

# Team Leaders Manual



IPC ATHLETICS  
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DOHA 2015



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# 1

## WELCOME



Dear Team Leaders,

Welcome to the 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships in Doha, taking place during one of the most exciting times in the history of para-athletics.

Two years ago, we were in Lyon, France, for the biggest and best World Championships yet which helped to build on the success of the London 2012 Paralympic Games.

Now, we are less than one year away from Rio 2016, a Games which is already set to break all records. I am fully confident Doha 2015 will improve and expand on Lyon 2013 and set us up nicely ahead of Latin America's first Paralympic Games.

In terms of para-athletics, an expanding competition calendar featuring world, junior and regional Championships, as well as a successful Grand Prix circuit, has grown the sport at all levels and attracted new audiences. The sport is now in a very strong position nationally, regionally and internationally and this is leading to more commercial support and media coverage.

Doha 2015 is not only the biggest World Championships in terms of athlete numbers and participating countries, but it is also the largest in terms of observers, side-events and development

activities. All of this would not have been possible without your support and investment. You have partnered with us on this journey, making a significant contribution by developing your national programmes and improving high performance sport in your country.

My warmest thanks go to you because without your commitment, we could not have grown the sport so quickly.

I would also like to take this opportunity to extend my thanks to the Local Organising Committee, led by Dr. Thani Abdulrahman Al-Kuwari who have worked tirelessly to bring Doha 2015 together and who I am sure will make you feel very welcome.

I wish you and your athletes the best of luck for Doha 2015, which I am confident will go down in history as the best World Championships yet.

Best wishes

**Sir Philip Craven MBE**  
IPC President



Dear Team Leaders,

On behalf of the Qatar Olympic Committee and the Local Organising Committee, I am honoured to welcome you to the Doha 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships – an event we hope will break new ground in Qatar and the region.

Over the years Doha has successfully hosted a multitude of world-class international sporting events, from the spectacular 2006 Asian Games to the exceptional 24th Men's Handball World Championship in January 2015. Qatar continues to build on its depth of experience in hosting phenomenal events to deliver incredible experiences for athletes and audiences alike, while leaving a lasting legacy regionally and internationally.

While the IPC Athletics World Championships are incredible in their own right – being one of the last major competitions before the 2016 Rio Paralympics, and gathering 1,400 para-athletes from over 100 countries, including many world record holders – what is truly incredible are the stories that can be found in the athletes. Overcoming adversity and persevering against

seemingly insurmountable odds are all common threads to the plethora of incredible, inspirational stories that are waiting to be discovered in the Doha 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships.

Your invaluable roles as Team Leaders are of incomparable value to the athletes and to the LOC – which is why we have taken steps to ensure that your role can be carried out efficiently and optimally. This is the first time in history that the IPC Athletics World Championships have been hosted in the Middle East and it is our hope that by offering services of an international standard that the athletes can focus entirely on the competition.

We look forward to hosting an incredible edition of the IPC Athletics World Championships, filled with exciting world-class competitions and incredible, record-breaking performances.

**Dr. Thani Abdulrahman Al-Kuwari**  
Qatar Olympic Committee Secretary General  
President of the IPC Athletics World Championships  
Local Organising Committee Doha 2015



Dear Team Leaders,

I am delighted to welcome you to Doha for the 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships.

As we approach the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games, I think it is worth taking stock of what has been achieved in para-athletics in just three years since London 2012.

We have been able to achieve such great things in the intervening period, building a comprehensive competition calendar that takes in all regions from Grand Prix events to a burgeoning regional and World Championships programme.

We have established the World Championships as the premier stand-alone para-athletics event and one in which athletes enjoy an incredibly high-level of competition, coupled with intense media interest and growing sponsorship activation.

The athletes are placed centre-stage more regularly than ever before and we have seen a sustained improvement in the quality of venues and organisers.

I believe that the sport has never been so strong, and with an Asian-Oceania Championships, Junior World Championships, World Marathon Majors series and coaching conference also added to the calendar we are diversifying in many positive ways.

I expect Doha 2015 to be the most competitive World Championships ever, as 1,400 athletes from 100 countries strive for gold medals and for Rio 2016 qualification.

Your contribution to this ongoing success, and that of the future, lies in your drive to develop para-athletics in your countries. The improvement in high performance training and facilities, talent identification and grassroots programmes all makes a huge difference to the number and quality of athletes we see at competitions.

I would like to echo the words of Sir Philip Craven and thank you for that work. Many of you face daily challenges in doing it, often as volunteers, and we will continue to support you in any way we can.

All that remains is for me to extend my gratitude to the Local Organising Committee of Doha 2015. I am confident that they will deliver an incredibly high standard in all areas, and make your stay as comfortable, enjoyable and as successful as possible.

I wish you and your teams the very best of luck.

**Xavier Gonzalez**  
IPC Chief Executive Officer



Dear Friends,

Thank you for joining us to experience the incredible 10-day competition of the Doha 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships.

These World Championships are the first edition ever to be hosted in the region and we hope they will entertain, and more importantly, inspire new audiences who have never had a chance to witness elite para-sport before.

The IPC Athletics World Championships are one of the last major competitions before the 2016 Rio Paralympic Games which means the stakes are high and the competition intense - all the necessary components of a brilliant showcase of athleticism. Many of the world's best para-athletes will compete in Doha, including Paralympic Champions and world record-holders, offering an unrivalled look at the very best the sport has to offer.

By working closely with the Qatar Olympic Committee and the International Paralympic Committee, our teams have ensured that the Doha 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships will exceed the expectations of athletes, team leaders and fans. Our dedicated teams will be on hand to help you throughout the World Championships and ensure that all of your needs are met. We have taken great lengths to ensure that you have at your disposal

every tool needed to facilitate your role as a team leader.

I would like to extend my thanks to the Qatar Olympic Committee, the Qatar Paralympic Committee and the International Paralympic Committee, for their invaluable help in making the Doha 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships an unforgettable event.

We look forward to an incredible 10-days of world-class sport, where we hope records will be broken, new standards will be set and new audiences and athletes will be inspired.

