

# PARIS 2024 PARALYMPIC GAMES

# **QUALIFICATION REGULATIONS**

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# 1. INTRODUCTION

These Qualification Regulations (**Regulations**) describe in detail how athletes and teams can qualify for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games in each of the twenty-two (22) sports on the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games Programme (**Games Programme**). It provides to the National Paralympic Committees (**NPCs**), to National Federations (**NFs**), to sports administrators, coaches and to the athletes themselves the conditions that allow participation in the pinnacle event of the Paralympic Movement.

These Regulations present:

- an overview of the Games Programme;
- the general IPC regulations on eligibility; and
- each International Federation's (IF) own specific qualification criteria for its sport (in alphabetical order).

#### STRUCTURE OF EACH IF'S SPORT-SPECIFIC QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

Each IF's own sport-specific section in these Regulations follows a standardised format. Readers can quickly locate information or cross-reference it between sports. The standard structure of each IF's sport-specific qualification criteria is as follows:

- Events
- Athlete Quotas
- Allocation of Qualification Slots
- Maximum Quota Allocation per NPC
- Athlete Eligibility (sport-specific)
- Maximum Entries per NPC
- Qualification System (in the order of slot allocation)
- Timeline
- Confirmation Process of Allocated Slots
- Reallocation of Unused Qualification Slots
- IF Contact Information

#### **QUALIFICATION METHODS**

There are a variety of qualification methods that IFs may decide to employ, which may depend on the nature and traditions of each sport.

In many sports, the participation of the host country is guaranteed via reserved slots. However, athletes representing the host country still need to comply with all eligibility requirements in order to enter the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games.

The following qualification methods based on performance may be used by IFs. Methods 1, 2 and 3 are referred to as "direct slot allocations" as they reward performance at one competition directly with a qualification slot.

- 1. Placement at World Championships
- 2. Placement at Regional/Zonal Championships or Regional Games
- 3. Placement in other IF sanctioned competitions or designated Paralympic qualifiers
- 4. Rank on a World or Regional Ranking List
- 5. Rank on a specific Paralympic Qualification Ranking List
- 6. Achievement of a Minimum Qualification Standard (MQS) with or without subsequent Quota Allocation Formula
- 7. Team Completion
- 8. Bipartite Commission Invitations

In the event of any inconsistency between IF qualification methods for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games that are published elsewhere and the IF qualification methods listed in these Regulations, these Regulations will prevail.

#### **QUESTIONS AND UPDATES**

For questions regarding sport-specific qualification issues please contact the respective IF. Questions of a general nature can be addressed via email to the IPC Sports Department: <a href="mailto:juergen.padberg@paralympic.org">juergen.padberg@paralympic.org</a>. Occasional updates to these Regulations may be necessary. Updates are recorded at the end of these Regulations. For the latest version of these Regulations (see date on front page) please visit <a href="https://www.paralympic.org/paris-2024/qualification-regulations">https://www.paralympic.org/paris-2024/qualification-regulations</a>.

At any given time the only valid version of these Regulations is the one published on the IPC website.

#### OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language of the IPC is English. If any organisation translates these Regulations for internal purposes the English version will prevail in case of discrepancy.

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# 2. PARIS 2024 PARALYMPIC GAMES PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

The number of medal events and athlete slots by sport as approved by the IPC Governing Board are outlined in the following table:

	MEDAL EVENTS				ATHLETE SLOTS			
	Men's	Women's	Mixed /Open	Total	Male	Female	Gender -free	Total
Para archery	3	3	3	9	75	65	0	140
Para athletics	90	73	1	164	584	485	0	1069
Para badminton	7	7	2	16	60	60	0	120
Blind Football	1	0	0	1	64	0	0	64
Boccia	4	4	3	11	48	48	28	124
Para canoe	5	5	0	10	50	50	0	100
Para cycling	29	20	2	51	140	80	0	220
Para equestrian	0	0	11	11	0	0	78	78
Goalball	1	1	0	2	48	48	0	96
Para judo	8	8	0	16	62	56	30	148
Para powerlifting	10	10	0	20	80	80	20	180
Para rowing	1	1	3	5	52	52	0	104
Shooting Para Sport	3	3	7	13	45	60	55	160
Para swimming	71	64	6	141	325	280	0	605
Para taekwondo	5	5	0	10	60	60	0	120
Para table tennis	15	14	2	31	166	114	0	280
Para triathlon	6	5	0	11	54	50	16	120
Volleyball (Sitting)	1	1	0	2	96	96	0	192
Wheelchair Basketball	1	1	0	2	96	96	0	192
Wheelchair Fencing	8	8	0	16	48	48	0	96
Wheelchair Rugby	0	0	1	1	0	0	96	96
Wheelchair Tennis	2	2	2	6	48	32	16	96
Total	271	235	43	549	2201	1860	339	4400

# 3. GENERAL IPC REGULATIONS ON ELIGIBILITY

In addition to each IF's own sport-specific athlete eligibility criteria, the IPC has established a set of general eligibility criteria that apply to all participants in the Paralympic Games. These general regulations are derived from the IPC Handbook. They ensure that the fundamental rights and obligations of the IPC and its membership are recognised and protected. The general IPC regulations on eligibility are as follows:

#### **IPC MEMBERSHIP**

Only NPCs in good standing with the IPC may enter duly qualified and eligible athletes in the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. NPCs are also reminded that each NF must be in good standing with the NF's respective IF, as required by that IF.

#### **COMPLIANCE WITH IPC NATIONALITY REGULATIONS**

Any athlete in the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games must comply with the provisions of the IPC Nationality Regulations published in the IPC Handbook.

#### MINIMUM AGE REQUIREMENT

No minimum age limit for athletes competing in the Paralympic Games is stipulated by the IPC on a general basis. However, NPCs must note that an age limit may be established by IFs through their own sport-specific rules and athlete eligibility criteria (including those set out in the sport-specific sections of these Regulations). While the Paralympic Games welcomes the world's youth with an impairment, NPCs are encouraged to send to the Paralympic Games only athletes who are adequately prepared for high performance competition.

#### UNDERSTANDING AND AGREEING TO THE CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

To be eligible for participation in the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games all athletes must sign, and agree to comply with, the IPC Conditions of Participation Agreement. This agreement is part of the NPC registration process.

#### **NPC SELECTION STANDARDS**

The IPC recognises and respects the right of NPCs to establish their own national selection standards for determining the qualification of an athlete or team to compete in the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Such standards must be compliant with those established by the IPC as well as those of each respective IF. Any national selection standards must also align with confirmation dates and administrative deadlines of the Organising Committee of the Olympic and

Paralympic Games (OCOG). All athletes and teams are equally subject to their respective NPC's selection standards.

#### **COMPLIANCE WITH CLASSIFICATION RULES**

Only qualified athletes who meet the relevant IF's sport-specific classification rules and have an appropriate sport class and sport class status will be eligible for entry in the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. It is the responsibility of each NPC to ensure that its athletes are appropriately classified in their respective sports prior to entry and that each athlete holds a sport class and sport class status that complies with the IF's eligibility requirements as published in these Regulations. In particular, an athlete is only eligible to be entered in an event that is open to their respective sport class under the relevant IF's rules.

# 4. BIPARTITE COMMISSION INVITATIONS

While the primary method of implementing the Paralympic Games guiding principles (set out in the IPC Handbook) is through the standard qualification methods, the IPC and certain IFs have also sought to provide targeted qualification slot allocations through Bipartite Commission Invitations. Bipartite Commission Invitations are included in the overall athlete quotas of the relevant sports chapters as set out below.

Subject to the following, Bipartite Commission Invitations are granted by the IPC in its sole discretion following engagement with the relevant IF. To be eligible for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, in all circumstances:

- (a) an athlete must meet the general IPC regulations on eligibility above and the IF's own sport-specific eligibility criteria below; and
- (b) an athlete must meet the relevant IF's classification eligibility requirements and may only be granted a Bipartite Commission Invitation in relation to an event that is open to their respective sport class under the relevant IF's rules.

While at the sole discretion of the IPC, Bipartite Commission Invitations may typically consider the following factors:

- allowing the participation of top athletes who may not have had the opportunity to qualify through other methods due to extraordinary circumstances;
- ensuring the representation of athletes with high support needs;
- enabling greater representation by gender;
- ensuring medal events will have sufficient representation for event viability purposes; and/or
- optimising the presentation of a particular contest within its competition format and schedule.

Each Bipartite Commission Invitation is granted to an individual athlete, not to the respective NPC. All Bipartite Commission Invitation decisions are final with no opportunity for protest or appeal.

Where applicable, the timeline for submission and acceptance of Bipartite Commission Invitation applications is set out in the relevant IF's chapter of these Regulations.

# 5. REDISTRIBUTION OF VACANT QUALIFICATION SLOTS

Each IF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots that their teams and athletes have obtained. The NPCs then must confirm acceptance of their allocated slots by the deadline established in each IF's chapter of these Regulations. Any qualification slots not used by an NPC will be reallocated according to the method outlined in the respective IF's chapter of these Regulations.

Qualification slots that cannot be reallocated by the established deadlines or become vacant (following the reallocation deadline) may be redistributed at the sole discretion of the IPC to any sport on the programme and across gender categories. However, in all circumstances slot redistributions cannot be used to override:

- a) the general IPC regulations on eligibility above; or
- b) the IF's classification eligibility requirements, and slot redistributions may only be granted in relation to an event that is open to the athlete's respective sport class under the IF's rules.

Each slot redistribution is granted to an individual athlete, not to the respective NPC. All redistribution decisions are final with no opportunity for protest or appeal.

# 6. UNIVERSALITY WILD CARDS

In each edition of the Paralympic Games, the IPC aims to further the Paralympic Games guiding principle of universality and ensure representation of a maximum number of eligible member NPCs. This slot provision is called the Universality Wild Card (**UWC**) method and is by IPC invitation only.

UWC invitations are granted by the IPC in its sole discretion, and no athlete or NPC is entitled to receive a UWC. UWC invitations may be extended by the IPC if an NPC has either: (a) been unable to qualify any athletes; or (b) has obtained only one qualification slot across all sports on the Games Programme. A maximum of one male UWC and one female UWC may be granted if an NPC has been unable to qualify any athletes. A maximum of one female UWC may be granted if an NPC

has obtained only one qualification slot (irrespective of the gender associated with the slot).

In order to be considered for a UWC an athlete must meet the following criteria:

- comply with the general IPC regulations on eligibility above;
- comply with the relevant IF's classification eligibility requirements, and UWC invitations may only be granted in relation to an event that is open to the athlete's respective sport class under the IF's rules;
- meet all the IF's other sport-specific eligibility criteria (unless any such eligibility criteria are expressly waived by the IPC as part of the invitation);
   and
- be on the Accreditation Long List as described under Key Dates below.

Each UWC invitation is granted to an individual athlete, not to the respective NPC. If an NPC qualifies athletes via the regular qualification pathways after one of its athletes has been granted a UWC, that UWC is revoked and the athlete who qualified via the regular qualification pathway obtains the slot instead.

UWC invitations fall outside the athlete quotas by sport as published in these Regulations.

For the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games the IPC will only consider granting UWCs in the following sports:

- Para athletics
- Para swimming

All UWC decisions are final with no opportunity for protest or appeal.

The IPC will open the UWC application process around six months prior to the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games (in the spring of 2024).

# 7. KEY DATES

The following dates and deadlines have been established by the IPC and the Paris 2024 OCOG:

#### **BEGINNING OF QUALIFICATION PERIOD: 01 JANUARY 2022**

Subject to the following, each IF will determine its own qualification period during which athletes and teams can attain results and rankings that count towards qualification for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games:

- a) No IF may establish a qualification period that begins prior to 01 January 2022, whereby direct slot allocations (as defined above) are obtained by athletes or teams for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games.
- b) Results attained before this date cannot be considered for qualification to the Paralympic Games. Exemptions may be granted by the IPC under exceptional circumstances. However, results and rankings from the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games must not contribute to athlete qualification for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games.
- c) Participation in a competition during the qualification period may depend on results achieved prior to the beginning of the respective sport's qualification period.

#### **ACCREDITATION DEADLINE: 3 MAY 2024**

Each NPC must submit to the Paris 2024 OCOG complete information about every potential delegation member who may attend the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. This "Accreditation Long List" includes athletes (including, but not limited to, duly qualified, replacements, substitutes, bipartite candidates, UWC candidates), competition assistants (such as guide runners, tandem pilots, goalkeepers, Boccia assistants), coaches, team physicians, administrators, physiotherapists, caretakers, press attachés, Paralympic attachés, Chefs de Mission, NPC Presidents, NPC Secretaries General and accompanying guests. Only athletes who are registered for accreditation by 3 May 2024 can be entered into the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games by the sport entries deadline (see below).

#### **SPORT ENTRIES DEADLINE: 5 AUGUST 2024**

Sport entries is the official registration process for qualified athletes selected to participate in the Paralympic Games. Any athlete an NPC may choose to enter must meet all applicable eligibility criteria by the time the entry is made. The athlete must also be on the "Accreditation Long List" (see previous section). The last possible day to meet the applicable eligibility criteria is 5 August 2024. Sport entries will close at 23:59h, Paris time, on 5 August 2024.



# 8. PARA ARCHERY

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
3	3	3	9
Individual W1	Individual W1	Team W1	
Ind. Compound	Ind. Compound	Team Compound	
Open	Open	Team Recurve	
Ind. Recurve Open	Ind. Recurve Open		

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
75	65	0	140

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC, not to an individual athlete. An athlete can only obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC. In the case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation the slot is allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of two (2) slots per individual medal event for a maximum of six (6) male slots and six (6) female slots.

#### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date after 31 December 2024; and
- Have achieved one (1) of the following Minimum Qualification Standards (MQS) for their respective sport class between 1 July 2023 and 1 July 2024:

Minimum Qualification Standards					
Event	720 Round Score (70m or 50m round)				
Men's Individual W1	590				
Men's Ind. Compound Open	650				
Men's Ind. Recurve Open	570				
Women's Individual W1	520				
Women's Ind. Compound Open	620				
Women's Ind. Recurve Open	530				

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per Individual medal event but not more than it has been allocated qualification slots in each Individual medal event. An NPC automatically enters a maximum of one (1) team comprised of one (1) eligible male and one (1) eligible female athlete if they have athletes competing in both genders. Team members are selected from the athletes who compete in the Individual events. In principle the highest ranked male athlete and the highest ranked female athlete will be considered as the team, but the team composition can be modified after the ranking round.

# **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated according to the following matrix:

	Men				Women		
	Ind. W1	Ind. Comp.	Ind. Rec.	Ind. W1	Ind. Comp.	Ind. Rec.	Total
2023 World Championships - Mixed teams	4	4	4	4	4	4	24
2023 World Championships - Individual	2	16	14	2	12	8	54
2023 Asian Qualification	1	2	2	1	2	2	10
2023 Americas Qualification	1	2	2	1	2	2	10
2023 European Qualification	1	2	2	1	2	2	10
2024 Africa / Oceania Qualification	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
2024 World Qualif. Tournament	2	2	2	2	2	2	12
Host Country	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
Bipartite	0	2	2	0	2	2	8
Total	13	32	30	13	28	24	140

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2023 Para Archery World Championships - Mixed Team Allocation	The four (4) highest ranked Mixed Teams in each medal event will each obtain one (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot for their NPC.	12 male athletes 12 female athletes
2023 Para Archery World Championships - Individual Allocation	The highest ranked athletes in each Individual medal event will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC up to the maximum quota and according to the following matrix:	32 male athletes 22 female athletes

	Men's Individ	Men's Individual W1						
	Men's Individ	Men's Individual Compound						
	Men's Individual Recurve				14			
	Women's Individual W1				2			
	Women's Ind Compound	ividud	lc		12			
	Women's Ind	ividuo	al Recur	ve	8			
2023/2024	Athletes from	n NPC	Cs outsi	de th	e defin	ed		18 male
Continental Qualification Tournaments Allocation (CQT)	continental of The highest r medal event one (1) qualif according to	anke at ec icatio	d athle ach of t on slot	tes ir he fo for th	n each I ur CQTs neir NPC	ndividu will ol	Jal	athletes 18 female athletes
			Men		v	Vomen		
		Ind W1	Ind. Comp	Ind Rec	IndW1	Ind Comp	Ind Rec	
	2023 Asian Qualification	1	2	2	1	2	2	
	2023 Americas Qualification	1	2	2	1	2	2	
	2023 European Qualification	1	2	2	1	2	2	
	2024 Africa / Oceania Qualification	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	NPCs who have already obtained slots at the 2023 World Championships can obtain additional slots at their CQT up to the maximum quota per NPC.							
2024 World Qualification	The two (2) h	•					(1)	6 male athletes
Tournament	Individual medal event will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC. An NPC can							
Allocation	obtain a maximum of one (1) qualification slot per medal event from the 2024 World Qualification Tournament allocation, up to the						6 female athletes	
	maximum quota per NPC.							
Host Country Allocation	Up to the m Country direct Individual m	tly q	ualifies	one	(1) athl	ete for	each	3 male athletes

Bipartite Commission Invitation	least one (1) athlete at the World Championships. Any u slot(s) will be allocated Commission Invitation Allocat Bipartite Commission Invitation made available according to matrix:	nused Host C via the Bi ion method. on slots will b	Country ipartite			
Allocation	Men's Individual W1	0		athletes		
	Men's Individual Compound	2				
	Men's Individual Recurve	2				
	Women's Individual W1	0				
	Women's Individual Compound					
	Women's Individual Recurve	2				
	To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to World Archery by 14 April 2024.					
Total				75 male athletes		
				65 female athletes		

## **TIMELINE**

1 July 2023	Start of the period for athletes to attain MQS performances
13-23 July 2023	Para Archery World Championships, Pilzen, Czech Republic
14-20 August 2023	European Para Archery Championships, Rotterdam, Netherlands
16-25 November 2023	Asian Para Archery Championships, Bangkok, Thailand
17-26 November 2023	Parapan American Games, Santiago, Chile
4 March 2024	Africa-Oceania Qualification Tournament, Dubai, UAE
5 March 2024	World Qualification Tournament, Dubai, UAE

7 March 2024	World Archery notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots obtained at World Championships and Continental Qualifiers
11 March 2024	Start of the Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
15 March 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to World Archery the use of allocated qualification slots from World Championships and Continental Qualifiers
15 March 2024	World Archery notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots obtained at the World Qualification Tournament
30 March 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to World Archery the use of allocated qualification slots from the World Qualification Tournament
5 April 2024	World Archery confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of all unused qualification slots
14 April 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit applications for Bipartite Commission Invitations
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
1 July 2024	End of the period for athletes to attain MQS performances
2 July 2024	World Archery notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 30 March 2024 each NPC must confirm to World Archery in writing the number of qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not replied by this date will have lost their slots and World Archery may reallocate them.

By 5 April 2024 World Archery will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 2 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and World Archery.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slot obtained at the 2023 World Championships, at one of the four Continental Qualifiers, or at the 2024 World Qualification Tournament that is not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete in the Word Ranking list published on 25 March 2024.

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# 9. PARA ATHLETICS

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total			
90	73	1	164			
Detailed Medal Events List at the end of this chapter						

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
584	485	0	1069

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

An athlete may only obtain a maximum of one qualification slot. The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the individual athlete with the exception of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots which are allocated to the individual athlete not to the NPC.

To ensure all medal events on the programme are viable at the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games, World Para Athletics (WPA) reserves the right - through any allocation method - to allocate slots to the exclusive use of certain sport classes determined by WPA, for example for athletes with high support needs. Such ("ringfenced") slots shall be used as allocated or the respective NPC must return the slot to WPA.

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can be allocated a maximum of forty (40) male qualification slots and thirty-three (33) female qualification slots. Exceptions may be granted through the Bipartite Commission Invitation method. If an NPC is unable to use all of the allocated qualification slots in a given gender, the unused slots cannot be transferred to the other gender. They will be reallocated in the respective gender to other NPCs through the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- 1. hold an active WPA Athlete Licence for the 2024 season;
- be internationally classified before 5 August 2024 in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later; and
- 3. have achieved one (1) Minimum Entry Standard (MES) performance at a WPA Recognised Competition for each of their respective events between 1 October 2022 and 4 August 2024 (inclusive) in accordance with the terms of the WPA Athlete Licensing Regulations valid for the 2022-2024 seasons.

