entry System SDMS for Bipartite Invitation process
3 August 2023	Deadline for NPCs to confirm in writing to World Para Powerlifting the acceptance of qualification slots
6 August 2023	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite Invitation application to WPPO via the Online SDMS Entry System
7 August	World Para Powerlifting confirms in writing to NPCs the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots

## **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slots allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated via Bipartite Invitation Commission Allocation method.

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