**Ameer Al Mulla**  
Chief Executive Officer - IPC Athletics World Championships Local Organising Committee Doha 2015  
Director General – Qatar Paralympic Committee

# 2

## GENERAL INFO

### 2.1 IPC Athletics

#### IPC Athletics Sport Technical Committee:

Chair Person:  
**Ed Warner OBE (GBR)**

Vice Chairperson:  
**Troy Engle (USA)**

Head of Competition:  
**Roger Getzmann (SUI)**

Head of Officiating:  
**Tarek Souei (UAE)**

Head of Technical Control:  
**Yukio Seki (JPN)**

Head of Classification:  
**Hilary Beeton (RSA)**

#### IPC Athletics Management Team:

IPC Summer Sports Director:  
**Ryan Montgomery**

IPC Athletics Senior Manager:  
**Haozhe Gao**

IPC Athletics Project Manager:  
**Laura Thompson**

IPC Athletics Competition Co-ordinator:  
**Laura Danning**

IPC Athletics Project Co-ordinator:  
**Todd Fraser**

IPC Athletics Media Co-ordinator:  
**Kate Williams**

IPC Athletics Assistant:  
**Heike Schulz**

IPC Communications & Media Director:  
**Craig Spence**

IPC Digital Media & Media Operations:  
**Laura Schreder**

IPC Protocol and Events Senior Manager:  
**Kim Liu**

IPC Finance Senior Manager:  
**Corinne Resch**

IPC Medical & Scientific Director:  
**Peter Van de Vliet**

IPC Broadcasting Manager:  
**Jose Dominguez**

IPC Client Services Manager:  
**Bart Schell**

IPC Accreditation and NPC Services Support:  
**Anne Sargent**

IPC Accreditation and NPC Services Support  
**Amaranta Acosta**

IPC Accreditation and NPC Services Support  
**Sharon Slaney**

IPC Athletes' Council Representative  
**Tim Prendergast**





## 2.2 Local Organising Committee:

LOC President:  
**Dr. Thani Al-Kuwari**

LOC Vice President:  
**Khalid Al Mohannadi**

LOC Chief Executive Officer:  
**Ameer Al-Mulla**

LOC Chief Operating Officer:  
**Aphrodite Moschoudi**

LOC Administration & Finance Director:  
**Nasser Al Sulaiti**

LOC Venues & Event Services Director:  
**Salah Al Saadi**

LOC Protocol & IR Director:  
**Saeed Al Eida**

LOC Marketing & Communications Director:  
**Sheikha Asma Al Thani**

LOC Media & Broadcasting Director:  
**Khalid Al Khaldi**

LOC Planning & Follow Up Director:  
**Marie-line Halabi**

LOC Sport Competition Director:  
**Mohammed Souheil Choukou**

LOC Anti-Doping Director:  
**Dr. Fatima Al Malki**

LOC Medical Director:  
**Dr. Aston Ngai**

LOC Security Director:  
**Colonel Jassim Al Hail**

## 2.3 International Technical Officials - ITOs

Role	Name	Country
Technical Delegate – Lead	Tarek Souei	UAE
Technical Delegate	Roger Blades	GBR
Technical Delegate	Yukio Seki	JPN
Medical Delegate (Oct. 21 - 26)	Elton Wayne Derman	RSA
Medical Delegate (Oct. 27 - 31)	Katharina Grimm	GER
Anti Doping Delegate	Vanessa Webb	CAN
Anti Doping Delegate	Nicki Vance	AUS
Jury of Appeal – Chair	Patrick Van Caelenberghe	BEL
Jury of Appeal	Trevor Spittle	NZL
Jury of Appeal	Dayananda Waidyatilaka	SRI
International Starter	Alan Bell	GBR
International Photo Finish Judge	Janet Nixon	AUS
Chief ITO	Frederico Nantes	BRA
ITO	Johan Knaap	NED
ITO	Okry Nonvignon	BEN
ITO	Carlos Alberto Barrios Casasola	GUA
ITO	Ben Vroom	NED
ITO	Claudia Schneck	BRA
ITO	Kee Kwan	HKG
ITO	Janelle Eldridge	AUS
ITO	David Weicker	CAN
ITO	Jerry Clayton	USA
ITO	Tien Choy Wong	SIN
ITO	Chris Cohen	GBR
ITO	Iva Machova	CZE
ITO	Suren Ayadassen	MRI

## 2.4 International Classifiers

Chief Classifier	Mohammed Amine Khelladi	ALG
Physical Impairment	Hilary Beeton	RSA
Physical Impairment	Rebecca Foulsham	NZL
Physical Impairment	Paula Leppanen	FIN
Physical Impairment	Raul Vaillo Reina	ESP
Physical Impairment	Rudi Van den Abbeele	FRA
Physical Impairment	Dimitrios Patatoukas	GRE
Visual Impairment-Lead	Ludwig Krabbe	GER
Visual Impairment	Geetha Ramakrishnan	MAS
Visual Impairment	Jeanne Derber	USA
Visual Impairment	Anane Touzri	TUN
Visual Impairment	Alexandre Bezerra Gomes	BRA
Visual Impairment	Ines Abrantes	POR
Intellectual Impairment	Anna Dahlgren	SWE
Intellectual Impairment	Emma Beckman	AUS
Intellectual Impairment	Tea Cisic	BEL
Intellectual Impairment	Mohamad Vaez Mousavi	IRI



## 2.5 National Technical Officials - NTOs

Khalid AL-Majid  
Abdullah Hassen  
Mesaad Al Hajaji  
Seddigh Fardavini  
Khalid AL-Saadi  
Ahmed AbdelGadir  
Mohsin Al- Saadi  
Yousuf Ahmed  
Ali Muthanna  
Saleh AL-OMARI  
Jamal AL- Qeteti  
Haitham AL- Saadi  
Abudrahan AlAmeri  
Ali Bushawarib  
Mohammed AL-manai

Khalid AL-Essaily  
Mohamed ALHada  
Ahmed Khalifa  
Ahmed Abdulaziz  
Ahmed Shoib  
Mukhtar Mohamed  
Ahmed Khalifa  
Ahmed Abdulaziz  
Ahmed Shoib  
Mukhtar Mohamed  
Abdulaziz Awad  
Abdulahdi Akbari  
Abdulwali Al Faisali  
Nawal AL-Jassem  
Sheikha Abdulla

Mubarakh AL-Hemaidi  
Nadwa Mabder  
Mouna EL HEBIL  
Tahar Abdulla Salah  
A.Raif Saeed Bsheer  
Lobna Ibrahim  
Mohamed  
Nadia Mohd Al Zabash  
Mohammed Hamad  
Khan  
Mahdi Maher Faraj  
Mustafa AbdelGhani  
Abdelhamid I. Salem  
Yasser Monassar  
Mohammad Olayyan  
Saleh Saeed  
Yagoub AL-Mansoori  
A .Rahim AL-Korkoman  
MOHD AlJalham  
Saleh Mathala  
Masoud AL-Harib  
Mohamed Nahshal  
Ayoub Abu Hamad  
Mohamed Sakr  
Taleb Ahmed  
Nasser AL-Dhaheri  
Hussain AlHamad  
Mohesn Al najar  
Mohammed AL-Amri  
Khaled Fardavini  
Haider Akbari  
Mohammed Marastani  
Waleed Al Bukadi