Exceptions may be granted to criterion 3 above via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

To be eligible for a relay event, athletes must be entered into an individual event.

#### MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

An NPC may enter a maximum of three (3) eligible athletes per individual medal event provided each has achieved at least a MES performance in that event.

NPCs may enter a maximum of one (1) team in the relay medal event.

NPCs may enter a maximum of six (6) eligible athletes in each marathon medal event. A maximum of three (3) athletes per NPC may enter each marathon medal event as their <u>only</u> event.

NPCs may enter an eligible athlete in an unlimited number of individual medal events as long as the athlete has achieved a MES performance in each respective event.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2023 Marathon World Championships Allocation	The top six (6) ranked athletes at the 2023 Para athletics Marathon World Championships in each medal event on the Paris 2024 Games Programme each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their respective NPC.	athletes
	In the case that this competition does not take place, or fewer slots are allocated through this method than available in the quota, WPA will	

	allocate the remaining slots via the High Performance Allocation method (see below).	
2023 World Championships (Track and Field) Allocation	The top four (4) ranked athletes at the 2023 Para athletics World Championships in each of the individual medal events on the Paris 2024 Games Programme (excluding the marathon events) will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their respective NPC.	
	In the case that an athlete is ranked in top four (4) places in more than one medal event, the athlete can only obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	Athletes who have obtained a qualification slot through the previous allocation method(s) cannot obtain an additional slot for their NPC through this allocation method or vice versa.	
	In the case that this competition does not take place, or fewer slots are allocated through this method than available in the quota, WPA will allocate the remaining slots via the High Performance Allocation method (see below).	
2024 World Championships (Track and Field) Allocation	The top two (2) ranked athletes at the 2024 Para athletics World Championships in each of the individual medal events on the Paris 2024 Games Programme (excluding the marathon events) will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their respective NPC.	
	In the case that an athlete is ranked first or second in more than one medal event, the athlete can only obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	Athletes who have obtained a qualification slot through the previous allocation method(s) cannot obtain an additional slot for their NPC through this allocation method or vice versa.	
	In the case that this competition does not take place, or fewer slots are allocated through this method than available in the quota, WPA will	

	allocate the remaining slots via the High Performance Allocation method (see below).	
High Performance Allocation	WPA will release a set of High Performance Standards ("HPS") by 1 October 2023. Athletes who achieved these Standards at a WPA Recognised Competition between 1 October 2022 and 16 June 2024 but who have not obtained a qualification slot for their respective NPC through the aforementioned methods will be considered to determine the High Performance Allocation of slots.	athletes
	HPSs are only recognised for athletes who were licensed at the time they achieved the result and who hold an international Sport Class Status of Review, Review with a Fixed Review Date, Confirmed as of 16 June 2024.	
	If more athletes have achieved a HPS than the total number of qualification slots available under this method, then the qualification slots will be allocated as follows:	
	Male Allocation*: A x ( B ÷ C )	
	Female Allocation*: A x ( B ÷ C )	
	A - Number of athletes** with a high performance per gender per NPC	
	B - Total number of available qualification slots per gender	
	C - Total number of athletes** with a high performance per gender for all NPCs	
	*WPA reserves the right to round up or down in order to achieve the required allocation of qualification slots per gender.	
	**Only athletes who have not obtained a slot via the aforementioned qualification methods will be considered for the High Performance Allocation.	
	In the case more qualification slots are available in a gender than the number of eligible athletes who have achieved an HPS, the remaining slots	

	will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.	
Bipartite Commission Invitation	Five (5) eligible male athletes and five (5) eligible female athletes will be considered by the IPC and WPA for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots. Some or all of these slots may be used to protect the viability of certain medal events.	athletes 5 female
	To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation slot, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to WPA by 2 June 2024.	
Total		584 male athletes
		485 female athletes

#### UNIVERSAL RELAY ENTRY CONDITIONS

A maximum of sixteen (16) NPCs will be able to each enter one (1) team for the Universal Relay medal event.

The top four (4) ranked NPCs in the Universal Relay event at the 2023 WPA World Championships each obtain eligibility for one (1) team entry.

The top four (4) ranked NPCs in the Universal Relay event at the 2024 WPA World Championships each obtain eligibility for one (1) team entry. In the case any of the those top four (4) NPCs have already obtained eligibility for one (1) team entry, the next NPC(s) with the best performance(s) shall each obtain eligibility for one (1) team entry.

WPA will establish a Universal Relay Qualification Ranking from 1 October 2022 to 16 June 2024 (inclusive) for the Universal Relay medal event. The eight (8) highest ranked teams in the Universal Relay ranking (not yet eligible) at the end of the period to achieve performances will each obtain eligibility for one (1) team entry.

No additional athlete qualification slots will be allocated for the Universal Relay medal event. All relay teams must comprise of athletes already entered into an individual event and the composition of the team will be subject to the relevant WPA competition rules.

TIMELINE	
1 October 2022	WPA publish the MES for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games
1 October 2022	Start of the period for athletes to achieve MES and HPS
1 October 2022	Start of the period for teams to achieve results towards the Universal Relay Qualification ranking
8-17 July 2023	2023 Para athletics World Championships, Paris, France
7 August 2023	WPA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots obtained through the 2023 Para athletics World Championships
21 August 2023	NPCs confirm in writing to WPA the use of qualification slots obtained through the 2023 Para athletics World Championships
1 October 2023	WPA publishes the HPS for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games
Cancelled	2023 Para athletics Marathon World Championships
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
3 May 2024	Start of the Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
17-25 May 2024	2024 Para athletics World Championships, Kobe, Japan
2 June 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit applications for Bipartite Commission Invitations
7 June 2024	WPA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots obtained through the 2024 Para athletics World Championships
14 June 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to WPA the use of qualification slots obtained through the 2024 Para athletics World Championships
16 June 2024	End of the period for athletes to achieve HPS for calculating the qualification slots allocated through the High Performance Allocation method
16 June 2024	End of the period for teams to achieve results towards the Universal Relay Qualification ranking

28 June 2024	WPA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of slots through the High Performance Allocation
28 June 2024	WPA confirms in writing the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
12 July 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to WPA the use of allocated qualification slots through the High Performance Allocation
12 July 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to WPA the acceptance of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
16 July 2024	WPA confirms in writing the reallocation of any unused qualification slots
4 August 2024	End of the period for athletes to achieve MES performances for entry to the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By the dates published herein each qualified NPC must confirm to WPA in writing (email is accepted) if they wish to use their slots allocated through the respective methods. NPCs that have not responded by the relevant dates will lose their qualification slots. Unused slots from the following allocation methods will be allocated through the High Performance Allocation method by 28 June 2024:

- 2023 Marathon World Championships Allocation
- 2023 World Championships (Track & Field) Allocation
- 2024 World Championships (Track & Field) Allocation

By 12 July 2024 each NPC must confirm to WPA in writing the number of qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not replied by this date will have lost their slots and WPA may reallocate them.

By 16 July 2024 WPA will confirm in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots.

By 16 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by the IPC.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slots allocated and not used by the respective NPC after 12 July 2024 will be reallocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

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# MEN

No.	Event	Eligible Sport Classes	HPS	MES
1	100m T11	T11	11.41	11.90
2	100m T12	T12	11.28	11.50
3	100m T13	T13	10.98	11.50
4	100m T34	T33, T34	15.79	17.30
5	100m T35	T35	12.84	15.00
6	100m T36	T36	12.26	13.30
7	100m T37	T37	12.03	12.80
8	100m T38	T38	11.31	12.50
9	100m T44	T43, T44	12.19	12.50
10	100m T47	T45, T46, T47	10.95	11.60
11	100m T51	T51	24.23	28.00
12	100m T52	T52	17.56	20.00
13	100m T53	T53	15.47	16.20
14	100m T54	T54	14.21	14.70
15	100m T63	T42, T63	13.38	15.20
16	100m T64	T62, T64	11.33	11.80
17	200m T35	T35	27.19	30.00
18	200m T37	T37	24.88	25.80
19	200m T51	T51	46.00	51.00
20	200m T64	T44, T64	23.76	25.00
21	400m T11	T11	53.58	57.00
22	400m T12	T12	51.03	54.00
23	400m T13	T13	50.50	54.00
24	400m T20	T20	48.61	51.60
25	400m T36	T36	58.86	01:06.00
26	400m T37	T37	56.11	01:00.00
27	400m T38	T35, T38	52.43	57.50
28	400m T47	T45, T46, T47	50.28	52.50
29	400m T52	T51, T52	01:03.44	01:25.00
30	400m T53	T53	50.26	55.60
31	400m T54	T54	46.58	49.00
32	400m T62	T43, T62	56.54	01:00.00
33	800m T34	T33, T34	01:42.41	02:03.00
34	800m T53	T51, T52, T53	01:40.83	01:51.00
35	800m T54	T54	01:30.37	01:37.00

36	1500m T11	T11	04:16.59	04:28.00
37	1500m T13	T12*, T13	04:01.50	04:08.00
38	1500m T20	T20	03:55.33	04:09.00
39	1500m T38		03:55.55	04:42.00
		T37, T38		04:42.00
40	1500m T46	T45, T46	04:03.90	03:05.00
41	1500m T54	T53, T54	02:50.30	
42	5000m T11	T11	15:59.77	16:55.00
43	5000m T13	T12*, T13	15:07.42	15:57.00
44	5000m T54	T53, T54	09:29.54	10:45.00
45	Marathon T12	T11, T12	02:40:21	03:00:00
46	Marathon T54	T52, T53, T54	01:29:30	01:35:00
47	Long Jump T11	T11	6.01	5.30
48	Long Jump T12	T12	6.55	6.10
49	Long Jump T13	T13	6.46	5.60
50	Long Jump T20	T20	6.67	6.20
51	Long Jump T36	T36	5.52	4.50
52	Long Jump T37	T37	5.58	5.00
53	Long Jump T38	T35, T38	6.20	5.00
54	Long Jump T47	T45, T46, T47	6.85	6.25
55	Long Jump T63	T42, T61, T63	5.86	4.40
56	Long Jump T64	T43, T44, T62, T64	6.66	5.70
57	High Jump T47	T45, T46, T47	1.87	1.50
58	High Jump T63	T42, T63	1.70	1.55
59	High Jump T64	T44, T64	1.77	1.50
60	Club Throw F32	F31, F32	33.04	25.00
61	Club Throw F51	F51	30.91	20.00
62	Discus Throw F11	F11	34.27	29.00
63	Discus Throw F37	F37	48.44	39.00
64	Discus Throw F52	F51, F52	13.15	10.00
65	Discus Throw F56	F54, F55, F56	38.74	34.00
66	Discus Throw F64	F43, F44, F62, F64	51.08	40.00
67	Javelin Throw F13	F12*, F13	54.56	43.00
68	Javelin Throw F34	F33, F34	28.06	21.00
69	Javelin Throw F38	F38	37.56	30.00
70	Javelin Throw F41	F40, F41	35.44	29.00
71	Javelin Throw F46	F45, F46	52.51	43.00
72	Javelin Throw F54	F52, F53, F54	24.14	19.70
73	Javelin Throw F57	F55, F56, F57	42.35	36.00
74	Javelin Throw F64	F42, F43, F44, F61,	58.46	44.00
		F62, F63, F64		
75	Shot Put F11	F11	11.66	9.50
76	Shot Put F12	F12	13.58	11.50

77	Shot Put F20	F20	14.30	12.00
78	Shot Put F32	F32	8.88	6.50
79	Shot Put F33	F33	9.79	6.90
80	Shot Put F34	F34	10.44	8.30
81	Shot Put F35	F35	10.82	8.50
82	Shot Put F36	F36	13.26	9.00
83	Shot Put F37	F37	13.53	11.00
84	Shot Put F40	F40	8.90	7.10
85	Shot Put F41	F41	9.97	8.20
86	Shot Put F46	F45, F46	14.43	11.50
87	Shot Put F53	F53	6.92	6.00
88	Shot Put F55	F54, F55	10.96	9.50
89	Shot Put F57	F56, F57	13.47	11.60
90	Shot Put F63	F42, F61, F63	12.50	11.20

# **WOMEN**

No.	Event	Eligible Sport Classes	HPS	MES
1	100m T11	T11	12.75	14.50
2	100m T12	T12	12.62	14.30
3	100m T13	T13	13.01	14.70
4	100m T34	T33, T34	20.11	24.50
5	100m T35	T35	16.21	19.50
6	100m T36	T36	14.93	17.30
7	100m T37	T37	14.25	15.10
8	100m T38	T38	13.48	15.20
9	100m T47	T45, T46, T47	12.77	13.40
10	100m T53	T51, T52, T53	18.44	20.00
11	100m T54	T54	16.54	18.25
12	100m T63	T42, T63	16.14	19.60
13	100m T64	T43, T44, T62, T64	13.56	15.10
14	200m T11	T11	26.55	30.70
15	200m T12	T12	26.11	29.70
16	200m T35	T35	34.16	42.00
17	200m T36	T36	32.28	37.00
18	200m T37	T37	29.41	32.80
19	200m T47	T45, T46, T47	26.47	28.30
20	200m T64	T44, T64	29.33	33.00
21	400m T11	T11	01:02.90	01:12.00
22	400m T12	T12	01:00.65	01:08.00
23	400m T13	T13	01:00.86	01:09.00
24	400m T20	T20	59.60	01:05.50
25	400m T37	T37	01:09.29	01:20.00
26	400m T38	T36, T38	01:08.12	01:17.00
27	400m T47	T45, T46, T47	01:01.64	01:10.00
28	400m T53	T51, T52, T53	01:04.35	01:10.00
29	400m T54	T54	54.82	01:01.00
30	800m T34	T33, T34	02:30.01	02:50.00
31	800m T53	T51, T52, T53	02:04.49	02:22.00
32	800m T54	T54	01:46.96	02:05.00
33	1500m T11	T11	05:30.41	06:20.00
34	1500m T13	T12*, T13	05:02.32	05:31.00
35	1500m T20	T20	04:54.98	05:15.00
36	1500m T54	T53, T54	03:20.47	03:47.00
37	5000m T54	T53, T54	11:34.75	13:30.00
38	Marathon T12	T11, T12	03:30:00	03:35:00

39	Marathon T54	T52, T53, T54	01:43:53	01:58:00
40	Long Jump T11	T11	4.25	3.40
41	Long Jump T12	T12	4.80	3.70
42	Long Jump T20	T20	5.38	4.50
43	Long Jump T37	T37	4.11	3.70
44	Long Jump T38	T36, T38	4.38	3.80
45	Long Jump T47	T45, T46, T47	5.23	4.50
46	Long Jump T63	T42, T61, T63	3.99	3.30
47	Long Jump T64	T43, T44, T62, T64	4.68	3.80
48	Club Throw F32	F31, F32	21.36	14.00
49	Discus Throw F11	F11	28.80	18.00
50	Discus Throw F38	F37, F38	29.83	23.00
51	Discus Throw F41	F40, F41	25.83	19.00
52	Discus Throw F53	F51, F52, F53	9.03	6.00
53	Discus Throw F55	F54, F55	20.99	15.50
54	Discus Throw F57	F56, F57	26.93	20.00
55	Discus Throw F64	F43, F44, F62, F64	31.66	20.00
56	Javelin Throw F13	F12*, F13	28.05	19.00
57	Javelin Throw F34	F33, F34	15.18	12.50
58	Javelin Throw F46	F45, F46	35.58	23.00
59	Javelin Throw F54	F52, F53, F54	14.24	9.00
60	Javelin Throw F56	F55, F56	16.69	13.50
61	Shot Put F12	F11*, F12	10.18	9.00
62	Shot Put F20	F20	12.34	10.50
63	Shot Put F32	F32	5.97	3.50
64	Shot Put F33	F33	6.05	4.00
65	Shot Put F34	F34	6.45	5.70
66	Shot Put F35	F35	6.25	6.00
67	Shot Put F37	F37	9.49	8.00
68	Shot Put F40	F40	7.48	4.60
69	Shot Put F41	F41	7.92	6.00
70	Shot Put F46	F45, F46	10.47	7.50
71	Shot Put F54	F53, F54	6.42	4.60
72	Shot Put F57	F55, F56, F57	9.49	7.50
73	Shot Put F64	F42, F43, F44, F61, F62, F63, F64	9.40	7.00

# **UNIVERSAL**

No	Event Name	Eligible Sport Classes	HPS	MES
1	4x100m Universal Relay	T11-13, T33-34 / T51-54 T35-38, T42-47 / T61-64	-	-

<sup>\*</sup> Eligible sport classes will compete under the rules of their own sport class.



# **10. PARA BADMINTON**

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
7	7	2	16
Men's Singles WH1	Women's Singles WH1	Mixed Doubles SL3-SU5	
Men's Singles WH2	Women's Singles WH2	Mixed Doubles SH6	
Men's Singles SL3	Women's Singles SL3		
Men's Singles SL4	Women's Singles SL4		
Men's Singles SU5	Women's Singles SU5		
Men's Singles SH6	Women's Singles SH6		
Men's Doubles WH1-2	Women's Doubles WH1-2		

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
60	60	0	120

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of ten (10) male and ten (10) female qualification slots for a maximum total of twenty (20) slots. Exceptions may be granted via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

#### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

 Be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class status of (i) 'Confirmed', or 'Review' with a Fixed Review Date after 31 December 2024;

To be eligible for selection for a singles event, athletes must

 have participated in their relevant singles event at a minimum of three
 (3) designated qualifying tournaments counting towards the Race to Paris Paralympic Games Singles Ranking List published on 2 April 2024. Exception is made if a player qualifies in doubles or mixed doubles and is required to play singles;

To be eligible for selection for a doubles event, athletes/pairs must:

 have participated in their relevant doubles or mixed doubles event with their partner at a minimum of three (3) designated qualifying tournaments counting towards the Race to Paris Paralympic Doubles and Mixed Doubles Ranking list published on 2 April 2024. Exception is made if the BWF invites qualified singles players to create a doubles or mixed doubles pair.

#### MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) Doubles pair comprised of two (2) athletes per Doubles event which must have qualified via the Race to Paris Paralympic Doubles Ranking List. Exceptions may be granted via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method or if the BWF - in its sole discretion - invites players already qualified in the singles events to create a doubles pair to be added to the events. Not more than two (2) doubles pairs per NPC can enter a doubles event.

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) Mixed Doubles pair comprised of two (2) athletes in the Mixed Doubles event which must have qualified via the Race to Paris Paralympic Mixed Doubles Ranking list. Exceptions may be granted via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method or if BWF - in its sole discretion - invites players already qualified in the singles events to create a mixed doubles pair to be added to the events. Not more than two (2) mixed doubles pairs per NPC can enter a mixed doubles event.

An NPC can enter one (1) eligible athlete per Singles event if they qualify via the Race to Paris Paralympic Singles Ranking qualification method.

Athletes invited through Bipartite Commission Invitation may enter an event even if there are already two athletes invited via other qualification methods. Not more than three (3) players from the same NPC will be entered into a singles event.

#### **Entry into Singles Events from Doubles**

Both players from a Wheelchair pair that qualifies for their Men's or Women's Doubles event automatically gain entry into their respective Singles events and are obligated to play in those events.

Every male SL3, SL4, SU5 and SH6 player who qualifies in the Mixed Doubles event automatically gains entry into their respective Singles event and is obligated to play in that event.

Every female SL3, SL4, SU5, SH6 player who qualifies in the Mixed Doubles event automatically gains entry into their respective Singles event and is obligated to play in that event.

### **Entry into Doubles Events from Singles**

If qualified athletes in singles in WH1 and WH2 (both male and female) come from the same NPC the BWF may decide - in its sole discretion - to invite a maximum of two (2) WH1-WH2 Doubles pairs per NPC (in both male and female) to enter. If more than two (2) Doubles pairs with athletes from the same NPC can be created from the athletes qualifying in singles the Bipartite Commission - in its sole discretion - will decide how many and which Doubles pairs will be invited to enter.

If qualified athletes in singles in SL3, SL4 and SU5 (both male and female) come from the same NPC the BWF - in its sole discretion - may decide to invite additional SL3-SU5 Mixed Doubles pairs to enter. If more than two (2) SL3-SL5 Doubles pairs with athletes from the same NPC can be created from the athletes qualifying in singles the Bipartite Commission - in its sole discretion - will decide how many and which SL3-SU5 Doubles pairs will be invited to enter.

