



**ENTRIES AND EVENT
VIABILITY REGULATIONS**
SANTIAGO 2023 PARAPAN AMERICAN GAMES
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The following Entries and Event Viability Regulations will be in force in the lead up to and during the Santiago 2023 Parapan American Games.

1. EVENT VIABILITY CRITERIA

In order for an event to be deemed viable and to be conducted during the Santiago 2023 Parapan American Games, it must meet the following requirements:

- (a) an individual medal event must have a minimum of four entries and a minimum of three NPCs represented after the deadline for sport entries; and
- (b) a team medal event must have a minimum of four entries/NPCs represented after the deadline for sport entries.

A medal event deemed non-viable after Entry by Name may still be conducted during the Games if an exemption is granted by the IPC.

1.1 MEDAL EVENT

Any event that after the Entry by Name has been confirmed, will be a medal event – an event that gives medals to the winners according to the Rules and Regulations of the sport on medal awarding and the Minus One Rule where needed.

1.2 COMBINED, CANCELLED AND NON-MEDAL EVENTS:

Any event that after the Entry by Name does not meet the event viability criteria may be combined with another event, may be cancelled or it may become a non-medal event. A non-medal event will not award medals and will not count towards the rankings of the Games but might remain a qualifier for Paris 2024 recognizing the athletes' results by officially recording their competition results and/or awarding points towards their sports' International Rankings.

Certain events that do not meet the event viability criteria may also be retained as medal events, at the discretion of the IPC.

1.3 MEDAL EVENT PROGRAMME

The Medal Event Programme will be published following the Entry by Name, by 7 November 2023 the latest, presenting the full list of medal and non-medal events. The Medal Event Programme will be subject to changes due to the outcomes of classification. Once the final Medal Events Programme has been published, all medal events will remain on the Programme, applying the IF's Rules and Regulations on medal awarding and the Minus One Rule where needed.

If any changes in the Medal Events Programme occur during the classification evaluation period, the NPCs will be informed through the Sport Information Centre and at the corresponding Sport Information Desk. Should an athlete's sport class change during the classification evaluation period and/or the classification competition period, re-entry will be considered in accordance with the IF Rules and Regulations.

A non-medal event may become a medal event if it meets the viability criteria following classification.

2. ENTRY BY NUMBER

For the Entry by Number each NPC is encouraged to present the most accurate possible composition of its delegation. A medal event in any sport may be taken off the Santiago 2023 Parapan American Games programme by IPC and the respective IF, if it becomes clear after the Entry by Number that the event cannot achieve viability by the Sport Entries deadline.

3. CAPITATION FEE

The USD 50 capitation fee for these Games will be invoiced by IPC following the closing of the Entry by Number on 20 August 2023. It will be charged to the NPCs per every A category accreditation (Aa, Ab, Ac, Am and Ao) and it will be non-refundable. After the Entry by Name IPC will review the numbers and invoice any outstanding accreditation requests.

After close of Entry by Number on 20 August 2023, NPCs will have no opportunity to reduce the number of athletes or team members. However, athlete numbers in Para athletics, Para swimming and/or Shooting Para sport may be reduced by the respective IF if a quota allocation formula has to be instated in either of these sports following the Entry by Number.

4. LONG LIST

The Long List is the moment to enter into the Accreditation System all athletes, athlete partners (Ab) and team officials that could potentially participate in the Games. This list should include any person with a realistic possibility to attend.

This list will be used for the PIACs production and, therefore, should not be much larger than the final list. NPCs should be careful to include every possible participant in the most accurate possible way.

The Long List will be reviewed by IPC for approval.

5. ENTRY BY NAME (SPORT ENTRIES)

The Entry by Name constitutes the final step for athletes' entries and the confirmation of their participation. Withdrawals after this stage will be handled according to IPC and IF Rules & Regulations and might imply sanctions.

6. RE-ENTRIES

Should an athlete's sport class change during the classification evaluation period and/or the classification competition period, re-entry will be considered in accordance with the IF Rules and Regulations.