Murtaza Mohammed  
Asraf Ashhor  
Abdulaziz Al raiwi  
Osmaan Mohammed  
Ibrahim al marasi  
Hassan Al Saifi  
Abubaker Tayyab  
Naji Al Najjar  
Hamdi AL-ASHAR  
Ahd AL-Khadher  
Nadia Elmalkey  
Mirvat Fadal  
Wafa AL-Gammoudi  
Maysoon AlHyari  
Mohamed Rezgui  
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Hani Ahmed Al Husaini  
Muna Hamdi Ali Taleb  
Fatma Sadak Al Chouk  
Haitham Omer Ibrahim  
Salah Ali Salmin  
Mohammad A. Ameen  
Mudassir M Khan  
Hasham Bin Ghouse  
Bader Ahmad  
Saleh AL-Amri  
Ahmed AL-Qanni  
Mohammed Fardavini  
Taher Alawi  
Hesham AL-Safdy  
Mohamed Al-Zawagari  
Naser Al-Hamad  
Mohamed Elgohary

Abdulrahman Mohamed  
Khaled Hizam  
Tariq Saleh  
Mohammed AL-Qamesh  
Anwar Ismail  
Alaa Eldin Abdul Azim  
Ahmed Zakria  
Waqdy Emam  
Bahar Saffwat  
Ahmed Al Saeed  
Waleed Al Olaiqi  
Abdulla Saidi  
Al Husaini Mehmoud  
Jamal Ismail  
Ayman Hamadtou  
Ahmed Saeed  
Ahmed SAKR  
Ahmed GHALEB  
Salem ASKAR  
Hewida Abuzahra  
Mariam Bilarabi  
Jihaan Al Dosuki  
Ayah Ali  
Sonia Agoun  
Fahad Qassim Al Romi  
Mustafa Jaber Mohamed  
Noora Mustafa Mohamed  
Mohammed AbuHamda  
Mohamed Saado Sukker  
Khalid A Hussain  
Amjed A. Alhroub  
Sajir Pized  
Saleh M. AlAli  
Saleh AlFakih  
Khaled AlAmmari  
Hassan Najad  
Khalifa AL Mahrouky  
Fuad Abdullaha  
Hassan Elnor  
Khalid Al Yahri  
Mehdhar AL-Amri  
Jamal Al-Marqab  
Ridfaan Sayadi

Mohamed AL-Saadi  
Ahmed Jibran  
Ahmmmed Moustafa  
Abdullah Al Amoudi  
Khalid Balghaith  
Zabnallah Al-Ajji  
Ali Ahmed Hasaan  
Mohamed Jama  
Mamdouh Misbah  
Ali Al ajji  
Zakirya Hanas  
Naser Abdulla  
Areef al Asad  
Younis Maslak  
Ali Aldhari  
Saeed AL-Khadher  
Aref ABDULQAWI  
Omar AL-Khadher  
Elham Aldukair  
Hanaan Mustafa  
Khadija sulaiman  
Nebraas Kanaan  
Sassia Ben Romdhane  
Mohammed A Al Sayyed  
Ibrahim Binshita  
Narmeen Mohd Salama  
Muhammed Fahad Khan  
Muhammed Faisal Khan  
Khattabi Mohamed Idrees  
Mohammed M Saleh  
Osama Radi Mohammad  
Khalid Tayyeb Mohamad  
Mohamed ELGAMAL  
Hassan PAIDAR  
Saleh AL-ASAD  
Mohammed AL\_AWLAQI  
Abdullah Osman  
Husam ALHASSAN  
Faisal AL-AWLAQI  
Aiman ALAGI  
Ghanim RABAIHA  
Amin ALASHKAR  
Mohamed AL-KATHERI

Mohammed Hamdtw  
Abdullah Saqqaf  
Omar AL-ABDALI  
Ayman Abdulmunim  
Mohamed ABU\_HAMAD  
Ali AL-REWI  
Abdullah AL-SADI  
Mohamed ELGAMAL  
Hassan PAIDAR  
Saleh AL-ASAD  
Omar AL-SADI  
Azizurrehman Noor R  
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Abdullah AL-QAMESH  
Ali AL-HAMD  
Mohamed FARDAVINI  
Hala Ayadi  
Sonia Ghribi  
Igla Anwar  
Hana Hazam  
Adel Khamis Al Yousef  
Mohd Awadh Mohammed  
Hayam Al-Gharabat  
Enas Adel Al Asili  
Mohammed Ahmad Khan  
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Amir Fida  
Mohammad J. Mohamad  
Radhwan A. Khafaja



2.6 Information about the Host Country

Location:

Qatar – officially the State of Qatar – is a sovereign country located in Southwest Asia, occupying the small Qatar Peninsula on the north-eastern coast of the Arabian Peninsula. Its sole land border is with Saudi Arabia to the south, with the rest of its territory surrounded by the Persian Gulf. A strait in the Persian Gulf separates Qatar from the nearby island Kingdom of Bahrain.

Area:

Qatar is a small country of 11,571 km<sup>2</sup> (4,467.6 sq mi)

Population:

The total population within the State of Qatar was 2,344,557 persons as of 30 June, 2015 (1,777,116 males and 567,441 females). In 2013, Qatar’s total population was 1.8 million, including 278,000 Qatari citizens (12%) and 1.5 million expatriates.

Capital:

Doha is the capital city, the seat of government and the location of the main commercial and financial institutions. Situated halfway along the East Coast of the peninsula, the city is an important cultural and commercial center with a vast commercial seaport

and a modern international airport that link the country to the rest of the world. More than half of the population lives in Doha.

Climate:

Qatar has a hot desert climate. Summer is very long, from May to September, when its average high temperatures surpass 38°C (100°F) and often approach 45°C (113°F). Humidity is usually the lowest in May and June. Dew points can surpass 25°C (77°F) in the summer. Throughout the summer, the city averages almost no precipitation, and less than 20 mm (0.79 in) during other months. Rainfall is scarce, at a total of 75 mm (2.95 in) per year, falling on isolated days mostly between October and March. Winters are warm and the temperature rarely drops below 7°C (45 °F).