If qualified athletes in singles in SH6 (both male and female) come from the same NPC the BWF - in its sole discretion - may decide to invite additional SH6 Mixed Doubles pairs to enter. If more than two (2) SH6 Mixed Doubles pairs with athletes from the same NPC can be created from the athletes qualifying in singles the Bipartite Commission - in its sole discretion - will decide how many and which SH6 Mixed Doubles pairs will be invited to enter.

The following entry requirements apply for Doubles pairs:

Event	Sport Class	Points	Combinations permitted	Combinations NOT permitted
Men's Doubles Women's Doubles	WH1 & WH2	A maximum of 3 points	WH1 + WH2 WH1 + WH1	WH2 + WH2
Mixed Doubles	SL3 - SU5	A maximum of 8 points	SL3 + SL3 SL3 + SL4 SL3 + SU5 SL4 + SL4	SL4 + SU5 SU5 + SU5
Mixed Doubles	SH6		SH6 + SH 6	No other combination of classes permitted

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The following	minimiim r	entry	numbers	Will be	observed
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Men		Women		Mixed	
MS WH1	9	WS WH1	9	XDSL3-SU5	6 pairs
MS WH2	6	WS WH2	6	XDSH6	6 pairs
MS SL3	6	WS SL3	6		
MS SL4	6	WS SL4	6		
MS SU5	6	WS SU5	6		
MS SH6	10	WS SH6	10		
MD WH1- WH2	6 pairs	WD WH1- WH2	6 pairs		

Note: Actual entry numbers may be higher (depending on qualified and eligible athletes).

## **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
Race to Paris Paralympic Doubles Ranking List Allocation	Men's Doubles WH1-WH2: The six (6) highest ranked Doubles pairs on the Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking List published on 02 April 2024 each obtain two (2) qualification slots for their NPC. Only one (1) pair per NPC will qualify via this method.	12 male athletes 12 female athletes
	Women's Doubles WH1-WH2: The six (6) highest ranked Doubles pairs on the Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking List published on 02 April 2024 each obtain two (2) qualification slots for their NPC. Only one (1) pair per NPC will qualify via this method.	
Race to Paris Paralympic Mixed Doubles Ranking List Allocation	Mixed Doubles SL3-SU5: The six (6) highest ranked Mixed Doubles pairs on the Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking list published on 02 April 2024 each obtain two (2) qualification slots for their NPC. Only one (1) pair per NPC will qualify via this method.  Mixed Doubles SH6: The six (6) highest ranked Mixed Doubles pairs on the Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking list published on 02 April 2024 each obtain two (2) qualification slots for	12 male athletes 12 female athletes

	their NPC. Only one (1) pair per NPC will qualify via this method.				
Race to Paris Paralympic Singles Ranking List Allocation	Following the Doubles Ranking allocation, further slots will be allocated to the highest ranked athletes (not yet qualified) on the Race to Paris Paralympic Singles Ranking List published on 02 April 2024 according to the matrix below. Only one (1) player per NPC will qualify via this method.			25 male athletes 25 female athletes	
	The allocat	tion per eve	nt is as follo	ws:	
	Class	Men	Women		
	WH1	3	3		
	WH2	3	3		
	SL3	5	5		
	SL4	5	5		
	SU5	5	5		
	SH6	4	4		
Bipartite Commission Invitation	Bipartite slots will be allocated primarily to ensure event viability and according to the following matrix:			11 male athletes 11 female	
Allocation	Class	Men	Women		athletes
	WH1 WH2	3	3		
	SL3	7	7		
	SL4 SU5	7	7		
	SH6	1	1		
	To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs (including host country) must submit an official application in writing to BWF by 30 April 2024.				

	Host Country Slots	
	One (1) male Bipartite slot and one (1) female Bipartite slot are reserved for the host country. In case the host country obtains any slot(s) via any other allocation method for the respective gender, the Host Country Slot for the respective gender automatically expires.	
	Continental Slots	
	One (1) male Bipartite slot and one (1) female Bipartite slot are reserved for each continent. If a continent obtains any slot(s) via any other allocation method for the respective gender, the continental Bipartite slot for the respective gender will expire, except:	
	If the continent has qualified only one Mixed Doubles pair across all events (i.e. one (1) male and one (1) female) through the mixed doubles qualification method, then the continent will obtain an additional continental slot in singles in both genders.	
	Any host country Bipartite slot or any continental Bipartite slot offered, which is not accepted by the respective NPC may no longer be reserved for the host country or the respective continent.	
Total		60 male athletes
		60 female athletes

# **TIMELINE**

1 January 2023	Start of the period for athletes to gain points towards the Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking List
31 March 2024	End of the period for athletes to gain points towards the Paralympic Ranking List
2 April 2024	BWF publishes the Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking List

2 April 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process (including reserved host country and continental slots)
3 April 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots under the Paralympic Doubles and Mixed Doubles Ranking List Allocation method
10 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of allocated Doubles and Mixed Doubles slots including the sport class for each slot.
11 April 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of any unused Doubles and Mixed Doubles slots
18 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of reallocated Doubles and Mixed Doubles slots including the sport class for each slot.
19 April 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots under the Paralympic Singles Ranking method
26 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of all allocated slots under the Singles Ranking method
29 April 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of any unused Singles qualification slots
30 April 2024	Deadline to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to BWF
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Paralympic Games Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
6 May 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of reallocated Singles slots
16 May 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
23 May 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of Bipartite slots
27 May 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs, entry invitation of additional Doubles and Mixed Doubles pairs created from already qualified singles players (if any)
3 June 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the acceptance of entry invitation for additional Doubles and Mixed Doubles pairs including the sport class for each player (if any)

5 August 2024

Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 18 April 2024 each NPC must confirm to BWF in writing (only emails are accepted) the Doubles and Mixed Doubles Ranking List qualification slots they will use. By 6 May 2024 each NPC must confirm to BWF in writing (only emails are accepted) the Singles Ranking List qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not replied by these dates will have lost their slots and BWF may reallocate them by the relevant dates in the above timeline. <a href="Important note:">Important note:</a> Doubles slots are allocated to the individual Doubles pair. In case one athlete is unable to accept his or her slot, the Doubles partner automatically loses their slot, so that BWF can reallocate the two slots to another eligible Doubles pair.

By 29 April 2024 BWF will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 23 May 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and BWF.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slot that is not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next highest eligible athlete or Doubles pair on the respective Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking List.

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# 11. BLIND FOOTBALL

## **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
1	0	0	1
Men's 8-team Tournament			

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
64	0	0	64

Eight (8) men's teams with eight (8) players per team.

### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the team or any individual athlete.

#### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC can qualify no more than one (1) men's team comprising a total of eight (8) qualification slots.

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- have entered in at least one international, sanctioned IBSA Blind Football competition between 1 January 2022 and 31 May 2024; and
- 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 2025 or later.

## **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of eight (8) eligible male athletes plus two (2) goalkeepers. Note: Goalkeepers are not included in the athlete quota.

# **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies one (1) men's team subject to participation in either the 2023 IBSA Blind Football World Championships or their respective Regional Qualification Tournament.	8 male athletes
Regional Qualifier Allocation	The top ranked teams in each of the following Regional Qualification Tournaments obtain qualification slots for their NPCs as indicated:	32 male athletes
	<ul> <li>2022 IBSA Blind Football European Championships, Italy - one (1) team</li> <li>2022 IBSA Blind Football African Championships, Morocco - one (1) team</li> <li>2022 IBSA Blind Football Asian Championships, India - one (1) team</li> <li>2023 Parapan American Games, Chile - one (1) team</li> </ul>	
	In the case that a region does not host a Qualification Tournament, any available slots will be allocated to the highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) at the 2023 World Championships regardless of region.	
2023 World Championships Allocation	The top three (3) ranked teams (not otherwise qualified) obtain one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.	24 male athletes
Total		64 male athletes

# **TIMELINE**

8-18 June 2022	IBSA Blind Football European Championships, Pescara, Italy
14-26 September 2022	IBSA Blind Football African Championships, Bouznika, Morocco
9-20 November 2022	IBSA Blind Football Asian Championships, Kochi, India

18-27 August 2023	IBSA Blind Football World Championships, Birmingham, UK
17-26 November 2023	Parapan American Games, Santiago de Chile, Chile
15 December 2023	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots from Regional Qualifiers.
10 January 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IBSA the use of allocated team qualification slots from Regional Qualifiers.
12 January 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused team qualification slots from Regional Qualifiers.
12 January 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots from World Championships.
29 January 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IBSA the use of allocated team qualification slots from World Championships.
2 February 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of all remaining unused team qualification slots.
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By the dates published herein each qualified NPC must confirm to IBSA in writing (fax and email are accepted) if they wish to use their allocated slot. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their team qualification slots, and IBSA may reallocate these slots.

By 12 January 2024 and 2 February 2024 respectively IBSA will confirm in writing the reallocation of unused team qualification slots.

By 2 February 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated team qualification slot may be subject to sanctions by IPC and IBSA.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any team qualification slots allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) at the respective competition where it was obtained. Should the host country not use its allocated slot, the slot will be reallocated to the highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) at the 2023 IBSA Blind Football World Championships regardless of region.

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# 12. BOCCIA

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
4	4	3	11
Individual - BC1 Individual - BC2 Individual - BC3 Individual - BC4	Individual - BC1 Individual - BC2 Individual - BC3 Individual - BC4	Teams - BC1/BC2 Pairs - BC3 Pairs - BC4	

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Male Female		Total	
48	48	28	124	

#### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

Slots qualified via Teams or Pairs allocation methods are allocated to the NPC not to the individual athlete. NPCs who qualify slots via Teams or Pairs allocation methods must enter in the respective Teams or Pairs event. In case the NPC is unable to do so, all slots obtained for the respective Team or Pair must be returned.

Slots qualified via Individual World Ranking List allocation method are allocated to the individual athlete not to the NPC.

### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of two (2) slots for each gender and sport class, and no more than ten (10) qualification slots in total. Exceptions may be granted via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

#### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

• be registered with BISFed and have achieved ranking points in at least one (1) event valid for the Individual World Ranking between 1 January 2022 and 1 January 2024.

- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Review Fixed Date after 31 December 2024; and
- hold a valid BISFed Athlete License and have completed the BISFed Antidoping Training.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter one (1) BC1/BC2 Team consisting of three (3) athletes of which a minimum must be one (1) male, one (1) female and one (1) in the BC1 sport class.

An NPC can enter one (1) BC3 Pair consisting of one (1) male and one (1) female athlete.

An NPC can enter one (1) BC4 Pair consisting of one (1) male and one (1) female athlete.

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) athletes in each of the Individual medal events.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2023 Regional Championships Teams and Pairs Allocation	In each of the following 2023 World Boccia Regional Championships, the highest ranked Team/Pair (excluding the host country) obtains qualification slots for their NPC:  • Europe • Asia & Oceania • Americas • Africa	12 male athletes 12 female athletes 4 gender- free
	Slots are allocated according to the following quotas:	
	<ul> <li>BC1-2 Teams: the highest ranked NPC obtains one (1) male, one (1) female and (1) gender-free qualification slot.</li> <li>BC3 Pairs: the highest ranked NPC obtains one (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot.</li> <li>BC4 Pairs: the highest ranked NPC obtains one (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot.</li> </ul>	
	In the case that a Region does not host a 2023 Regional Championships, or if a Regional Championships does not offer a particular	

2023 Teams and Pairs World Ranking List	otherwise qualified) on the BISFed Boccia Teams World Ranking List closing 31 December 2023		
Allocation	obtain one (1) male, one (1) female and one (1) gender-free qualification slot.  The top four (4) highest ranked NPCs (not otherwise qualified) on each of the BISFed Boccia Pairs World Ranking List closing 31 December 2023 obtain one (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot.	12 female athletes 4 gender- free	
Paralympic Qualification Tournament	The three (3) highest ranked NPCs in the Teams event at the Paralympic Qualification Tournament obtain one (1) male, one (1) female and (1) gender-free qualification slot.  The three (3) highest ranked NPCs in each of the Pairs events at the Paralympic Qualification Tournament obtain one (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot for their NPC.  Only those NPCs that have not yet qualified a slot in the respective event via the above Teams or Pairs allocation methods will be eligible to enter the Tournament.	9 male athletes 9 female athletes 3 gender- free	
2024 Individual World Ranking List Allocation	The two (2) highest ranked athletes in each of the BISFed Boccia Individual Ranking Lists closing 31 December 2023 obtain one (1) qualification slot provided that their NPC has not obtained a qualification slot in the corresponding Teams or Pairs event, and up to the maximum quota per NPC. If an NPC would achieve more than ten (10) slots, then the NPC must select which slots it wishes to maintain.	8 male athletes 8 female athletes	
Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies one (1) BC1/BC2 Team (one (1) male, one (1) female and (1) gender-free slot), one (1) BC3 Pair (one (1) male and one (1) female slot), and one (1) BC4	3 male athletes	

	Pair (one (1) male and one (1) female slot) subject to being ranked on the BISFed Boccia Teams and Pairs World Ranking List closing 31 December 2023.	
	Any host country slots that cannot be allocated will be given to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) in the respective event on the BISFed Boccia Teams and Pairs World Ranking List closing 31 December 2023.	
Bipartite Invitation Allocation	A maximum of twenty-four (24) eligible athletes will be selected by the IPC and BISFed for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.	Up to 24 athletes
	To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to BISFed by 17 June 2024.	
Total		124 athletes

# **TIMELINE**

1 January 2022	Start of the period for athletes to achieve performances for ranking on the BISFed Boccia Teams, Pairs, and Individual Ranking Lists				
2-10 July 2023	2023 World Boccia Africa Regional Championships, Cairo, Egypt				
6-14 August 2023	2023 World Boccia European Championships, Rotterdam, Netherlands				
17-25 November 2023	2023 Parapan American Games, Santiago, Chile				
6-11 December 2023	2023 World Boccia Asia/Oceania Championships, Hong Kong				
31 December 2023	End of period for athletes to achieve performances for ranking on the BISFed Boccia Teams, Pairs and Individual Ranking Lists				
22-28 March 2024	2024 World Boccia Paralympic Qualification Tournament, Coimbra, Portugal				
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")				

3 June 2024	BISFed confirms in writing to NPCs the allocation of Teams, Pairs and Individual qualification slots				
3 June 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application				
17 June 2024	NPCs confirm in writing the use of allocated qualification slots				
17 June 2024	Deadline to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to BISFed				
1 July 2024	BISFed confirms in writing the allocation of Bipartite Commission Invitations and reallocation of unused qualification slots				
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs				

## **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 17 June 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to BISFed in writing (email is accepted) if they wish to use their allocated slot(s). NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their qualification slots, and BISFed may reallocate these slots.

By 1 July 2024 BISFed will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 1 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and BISFed.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any slots allocated via Teams/Pairs allocation methods and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated regardless of region to the highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) on the BISFed Boccia Teams and Pairs World Ranking List closing 31 December 2023.

Any Individual qualification slot allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete on the BISFed Boccia World Ranking List closing 31 December 2023 whose NPC has not qualified for the corresponding Teams/Pairs event.

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# **13. PARA CANOE**

### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
5	5	0	10
Kayak single KL1	Kayak single KL1		
Kayak single KL2	Kayak single KL2		
Kayak single KL3	Kayak single KL3		
Va'a single VL2	Va'a single VL2		
Va's single VL3	Va'a single VL3		

### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total	
50	50	0	100	

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC, not to the individual athlete. An athlete can only obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

An athlete can only obtain a qualification slot for his/her NPC during the qualifying competition if he/she has a 'Confirmed' status or a 'Review with a Fixed Review Date' status after 31 December 2024 at the qualifying competition.

If an athlete attains a qualifying rank in both a Kayak and a Va'a medal event at the same qualification event, the NPC is allocated the Va'a qualification slot while the Kayak qualification slot is allocated to the next highest ranked athlete in the respective Kayak event (not otherwise qualified).

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can be allocated a maximum of one (1) qualification slot per medal event. An NPC can obtain a maximum of five (5) male and five (5) female slots.

There must be a minimum of three (3) continents represented in each medal event at the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games (*ICF Three Continents Rule*). Should three (3) continents not be represented then the lowest ranked qualified NPC at the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships will lose their slot in the respective medal event and the qualification slot will be given to the highest ranked NPC from

another continent not represented in that event. This process will be repeated until three (3) continents are represented in all medal events. Host Country slots will count as representing a continent.

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date after 31 December 2024;
- have competed in the 2023 ICF Paracanoe World Championships or the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC must enter a minimum of one (1) eligible athlete per medal event for which a qualification slot was obtained. An athlete may be entered in a second medal event of the other boat category (Kayak or Va'a) as long as they hold the required sport class for that additional event and also meet the above eligibility requirements. An NPC may enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per medal event.

An athlete may enter a maximum of two (2) medal events, one Kayak and one Va'a, as long as the athlete meets all classification and eligibility requirements for both events.

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2023 World Championships Qualification	The top six (6) ranked athletes in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC up to the maximum quota.	30 male athletes 30 female
		athletes
2024 World Championships Qualification	The top four (4) ranked athletes in each medal event (not yet qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC up to the maximum quota. The number of slots allocated via this method is subject to the allocation of Host Country slots (see below).	Up to 20 male athletes Up to 20 female athletes

Host Country Allocation	qualified NPCs in the same medal event at the 2023 ICF Paracanoe World Championships.  The host country directly qualifies one (1) eligible male athlete in Kayak, one (1) eligible female athlete in Kayak, one (1) eligible male athlete in Va'a and one (1) eligible female athlete in Va'a, subject to participation in the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships.  The Host Country slots will be awarded from the events in which the host country has had the highest ranked performance at the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships. In case the host country has more than one athlete in the same gender and boat category with the same rank at the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships, the host country must then select from which medal event it wants to obtain the qualification slot.  These slots will be deducted from the 2024 World Championships Qualification quota in the respective medal event and gender.  Should the host country obtain any qualification slot at the 2023 or 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships the host country will not receive a qualification slot for the respective boat category and gender, under the Host Country Allocation method.	Up to 2 male athletes Up to 2 female athletes
Total	onder the riost cooling / modulon method.	50 male athletes 50 female athletes

#### **TIMELINE**

23-27 Aug. 2023	2023 ICF Paracanoe World Championships, Duisburg, Germany					
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")					
9-11 May 2024	2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships, Szeged, Hungary					
3 June 2024	ICF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots					
17 June 2024	NPCs confirm to ICF in writing the use of allocated qualification slots					
1 July 2024	ICF confirms in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots					
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs					

### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 17 June 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to the ICF in writing (emails are accepted) the qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their qualification slots, and ICF will reallocate these slots. If an NPC confirms acceptance of a qualification slot, the NPC commits to enter a boat into the medal event for which the slot was obtained.

By 1 July 2024 the ICF will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 1 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quotas granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use all of its allocated and accepted qualification slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and ICF.

## **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any unused qualification slot from the 2023 ICF Paracanoe World Championships will be reallocated to the next highest ranked NPC (not yet qualified) in the respective medal event at the same competition. Should no ranked NPC be available, the slot will go to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) in the respective medal event at the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships.

Any unused qualification slot from the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships will be offered to the next highest ranked NPC (not yet qualified) in the respective medal event at the same competition. Should no ranked NPC be available, the slot will go to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) in the respective medal event at the 2023 ICF Paracanoe World Championships.

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# **14. PARA CYCLING**

### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total		
29 20		2	51		
Detailed Medal Events List at the end of this document					

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Male Female		Total	
140	80	0	220	

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the individual athlete. In the case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation the qualification slot is allocated to the individual athlete not to the NPC.

UCI will apply a "ring-fenced system" to some or all of an NPC's allocated qualification slots in order to protect the viability of certain medal events. The NPC will be required to confirm entry of a qualified and eligible athlete in the specified sport class in order to retain the respective qualification slot.

#### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC can be allocated no more than thirteen (13) male and seven (7) female athlete Individual qualification slots for a maximum quota allocation of twenty (20) qualification slots per NPC, with Tandem being counted as one (1) athlete. Exceptions may be granted through the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

To be eligible for selection by an NPC, athletes (including Tandem pilots) must:

- hold a UCI license issued by a national cycling federation;
- be at least 14 years of age by 31 December 2024;
- must have raced in at least one (1) sanctioned, international UCI Para-Cycling competition between 1 January 2022 and 15 July 2024;

• be internationally classified with a 'Confirmed' sport class status or a 'Review' sport class status with a review date after 31 December 2024 (not applicable to Tandem pilots).

