

## Process for Election Sport Committee and Athletes' Committee

Today, 07 February 2024, World Para Ice Hockey (WPIH) announced the start of the election process for the Sport Committee and Athletes' Committee via email to the sport community. The email includes the committee terms of reference and links to the online application forms for interested parties to complete and submit by 01 March 2024.

Please review the Terms of Reference (TOR) for the committees using the links below and ensure you understand their remit before proceeding in this process.

- [Sport Committee TOR](#)
- [Athletes' Committee TOR](#)

Please note that each National Paralympic Committee (NPC) is only allowed to nominate one person to the Sport Committee. If a National Federation (NF) is submitting on behalf of the NPC, they will be required to submit a signed letter from the NPC to confirm they have been given delegation.

Please note that there are no restrictions to the number of applicants for the Athlete's Committee.

DATE	EVENT
01 March 2024	Applicants must submit the appropriate online form and including NPC endorsement and other documents that will comprise the candidate's application packet should they be eligible. <a href="#">Sport Committee Application Form</a> <a href="#">Athletes' Committee Application Form</a>
05 March 2024	WPIH to review the entries for eligibility, using the terms of reference as predetermined criteria.
09 April 2024	WPIH to email the sport community with each eligible candidate's application packet and announce the virtual election start date.
06 May 2024	Virtual elections to end, coinciding with the first rest day at the WPIH A-Pool World Championships.
09 May 2024	WPIH to contact each elected individual to notify them of their new position.

01 June 2024	WPIH to introduce all elected members to the WPIH Community via email communication.
14 November 2024	Sport Committee Chairpersons to attend virtual Chairpersons Forum 2024.
No later than 31 December 2024	WPIH to schedule and host the first Sport Committee and Athletes' Committee meetings.

The World Para Ice Hockey webpage reflects the previously communicated details and will continue to be updated through the election process until the ultimate announcement of the elected committee members. For questions regarding this information, please email [info@worldparaicehockey.org](mailto:info@worldparaicehockey.org).