Month	Sep	Oct	Nov	Year
Average high °C (°F)	38.6 (101.5)	35.2 (95.4)	29.5 (85.1)	32.7 (90.9)
Daily mean °C (°F)	32.2 (90)	28.9 (84)	24.2 (75.6)	26.7 (80.1)
Average low °C (°F)	26.5 (79.7)	23.4 (74.1)	19.5 (67.1)	21.6 (70.9)
Avg. relative humidity (%)	62	63	66	59

Language:

Arabic is the official language of Qatar, with Qatari Arabic the local dialect. English is commonly used as a second language and a rising lingua franca, especially in commerce, to the extent that steps are being taken to try to preserve Arabic from English’s encroachment. English is particularly useful for communication with Qatar’s large expatriate community.

In 2012, Qatar joined the international French-speaking organisation of La Francophonie as a new associate member, justifying its inscription by the consequent number of French speakers in the country (10% of the Qatari population would be francophone). Reflecting the multicultural make-up of the country, many other languages are also spoken, including Hindi, Malayalam, Urdu, Tamil, Nepali and Tagalog.

Religion:

Islam is the official religion of the State of Qatar. All Qataris adhere to Islam. Other religions represented in Qatar are practiced by immigrant communities. According to 2010 data collected by the Pew Forum, 67.7% are Muslim, 13.8% are

Hindu, 13.8% are Christian, 3.1% are Buddhist, 0.7% follows other religions and 0.9% is unaffiliated to any religion.

Local Time:

AST (Arabia Standard Time) = UTC+3

Electricity:

In Qatar the standard voltage is 240 V. The standard frequency is 50 Hz. The power sockets that are used are of type D / G (3 pin sockets). Your need for an adapter depends on the voltage, frequency and power plugs in the country you live in. You can use your electric appliances in Qatar, if the standard voltage in your country is in between 220V - 240V (as in the UK, Europe, Australia and most of Asia and Africa). Manufacturers take these small deviations into account. If the standard voltage in your country is in the range of 100V - 127V (as in the US, Canada and most South American countries), you need a power converter. To be sure, check the label on the appliance. If it states ‘INPUT: 100-240V, 50/60 Hz’, it can be used in all countries of the world (like chargers for tablets/laptops, photo cameras, cell phones, toothbrushes).





If the frequency in Qatar (50 Hz) differs from the one in your country, it is not advised to use your appliances, but you can try at your own risk. Be especially careful with moving, rotating and time related appliances like clocks and electric fan heaters.

#### International Calls:

When making an international call from Qatar, first dial the 00 exit code, then your country code, followed by the city code (if calling a landline) or the mobile code (if calling a mobile phone), and finally the desired number.

#### Telephone Country Code:

Qatar's international country code for inbound calls is +974, followed by the desired number.

#### Mobile Phone Networks:

Ooredoo (previously called Qtel) and Vodafone are currently the two mobile service providers in Qatar. Both operators provide two types of package: pay-as-you-go and monthly post-paid options.

Ooredoo's pre-paid option is called Hala; Vodafone's pre-paid option is Red. To sign up for either service, a SIM card must be purchased and activated. Credit can be added through top-up cards, which are widely sold throughout the country, or online.

#### Currency:

The Qatari Riyal (QAR) is the currency of Qatar. It is divided into 100 dirham and is abbreviated as QR. The Qatari Riyal is pegged to the US dollar at a fixed exchange rate of USD 1 = QAR 3.64. This rate was enshrined into Qatari law by a Royal Decree in 2001.



## 2.7 Host City

Doha (Arabic: ad-Dawha or ad-Dōha, literally in Modern Standard Arabic: "the big tree", locally: "rounded bays") is the capital city and most populous city of the State of Qatar. The city is located on the coast of the Persian Gulf in the east of the country. It is Qatar's fastest growing city, with over 60% of the nation's population living in Doha or its surrounding suburbs, and it is also the economic center of the country.

Doha was founded in the 1820s and was officially declared as the country's capital in 1971, when Qatar gained independence. As the commercial capital of Qatar and one of the emergent financial centers in the Middle East, Doha is considered a world city by the Globalization and World Cities Research Network. Doha accommodates Education City, an area devoted to research and education.

The city was selected as host city of a number of sporting events, including the 2006 Asian Games, the 2011 Pan Arab Games, most of the games at the 2011 AFC Asian Cup, the 2014 FINA World Championships, the 2015 IHF Men's Handball World Championships and the 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships. Additionally, the city hosted the 2012 UNFCCC Climate Negotiations and is set to host the 2016 UCI Road World Championships, 2018 FIG Artistic Gymnastics World Championships, 2019 IAAF World Championships in Athletics, and a large number of the venues for the 2022 FIFA World Cup.

**Area:** 132 km<sup>2</sup> (51 sq mi)

**Population:** Doha has a population of 900,545 within the city proper.

**Altitude:** 10m (33ft)

**Water Quality:**

Desalinated water provides the vast majority of Qatar's drinking water which is safe for using to cook, wash, brush teeth, etc. Qatar's tap water is proven to be safe to drink, the Supreme Council of Health has said, following numerous studies conducted by different organisations in Qatar. Despite the findings, the quality of Qatar's tap water has been up for debate for years, with many residents preferring to drink bottled water instead, perhaps because of its relatively high chlorine percentage (relative to UK & US – according to some sources). Some also install filters on their kitchen faucets and shower heads, amid perceptions that rusting pipes and unhygienic storage tanks can cause ill health effects.

**Business Hours:**

The working week in Qatar is generally from Sunday to Thursday, with Friday and Saturday being off. However, few businesses are closed on Friday, with just half-a-day on Thursday.

The government offices work between 6am and 2pm, while commercial offices work in two shifts – the first from 7.30am to 12noon, and next from 3.30pm to 7.30pm, although this may vary. Major shopping malls open from 10am to 10pm, while majority of them close on Friday mornings. The timings for independent shops vary, but are generally from 8am to 12.30pm, and then from 4pm to 9pm. Several shops are closed on Fridays.

**Transport:**

The city of Doha has recently been undergoing a huge expansion to its transportation network, including the addition of new highways, the construction of a new airport, and the planned construction of a metro system.

Doha has a comprehensive road network made up primarily of two and three-lane dual carriageways. As a result of Doha being a relatively young city, Doha's roads are wide and usually include

service roads and large central dividers. While traditionally roundabouts have been used as intersections in the city, this has recently changed as a result of the huge load on the city's road networks. Many major roundabouts have been removed and instead either replaced with traffic lights or with underpasses and overpasses. Furthermore, many major thoroughfares in the city are being converted into highways in order to accommodate the huge increase of traffic on the city's roads.