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of three (3) eligible athletes per Individual medal event. For the Individual Road Race medal events with combined sport classes an NPC can enter a maximum of three (3) eligible athletes per sport class and a maximum of five (5) eligible athletes per Individual Road Race medal event.

Each athlete must enter a minimum of two (2) medal events (Individual or Team).

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) team per Team medal event.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION				TOTAL
2022 UCI Nations Ranking Allocation	The highest ranked NPCs on the UCI Para-cycling Nations Ranking Lists for each gender combined (Road and Track) closing 31 December 2022 each obtain one (1) qualification slot up to the maximum regional quotas below:				47 male athletes 28 female athletes
	Region	Men	Women		
	Europe	23	14		
	Americas	10	5		
	Asia	7	4		
	Oceania	3	2		
	Africa	4	3		
	Total	47	28		
	ted under ast one (1)				
	<ul> <li>2023 UCI Para-Cycling Track World Championships</li> <li>2023 UCI Para-Cycling Road World Championships</li> </ul>				

- Any 2023 or 2024 UCI Para-Cycling Road World Cup prior to 30 June 2024
- 2024 UCI Para-Cycling Track World Championships

Any slots not allocated under this method will be allocated via the 2023/2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking Allocation method. The same applies for qualification slots which could not be confirmed due to an athlete not participating in one (1) of the above-listed events.

# 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking Allocation

A combined (Road and Track) ranking called the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking will be used to allocate all remaining slots except for five (5) male and five (5) female bipartite slots. Events included in the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking will be the 2023 UCI Para-cycling Road World Championships, the 2023 and 2024 UCI Paracycling Track World Championships, and the 2023 and 2024 UCI Para-cycling Road World Cups taking place prior to 30 June 2024. A maximum of 3 athletes per nation per sport class will score points at each of the above competitions.

The factor used to calculate the number of male qualification slots allocated through the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking Allocation method will be determined by adding the ranking points of all NPCs on the UCI Para-cycling Ranking closing 30 June 2024, and then dividing the total by the number of available male qualification slots. Each NPC's points will then be divided by this factor to calculate the number of male qualification slots for each NPC, up to a maximum of thirteen (13).

The factor used to calculate the number of female qualification slots allocated through the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking Allocation method will be determined by adding the ranking points of all NPCs on the UCI Para-cycling Ranking closing 30 June 2024, and then dividing the total by the number of available female qualification

88 male athletes

47 female athletes

	slots. Each NPC's points will then be divided by this factor to calculate the number of female qualification slots for each NPC, up to a maximum of seven (7).	
	UCI reserves the right to make minor adjustments to the factor in order to achieve the intended total allocation of male and female qualification slots. In most instances the allocation figure will be rounded up to the next whole number. However, at UCI's discretion allocation figures with .40 or below may be rounded down.	
Bipartite Commission	Five (5) eligible male athletes and five (5) eligible female athletes will receive Bipartite Commission	5 male athletes
Invitation Allocation	Invitation slots. To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to UCI by 1 July 2024.	5 female athletes
Total		140 male athletes
		80 female athletes

# **TIMELINE**

1 January 2022	Start of the period for athletes to achieve performances to be recorded on the UCI Para-cycling Nations Ranking
31 December 2022	End of the period for athletes to achieve performances to be recorded on the UCI Para-cycling Nations Ranking
1 January 2023	Start of the period for athletes to achieve performances to be recorded on the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
7 June 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
30 June 2024	End of the period for athletes to achieve performances to be recorded on the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking

1 July 2024	UCI notifies in writing to the NPCs the number of allocated qualification slots and ring-fenced positions from both Ranking Allocations
1 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to UCI
5 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to confirm in writing to UCI the use of allocated qualification slots and ring-fenced positions
10 July 2024	UCI confirms in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots and the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitations
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 5 July 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to UCI in writing (only emails are accepted) the qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their qualification slots, and UCI may reallocate these slots.

By 10 July 2024 UCI will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 10 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quotas granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use some or all of its allocated qualification slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and UCI.

## **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slots that are not used by an NPC will be reallocated via the Bipartite Invitation Commission Allocation method.

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# **MEDAL EVENTS**

TRACK EVENTS			
Men	Women	Mixed	
C 1-2-3 Kilo*	C 1-2-3 500m*	C 1-5 Team sprint	
C 4-5 Kilo*	C 4-5 500m*	·	
C 1 Pursuit	C 1-2-3 Pursuit		
C 2 Pursuit	C 4 Pursuit		
C 3 Pursuit	C 5 Pursuit		
C 4 Pursuit	B Kilo		
C 5 Pursuit	B Pursuit		
B Kilo			
B Pursuit			
	ROAD EVENTS		
	Road Race		
Men	Women	Mixed	
H 1-2 Road Race	H 1-2-3-4 Road Race	H 1-5 Team Relay	
H 3 Road Race	H 5 Road Race		
H 4 Road Race	C 1-2-3 Road Race		
H 5 Road Race	C 4-5 Road Race		
C 1-2-3 Road Race	B Road Race		
C 4-5 Road Race	T 1-2 Road Race		
B Road Race			
T 1-2 Road Race			
	Time Trial		
Men	Women		
H 1 Time Trial	H 1-2-3 Time Trial*		
H 2 Time Trial	H 4-5 Time Trial*		
H 3 Time Trial	C 1-2-3 Time Trial*		
H 4 Time Trial	C 4 Time Trial		
H 5 Time Trial	C 5 Time Trial		
C 1 Time Trial	B Time Trial		
C 2 Time Trial	T 1-2 Time Trial*		
C 3 Time Trial			
C 4 Time Trial			
C 5 Time Trial			
B Time Trial			
T 1-2 Time Trial*			
* Factored events (Rules article 16.01.005)			



# **15. EQUESTRIAN**

### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
0	0	11	11
		Individual	
		Championship	
		Individual - Grade I	
		Individual - Grade II	
		Individual - Grade III	
		Individual - Grade IV	
		Individual - Grade V	
		Team Championship	
		Team - Open	
		Individual Freestyle	
		Championship	
		Individual - Grade I	
		Individual - Grade II	
		Individual - Grade III	
		Individual - Grade IV	
		Individual - Grade V	

## **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
0	0	78	78

## **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC, not to the individual athlete or team. In the case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation the qualification slot is allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

#### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of four (4) qualification slots.

#### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

• Be internationally classified with a 'Confirmed' sport class status or a 'Review' sport class status with a review date after 31 December 2024.

To be eligible for selection by an NPC, athlete/horse combinations must:

• Have achieved at least one (1) sixty-four (64) percent score at a FEI Para Equestrian 3\* or above event in an Individual or Team competition between 1 January 2022 and 31 December 2022 or have achieved at least one (1) sixty-four (64) percent score at a FEI Para Equestrian 3\* or above event in a Grand Prix Test A or Grand Prix Test B from 1 January 2023 to 19 June 2024.

#### MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

An NPC can enter a maximum of four (4) eligible athletes in Individual medal events. An NPC can enter one eligible team in the Team medal event.

For the Team medal event, three (3) athletes, who also must be entered in their respective Individual medal events, may compete for each NPC. At least one (1) team member shall be an eligible athlete in either sport class Grade I or sport class Grade II or sport class Grade III. In order to form a team, an NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per sport class.

If an NPC obtains three (3) or more individual qualification slots (by means of Regional Distribution of Individuals and/or Bipartite Commission Invitations), then all slots may be used for athletes competing only in Individual medal events if the selected athletes do not fulfil the criteria to form a team. If an NPC enters three (3) or more athletes who meet the criteria required to form a team, then that NPC must compete in the Team medal event.

# **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

Team Qualification			
METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL	
Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies four (4) athletes.	4 athletes	
	If the host country is unable to field a team by the allocation deadline of 4 March 2024, it may be allocated a maximum of two (2) slots for eligible individual athletes. In this case, remaining slots will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) on the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List.		
2022 FEI World	The top seven (7) ranked teams (not including the		
Championships	host country) at the 2022 FEI World Championships will each obtain four (4) qualification slots for their NPC.	athletes	
2023 FEI	The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) at	4 athletes	
European Championships	the 2023 FEI European Championships will obtain four (4) qualification slots for their NPC.		
FEI Para Equestrian Regional Team Ranking Allocation	The highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) on the FEI Paralympic Team Ranking List* from each of the following regions will obtain four (4) qualification slots for their NPC:  • Africa • Americas • Asia • Oceania	16 athletes	
	Should a region not have an eligible team, the relevant slots will be allocated, regardless of region, to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) on the FEI Paralympic Team Ranking List.		

FEI Para Equestrian Team Ranking List Allocation	The two (2) highest ranked teams on the FEI Paralympic Team Ranking List* (not otherwise qualified) will each obtain four qualification slots for their NPC.  *The FEI Paralympic Team Ranking List, covering	8 athletes
	the period of 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023, is a Team Ranking based on each team's best team results from two (2) qualifying events added together.	
	Individual Qualification	
METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
Para Equestrian Individual Ranking List Allocation – Regional	Only NPCs that have not earned qualification slots through any of the above allocation methods are eligible to receive qualification slots through the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List** Allocation method.	15 athletes
Distribution	**The FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List, covering the period of 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023, is an Individual Ranking based on each athlete's accumulated ranking points of a maximum of six (6) best results obtained in FEI Para Equestrian qualifying competitions.	
	The three (3) highest ranked athletes from each of the following regions each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC, irrespective of grade, and up to two (2) slots per NPC:	
	<ul> <li>Africa</li> <li>Americas</li> <li>Asia</li> <li>Europe</li> <li>Oceania</li> </ul>	
	Should a region not have eligible athletes, the relevant slots will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC on the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List regardless of region.	

Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	Three (3) eligible athletes will be considered by the FEI and IPC for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots. To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation the FEI must receive an official application in writing from the relevant NPC by 18 March 2024. In case not all Bipartite slots are allocated, the remaining slots will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC on the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List.	
Total		78 athletes

# **TIMELINE**

1 January 2022	Start of the period for athlete/horse combinations to attain a minimum eligibility score	
6-14 August 2022	FEI Para Dressage World Championships, Herning, Denmark	
15 December 2022	FEI to publish the list of Qualifying Events counting for FEI Paralympic Ranking Lists in 2023	
1 January 2023	Start of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the FEI Paralympic Team and Individual Ranking Lists	
4-10 September 2023	FEI Para Dressage European Championships, Riesenbeck, Germany	
31 December 2023	End of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the FEI Paralympic Team and Individual Ranking Lists	
19 February 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process	
4 March 2024	FEI notifies the NPCs in writing about the number of allocated qualification slots	
18 March 2024	NPCs confirm in writing the use of allocated qualification slots	
18 March 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to FEI	

25 March 2024	FEI confirms in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots and the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitations
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
19 June 2024	End of the period for athlete/horse combinations to attain a minimum eligibility score
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 18 March 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to FEI in writing (fax and email are accepted) the number of qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not replied by this date will have lost their qualification slots, and FEI may reallocate these slots.

By 25 March 2024 FEI will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 25 March 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and FEI.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

After the deadline of 18 March 2024, any qualification slots that are not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated as follows:

### Unused team slots

An NPC can accept three or four team quota slots. If an NPC does not use all of its allocated team quota slots (either three or four athletes), the NPC may then participate with a maximum of two (2) athletes exclusively in Individual competition. The unused slot(s) will go to the next highest ranked NPC on the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List, not otherwise qualified via any team qualification method, maximum two (2) per NPC.

#### Unused individual slots

Should an NPC not use all of its allocated quota slots for individual athletes, the slot(s) will be reallocated to the next highest ranked NPC on the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List not otherwise qualified, maximum two (2) per NPC.

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# **16. GOALBALL**

### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
1	1	0	2
Men's 8-team Tournament	Women's 8-team Tournament		

### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
48	48	0	96

Eight (8) teams per gender with six (6) players per team.

### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the team or any individual athlete.

## **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can qualify no more than one (1) men's team and one (1) women's team, comprising a total of six (6) male and six (6) female qualification slots.

## **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

 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 2025 or later.

## **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of six (6) eligible male athletes for the men's tournament and a maximum of six (6) eligible female athletes for the women's tournament.

# **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2022 IBSA Goalball World Championships Allocation	The top two (2) ranked teams of the men's competition each obtain one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.  The top two (2) ranked teams of the women's competition each obtain one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.	12 male athletes 12 female athletes
2023/24 Regional Qualifier Allocation	The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the men's competition in each of the following 2023/24 IBSA Goalball Regional Championships obtain qualification slots for their NPCs as indicated:  • Americas - one (1) team  • Asia/Pacific - one (1) team  • Europe (Group A) - one (1) team  • Africa - one (1) team	24 male athletes 24 female athletes
	The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the women's competition in each of the following 2023/24 IBSA Goalball Regional Championships obtain qualification slots for their NPCs as indicated:  • Americas - one (1) team  • Asia/Pacific - one (1) team  • Europe (Group A) - one (1) team  • Africa - one (1) team	
	In the case that a Region does not host a Championships, the available slots will be allocated via the 2023 IBSA Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament Allocation method regardless of region.	
2023 IBSA Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament Allocation	The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the men's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.  The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the women's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.	6 male athletes 6 female athletes

Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies one (1) men's team and one (1) women's team.	6 male athletes
	Should the host country achieve any direct team qualification slot at the 2022 World Championships the vacant slot(s) will be allocated via the 2023 IBSA Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament Allocation method.	6 female athletes
	Should the host country achieve any direct team qualification slot at their 2023 Regional Championships, the vacant slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) in that competition.	
Total		48 male athletes
		48 female athletes

# **TIMELINE**

5-17 December 2022	2022 IBSA Goalball World Championships, Matosinhos, Portugal
18-27 August 2023	2023 IBSA Goalball Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament, Birmingham, UK
10-19 November 2023	2023 IBSA Goalball Asia/Pacific Championships, Hangzhou, China
17-26 November 2023	2023 Parapan American Games, Santiago, Chile
6-17 December 2023	2023 IBSA Goalball European Championships (Group A), Podgorica, Montenegro
8-15 December 2023	2023 IBSA Goalball African Championships, Cairo, Egypt
8 March 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots from World Championships.
22 March 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IBSA the use of allocated team qualification slots from World Championships.
25 March 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused team allocation slots from World Championships.

25 March 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots from Regional Qualifiers.
8 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IBSA the use of allocated team qualification slots from Regional Qualifiers.
11 April 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused team allocation slots from Regional Qualifiers.
11 April 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots from Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament.
25 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IBSA the use of allocated team qualification slots from Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament.
29 April 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of all remaining unused team allocation slots.
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List").
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs.

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By the dates published herein each NPC must confirm to IBSA in writing (only email is accepted) if they wish to use their allocated slots. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their team qualification slots, and IBSA may reallocate these slots.

By the dates published herein IBSA will confirm in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots.

By 29 April 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quota for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated team qualification slot(s) may be subject to sanctions by IPC and IBSA.

## **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any team qualification slots allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) at the respective competition where it was obtained. Should the host country not use any of its allocated slots, the slot will be reallocated to the highest ranked NPC

(not otherwise qualified) at the 2022 IBSA Goalball World Championships regardless of region.

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# 17. PARA JUDO

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
8	8	0	16
- 60kg J1	- 48kg J1		
- 73kg J1	- 57kg J1		
- 90kg J1	- 70kg J1		
+ 90kg J1	+ 70kg J1		
- 60kg J2	- 48kg J2		
- 73kg J2	- 57kg J2		
- 90kg J2	- 70kg J2		
+ 90kg J2	+ 70kg J2		

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
62	56	30	148

### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC. In the case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation the qualification slot is also allocated to the individual athlete not to the NPC.

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can be allocated a maximum of eight (8) male qualification slots and a maximum of eight (8) female qualification slots for a total of sixteen (16) qualification slots with a maximum of one (1) slot allowed per medal event.

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

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

To be eligible for competition athletes must:

be born before 1 January 2011;

- have competed in at least one (1) international, sanctioned IBSA competition which provides Paralympic Ranking Points between 1 September 2022 and 24 June 2024; and
- 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 2025 or later.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) eligible athlete per individual event with exceptions granted to Bipartite invitees. NPCs may only enter an athlete in the medal event in which the athlete has obtained a qualification slot.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATIO	N			TOTAL
Paralympic Ranking List Allocation	The top ranked male and female athletes in each medal event regardless of sport class on the IBSA Judo Paralympic Ranking List closing 24 June 2024 obtain a qualification slot for their respective NPC according to the following matrix:			54 male athletes 48 female athletes	
	Men	Slots	Women	Slots	
	- 60kg J1	7	- 48kg J1	6	
	- 73kg J1	7	- 57kg J1	6	
	- 90kg J1	6	- 70kg J1	6	
	+ 90kg J1	6	+ 70kg J1	6	
	- 60kg J2	7	- 48kg J2	6	
	- 73kg J2	7	- 57kg J2	6	
	- 90kg J2	7	- 70kg J2	6	
	+ 90kg J2	7	+ 70kg J2	6	

Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies one (1) athlete in each medal event for which the host country has entered at least one (1) athlete in the 2022 IBSA Judo World Championships. Host country slots will be allocated to the highest-ranked athlete from the host country (not otherwise qualified) on the IBSA Judo Paralympic Ranking List closing 24 June 2024.  Any unused host country slots will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.	8 male athletes 8 female athletes
Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	Thirty (30) athletes will be selected by IBSA and the IPC for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.  To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to IBSA by 8 July 2024.	30 athletes
Total		62 male slots 56 female slots 30
		gender- free slots

## **TIMELINE**

1 September 2022	Start of the period for performances, at dedicated IBSA events, to be recorded on the IBSA Judo Paralympic Ranking List
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
24 June 2024	End of the period for performances to be recorded on the IBSA Judo Paralympic Ranking List
24 June 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
1 July 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification and host country slots

8 July 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IBSA the use of allocated qualification and host country slots
8 July 2024	Deadline to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to IBSA
15 July 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused qualification slots
15 July 2024	IBSA confirms in writing the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 8 July 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to IBSA in writing (only email is accepted) if they wish to use their allocated slots. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their team qualification slots, and IBSA may reallocate these slots.

By 15 July 2024 IBSA will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 15 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and IBSA.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slots allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the highest ranked athlete in the same medal event (whose NPC is not otherwise qualified) on the IBSA Judo Paralympic Ranking List closing 24 June 2024.

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# 18. PARA POWERLIFTING

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
10	10	0	20
- 49.00kg	- 41.00kg		
- 54.00kg	- 45.00kg		
- 59.00kg	- 50.00kg		
- 65.00kg	- 55.00kg		
- 72.00kg	- 61.00kg		
- 80.00kg	- 67.00kg		
- 88.00kg	- 73.00kg		
- 97.00kg	- 79.00kg		
- 107.00kg	- 86.00kg		
+ 107.00kg	+ 86.00kg		

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
80	80	20	180

#### **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 eight (8) male and eight (8) female qualification slots. Exceptions may be granted through the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

1. hold an active World Para Powerlifting Athlete License for the 2022, 2023 and 2024 seasons;

- 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 2025 or later:
- 3. have completed all the requirements set out in the "World Para Powerlifting Qualification Pathway 2021-2024". Qualification Pathway requirements include mandatory participation in the following World Para Powerlifting Recognised Competitions:
  - 2021 World Championships or Junior World Championships;
  - 2022 respective Regional Championships;
  - 2023 World Championships or Junior World Championships; and
  - Two (2) World Para Powerlifting Sanctioned Competitions between 1
     January 2024 and 30 June 2024 (inclusive) and;
- 4. be ranked in the World Para Powerlifting Preliminary Paralympic ranking list closing 26 June 2024 (inclusive).

Exceptions may be granted to criteria 3 and 4 through the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC may enter a maximum of one (1) eligible athlete per medal event. Exceptions may be granted through the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
Paralympic Ranking List Allocation	The top eight (8) ranked male athletes and top eight (8) ranked female athletes in each medal event on the World Para Powerlifting Paralympic Ranking List closing 26 June 2024 will obtain one (1) qualification slot.  In case an NPC is represented in more than eight (8) bodyweight categories in either gender of the World Para Powerlifting Preliminary Paralympic Ranking List closing 26 June 2024, the NPC must nominate which eight (8) athletes per gender should be offered a qualification slot.	80 male athletes 80 female athletes

Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	Twenty (20) eligible athletes will be selected by the IPC and World Para Powerlifting for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.  To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application to World Para Powerlifting by 9 July 2024.	20 athletes
Total		180 athletes

# **TIMELINE**

1 March 2022	Start of the period for athletes to achieve performances for the Preliminary Paralympic Ranking List.
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List").
26 June 2024	End of the period for athletes to achieve performances for the Preliminary Paralympic Ranking List.
28 June 2024	World Para Powerlifting update the Preliminary Paralympic Rankings List.
3 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs with athletes ranked in more than one bodyweight category and/or more than eight (8) athletes per gender ranked in the top 8 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 eight (8) athletes per gender they wish to be allocated a qualification slot. If an NPC fails to submit this declaration, World Para Powerlifting will take this decision with no opportunity for protest or appeal, based on the results of the most recent competition.
5 July 2024	World Para Powerlifting publishes the Paralympic Ranking List.
5 July 2024	World Para Powerlifting confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of Paralympic Ranking List qualification slots.
5 July 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation process

9 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to confirm in writing to World Para Powerlifting the acceptance of qualification slots.
9 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite Invitation application to WPPO.
12 July 2024	World Para Powerlifting confirms in writing to NPCs the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 9 July 2024 each NPC must confirm in writing by email to World Para Powerlifting, the qualification slots that they will accept. NPCs that fail to respond by this date will automatically lose their qualification slots, and World Para Powerlifting may reallocate these slots.

By 12 July 2024 World Para Powerlifting will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 12 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use some or all of its allocated qualification slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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# **19. PARA ROWING**

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
1	1	3	5
PR1M1x	PR1W1x	PR2Mix2x	
		PR3Mix2x	
		PR3Mix4+	

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
52	52	0	104*

<sup>\*</sup>Does not include coxswains. Coxswains may be either male or female and there will be one coxswain per qualified coxed four.

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can be allocated no more than one (1) boat per medal event for a maximum allocation of five (5) male and five (5) female qualification slots (excluding coxswains).

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

 be internationally classified either with a 'Confirmed' sport class status or a 'Review' sport class status with a review date after 31 December 2024.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) boat per medal event and may select a maximum of:

- one (1) male athlete for the Single Sculls PR1M1x medal event;
- one (1) female athlete for the Single Sculls PR1W1x medal event;
- one (1) male and one (1) female athlete for the Double Sculls PR2Mix2x medal event;

- one (1) male and one (1) female athlete for the Double Sculls PR3Mix2x medal event; and
- two (2) male and two (2) female athletes for the Coxed Fours PR3Mix4+ medal event.

## **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2023 World Rowing Championships Allocation	The highest ranked boats in each medal event at the 2023 World Rowing Championships will qualify according to the number of quota places indicated below:	30 male athletes 30 female
	<ul> <li>PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1M1x): 7</li> <li>PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1W1x): 7</li> <li>PR2 Mixed Double Sculls (PR2Mix2x): 6</li> <li>PR3 Mixed Double Sculls (PR3Mix2x): 5</li> <li>PR3 Mixed Coxed Fours (PR3Mix4+): 6</li> </ul>	athletes
Continental Qualification	The highest ranked boat in each of the following medal events shall qualify:	8 male athletes
Regattas	<ul> <li>PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1M1x)</li> <li>PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1W1x)</li> <li>PR3 Mixed Double Sculls (PR3Mix2x)</li> </ul>	8 female athletes
	Continental Qualification Regattas shall be held for the following continental groupings:  • Africa  • Americas  • Asia and Oceania  • Europe	
	In case only one boat is entered in an event at a Continental Qualification Regatta, the respective qualification slot will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method and no boat would qualify from that Continental Qualification Regatta in this particular medal event. A race would not be held for Continental Qualification to the Paralympic Games with only one (1) boat. In case a Continental Qualification Regatta is not held the respective slots will be allocated to the highest ranked NPC from that region at the	

	2023 World Rowing Championships, up to a maximum of one (1) slot per NPC. If an NPC would achieve more than one (1) qualifying slot, then the NPC must select the boat that will qualify for the Paralympic Games. Only those NPCs that have not yet qualified any slots at the 2023 World Rowing Championships will be considered for this allocation.  Any slots that can still not be allocated shall be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation.	
Final Paralympic Qualification Regatta Allocation	The highest ranked boats at the Final Paralympic Qualification Regatta will qualify according to the number of quota places indicated below:  • PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1M1x): 1 boat • PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1W1x): 1 boat • PR2 Mixed Double Sculls (PR2Mix2x): 2 boats • PR3 Mixed Double Sculls (PR3Mix2x): 1 boat • PR3 Mixed Coxed Fours (PR3Mix4+): 2 boats	8 male athletes 8 female athletes
	In case the Final Paralympic Qualification Regatta is not held the respective slots will be allocated, in the same medal events, to the highest ranked eligible NPCs at the 2023 World Rowing Championships.	
Host Country Allocation	In the case that it does not qualify a boat at the 2023 World Rowing Championships or the relevant Continental Qualification Regatta, the Host Country may be allocated a qualification place in either the PR2Mix2x, PR3Mix2x, or the PR3Mix4+ event.	2 male athletes 2 female athletes
	In the case that the Host Country is allocated a boat, the allocation should be in the medal event in which the Host Country has participated in/is ranked highest at the 2023 World Rowing Championships.	
	Any unused Host Country slots will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation (see below).	

Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	Four (4) eligible male athletes and four (4) eligible female athletes will be considered by the IPC and World Rowing for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots in the PR3Mix4+, PR3Mix2x, and/or the PR2Mix2x. To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to World Rowing by 9 June 2024.	4 male athletes 4 female athletes
Total		52 male athletes 52 female athletes

#### **QUALIFICATION PRINCIPLES**

Only those countries that have not qualified any boats at the 2023 World Rowing Championships shall be eligible to participate in the Continental Qualification Regattas. There will be no restriction on who may participate in the Final Qualification Regatta. This means that those NPCs that have participated in the Continental Qualification Regatta in an event but not qualified may compete again in the same event at the Final Qualification Regatta.

An eligible NPC may only enter one (1) boat per event at the relevant Continental Qualification Regatta and at the Final Qualification Regatta.

An NPC will be allowed to qualify a maximum of one (1) boat through the Continental Qualification Regatta. If an NPC achieves more than one qualifying place at a Continental Qualification Regatta, it is the highest-ranking boat from the NPC that qualifies for the Paralympic Games. If two boats have equal rank in qualifying places, then the NPC must select the boat that will qualify for the Paralympic Games.

In the case where two boats from an NPC achieve a qualifying place at the Continental Qualification Regatta, the qualification place of the boat that is not selected by the NPC to qualify for the Paralympic Games passes to the next highest ranked boat in that event.

There shall be no restriction on the number of boats which an NPC may qualify at the 2023 World Rowing Championships and the Final Qualification Regatta up to the entry limit of one boat per NPC per medal event at the Paralympic Games.

# **TIMELINE**

3-10 September 2023	2023 World Rowing Championships, Belgrade, Serbia
22 September 2023	World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the number of allocated qualification slots from World
	Rowing Championships
6 October 2023	NPCs confirm in writing to World Rowing the use of allocated qualification slots from World Rowing Championships
23-26 October 2023	Africa Continental Qualification Regatta, Tunis, Tunisia
14-17 March 2024	Americas Continental Qualification Regatta, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
19-21 April 2024	Asia & Oceania Continental Qualification Regatta, Chungju, Korea
25-28 April 2024	Europe Continental Qualification Regatta, Szeged, Hungary
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
3 May 2024	World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the number of allocated qualification slots from all Continental Qualification Regattas
17 May 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to World Rowing the use of allocated qualification slots from all Continental Qualification Regattas
17 May 2024	Start of Bipartite application process
19-21 May 2024	2024 Final Paralympic Qualification Regatta, Lucerne, Switzerland
26 May 2024	World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the number of allocated qualification slots from the Final Qualification Regatta
9 June 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite applications to World Rowing
9 June 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to World Rowing the use of allocated qualification slots from the Final Qualification Regatta

16 June 2024 World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the

reallocation of unused qualification slots

30 June 2024 World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the

awarding of Bipartite invitations

5 August 2024 Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to

receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 6 October 2023 each qualified NPC must confirm to World Rowing in writing (fax and email are accepted) the qualification slots from World Championships they will use. By 17 May 2024, each qualified NPC must confirm to World Rowing in writing the qualification slots from Continental Qualification Regattas they will use. By 9 June 2024, each qualified NPC must confirm to World Rowing in writing the qualification slots from the Final Qualification Regatta they will use. NPCs that have not responded by these dates will lose their qualification slots, and World Rowing may reallocate these slots.

By 16 June 2024 World Rowing will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 30 June 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quotas granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use some or all of its allocated qualification slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and World Rowing.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slots that are not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked and not otherwise qualified NPC in the same medal event at the respective competition where the slot was obtained. In the case that no eligible athletes are available for reallocation at the respective competition, any unused slots will be reallocated by the Bipartite Invitation Commission.

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# **20. SHOOTING PARA SPORT**

### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
3	3	7	13
Rifle	Rifle	Rifle	
R1 - 10m Air Rifle Standing SH1	R2 - 10m Air Rifle Standing SH1	R3 - 10m Air Rifle Prone SH1	
R7 - 50m Rifle 3 positions SH1	R8 - 50m Rifle 3 positions SH1	R4 - 10m Air Rifle Standing SH2	
		R5 - 10m Air Rifle Prone SH2	
		R6 - 50m Rifle Prone SH1	
		R9 - 50m Rifle Prone SH2	
Pistol	Pistol	Pistol	
P1 - 10m Air Pistol SH1	P2 - 10m Air Pistol SH1	P3 - 25m Pistol SH1	
		P4 - 50m Pistol SH1	

#### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total			
45	60	55	160			

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the individual athlete, with the exception of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots which are allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

#### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC can be allocated a maximum total of twelve (12) qualification slots, with a maximum of eight (8) slots for male athletes or eight (8) slots for female athletes.

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- hold a World Shooting Para Sport (WSPS) Athlete License for the 2024 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 2025 or later; and
- 3. have achieved the following Minimum Qualification Scores (MQS) at two (2) WSPS Recognised Competitions (WSPS Championships, WSPS Sanctioned Competitions, WSPS Approved Competitions or IPC Games) in the same medal event between 1 January 2022 and 15 July 2024 (inclusive):

RIFLE	
Event	Score
R1 - 10m Air Rifle Standing (SH1)	600.0
R2 - 10m Air Rifle Standing (SH1)	595.0
R3 - 10m Air Rifle Prone (SH1)	625.0
R4 - 10m Air Rifle Standing (SH2)	620.0
R5 - 10m Air Rifle Prone (SH2)	628.0
R6 - 50m Rifle Prone (SH1)	610.0
R7 - 50m Rifle 3 x 40 (SH1)	1110
R8 - 50m Rifle 3 x 40 (SH1)	1050
R9 - 50m Rifle Prone (SH2)	610.0

PISTOL	
Event	Score
P1 - 10m Air Pistol (SH1)	547
P2 - 10m Air Pistol (SH1)	510
P3 - 25m Sport Pistol (SH1)	540
P4 - 50m Pistol (SH1)	510

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC may enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per medal event.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

An athlete may only obtain one (1) qualification slot for his/her NPC. An NPC may obtain a maximum of two (2) qualification slots per medal event across all Qualification Competitions. The maximum number of events that an athlete may compete in is three (3).

Direct slots may be obtained at the 2022 & 2023 WSPS World Championships, at five (5) Regional Qualification Tournaments and at three (3) WSPS Shooting World Cups in 2022-2024 designated as Qualifiers for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games, as set out below ("Qualification Competitions"). A direct slot may only be obtained if the result is equal to or higher than the Minimum Qualification Score (MQS) in that medal event. Any slot that cannot be allocated due to this restriction will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method. Direct slots are obtained in chronological order at each Qualification Competition.

Direct slots are gender-specific or gender-free and qualify for entry in the medal event at the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games in which they were originally obtained. Athletes may enter additional medal events, if they have achieved a Minimum Qualification Score (MQS) in the respective medal events in at least one (1) WSPS Recognised Competition between 1 January 2022 and 15 July 2024.

If any Qualification Competition does not take place, WSPS may identify an alternative competition to designate as a replacement Qualification Competition at its discretion. Any direct slots not allocated by 25 June 2024 will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation allocation method.

The distribution of direct slots is detailed in the following table (subject to the full details set out below):

Paris 2024 Paralympic Games	R1	R2		R3			R4			R5			R6		R7	R8		R9		P1	P2		РЗ			P4		- ш	_ =	œ¹	
Event	Male	Female	Male	Female	ñ	Male	Female	15	Male	Female	G.	Male	Female	GF	Male	Female	Male	Female	GF	Male	Female	Male	Female	Ω.	Male	Female	ng.	Total MALE slots	Total FEMALE slots	GENDER	TOTAL Slots
2022 World Cup France	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	7	7	18
2022 Al Ain World Championships	2	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	2	2	0	1	1	2	2	0	1	2	2	2	1	8	13	10	31
2023 World Cup Korea	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	2	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	8	8	3	19
2023 Rotterdam European Para Championships	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	6
2023 World Championships	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	2	2	2	0	0	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	8	13	12	33
2022 Hangzhou Asian Para Games	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	4	8
2023 Santiago Parapan American Games	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	4
2024 World Cup India	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	7	8	20
2024 Granada European Championships	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	2	6	10
			1	3	8	2	5	7	2	4	8	1	5	8			1	4	6			2	3	8	3	3	7				
Per event totals	10	10		12			14			14			14		9	9		11		10	10		13			13					
												Bipartite commission slots						3	3	3	9										
												Host Country slots									1	1	0	2							
																												45	60	55	160

# Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2022 World Cup Allocation (France) Direct slots	Rifle In the R1 and R2 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	4 male athletes 7 female athletes
	In the R3 and R4 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	7 gender free
	In the R5, R6, and R9 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	In the R7 and R8 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	Pistol In the P1 and P2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	In the P3 and P4 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	

	regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  In the R4 and R9 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  In the R5 and R6 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  Pistol  In the P1 and P2 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  In the P3 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  In the P4 medal event, the top two (2) ranked male athletes, the top two (2) ranked female athletes, and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified)	free
	athletes, and the top two (2) ranked athletes	
2023 World Cup Allocation (Korea) Direct slots	Rifle In the R1 and R2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal	8 male athletes 8 female athletes

	event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	3 gender free
	In the R3 event, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	In the R4, R5, R6, and R9 medal events, the top one (1) ranked male athlete and the top one (1) ranked female athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	In the R7 and R8 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	Pistol In the P1 and P2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	In the P3 and P4 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
2023 European	Rifle	3 male
Para Championships (Netherlands) Direct slots	In the R1 and R2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	athletes 3 female athletes
	In the R4 event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete and the top one (1) ranked female athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
	Pistol In the P1 and P2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	

# 2023 World Championships Allocation (Peru)

#### **Direct slots**

#### Rifle

In the R1, R2, R7, and R8 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the R3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the R4, R5, and R6 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the R9 medal event, the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

#### **Pistol**

In the P1 and P2 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the P3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete, the top two (2) ranked female athletes, and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the P4 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete, the top one (1) ranked female athlete, and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

8 male athletes

13 female athletes

12 gender free

2022 Asian Para Games Allocation (China) Direct slots	Rifle In the R1 and R2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC. In the R3, R5, and R6 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  Pistol In the P1 and P2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  In the P4 event, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified)	2 male athletes 2 female athletes 4 gender free
2023 Parapan American Games Allocation (Chile) Direct slots	in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  Rifle In the R3 and R4 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  Pistol In the P1 and P2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	1 male athletes 1 female athletes 2 gender free
2024 World Cup Allocation (India) Direct slots	Rifle In the R1, R2, R7, and R8 medal events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC. In the R3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete, the top one (1) ranked female athlete, and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	5 male athletes 7 female athletes 8 gender free

In the R4 medal event, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the R5 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the R6 and R9 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

#### **Pistol**

In the P1 and P2 medal events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the P3 and P4 medal events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

# 2024 European Championships Allocation (Spain)

## **Direct slots**

### Rifle

In the R7 and R8 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the R3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

In the R5, R6, and R9 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.

#### **Pistol**

2 male athletes

2 female athletes

6 gender free

	In the P3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  In the P4 event, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	
Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies one (1) eligible male athlete and one (1) eligible female athlete.  Should the host country obtain any direct allocation slot(s), the respective host country slot(s) will be reallocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.	1 male athlete 1 female athlete
Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	Nine (9) Bipartite Commission Invitation slots will be made available for eligible athletes, together with any other slots to be reallocated through this method in accordance with the terms of these Qualification Regulations. Three (3) male, three (3) female, and one (1) gender free slot are reserved for eligible athletes from any country.	3 male athletes 3 female athletes 3 gender free
	One (1) gender free slot will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method to an eligible athlete from Oceania.	
	One (1) gender free slot will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method to an eligible athlete from Africa.	
	To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to WSPS by 5 July 2024.	
Total		45 male athletes
		60 female athletes
		55 gender free

## **TIMELINE**

1 January 2022	Start of period for athletes to achieve MQS performances		
4-13 June 2022	2022 WSPS World Cup, Chateauroux, France		
3-18 November 2022	2022 WSPS World Championships, Al Ain, UAE		
22-31 May 2023	2023 WSPS World Cup, Changwon, Korea		
15-21 August 2023	2023 European Para Championships, Rotterdam, Netherlands		
19-29 Sep. 2023	2023 WSPS World Championships, Lima, Peru		
22-28 October 2023	Hangzhou 2022 Asian Para Games, China		
17-25 November 2023	Santiago 2023 Parapan American Games, Chile		
6-15 March 2024	2024 WSPS World Cup, New Delhi, India		
30 May - 7 June 2024	2024 WSPS European Championships, Granada, Spain		
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")		
21 June 2024	Start of Bipartite application process		
25 June 2024	WSPS confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots		
5 July 2024	NPCs confirm to WSPS in writing the use of allocated slots		
5 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite applications to WSPS		
9 July 2024	WSPS confirms in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots		
9 July 2024	WSPS confirms in writing the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitations		
15 July 2024	End of the period for athletes to achieve MQS performances		
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs		

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 5 July 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to World Shooting Para Sport (WSPS) in writing (email is accepted) the number of qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their qualification slots, and WSPS may reallocate these slots.

By 9 July 2024 WSPS will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 9 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quota granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use some or all of its allocated qualification slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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# 21. PARA SWIMMING

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
71	64	6	141

Detailed medal events and MQS/MET list at the end of this chapter

### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
325	280	0	605

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the individual athlete, with the exception of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots which are allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

To ensure all medal events on the program are viable at the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games World Para Swimming ("WPS") reserves the right to allocate slots to the exclusive use of certain sport classes determined by WPS, for example for athletes with high support needs. The slot shall be used as allocated or the NPC must return the slot to WPS.

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can be allocated a maximum of thirty-four (34) male qualification slots and a maximum of twenty-eight (28) female qualification slots for a maximum total of sixty-two (62) qualification slots per NPC. 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 a World Para Swimming Athlete License for the 2024 season;
- 2. be internationally classified before 30 June 2024; in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later;

- 3. have achieved a Minimum Qualification Standard ("MQS") at a 50m World Para Swimming Recognised Competition (as defined in the World Para Swimming Rules & Regulations) for the respective event (including relay events) between 1 October 2022 and 28th July 2024 (inclusive);
- 4. have achieved a MQS in accordance with the World Para Swimming Athlete Registration and Licensing Regulations valid for the 2022-2024 seasons;
- 5. have competed in: (i) at least one (1) Para Swimming World Series between 1 October 2022 and 30 June 2024 (inclusive); and (ii) one (1) of the following competitions between 1 October 2022 and 30 June 2024 (inclusive):
  - any World Para Swimming World Championships;
  - any World Para Swimming Regional or Regional Open Championships;
  - 2022 Asian Para Games; or
  - 2023 Parapan American Games.

Exceptions may be granted to criteria 3, 4 and 5 (shown above) through the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

#### MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

An NPC may enter a maximum of three (3) eligible athletes per individual medal event.

NPCs may enter their eligible athletes who have met at least one (1) MQS in an unlimited number of medal events, subject to the athlete having met the Minimum Entry Time (MET) for each event entered into.