The Mowasalat Company operates all **taxis** in Qatar under its Karwa brand, with thousands of taxis operating in the capital. There are many taxi stands in the city, and while in the past difficulties arose in finding taxis due to the small number of taxis on the roads following the launch of the company, today this has become less of an issue. Fares start at 10 riyals and the majority of taxis are well-equipped, comfortable sedans.

An extensive **bus system**, operated by the government-owned Mowasalat Company, currently operates in the city of Doha. The bus system covers many areas of the city, and there are stops throughout the city. The main bus station is located in the Souqs area of downtown Doha, and services operate to all major towns in Qatar.

**Doha Bus tours sightseeing** formula has been designed to provide a flexible approach to city discovery. Each open-top bus tour provides a hop-on, hop-off facility at a variety of interesting locations and, wherever possible, Doha Bus tours looks to enhance the visitor sightseeing experience by providing complementary experiences.





## 2.7 Useful expressions

English	Language of Host Country (Arabic)
Hello (welcome)	marhaba
Hello (peace be upon you)	assalamo alaykum
Good morning	sabah al khair
Goodbye!	ma'salaama
How are you?	kaif halaak (m) / kaif haalik (f)
Please	min fadlak
Thank you	shukran
Not at all	afwan
Yes	na'am
No	la
I want a taxi	ureed taxi
Toilets	hamam
I want to buy.../I'd like	areed ashtiri.../ ana areed



## 3

## KEY DATES

Date	Time	Event	Place
<b>10-25 Oct</b>	-	Arrivals	-
<b>14-21 Oct</b>	07:00 – 24:00	Team Delegation Registration	Ezdan Hotel
<b>18-21 Oct</b>	-	Classification	Qatar Sports Club & Doha Eye Specialist Centre
<b>20 Oct</b>	10:00	Team Leader Orientation	Qatar Sports Club
<b>20 Oct</b>	11:30	Team Medical Briefing	Qatar Sports Club
<b>20 Oct</b>	18:30	Sport Forum	Qatar Sports Club
<b>20 Oct</b>	20:00	Technical Meeting	Qatar Sports Club
<b>21 Oct</b>	19:00	Opening Ceremony	Katara
<b>22-31</b>	09:30 – 12:00 / 16:00 – 22:00	Competition	Qatar Sports Club
<b>24 Oct</b>	10:00 – 12:00	Athletes' Forum	Ezdan Hotel
<b>31 Oct</b>	21:00	Closing Ceremony	Qatar Sports Club
<b>1 Nov</b>	-	Departures	-



# 4

## TRAVEL TO QATAR

## Travel to Doha

### 4.1 Official Airports and Arrival Information

#### Hamad International Airport

Qatar's new state-of-the-art international airport has officially opened and commenced full operations. Hamad International Airport's new 600,000 square meter terminal features three concourses as well as a premium terminal while ready to serve up to 30 million passengers per year.

#### Airport Welcome

Doha 2015 staff will be identified by their uniforms and branding and will be located throughout Hamad International Airport. Additionally, Doha 2015 staff will operate in three areas at Hamad International Airport; prior to the immigrations counters, baggage claim and at the arrival hall. Doha 2015 staff will assist with any immigration, customs, or baggage issues you may face while directing you to the Transportation Team who will facilitate your transfer to your hotel.

#### Customs and Excise

You may proceed to Customs and Excise control after reclaiming your bags. Taxes range between 0% (on necessities) and 100% (on cigarettes). Firearms and alcohol are prohibited. Luggage is inspected on arrival. Firearms are prohibited on arrival and departure except by special permit from the official authorities. Alcohol for non-residents will be detained in return for a receipt until departure.

### 4.2 Entry Visas

All Qatar Entry Visa Applications will be processed through the online Accreditation Registration and Visa Application System. The applications will automatically be submitted upon the completion and approval of the accreditation registration. It is critical that the information submitted through the system matches the applicants' passport details and is both complete and accurate. Discrepancies in the submission may cause delays in Visa approval and issuing.

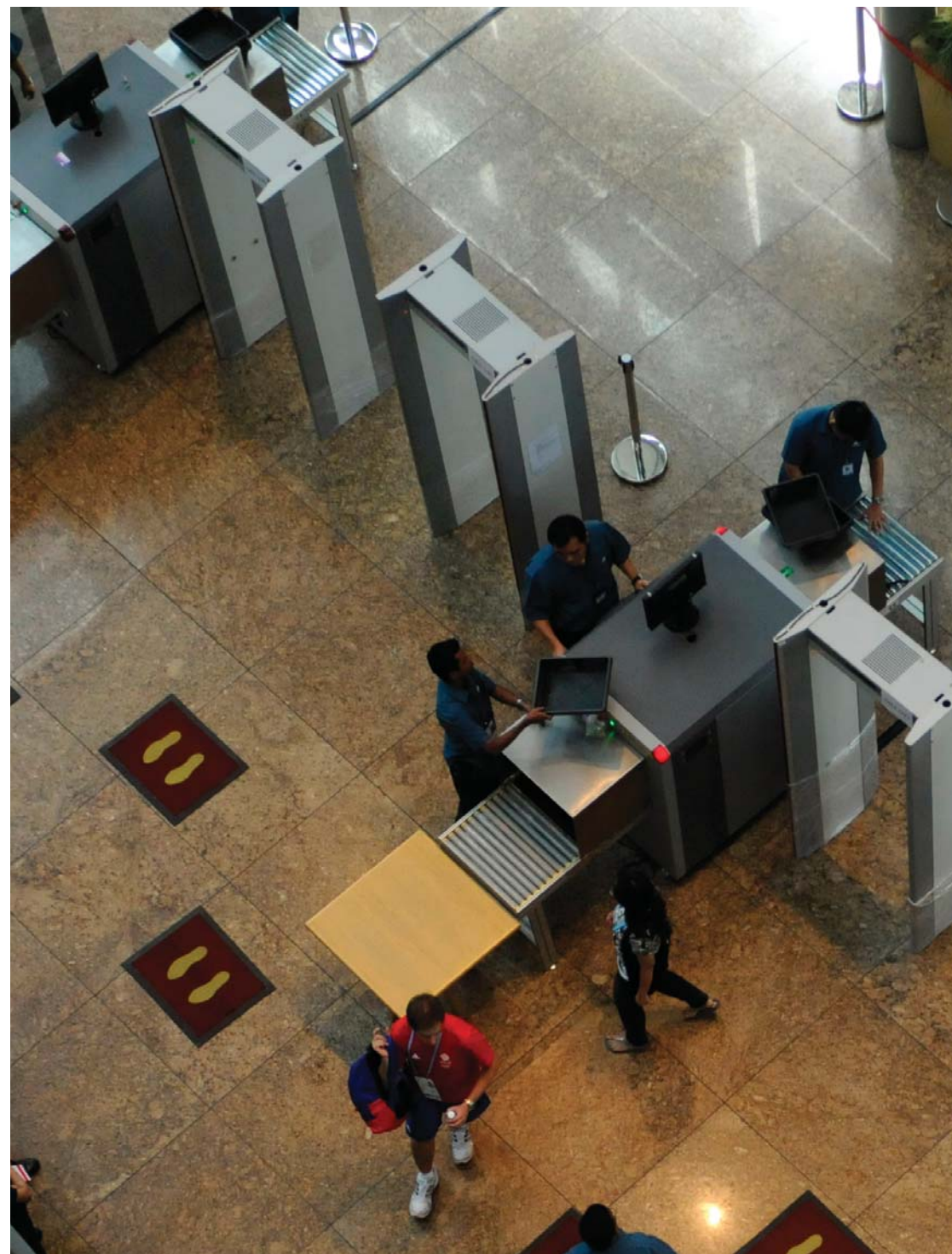
All Qatar Entry Visa Applications will be processed through the online IPC Accreditation System. The Doha 2015 Organising Committee will be facilitating entry visas free of charge for all accredited participants of the IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015. All nationalities, with the exception of the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) must apply for entry visas to enter the State of Qatar.

Upon completion and final participant approval (short list), entry visas can be downloaded from the Qatar Ministry of Interior (MOI) website below using the passport number and nationality:

<http://www.moi.gov.qa/VsaWeb/Actions?action=getVisaInfolnput&language=English>

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** To receive an entry visa you should have a valid passport with an expiry date at least until 1 May 2016.

Further details regarding the Qatar Entry Visa Application and Distribution Process can be found in the Qatar Entry Visa Guide (appendix 17.4)



# 5

## **ACCREDITATION**

## 5.1 Accreditation Centres

The Athletes Accreditation Centre will be located at Ezdan Hotel. This is where the Team Leader shall have to report as soon as possible after his/her arrival, in order to carry out the administrative procedures. The Athletes Accreditation Centre will operate during the DRMs period and will cease operations after the Opening Ceremony, once Competition has started.

The second Centre that shall accommodate Teams' needs will be the Main Accreditation Centre located at the perimeter of Qatar Sports Club.

### Athletes Accreditation Centre (AAC)

The Athletes Accreditation Centre (AAC) will be located at Ezdan Hotel & Suites. The designated Team Leader from the NPC will be handed all the Team's Accreditation Cards.

The AAC will be operational from October 14 to the 22nd.

### Main Accreditation Centre (MAC)

In case of loss or destruction of the Accreditation Card, team members may have it reissued at the Main Accreditation Centre (MAC) located at Qatar Sports Club.

The MAC will be operational from October 12 to the 31st.

Operational hours will follow the venue operational hours based on the Competition Schedule.

## 5.2 Accreditation Procedures and Payments

The Team Leader must report to the LOC / IPC Offices at the Accreditation Centre to complete the following formalities:

- Uniform Check
- Flag and Anthem Check
- LOC Accommodation Invoice
- IPC Athletics Competition Fees

- Final Confirmation of Entries

The Team Leader will be asked to complete the accounting procedures and settle any outstanding payments (for competition fees, accommodation, etc.) before they can collect the Team's Accreditation Cards, which will be issued upon presenting a document stating all procedures have been completed.

## 5.3 Accreditation Access Special Passes

### 5.3.1 Accreditation access

All team members are required to always wear their accreditation cards to enter the official Championships Venues; they should wear it in a manner that it can be clearly visible to security staff at all times. An Accreditation Card is not transferable and only accredits the individual it is issued for. Misuse of Accreditation Cards will result in cancellation of accreditation.

### 5.3.2 Special Passes

IPC Athletics/LOC shall provide special passes as required for the following categories:  
TIC (only for collecting items from the pigeonhole – up to a maximum of three per team depending on team size)

Coaching Zones Pass (for coaches at Field events)

## 5.4 Loss of Accreditation Card

The Accreditation Card must be worn visibly at all times and must be presented upon request. It is personal and non-transferable. In case of loss or theft, please report it immediately to the Main Accreditation Centre at the Stadium or Athlete Accreditation Centre at Ezdan Hotel. In order to obtain a new Accreditation Card, the team member must proceed to the Accreditation

Centre, accompanied by his Team Leader or the highest official in his delegation, carrying an appropriate identification document. A lost or damaged Accreditation Card will be cancelled in the accreditation system, and a lost Accreditation Card will not be reactivated even if found at a later date.

## 5.5 Personal Coach and Training Partner

Personal coaches and Training Partners using "P" accreditations may be allocated to each NPC according to the quotas outlined in the following table at a cost of 80 EURO per pass per day. "P" accreditations for NPCs are to be used only for personal coaches and training partners and are non-transferable. Each accreditation in this category grants access to training and warm-up venues, however it does not give the bearer the right to receive the Championships' services (e.g. lunch/dinner and local ground transport) and access to competition venue during competition.

Number of Athletes	Maximum Number of "P" Accreditation Passes per NPC
1-20	1
21-30	2
31-40	3
41-50	4
50+	5

NPCs may apply for a "P" accreditation within a period between 17 to 31 October. However applying for "P" accreditations on individual dates (i.e. not continuous) is considered as an application for multiple passes.

For example:

Applying for one person on both 22 October and 27 October is considered as two passes, however applying for one person from 22-27 October is considered as one pass.



# 6

## ACCOMMODATION





Accommodation

6.1 General

The IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015 – Local Organizing Committee (LOC) is the official accommodation service provider for the World Championships. The LOC will manage the accommodation, conference space and meeting room requirements for all teams and media. It is our aim to provide a safe, clean, stress-free and comfortable accommodation to our guests, to perform their event-time roles effectively. The Accommodation team will be responsible for any enquiries you may have during your stay at any of the allocated hotels and will ensure that a high quality of service will always be extended to the guests. Any enquiries and/or requests should be received in a timely manner either by email to NPC Relations prior to arrival or to the accommodation helpdesk at your respective hotel during event-time. It is important to know that any damage to any rooms or hotel's fixtures will be the sole responsibility of the occupier/NPC and must be paid

to the hotel prior to check out, as the LOC will not be responsible for any kind of damage charges.