NPCs may enter a maximum of one (1) team in each relay event, subject to the MQS for that relay event having been met. All team members must have entered at least one (1) individual medal event to be selected as part of the relay team.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2023 World	The top two (2) ranked athletes at the 2023	142 male
Championships	World Para Swimming World Championships in	athletes
Allocation	each of the Individual medal events on the Paris	128 fomale
	2024 Paralympic Programme will each obtain	athletes
	one (1) qualification slot for their respective NPC.	utilietes
	In the case that an athlete is ranked first or	
	second in more than one medal event, they will	

only obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC. In the case that fewer slots are allocated through this method than available in the quota, WPS will allocate the remaining slots via the MQS Slot Allocation Method. **MQS Slot** Athletes who achieved an MQS performance at 178 male Allocation a World Para Swimming Recognised Competition athletes between 1 October 2022 and 31 January 2024 147 female but who did not obtain a slot through the 2023 athletes World Championships Allocation method for their respective NPC will be considered to determine the NPC's MQS Qualification Allocation slots. An NPC may be allocated no more than one (1) qualification slot per athlete even if the athlete has achieved an MQS in multiple events. If more athletes have achieved an MQS than the total number of qualification slots available under this method, then the qualification slots will be allocated as below. The highest ranking of the athlete in any Individual medal event on the WPS World Ranking List closing 31 January 2024 will be taken into account (weighted) to determine the final number of slots allocated to each NPC: Rank 1-8 equals 1 Rank 9-12 equals 0.8 Rank 13-16 equals 0.6 Rank above 16 equals 0.5 Male:  $A \times (B \div C) = NPC Allocation$ A: NPC's total number of male athletes with an MQS (based on the weight of their rank) who have not obtained a slot through the 2023 World Championships Allocation method. B: Total number of available male qualification slots

	<u>C:</u> Total number of male athletes with an MQS (based on the weight of their rank) who have not obtained a slot through the 2023 World Championships Allocation method.	
	Female:  D x (E ÷ F) = NPC Allocation  D: NPC's total number of female athletes with an MQS (based on the weight of their rank) who have not obtained a slot through the 2023 World Championships Allocation method.  E: Total number of available female qualification slots  F: Total number of female athletes with an MQS (based on the weight of their rank) who have not obtained a slot through the 2023 World	
	Championships Allocation method.  WPS reserves the right to round up or down in order to achieve the required allocation of qualification slots per gender.  Any qualification slot not allocated under this method will be distributed through the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.	
Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	Five (5) eligible male athletes and five (5) eligible female athletes will be considered for Bipartite Commission Invitation qualification slots.  To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation slot, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to WPS by 16 April 2024.	athletes 5 female athletes
Total		325 male athletes 280 female athletes

# **TIMELINE**

1 October 2022	Start of the period for athletes to achieve MQS performances	
1 November 2022	WPS to publish the MQS and MET levels for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games medal events programme	
31 July to 6 August 2023	2023 Para Swimming World Championships Manchester	
15 September 2023	WPS confirms in writing to NPCs the allocation of 2023 Para Swimming World Championships Allocation Slots	
29 September 2023	NPCs confirm in writing to WPS the use of 2023 World Championships Allocation Slots	
31 January 2024	End of the period for athletes to achieve MQS performances for consideration by WPS in calculating the qualification slots allocated through the MQS Slot Allocation method	
16 February 2024	Start of the Bipartite Commission Invitation application process	
16 February 2024	WPS notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of slots through the MQS Slot Allocation method	
1 March 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to WPS the use of allocated qualification slots through the MQS Slot Allocation method	
16 April 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit applications for Bipartite Commission Invitations	
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")	
28 June 2024	WPS confirms in writing the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots	
28 June 2024	WPS confirms in writing the reallocation of any unused qualification slots	
28 July 2024	End of the period for athletes to achieve MQS performances to be eligible for selection by their NPC	
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs	

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By the dates published herein each qualified NPC must confirm to WPS in writing (e-mail is accepted) if they wish to use their slots allocated through the 2023 World Championships Allocation and MQS Slot Allocation methods. NPCs that have not responded by the respective dates will lose their qualification slots, and WPS may reallocate these slots.

By 28 June 2024 WPS will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 28 June 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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# **LIST OF MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's Events (71)	Women's Events (64)	Mixed Events (6)
50m Freestyle S3	50m Freestyle S4	4x50m Freestyle 20 points
50m Freestyle S4	50m Freestyle S6	Relay
50m Freestyle S5	50m Freestyle S8	4vE0m Madley 20 paints
50m Freestyle S7	50m Freestyle S10	4x50m Medley 20 points
50m Freestyle S9	50m Freestyle S11	Relay
50m Freestyle S10	50m Freestyle S13	4x100m Freestyle S14 Relay
50m Freestyle S11	100m Freestyle S3	4x100m Freestyle \/I 40
50m Freestyle S13	100m Freestyle S5	4x100m Freestyle VI 49
100m Freestyle S4	100m Freestyle S7	points Relay
100m Freestyle S5	100m Freestyle S9	4x100m Freestyle 34 points
100m Freestyle S6	100m Freestyle S10	Relay
100m Freestyle S8	100m Freestyle S11	4v100m Madlay 24 paints
100m Freestyle S10	100m Freestyle S12	4x100m Medley 34 points
100m Freestyle S12	200m Freestyle S5	Relay
200m Freestyle S2	200m Freestyle S14	
200m Freestyle S3	400m Freestyle S6	
200m Freestyle S4	400m Freestyle S7	
200m Freestyle S5	400m Freestyle S8	
200m Freestyle S14	400m Freestyle S9	
400m Freestyle S6	400m Freestyle S10	
400m Freestyle S7	400m Freestyle S11	
400m Freestyle S8	400m Freestyle S13	
400m Freestyle S9	50m Backstroke S2	
400m Freestyle S11	50m Backstroke S3	
400m Freestyle S13	50m Backstroke S4	
50m Backstroke S1	50m Backstroke S5	
50m Backstroke S2	100m Backstroke S2	
50m Backstroke S3	100m Backstroke S6	
50m Backstroke S4	100m Backstroke S8	
50m Backstroke S5	100m Backstroke S9	
100m Backstroke S1	100m Backstroke S10	
100m Backstroke S2	100m Backstroke S11	
100m Backstroke S6	100m Backstroke S12	
100m Backstroke S7	100m Backstroke S13	
100m Backstroke S8	100m Backstroke S14	
100m Backstroke S9	50m Breaststroke SB3	
100m Backstroke S10	100m Breaststroke SB4	
100m Backstroke S11	100m Breaststroke SB5	
100m Backstroke S12	100m Breaststroke SB6	
100m Backstroke S13	100m Breaststroke SB7	
100m Backstroke S14	100m Breaststroke SB8	
50m Breaststroke SB2	100m Breaststroke SB9	
50m Breaststroke SB3	100m Breaststroke SB11	
100m Breaststroke SB4	100m Breaststroke SB12	
100m Breaststroke SB5	100m Breaststroke SB13	

Men's Events (71)	Women's Events (64)	Mixed Events (6)
100m Breaststroke SB6	100m Breaststroke SB14	
100m Breaststroke SB8	50m Butterfly S5	
100m Breaststroke SB9	50m Butterfly S6	
100m Breaststroke SB11	50m Butterfly S7	
100m Breaststroke SB13	100m Butterfly S8	
100m Breaststroke SB14	100m Butterfly S9	
50m Butterfly S5	100m Butterfly S10	
50m Butterfly S6	100m Butterfly S13	
50m Butterfly S7	100m Butterfly S14	
100m Butterfly S8	150m Individual Medley	
100m Butterfly S9	SM4	
100m Butterfly S10	200m Individual Medley	
100m Butterfly S11	SM5	
100m Butterfly S12	200m Individual Medley	
100m Butterfly S13	SM6	
100m Butterfly S14	200m Individual Medley	
150m Individual Medley	SM7	
SM3	200m Individual Medley	
150m Individual Medley	SM8	
SM4	200m Individual Medley	
200m Individual Medley	SM9	
SM6	200m Individual Medley	
200m Individual Medley	SM10	
SM7	200m Individual Medley	
200m Individual Medley	SM11	
SM8	200m Individual Medley	
200m Individual Medley	SM13	
SM9	200m Individual Medley	
200m Individual Medley	SM14	
SM10		
200m Individual Medley		
SM11		
200m Individual Medley		
SM13		
200m Individual Medley		
SM14		



# Paris 2024 Paralympic Games - MQS and MET

Events	Class	Men		Women	
		MQS	MET	MQS	MET
50m Freestyle	S3	00:54.92	00:59.22	N/A	N/A
	S4	00:40.63	00:43.24	00:44.50	00:49.93
	S5	00:35.15	00:35.96	N/A	N/A
	S6	N/A	N/A	00:35.69	00:37.63
	S7	00:29.48	00:31.76	N/A	N/A
	S8	N/A	N/A	00:33.03	00:34.48
	S9	00:26.29	00:26.62	N/A	N/A
	S10	00:25.49	00:25.72	00:28.88	00:29.41
	S11	00:27.69	00:28.25	00:33.13	00:34.99
	S13	00:24.96	00:25.34	00:28.57	00:29.07
100m Freestyle	S3	N/A	N/A	02:37.18	04:30.36
	S4	01:33.79	01:38.42	N/A	N/A
	S5	01:18.77	01:20.46	01:32.01	01:40.09
	S6	01:09.34	01:11.35	N/A	N/A
	S7	N/A	N/A	01:16.07	01:18.69
	S8	01:00.72	01:01.61	N/A	N/A
	S9	N/A	N/A	01:04.77	01:05.87
	S10	00:55.75	00:56.30	01:03.43	01:04.43
	S11	N/A	N/A	01:13.90	01:15.54
	S12	00:56.97	00:58.29	01:05.79	01:08.42
200m Freestyle	S2	05:00.25	05:52.51	N/A	N/A
	S3	04:10.92	04:39.21	N/A	N/A
	S4	03:20.72	03:31.99	N/A	N/A
	S5	02:56.38	03:02.47	03:29.29	04:02.64
	S14	01:57.95	02:00.54	02:15.56	02:17.89
400m Freestyle	S6	05:27.37	05:31.35	05:54.31	06:01.73
	S7	05:05.24	05:17.73	05:38.52	06:00.00
	S8	04:43.89	04:51.00	05:21.86	05:44.21
	S9	04:26.93	04:28.23	04:56.28	05:05.75
	S10	N/A	N/A	04:58.86	05:02.46
	S11	05:04.43	05:22.96	05:50.35	07:44.46
	S13	04:31.59	04:37.10	04:58.07	05:44.28



50m Backstroke	S1	01:53.32	01:53.32	N/A	N/A
	S2	01:09.31	01:30.58	01:55.28	01:55.28
	S3	00:56.99	01:00.49	01:13.49	02:09.11
	S4	00:49.22	00:52.01	00:54.97	01:02.11
	S5	00:39.38	00:41.79	00:48.96	00:53.88
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100m Backstroke	S1	04:05.98	04:05.98	N/A	N/A
	S2	02:28.15	03:16.21	03:54.95	03:54.95
	S6	01:21.53	01:23.70	01:30.43	01:35.53
	S7	01:15.74	01:20.26	N/A	N/A
	S8	01:10.91	01:14.35	01:24.91	01:27.32
	S9	01:06.30	01:07.60	01:16.48	01:19.85
	S10	01:04.00	01:05.79	01:14.43	01:16.22
	S11	01:12.94	01:15.63	01:24.68	01:30.38
	S12	01:09.02	01:13.72	01:20.50	01:28.73
	S13	01:03.28	01:06.22	01:12.66	01:17.17
	S14	01:02.06	01:03.07	01:12.27	01:13.93
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50m Breaststroke	SB2	01:24.25	01:42.78	N/A	N/A
	SB3	00:55.77	00:58.06	01:07.05	01:10.97
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100m Breaststroke	SB4	01:56.83	02:00.75	02:20.91	02:51.00
	SB5	01:42.49	01:46.05	02:01.79	02:11.48
	SB6	01:25.36	01:27.84	01:42.59	01:50.45
	SB7	N/A	N/A	01:43.34	01:47.16
	SB8	01:14.84	01:18.71	01:28.79	01:31.61
	SB9	01:12.19	01:14.06	01:22.51	01:25.25
	SB11	01:24.11	01:28.09	01:34.52	01:45.81
	SB12	N/A	N/A	01:29.41	01:38.06
	SB13	01:11.90	01:17.13	01:23.39	01:27.57
	SB14	01:08.69	01:10.03	01:23.30	01:25.29
		,			<u> </u>
50m Butterfly	S5	00:37.61	00:38.77	00:51.52	00:57.92
	S6	00:33.22	00:34.46	00:40.20	00:40.96
	S7	00:32.50	00:34.08	00:38.23	00:40.45
100m Butterfly	S8	01:05.27	01:07.01	01:26.93	01:34.00
-	S9	01:02.53	01:03.48	01:12.53	01:14.85
	S10	00:59.48	01:01.71	01:13.42	01:19.75
	S11	01:10.30	01:17.12	N/A	N/A
	S12	01:01.95	01:04.21	N/A	N/A
	S13	01:00.04	01:02.12	01:12.61	01:17.25
	S14	00:58.32	00:58.74	01:10.45	01:11.70



150m Individual Medley	SM3	03:44.30	04:42.88	N/A	N/A
	SM4	02:50.06	02:59.45	03:08.62	03:42.83
200m Individual Medley	SM5	N/A	N/A	04:47.34	05:15.98
	SM6	02:55.12	03:06.56	03:15.14	03:28.28
	SM7	02:45.82	02:54.49	03:12.14	03:32.77
	SM8	02:31.87	02:39.65	03:03.77	03:12.83
	SM9	02:24.20	02:25.74	02:40.96	02:46.65
	SM10	02:23.17	02:25.37	02:40.02	02:45.38
	SM11	02:40.33	02:49.86	03:03.89	03:15.69
	SM13	02:19.54	02:22.95	02:39.83	02:44.50
	SM14	02:14.06	02:16.61	02:36.45	02:38.42
Relays*					
Mixed 4x100m Freestyle 34pts		04:41.09			
Mixed 4x100m Medley 34	pts	05:31.72			
Mixed 4x100m Freestyle S14		04:23.97			
Mixed 4x100m Freestyle 49pts (VI)		04:25.09			
Mixed 4x50m Freestyle 20pts		03:02.91			
Mixed 4x50m Medley 20pts		03:37.50			

<sup>\*</sup>Relay teams can only reach MQS by swimming in the respective relay event at World Para Swimming recognized competitions.



# **22. PARA TABLE TENNIS**

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
15	14	2	31
Singles - Class 1	Singles - Classes 1-2**	Doubles - XD7	
Singles - Class 2	Singles - Class 3	Doubles - XD17	
Singles - Class 3	Singles - Class 4		
Singles - Class 4	Singles - Class 5		
Singles - Class 5	Singles - Class 6		
Singles - Class 6	Singles - Class 7		
Singles - Class 7	Singles - Class 8		
Singles - Class 8	Singles - Class 9		
Singles - Class 9	Singles - Class 10		
Singles - Class 10	Singles - Class 11		
Singles - Class 11			
Doubles - MD4	Doubles - WD5		
Doubles - MD8	Doubles - WD10		
Doubles - MD14	Doubles - WD14		
Doubles - MD18	Doubles - WD20		

<sup>\*\*</sup>Women in classes 1 and 2 will compete in a combined event but quotas for each class will be assigned separately.

## ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
166	114	0	280

## **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 a maximum of three (3) qualification slots per gender per class and a maximum of thirty-three (33) male slots and thirty (30) female slots.

#### **SUMMARY OF THE SLOTS**

The overall distribution of the slots per gender and classes will be the following:

Class	Male	Female
1	10	3
2	18	9
3	20	15
4	16	13
5	12	10
6	16	11
7	16	11
8	20	11
9	14	11
10	14	10
11	10	10
Total	166	114

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- meet the requirements of the International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF)
   Tournament Credit System in effect for the qualification period (1 January 2023 to 31 March 2024). This requirement does not apply to:
  - Athletes qualified via the World Qualification Tournament, and
  - Athletes selected by the Bipartite Commission.
- be ranked on the ITTF Para Table Tennis Ranking List of 1 April 2024
- be internationally classified with a 'Confirmed' sport class status or a 'Fixed Review Date' sport class status with a review date after 31 December 2024.

## **TOURNAMENT CREDIT SYSTEM**

Players are required to participate in a minimum number of events in the qualification period depending on the continent their NPC belongs to:

- Players from Africa, Americas, and Oceania: 2 events
- Players from Asia: 3 events
- Players from Europe: 4 events

Participation in the tournament will be counted independently by event:

- To obtain a slot through one of the single slot allocation methods, only participation in the single events will count.
- To obtain a slot through the doubles slot allocation method, only participation in the doubles events will count.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per singles event.

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible pairs per doubles event and two (2) eligible pairs per mixed doubles event, formed by two (2) eligible athletes who may also be entered in the singles events up to the limit of two (2) athletes per singles event.

## **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

The order of priority to assign the qualification slots will be the following:

- 1. VIRTUS Global Games (class 11 only)
- 2. Regional Championships
- 3. Individual World Ranking
- 4. Doubles World Ranking
- 5. World Qualification Tournament
- 6. Bipartite Invitations

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
VIRTUS Global Games 2023 Allocation	The top ranked male athlete in the singles class 11 event from the Virtus Global Games 2023 obtains one (1) slot.	1 male athlete
	The top ranked female athlete in the singles class 11 event from the Virtus Global Games 2023 obtains one (1) slot.	1 female athlete
	If the VIRTUS Global Games 2023 are not conducted, or an event is not held, the qualification slot(s) will be allocated via the ITTF PTT Ranking List Allocation method.	
2023 ITTF PTT Regional Championships Allocation	The top ranked male athlete in each singles event from the following 2023 ITTF PTT Regional Championships obtains one (1) slot:  • Africa • Americas	55 male athletes

- Asia
- Europe
- Oceania

The top ranked female athlete in each singles event (excluding WS1) from the following 2023 ITTF PTT Regional Championships obtains one (1) slot:

50 female athletes

- Africa
- Americas
- Asia
- Europe
- Oceania

Singles events at the 2023 ITTF PTT Regional Championships may include different sport class combinations from those at the Paralympic Games. In such cases, the top ranked player in the respective singles event will be allocated the 2023 ITTF PTT Regional Championships qualification slot for his/her respective sport class. For those athletes competing in the same singles event under a different sport class, the qualification slot will be allocated to the highest ranked athlete from that region on the ITTF PTT Male and Female Ranking List of 1 April 2024.

If a 2023 ITTF PTT Regional Championships is not conducted, or an event is not held, the qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the highest ranked eligible athlete from that region in the respective class on the ITTF PTT Male and Female Ranking List of 1 April 2024.

If the top ranked class 11 athlete is already qualified via the VIRTUS Global Games 2023, the Regional slot will not be assigned to the next ranked athlete, it will instead be allocated via the ITTF PTT Ranking List Allocation method.

Any slot that cannot be allocated via this method will be allocated (regardless of region) via the ITTF PTT Ranking List Allocation method.

## ITTF PTT Singles

The top ranked male athletes, not otherwise qualified, up to the established quota for the individual singles event, on the ITTF PTT Male

71 male athletes

Ranking List Allocation	Ranking Lists of 1 April 2 to the matrix below:	2024, obtain slots accordi	ng
, and cation	Individual Event	Quota	
	Class 1	3	
	Class 2	7	
	Class 3	11	
	Class 4	8	
	Class 5	4	
	Class 6	7	
	Class 7	7	
	Class 8	10	
	Class 9	6	
	Class 10	6	
	Class 11	2	
		athletes, not otherwise	
	qualified, up to the esta		24
	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	, on the ITTF PTT Female	female
	Ranking Lists of 1 April		athletes
	according to the matrix		
	Individual Event	Quota	
	Class 1	3	
	Class 2	1	
	Class 3	5	
	Class 4	3	
	Class 5	2	
	Class 6	1	
	Class 7	1	
	Class 8	1	
	Class 9	3	
	Class 10	2	
	Class 11	2	
ITTF PTT Doubles Ranking List Allocation (Men's and Women's doubles)	qualified, up to the est	e athletes, not otherwindship ablished quota on the IT aking Lists of 1 April 202 to the matrix below:	TF athletes

Doubles Event	Quota
Class 2	4
Class 3	2
Class 4	1
Class 5	1
Class 6	2
Class 7	2
Class 8	3
Class 9	1
Class 10	1

The top ranked female athletes, not otherwise qualified, up to the established quota, on the ITTF PTT Female Doubles Ranking Lists of 1 April 2024, obtain slots according to the matrix below:

19 female athletes

Doubles Event	Quota
Class 2	1
Class 3	3
Class 4	3
Class 5	1
Class 6	3
Class 7	3
Class 8	3
Class 9	1
Class 10	1

Any slot that cannot be allocated via this method will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

World
Qualification
Tournament
Allocation
(only for single events)

The top ranked athlete, not otherwise qualified, in each medal event (Women class 1 and 2 will be combined) at the World Qualification Tournament will obtain one (1) qualification slot.