6.2 Teams

**6.2.1 Hotels/Accommodation**  
Official Championships Hotels/Accommodations are divided into 2 main categories:

- Category 1:**  
Ezdan Hotel & Suites Doha (4 stars)  
Holiday Villa & Residence (4 stars)  
Retaj Al Rayyan Hotel Doha (4 stars)  
Millennium Hotel Doha (5 stars)
- Category 2:**  
Moevenpick Hotel West Bay Doha (5 stars)  
Doha Marriot Hotel (5 stars)

- 6.2.2 Costs**  
*From the period of October 17th through November 1st 2015\*:*
- Category 1:** Single Room / Bed & Breakfast  
170 USD
- Category 1:** Twin Room (two beds) / Bed & Breakfast  
190 USD
- Category 2:** Single Room / Bed & Breakfast  
185 USD
- Category 2:** Twin Room (two beds) / Bed & Breakfast  
220 USD
- Outside the period of October 17th through November 1st 2015\*:*
- Category 1** Single Room / Bed & Breakfast  
185 USD
- Category 1** Twin Room (two beds) / Bed & Breakfast  
230 USD

- Category 2** Single Room / Bed & Breakfast  
200 USD
- Category 2** Twin Room (two beds) / Bed & Breakfast  
260 USD
- Late Booking Procedure Pricing\*:
- Category 1** Single Room / Bed & Breakfast  
220 USD
- Category 1** Twin Room (two beds) / Bed & Breakfast  
250 USD
- Category 2** Single Room / Bed & Breakfast  
240 USD
- Category 2 Twin Room (two beds) / Bed & Breakfast  
290 USD
- \*Rates are per room per night and are subject to change*

### 6.2.3 Reservations

#### Booking Procedures

All bookings will be placed through the NPC Relations Department on a first come, first served basis and subject to hotel availability.

#### Provisional Hotel Bookings

Provisional Hotel Bookings allow your National Paralympic Committee to place reservations on the rooms needed for the IPC Athletics World Championships. The deadline for the provisional hotel booking is July 1st, 2015.

#### Final Hotel Booking Confirmation

Final Hotel Booking Confirmation allows your National Paralympic Committee to make any final changes to your reservations and confirm the booking. The deadline for the final hotel booking confirmation is July 26th, 2015.

#### Rooming List

National Paralympic Committees must provide a detailed rooming list for their hotel bookings before September 28th, 2015. For NPCs who do not submit a rooming list by this date, the LOC reserves the right to generate a rooming list based on the information received. All rooms will be considered guaranteed and paid for.

#### Late Booking Procedure

In keeping with the World Championships qualification period, the LOC will provide a late accommodations booking process to

make additions to your booking based on final qualifications between the periods of September 1st– September 21st, 2015. Each request will be taken on a case by case basis and may result in a hotel change booking. Bookings are subject to availability for both rooms and rates.

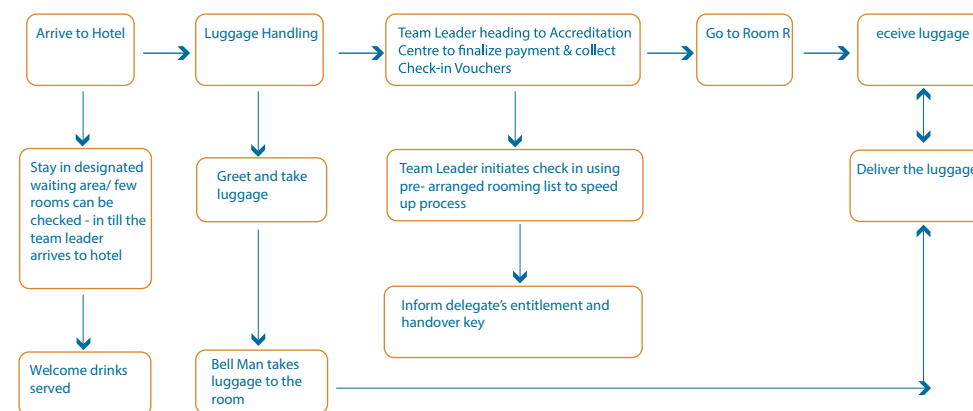
Late accommodations booking requests must be submitted in writing by email to

**[NPCRelationsDoha2015@olympic.qa](mailto:NPCRelationsDoha2015@olympic.qa)**.

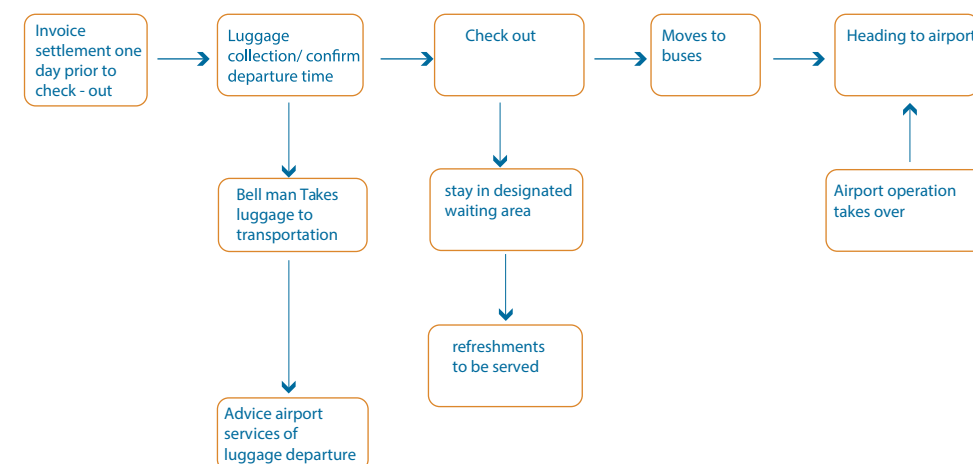
### 6.2.4 Check-in and Check-out procedure

- Full night charge (100% of room rate) for any check in prior to 8 am.
- Complimentary check in after 8 am is subject to availability and should be notified in advance.
- Standard check in time is 14:00.
- Standard check out time is 13:00.
- Complimentary late check out until 16:00.
- Full night charge for any departure after 16:00 hrs (100% of room rate)

### Guest Hotel Arrival Flowchart



### Guest Hotel Departure Flowchart





### 6.2.5 Meals

In accordance with agreements made with IPC Athletics, each Team Hotel will have buffet style catering available.

The Catering Program has the overall responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the provision of all catering in Hotels, at the Competition venue and at the Training venues.