If a particular medal event is not offered at the World Qualification Tournament, the respective slot will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method. If two or more classes are combined at the World Qualification Tournament, the top ranked athlete in such a combined event obtains the qualification slot in their class while the vacant slot(s) will be allocated

11 male athletes

10 female athletes

Bipartite Commission Invitation	via the Bipartite Commi method.  If the World Qualification conducted, all slots will Bipartite Commission In Eleven (11) eligible male by the IPC and ITTF for Invitation qualification	on Tournament cannot less allocated via the vitation Allocation metles athletes will be considerable artite Commission	be hod. ered	11 male athletes
Allocation	quota for the individual according to the matrix	<u> </u>		
	Individual Event	Quota		
	Class 1 Class 2	1		
	Class 2	1		
	Class 3	1		
	Class 5	1		
	Class 6	1		
	Class 7	1		
	Class 8	1		
	Class 9	1		
	Class 10	1		
	Class 11	1		
	Ten (10) eligible female by the IPC and ITTF Invitation qualification quota for the indiv according to the matrix	for Bipartite Commis slots, up to the establis idual singles event below:	sion shed	10 female athletes
	Individual Event	Quota		
	Class 1-2	1		
	Class 3	1		
	Class 4	1		
	Class 5	1		
	Class 6	1		
	Class 7 Class 8	1		
	Class 8	1		
	Class 9	1		
	Class 10	1		
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	Two (2) male and two (2) female Bipartite slots are reserved for the host country. If the host country obtains any slot(s) via the allocation methods above, the Bipartite slot reservation will automatically be reduced accordingly.  To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs (including host country) must submit an official application in writing to ITTF by 13 May 2024.	
Total		166 male athletes
		114 female athletes

## **TIMELINE**

1 January 2023	Start of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the ITTF PTT Male and Female World Ranking Lists
5-9 June 2023	2023 VIRTUS Global Games, Vichy, France.
4-9 September 2023	ITTF European Para Championships, Sheffield, Great Britain.
20-23 September 2023	ITTF African Para Championships, Giza, Egypt.
23-27 October 2023	2022 Asian Para Games, Hangzhou, China.
16-20 November 2023	2023 Parapan American Games, Santiago de Chile, Chile.
17-20 November 2023	ITTF Oceania Para Championships, Honiara, Solomon Islands.
1 January 2024	Start of period for NPCs to send by email their applications for the doubles events slots.
31 March 2024	End of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the ITTF PTT Male and Female Ranking Lists for qualification purposes
2 April 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process

5 April 2024	ITTF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots from VIRTUS Global Games, Regional Championships and World Rankings
15 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing the use of allocated qualification slots
19 April 2024	ITTF confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused qualification slots from VIRTUS Global Games, Regional Championships and World Rankings
20 April 2024	End of period for NPCs to send by email their applications for the doubles slots
22 April 2024	ITTF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of doubles slots
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
13 May 2024	Deadline to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to ITTF
23-25 May 2024	ITTF Paralympic World Qualification Tournament, Pattaya, Thailand
27 May 2024	ITTF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots from the World Qualification Tournament
3 June 2024	NPCs confirm in writing the use of qualification slots from the World Qualification Tournament.
5 June 2024	ITTF confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused qualification slots from the World Qualification Tournament
24 June 2024	ITTF confirms in writing the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots as well as the doubles and mixed doubles compositions
1 July 2024	NPCs confirm in writing the use of reallocated qualification slots and Bipartite slots as well as the doubles compositions
15 July 2024	ITTF confirms in writing to the NPCs the final competition formats for doubles and mixed doubles events

Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS

By 15 April 2024 and 3 June 2024 respectively each NPC must confirm to ITTF in writing (email is accepted) the number of qualification slots for selected players which they will use. NPCs that have not replied by these dates will have lost their qualification slots, and the ITTF may reallocate these slots.

By 5 June 2024 ITTF will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 1 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and ITTF.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slots that are not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated as follows:

Slots allocated at the 2023 VIRTUS Global Games, 2023 ITTF PTT Regional Championships or the World Qualification Tournament

Any qualification slots obtained through the individual qualification method and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete(s) from that respective competition (not otherwise qualified). If no eligible athlete is available, the slot(s) will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete(s) on the ITTF PTT Ranking List of 1 April 2024.

## Slots allocated through the ITTF PTT Singles Ranking List Allocation Method

Any qualification slots that are not used by an NPC will be reallocated by the ITTF to the next highest ranked athlete on the ITTF PTT Male and Female Singles Ranking Lists of 1 April 2024.

## Slots allocated through the ITTF PTT Doubles Ranking List Allocation Method

Any qualification slots that are not used by an NPC will be reallocated by the ITTF to the next highest ranked athlete on the ITTF PTT Male and Female Doubles Ranking Lists of 1 April 2024. If no eligible athlete is available, the slot(s) will be reallocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

#### TIE SOLVING METHOD FOR RANKING SLOTS

Qualification by Ranking will be taken from the ITTF Para Table Tennis Ranking Lists of 1 April 2024. If two or more players or pairs have the same ranking position, ties shall be broken as follows for qualification purposes:

- The ranking positions of the players or pairs in previous months until the tie is broken;
- If there is still a tie, the player or pair with more victories in the qualification period;
- If there is still a tie, the qualification slot will be decided by lot.

#### **APPLICATION FOR DOUBLES SLOTS**

An athlete can obtain a qualification slot through the men's doubles ranking or women's doubles ranking (mixed doubles ranking is not considered). Any player qualified through a doubles ranking will be allowed to play singles and vice versa.

Allocation of a qualification slot through the ITTF PTT Doubles Ranking List Allocation method as well as subsequent entry into a doubles event require an application from the players' NPC. The application period will go from 1 January 2024 until 31 May 2024.

The application must include the names of both players who will form a pair and the doubles event that they will enter. Entry permission by ITTF will be decided based on the sum of rating points of both members of the pair. No player will receive a qualification slot through the ITTF PTT Doubles Ranking List Allocation method if he or she does not have a partner designated by their NPC.

For each athlete, there is one preferred doubles event that the athlete may enter based on the athlete's sport class. The table of priorities is the following:

Male	Event with priority
doubles	
Class 2	MD4
Class 3	MD4
Class 4	MD8
Class 5	MD8
Class 6	MD14
Class 7	MD14
Class 8	MD14
Class 9	MD18
Class 10	MD18

Female doubles	Event with priority
Class 2	WD5
Class 3	WD5
Class 4	WD5
Class 5	WD10
Class 6	WD14
Class 7	WD14
Class 8	WD14
Class 9	WD20
Class 10	WD20

Doubles entries shall be awarded to players who intend to enter in the prioritised event. If there are not enough applications for a particular prioritised event, the doubles entries shall be awarded to players who have applied to enter other events.

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## 23. PARA TAEKWONDO

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
5	5	0	10
K44 - 58kg	K44 - 47kg		
K44 - 63kg	K44 - 52kg		
K44 - 70kg	K44 - 57kg		
K44 - 80kg	K44 - 65kg		
K44 + 80kg	K44 + 65kg		

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total	
60	60	0	120	

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

An athlete may only obtain a maximum of one (1) qualification slot. The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC, not to an individual athlete. Any slot obtained through the Paralympic Ranking List allocation method (including reallocation) must be filled by an athlete who is ranked in the top-20 of the respective sport class and weight category on the World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking list at one point between 1 January 2024 and 1 May 2024.

In the case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation the slot is allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

#### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of five (5) male and five (5) female qualification slots for a maximum total of ten (10) slots as long as all of these slots are earned through the Paralympic Ranking List allocation method. An NPC can only earn one (1) slot per medal event. An NPC obtaining slots through the Continental Qualifier Allocation method can only be allocated a maximum of three (3) male and three (3) female qualification slots for a maximum total of six (6) slots.

Exceptions may be made via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- hold a WT Global Athlete License for the year 2024;
- 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 2025 or later;
- hold a WT recognized Dan certificate;
- be at least sixteen (16) years of age by 31 December 2024; and
- have competed in at least three (3) World Para Taekwondo Ranking competition between January 1, 2022 and May 1, 2024.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) eligible athlete per medal event. Exceptions may apply for Bipartite Invitations. Each entry must be made in the medal event for which the NPC has obtained a qualification slot.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List Allocation	The six (6) highest ranked K44 athletes in each weight category on the World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking list of January 2024 each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC, up to the maximum quota.	
	Any slots that cannot be allocated under this method shall be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.	
2024 Continental Qualification Allocation	The highest ranked athlete in each medal event at each of the five (5) Continental Qualification Tournaments will obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.	25 male athletes 25 female athletes
	In each gender, only those NPCs that have not yet obtained three (3) or more qualification slots through the allocation method above may enter athletes in the Continental Qualification Tournaments.	
	The number of entries per NPC will be limited to the number of slots remaining to reach the maximum quota of three (3) qualification slots	

Total		60 male athletes
	To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to WT by 31 May 2024.	
Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	Five (5) eligible athletes will be considered by the IPC and WT for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots up to the total quota per medal event (twelve (12) entries per event).	5 athletes
	Should the host country obtain any slot(s) via the allocation methods above, the respective reserved slot(s) will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.	
Host Country Allocation	The host country directly earns five (5) slots, one (1) in each of the five (5) medal events where the country has the highest ranked athletes on the World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking of January 2024. At least two (2) of the events have to be female.	5 athletes
	The week following each of the continental qualification tournaments, World Taekwondo will notify in writing to the NPCs the allocation of slots obtained at the Continental Qualification Tournament. The NPCs will have 10 days to confirm the acceptance of the qualification slots obtained at Continental Qualification Tournaments in writing after the notification from World Taekwondo.	
	In case a Continental Qualification Tournament does not take place or a particular medal event is not offered at a Continental Qualification Tournament the qualification slots will be allocated to the highest ranked athlete in the respective medal event from the pertinent continent on the World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking of May 2024.	
	per NPC per gender. NPCs will not be eligible to enter athletes in the medal events where they have already earned a slot through the allocation methods above.	

	60 female
	athletes

## **TIMELINE** Start of the period for athletes to gain eligibility for 1 January 2022 entry into the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games 8 January 2024 WT notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of slots under the World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List allocation method and host country slots 15 January 2024 Deadline for NPCs to confirm acceptance of World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List qualification slots and host country slots 19 January 2024 WT notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List qualification slots and host country slots 9 February 2024 African Continental Qualification Tournament, Dakar, Senegal 8 March 2024 European Continental Qualification Tournament, Sofia, Bulgaria 14 March 2024 Asian Continental Qualification Tournament, Tai'an, China 6 April 2024 Oceania Continental Qualification Tournament, Honiara, Solomon Islands 11 April 2024 Pan American Continental Qualification Tournament. Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic 1 May 2024 Start of the Bipartite Commission Invitation application process 3 May 2024 Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by

## INTERNATIONAL PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE

NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")

**Continental Qualification slots** 

**Commission Invitations** 

31 May 2024

17 June 2024

Deadline for NPCs to submit applications for Bipartite

WT notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of Bipartite Invitation slots and the reallocation of unused

5 August 2024

Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By the deadlines published herein, each qualified NPC must confirm to WT in writing (emails are accepted) the qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their qualification slots, and WT will reallocate these slots.

By 17 June 2024, WT will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 17 June 2024, it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and WT.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List slot not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) on the respective ranking list and up to the maximum quota per NPC. Any Continental Qualification slot not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next-highest ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) at the same tournament and up to the maximum quota per NPC. Any slot(s) not reallocated under these methods shall be allocated via the Bipartite Invitation method.

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## 24. PARA TRIATHLON

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
6	5	0	11
PTWC	PTWC		
PTS2	PTS2		
PTS3	PTS4		
PTS4	PTS5		
PTS5	PTVI		
PTVI			

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
54	50	16	120

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC, not to an individual athlete. In the case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation, the slot is allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of two (2) qualification slots per medal event, except for the Women's PTS4 event in which an NPC may be allocated a maximum of three (3) qualification slots. Exceptions may be made via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

#### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

• be ranked on the World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification Ranking as of 1 July 2024;

 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 2025 or later.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

Each entry must be made in the medal event from which the qualification slot was obtained.

For all Medal Events except Women's PTS4:

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per medal event. Exceptions may be made via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

For the Women's PTS4 Medal Event:

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) athletes from sport class PTS4 and one (1) athlete from sport class PTS3. Exceptions may be made via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

#### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

In accordance with World Triathlon regulations, eligible athletes in certain sport classes have the opportunity to obtain a qualification slot in a medal event for a different sport class. For this purpose, World Triathlon establishes designated Paralympic Qualification Rankings. These common rankings will be structured as follows:

- Men's PTWC including both classes PTWC1 and PTWC2;
- Men's PTS2: including only athletes from class PTS2;
- Men's PTS3: including only athletes from class PTS3;
- Men's PTS4: including only athletes from class PTS4;
- Men's PTS5: including only athletes from class PTS5;
- Men's PTVI including the classes PTVI1, PTVI2 and PTVI3;
- Women's PTWC including both classes PTWC1 and PTWC2;
- Women's PTS2: including only athletes from class PTS2;
- Women's PTS4: including both classes PTS4 and PTS3;
- Women's PTS5: including only athletes from class PTS5;
- Women's PTVI including the classes PTVI1, PTVI2 and PTVI3;

The distribution of allocation slots is detailed in the following table:

		F	aralym	oic Rank	ing		Slots from Rankings	Bipartite slots	Total
	PTWC	PTS2	PTS3	PTS4	PTS5	PTVI			
Men	9	9	9	9	9	9	54	1,4	120
Women	9	9	-	14	9	9	50	16	120

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL		
World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification Ranking Allocation	For all Medal Events except Women's PTS4:  The top nine (9) ranked athletes on the World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification Ranking as of 1 July 2024 within each medal event, each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC up to a maximum of two (2) slots per NPC.	54 male athletes 50 female athletes		
	For the Women's PTS4 Medal Event:			
	The top nine (9) PTS4 ranked athletes on the World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification PTS4 Ranking as of 1 July 2024 each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC, up to a maximum of two (2) slots per NPC.	cation obtain		
	The top five (5) PTS3 ranked athletes on the World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification PTS4 Ranking as of 1 July 2024 each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC, up to a maximum of one (1) slot per NPC.			
	Any slots that cannot be allocated through this method will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission allocation method.			
Bipartite Commission Invitation	Sixteen (16) eligible athletes will be selected by the IPC and World Triathlon for Bipartite Commission Invitations.	16 athletes		
Allocation	Should the host nation not qualify at least one (1) male and one (1) female athlete via the above method in any medal event, Bipartite Invitations			

	will be offered to the host nation to ensure the possibility of both genders being represented.  To be considered for a Bipartite Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to World Triathlon as of 3 July 2024.	
Total		120 athletes

## **TIMELINE**

1 July 2023	Start of the Paralympic Qualification period. World Triathlon may exceptionally include Continental Championships' results that have occurred outside, but no later than the end of the qualification period
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
1 June 2024	Start of the Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
1 July 2024	End of the Paralympic Qualification Period
3 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit applications for Bipartite Commission Invitations
8 July 2024	World Triathlon notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots and Bipartite Invitations
15 July 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to World Triathlon the use of allocated qualification slots and Bipartite Invitations
22 July 2024	World Triathlon confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of all unused allocated qualification slots and Bipartite Invitations
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

## **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 15 July 2024 each NPC must confirm to World Triathlon in writing (via email) the number of qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not replied by this date will have lost their slots and World Triathlon may reallocate them.

By 22 July 2024 World Triathlon will confirm in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 22 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and World Triathlon.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slot not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete in the respective medal event (not otherwise qualified) on the Paralympic Qualification Ranking as of 1 July 2024.

For Women's PTS4 Medal Event, any unused qualification slots will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete in the respective sport class from the women PTS4 Paralympic Qualification Ranking as of 1 July 2024.

Any unused Bipartite Commission Invitation slot will be reallocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

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## **25. SITTING VOLLEYBALL**

## **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
1	1	0	2
Men's 8-team Tournament	Women's 8-team Tournament		

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
96	96	0	192

Eight (8) teams per gender with twelve (12) players per team.

#### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slots are allocated to the NPC not to the team or any individual athlete.

#### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC can qualify no more than one (1) men's team and one (1) women's team, comprising a total of twelve (12) male and twelve (12) female qualification slots.

## **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- have played in at least one (1) international, sanctioned World ParaVolley sitting volleyball competition between 1 January 2022 and 31 July 2024; and
- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date after 31 December 2024;

## **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of twelve (12) eligible male athletes for the Men's tournament and a maximum of twelve (12) eligible female athletes for the Women's tournament.

## **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies one (1) Men's team and one (1) Women's team.	12 male athletes 12 female athletes
2022 World Championships Allocation	The top ranked team, not otherwise qualified, of the Men's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.  The top ranked team, not otherwise qualified, of the Women's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.	12 male athletes 12 female athletes
	In the case that a World Championships does not take place, the team qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024, regardless of region.	
2023 Zonal Championships Allocation	The highest ranked team, not otherwise qualified, of the Men's competition in each of the following 2023 Zonal Championships obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC:  • ParaVolley Pan America  • ParaVolley Asia Oceania  • ParaVolley Europe  • ParaVolley Africa	48 male athletes
	The highest ranked team, not otherwise qualified, of the Women's competition in each of the following 2023 Zonal Championships obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC:	48 female athletes

- ParaVolley Pan America
- ParaVolley Asia Oceania
- ParaVolley Europe
- ParaVolley Africa

In the case that a Zone does not host a Championships, the respective Men's or Women's team qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, from that Zone, at the 2024 World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event.

If the Zone does not host a Championships and no team from the respective Zone enters the 2024 World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event, the respective Men's or Women's team qualification slot(s) shall be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, from that Zone, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024.

If the Zone does not host a Championship and the 2024 World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event does not take place, the respective Men's and Women's team qualification slot(s) shall be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, from that Zone, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024.

## 2023 World Cup Allocation

The top ranked team, not otherwise qualified, of the Men's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.

The top ranked team, not otherwise qualified, of the Women's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.

In the case that the World Cup does not take place, the team qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024, regardless of region.

12 male athletes 12 female athletes

2024 World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event Allocation	The highest ranked team, not otherwise qualified, of the Men's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC. The highest ranked team, not otherwise qualified, of the Women's competition obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  In the case that a World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event does not take place, the team qualification slot(s) will be	12 male athletes 12 female athletes
	allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024, regardless of region.	
Total		96 male athletes 96 female athletes

## **TIMELINE**

4-11 Nov. 2022	World ParaVolley Sitting Volleyball World Championships, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina
9-13 May 2023	ParaVolley Pan America Zonal Championships, Edmonton, Canada
3-8 July 2023	ParaVolley Asia Oceania Zonal Championships, Astana, Kazakhstan
9-15 October 2023	ParaVolley Europe Zonal Championships, Caorle, Italy
11-18 Nov. 2023	World ParaVolley Sitting Volleyball World Cup, Cairo, Egypt
29 Jan3. Feb. 2024	ParaVolley Africa Zonal Championships, Lagos, Nigeria
3-10 April 2024	2024 World ParaVolley Men's and Women's Final Paralympic Qualification Tournament, Dali, China
1 May 2024	World ParaVolley confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots.
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")

15 May 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to World ParaVolley the use of

allocated team qualification slots.

29 May 2024 World ParaVolley confirms in writing to the NPCs the

reallocation of any unused team qualification slots

5 August 2024 Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to

receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

#### CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS

By 15 May 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to World ParaVolley in writing via the approved forms (email is accepted) if they wish to use their allocated slot(s). NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their team qualification slots, and World ParaVolley will reallocate them.

By 29 May 2024 World ParaVolley will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused team qualification slots.

By 29 May 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quota granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated team qualification slot(s) may be subject to sanctions by IPC and World ParaVolley.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any team qualification slot(s) allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, at the respective competition where the slot was obtained, except for the cases covered above in this document. Should the Host Country not use its allocated slot(s), the slot will be reallocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024, regardless of region.

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## 26. WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL

#### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
1	1	0	2
Men's 8-team Tournament	Women's 8-team Tournament		

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
96	96	0	192

Eight (8) teams per gender with twelve (12) players per team.

## **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the team or any individual athlete.

#### **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can qualify no more than one (1) men's team and one (1) women's team, for a total of twelve (12) male and twelve (12) female qualification slots.

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

 be internationally classified with a 'Confirmed' sport class status or a 'Fixed Review Date' sport class status with a review date after 31 December 2024.

## **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of twelve (12) eligible male athletes for the men's tournament and a maximum of twelve (12) eligible female athletes for the women's tournament.

## **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2023 Zonal Championships Allocation	The Zonal team slots assigned through the 2022 IWBF World Championships will be awarded to the NPCs with the highest ranked teams from the relevant 2023 Zonal Championships. Each team will obtain one (1) team slot for their NPC according to a matrix established through the final standings of the top four teams at the 2022 IWBF World Championships.  In the case that a Zone does not host a Championship although one or more Zonal team slot(s) had been assigned, any available team slot(s) will be moved to the 2024 Repechage	4 men's teams 4 women's teams
2024 Repechage Tournaments	The four highest ranked teams at the 2024 Men's and Women's Repechage Tournaments each obtain one (1) team slot for their NPC. The 2024 Repechage Tournaments will be contested by eight (8) to ten (10) Men's and (8) to ten (10) Women's teams that have not yet obtained a qualification slot through the 2023 Zonal Championships. Participation is at the sole discretion of IWBF and according to a matrix established by the IWBF Executive Council following the 2023 Zonal Championships.  In the case that a 2024 Repechage Tournament does not take place, the available team slots will be allocated to the highest ranked teams (not yet qualified) from Zonal Championships, distributed in accordance with Zonal rankings at the 2022 World Championships. In the case that a Zone did not host a Championship, any available team slot will be allocated at the sole discretion of IWBF to an NPC from that Zone.	4 men's teams 4 women's teams
Total		8 men's teams 8 women's teams

## **TIMELINE**

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9-20 June 2023	2022 IWBF World Championships, Dubai, UAE (rescheduled)
30 June 2023	Deadline for IWBF to publish the matrix for assigning team qualification slots to the 2023 Zonal Championships based on final standings at the 2022 World Championships
8-20 August 2023	2023 Europe Zonal Championships, Rotterdam, Netherlands
3-12 September 2023	2023 Africa Zonal Championships, Accra, Ghana
17-26 November 2023	Parapan American Games (Americas Zonal Championships), Santiago, Chile
31 December 2023	Deadline for IWBF to publish the matrix for Men's and Women's team participation in the 2024 Repechage Tournaments
12-20 January 2024	2024 Asia/Oceania Zonal Championships, Bangkok, Thailand
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
12-15 April 2024	2024 Men's Repechage Tournament, Antibes, France
17-20 April 2024	2024 Women's Repechage Tournament, Osaka, Japan
1 July 2024	IWBF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots
8 July 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IWBF the use of allocated team qualification slots
15 July 2024	IWBF confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused team allocation slots
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

## **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 8 July 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to IWBF in writing (emails are accepted) if they wish to use their allocated team slot(s). NPCs that have not

responded by this date will lose their team qualification slot(s), and IWBF may reallocate these slot(s).

By 15 July 2024 IWBF will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused team qualification slots.

By 15 July 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quota granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated team qualification slot(s) may be subject to sanctions by IPC and IWBF.

#### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any team qualification slots allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) at the competition where the slot was obtained.

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## 27. WHEELCHAIR FENCING

## **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
8	8	0	16
Epee	Epee		
Category A Category B Team	Category A Category B Team		
Foil	Foil		
Category A Category B Team	Category A Category B Team		
Sabre	Sabre		
Category A Category B	Category A Category B		

## **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
48	48	0	96

## **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

In case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation the qualification slot is also allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

## **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can be allocated no more than six (6) male and six (6) female qualification slots.

#### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- have competed in at least three (3) international sanctioned IWAS Wheelchair Fencing competitions between 1 October 2022 until 31 May 2024; and
- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date after 31 December 2024.

#### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per Individual event.

Athletes qualifying through Individual Paralympic Ranking Lists must enter the event from which they have obtained their slot and will be allowed to enter any other individual event where they are ranked in the top-30 on the IWAS Wheelchair Fencing Paralympic Ranking List closing 31 May 2024. If the maximum number of entries is exceeded, priority will be given to the highest ranked athletes.

Athletes who have obtained their slot through the Team Athlete allocation method will be allowed to enter in the individual event(s) in the same weapon(s) of the team event(s) they are competing in, and will be allowed to enter any other individual event where they are ranked in the top-30 on the IWAS Wheelchair Fencing Paralympic Ranking List closing 31 May 2024. If the maximum number of entries is exceeded, priority will be given to the highest ranked athletes.

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) team in each of the Team events. Only the host country and teams ranked in the top-14 on the IWAS Wheelchair Fencing World Ranking List closing 31 May 2024 for the respective event may be considered for entry. The highest ranked team from each of the three (3) regions in each of the team medal events is granted an entry if they are ranked in the top-14 on the IWAS Wheelchair Fencing World Ranking List closing 31 May 2024.

The maximum number of entries per medal event is as follows:

Event		Maximum Entries	
		Male	Female
Foil	Ind. Cat. A	21	21
	Ind. Cat. B	21	21
	Team	12	12
Epee	Ind. Cat. A	21	21
	Ind. Cat. B	21	21
	Team	12	12
Sabre	Ind. Cat. A	21	21
	Ind. Cat. B	21	21

## **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
Individual Paralympic Ranking List Allocation by Region	The top-ranked male and female athletes from each region (Europe, America/Africa, Asia/Oceania) in each individual medal event on the Individual Paralympic Ranking list closing on 31 May 2024 obtain one (1) qualification slot.	18 male athletes 18 female athletes
	Only athletes ranked in the top-30 will be considered for this allocation. If a region has no athlete in the top-30 of a particular Ranking, this slot is given to the next highest ranked athlete (not yet qualified) regardless of region.	
Individual Paralympic Ranking List Allocation	The three (3) highest ranked athletes (not yet qualified) in each individual medal event on the Individual Paralympic Ranking List closing on 31 May 2024 obtain one (1) qualification slot, up to a maximum of two (2) slots per NPC in each medal event (including any slot obtained from the method above).	18 male athletes 18 female athletes
	If an NPC would achieve more slots than the maximum quota per NPC, then slots will be allocated to the athletes with the highest ranking position. If two or more athletes have equal ranking positions, slots will be allocated to the athlete(s) with the highest ranking points. If two or more athletes have equal ranking positions and points, slots will be allocated to the athlete(s) with the best placement at the 2023 World Championships.	
Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies three (3) eligible male athletes and three (3) eligible female athletes. These athletes must be ranked highest among all host country athletes on the IWAS Wheelchair Fencing Paralympic Ranking List closing 31 May 2024.  Should the host country obtain any qualification slots via any of the allocation methods above, the reserved number of host country slots will be reduced accordingly, and the respective slots	3 male athletes 3 female athletes

	will be allocated via the Team Athlete Allocation method (see below).	
Team Athlete Allocation	After allocation of all individual slots and in order to secure the viability of the Team Medal Events, eight (8) eligible male and eight (8) eligible female athletes will be allocated one (1) slot each. These slots will be allocated at the discretion of IWAS to eligible athletes who can complete a team together with other athletes from the same NPC.  If event viability has been secured, IWAS may	8 male athletes 8 female athletes
	chose not to allocate some or all of these slots.  Any unused Team Athlete Allocation slot(s) will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation allocation method.	
Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	One (1) male and one (1) female athlete will be considered by IPC and IWAS for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.  To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to IWAS by 21 June 2024.	1 male athlete 1 female athlete
Total		48 male athletes 48 female athletes

# **TIMELINE**

1 October 2022	Start of period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the IWAS Wheelchair Fencing Paralympic Ranking List
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
31 May 2024	End of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the IWAS Wheelchair Fencing Paralympic Ranking List
31 May 2024	Start of Bipartite application process

7 June 2024	IWAS confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots
21 June 2024	NPCs confirm to IWAS in writing the use of allocated slots
21 June 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite applications to IWAS
28 June 2024	IWAS confirms in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots
28 June 2024	IWAS confirms in writing the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitations
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

# **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 21 June 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to IWAS in writing (email is accepted) the number of qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their qualification slots, and IWAS may reallocate these slots.

By 28 June 2024 IWAS will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 28 June 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quota granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use some or all of its allocated qualification slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and IWAS.

# **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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# 28. WHEELCHAIR RUGBY

# **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
0	0	1	1
		Open 8-team Tournament	

#### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
0	0	96	96

Eight (8) teams with twelve (12) players per team.

# **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the team or any individual athlete.

# **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can qualify no more than one (1) team, for a total of twelve (12) athlete qualification slots.

# **TEAM ELIGIBILITY**

To be eligible for entry, teams must:

 have played in at least one WWR Level 1 licensed event between 1 January 2023 and 30 June 2024.

# **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date after December 2024
- hold a valid WWR Individual License

# **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of twelve (12) eligible male and female athletes.

# **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
2023 Zonal Championships Allocation	The highest placed NPC from the Wheelchair Rugby competition at the 2023 Parapan American Games directly qualifies (Americas Zone).	48 athletes
	The two (2) highest placed NPCs from the 2023 WWR European Zone Championship Division A directly qualify.	
	The highest placed NPC from the 2023 WWR Asia-Oceania Championship directly qualifies.	
	If an event above is not held, the associated slot(s) will be allocated to the highest ranked NPC(s) from that Zone, not otherwise qualified, on the WWR World Ranking List closing one week after the intended completion date of the respective Zonal Championship.	
Paralympic Qualification Tournament	The three (3) highest placed NPCs from the 2024 WWR Paralympic Qualification Tournament qualify.	36 athletes
Allocation	If the above event is not held, the associated slot(s) will be allocated to the highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, on the WWR World Ranking List closing one week after the originally intended completion of the Paralympic Qualification Tournament.	
Host Country Allocation	The host country directly qualifies one (1) team subject to being ranked on the WWR World Ranking List on 1 May 2024.	12 athletes
Total		96 athletes

# **TIMELINE**

1 January 2023	Start of the period for teams to attend WWR Level 1 Licensed international events to obtain eligibility
3-7 May 2023	2023 WWR European Championship Division A, Cardiff, United Kingdom
29 June-2 July 2023	2023 WWR Asia-Oceania Championship, Tokyo, Japan
17-26 November 2023	2023 Para Pan American Games, Santiago, Chile
20-24 March 2024	2024 WWR Paralympic Qualification Tournament, Wellington, New Zealand
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
15 May 2024	WWR confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots.
29 May 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to WWR the use of allocated team qualification slots.
6 June 2024	WWR confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused team allocation slots
13 June 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to WWR the use of reallocated team qualification slots
30 June 2024	End of period for teams to attend WWR sanctioned international events to obtain eligibility
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

# **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 29 May 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to WWR in writing or via email if they wish to use their allocated slot. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their team qualification slots, and WWR may reallocate these slots.

By 6 June 2024 WWR will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused team qualification slots.

By 13 June 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated quota granted for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated team qualification slot may be subject to sanctions by IPC and WWR.

# **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any team qualification slots allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the next highest placed NPC (not otherwise qualified) at the qualification event where it was obtained.

In the case that no eligible team is available for reallocation at the respective competition, or if the Host Country does not use its allocated slot, the unused slot will be reallocated to the highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) on the WWR World Ranking list closing one week after the completion of the Paralympic Qualification Tournament.

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# 29. WHEELCHAIR TENNIS

# **MEDAL EVENTS**

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
2	2	2	6
Singles Doubles	Singles Doubles	Quad Singles Quad Doubles	

# **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
48	32	16	96

# **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

# **MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

An NPC can be allocated a maximum of four (4) male and four (4) female qualification slots for athletes competing in the men's and women's events, and no more than three (3) qualification slots in the quad event for a maximum total quota allocation of eleven (11) qualification slots per NPC.

# ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

All athletes must comply with the General IPC Regulations on Eligibility detailed in the front section of the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games - Qualification Regulations, published here:

https://www.paralympic.org/paris-2024/qualification-regulations.

Unless otherwise specified in this Qualification System, to be eligible for selection by an NPC, athletes must also:

1 have an official ranking on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 (subject to the exception for Bipartite Commission Invitations set out below); and

- 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 01 January 2025 or later; and
- have been part of a final nominated team and been present onsite for World Team Cup events (including qualifying and Junior World Team Cup) for a minimum of two (2) years between 2021 and 2024 provided that one of these years is either 2023 or 2024 (however, exceptions to this requirement may be granted by the ITF in accordance with the ITF Paris 2024 Paralympic Wheelchair Tennis Event Regulations); and
- 4 fulfil the minimum eligibility requirements outlined here: <a href="https://www.itftennis.com/media/7643/paralympic-wheelchair-tennis-event-eligibility-rule-paris-2024.pdf">https://www.itftennis.com/media/7643/paralympic-wheelchair-tennis-event-eligibility-rule-paris-2024.pdf</a>

For Bipartite Commission Invitations, the ITF and the IPC may consider athletes who do not have an official ranking on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 as long as they have competed in at least one ITF Wheelchair Tennis competition between 01 January 2022 and 14 July 2024.

NPCs may only nominate athletes for participation in the Paris 2024 Paralympic Wheelchair Tennis event if their country's National Association is a current ITF member in good standing, and it has been a member since at least 31 December 2023.

The participation of an athlete in the Paralympics is conditional upon meeting the above detailed athlete eligibility criteria (both IPC and ITF). For the avoidance of doubt, where either the ITF or IPC eligibility criteria impose stricter or additional requirements than the other, the stricter or additional rules shall apply.

# MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

An NPC can enter a maximum of four (4) qualified male athletes and four (4) qualified female athletes in the men's and women's singles events, respectively.

An NPC can enter a maximum of three (3) qualified athletes in the quad singles event.

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible men's teams and two (2) eligible women's teams in the men's and women's doubles events, respectively.

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) eligible team in the quad doubles event.

Team members are selected from the athletes participating in their respective singles event. NPCs must submit their doubles nominations in writing to the ITF by 5 August 2024. Any nomination changes shall be as provided for in the ITF Paris 2024 Paralympic Wheelchair Tennis Event Regulations.

# **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
Regional Games Direct Allocation	One (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot will be allocated in each of the following Regional Games:  2022 Asian Para Games:  1 male, 1 female  2023 Parapan American Games:  1 male, 1 female  2023 European Para Championships:  1 male, 1 female  2023 African Para Games:  1 male, 1 female  2023 African Para Games:  1 male, 1 female  The winners of the men's and women's singles competitions at each of these Regional Games will qualify.  In case a Regional Games is not held or a medal event is not offered at a particular Regional Games, the respective qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked eligible athlete (not otherwise qualified) on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 (subject to the maximum quota per NPC).	4 male athletes 4 female athletes
Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking Allocation	The top thirty-two (32) ranked eligible male athletes (not otherwise qualified through Regional Games Direct Allocation) on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 will qualify.  The top twenty (20) ranked eligible female athletes (not otherwise qualified through Regional Games Direct Allocation) on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 will qualify.	32 male athletes 20 female athletes 12 quad athletes

	The top twelve (12) ranked quad athletes on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 will qualify.	
Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation	Twelve (12) eligible male athletes will be selected by the IPC and the ITF for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.	12 male athletes 8 female
	Eight (8) eligible female athletes will be selected by the IPC and the ITF for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.	athletes 4 quad athletes
	Four (4) eligible athletes in the quad sport class will be selected by the IPC and the ITF for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.	
	To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, the ITF must receive an official application in writing from the relevant NPC by 22 July 2024.	
Total		48 male athletes
		32 female athletes
		16 quad athletes

# **TIMELINE**

8-13 August 2023	2023 European Para Championships, Rotterdam, Netherlands
6-10 September 2023	2023 African Para Games, Accra, Ghana
22-28 Oct. 2023	2022 Asian Para Games, Hangzhou, China
19-25 November 2023	2023 Parapan American Games, Santiago, Chile
12 February 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
3 May 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")

14 July 2024	End of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the Wheelchair Tennis World Ranking Lists	
15 July 2024	Wheelchair Tennis World Ranking Lists published	
16 July 2024	ITF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots	
22 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to confirm in writing to ITF the use of allocated qualification slots	
22 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to ITF	
30 July 2024	ITF confirms in writing the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots	
5 August 2024	ITF to reallocate all unused quota places	
5 August 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit doubles nominations to the ITF	
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs	

# **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 22 July 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to ITF in writing by email if they wish to use their allocated qualification slots. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their qualification slots, and ITF may reallocate these slots.

By 5 August 2024 ITF will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 5 August 2024 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC.

# **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slots that are (a) allocated and not confirmed by the respective NPC by 22 July 2024 or (b) returned as a result of player withdrawal will be reallocated as follows:

 Slots from Regional Games and World Ranking List Allocation: the ITF will reallocate to the next highest ranked eligible athlete (not otherwise qualified) on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 (subject to the maximum quota per NPC);  Bipartite slots: the Bipartite Commission will select from a reserve list of Bipartite applicants.

This reallocation process may occur up until 5 August 2024.

An NPC that does not confirm an allocated or reallocated qualification slot will not be eligible to receive another slot in the respective event(s) unless the ITF receives signed confirmation from the athlete that they do not wish to take up their qualification slot.

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# **30. REGISTER OF UPDATES**

SECTION	DATE	CHANGES & ADDITIONS
Front	30 June 2022	Corrected quotas for TKW and TTE
Table tennis	30 June 2022	Corrected athlete quota
Front	30 June 2022	Corrected event numbers for SWI
New sport	30 June 2022	CSP, CYC, SWI, TKW, VBS
chapters	30 Julie 2022	
New sport	17 July 2022	ROW, WFE, WTE
chapters		
Wh. rugby	17 July 2022	Adjustment of Zonal Championships mechanism
Wh. tennis	25 Aug. 2022	Date for Asian Para Games
Shooting	25 Aug. 2022	Adjustment of qualification progression; Date for Asian Para Games
New sport	25 Aug. 2022	BDM, JUD
chapters	25 Aug. 2022	
New sport chapter	30 Sep. 2022	WBK
Swimming	25 Nov. 2022	MQS/MET table added
Athletics	25 Nov. 2022	MES added
Blind Football	28 Nov. 2022	Allocation order as per IBSA request
Equestrian	19 Jan. 2023	Athlete eligibility wording adjusted to FEI rules
Various sports	19 Jan. 2023	Updated competition dates for FBB, BOC, CSP, EQU, GBL, SHO, VBS, WBK, WRU
New sport chapter	21 Mar. 2023	TTE
Various sports	4 May 2023	Updated competition dates for ARC, ATH, BOC, GBL, SHO, VBS, WBK, WTE
Front	12 May 2023	Corrected quotas for ARC
All chapters	19 June 2023	NPC accreditation long list deadline added
Various sports	7 August 2023	Updated timeline for ARC, ROW, TTE, VBS, WBK, WTE
Canoe	11 Sep. 2023	Updated timeline
Athletics	6 Oct. 2023	Updated eligible sport class table and HPS
Sitting Volleyball	7 Nov. 2023	Allocation order as per World ParaVolley request
Wh. tennis	7 Nov. 2023	Updated timeline
Various sports	26 Jan. 2024	Updated timeline for BOC, GBL, SHO, TTE, TKW, VBS, WBK, WRU, WTE
Athletics	16 Feb. 2024	Updated timeline
Shooting	16 Feb. 2024	Adjustment of qualification progression; Date for 2024 World Cup
Judo	16 Feb. 2024	Adjustment of the name of the ranking
Archery	5 Mar. 2024	Updated timeline
Table Tennis, Swimming	27 Mar. 2024	Updated timeline