#### Hotel Meals:

A buffet style rotating menu will be served at breakfast, lunch & dinner (three meals per day). The menu will cater for all dietary, ethnic and religious requirements. Four different cuisines will be offered comprising of Arabic, Continental, Asian and international dishes. The menu will consist of soup, vegetarian main course, meat main course, chicken, fish and side dishes. A wide selection of salads, cold cuts, cheeses, pastries, breads, assorted fruits and hot and cold beverages will also be served. Food choices play a significant part in Athletes' health and performance, so nutrition will be followed as described below:

- High Carbohydrate
- (more than 55 % of the Daily Total Caloric Intake)
- Moderate Protein (12-15 % of the Daily Total Caloric Intake)
- Lean (low fat) and clean (organic) meats and fresh seafood
- Moderate Fat (less than 30 % of the Daily Total Caloric Intake)

#### Buffet Meal Timings and special requirements:

06:00 - 10:00	Breakfast
12:00 - 15:30	Lunch
19:00 - 24:00	Dinner

Any dietary restriction or food allergy should be communicated to the LOC immediately.

#### Competition and Training Venues:

Qatar Sports Club (competition venue) and Al Arabi Sports Club (training venue) will provide the following provisions at the Athletes Lounge:

- Coffee
- Tea
- Water
- Fruit Juice
- Fresh Fruit
- Cookies

### 6.2.6 Services in Team Hotels/Accommodation

Each of the official hotels has their own unique features and enjoyable services. For detailed features and services per hotel please refer to the Team Accommodations Guide (v02). Below you may find the general common services provided in each hotel during your stay:

- Wi-Fi available in rooms and hotel common areas free of charge.
- 20% discount on laundry.
- Information and welcome desks to assist with any and all requests and enquiries.
- Access to hotel facilities free of charge.

Any damage to the room and the hotel's fixtures, fittings and furnishings will be the sole responsibility of the NPC and will be charged accordingly.

# 7

## TRANSPORTATION



### 7.1 Public Transport:

Transportation from Hamad International Airport to/from official competition hotels. Additional transportation from official competition hotels to/from training and competition venues, classification, technical meeting, opening/closing ceremonies and Hamad Hospital will be provided.

Transportation to/from the training and competition venues will be provided during the following:  
October 17th – 31st, 2015  
07:00 – 13:00 / 15:30 – 22:30

A detailed specific timetable as well as the classification transportation schedule will be posted on the notice-boards of the Championships Hotels as well as at the TIC.

Additional transportation services may be arranged through prior notice by email to LOC NPC Relations for a charge. Assistance/guidance for use of Qatar Public Transportation can be found at the transport helpdesks at your designated hotel.

Mowasalat is the largest transport company in Doha, providing efficient public transport with taxis and buses.

#### Taxis:

Mowasalat is providing taxi services in Qatar by brand name of "KARWA". KARWA Taxi is the most convenient and flexible mode of transport the Doha International Airport and within Qatar. The taxis are well-equipped, clean, safe, comfortable, brand new and spacious sedans. The minimum fare for the airport taxi starts at QAR 25, and the charge per kilometer is as low QAR 1.20. For regular taxis the minimum fare is QAR 10 and the charge per kilometer (after 5.5 km) is QAR 1.20.

Mowasalat provides a facility to book taxis through their 24 hours operational call center. For booking through Mowasalat call centre please contact **+974-44588888**, for airport to hotel bookings you can book at Arrivals Terminal Mowasalat counter or contact on **+974-44626858**.

Wheelchair customers can order a taxi from Karwa call center on **+974-44588888**.

#### Buses:

Mowasalat public bus system runs through the city of Doha. For the bus line map and details please see Appendix 17.3.

### 7.2 Travel Times

Distance in KM	Movenpick Towers	Doha Marriot	Ezdan Hotel	Retaj Al Rayan	Holiday Villa	Millennium Hotel	Qatar Sports Club	Al Arabi Sports Club	Hamad Intl. Airport
Movenpick Towers	0.0	13.1	5.2	1.0	12.2	11.5	7.0	12.3	21.7
Doha Marriot	13.1	0.0	10.6	12.0	8.0	11.4	10.3	8.7	14.3
Ezdan Hotel	5.2	11.0	0.0	6.2	10.0	8.8	3.0	10.0	19.6
Retaj Al Rayan	1.0	13.9	5.7	0.0	13.1	11.2	7.4	13.2	22.5
Holiday Villa	12.3	9.5	10.9	12.6	0.0	9.4	9.8	2.5	15.7
Millennium Hotel	11.5	12.8	8.2	9.8	7.0	0.0	7.0	6.7	20.6
Qatar Sports Club	6.0	11.4	3.6	6.4	10.1	8.2	0.0	10.2	20.0
Al Arabi Sports Club	13.1	9.7	11.7	13.4	4.4	8.8	10.5	0.0	14.9
Hamad International Airport	21.3	12.0	20.1	21.5	15.6	20.7	19.8	16.0	0.0

Travel Time in Minutes	Movenpick	Doha Marriot	Ezdan Hotel	Retaj Al Rayan	Holiday Villa	Millennium	Qatar Sports Club	Al Arabi Sports Club	Hamad International Airport
Movenpick Towers	0	26	10	2	24	23	14	25	43
Doha Marriot	26	0	21	24	16	23	21	17	29
Ezdan Hotel	10	22	0	12	20	18	6	20	39
Retaj Al Rayan	2	28	11	0	26	22	15	26	45
Holiday Villa	25	19	22	25	0	19	20	5	31
Millennium Hotel	23	26	16	20	14	0	14	13	41
Qatar Sports Club	12	23	7	13	20	16	0	20	40
Al Arabi Sports Club	26	19	23	27	9	18	21	0	30
Hamad International Airport	43	24	40	43	31	41	40	32	0

# 8

## **INFORMATION CENTRES**

## 8.1 Technical Information Centre – TIC (Stadium)

The TIC is located in the main building of Qatar Sports Club (competition venue). The main task of the TIC is to ensure a smooth liaison between each delegation and the Local Organising Committee, the IPC Athletics Technical Delegates and the Competition Management of the Championships regarding technical matters.

The TIC is responsible for, but not limited to, the following:

- Displaying on the relevant notice-board the official communications to the teams, including Start Lists, Results and Call Room reporting times.
- Distribution of urgent notices to the delegations from the Technical Delegates and Competition Management via the pigeonholes. It is the Team Leader's duty to collect this kind of information in due time.
- Receipt of written questions for the Technical Meeting (deadline : 19 October 2015 at 19:00)
- Receipt of Final Confirmations
- Distribution of Relay Order Confirmation Forms

(to be returned at TIC)

- Receipt of Withdrawal Forms
- Managing National Record Doping Control requests
- Written Appeals
- TIC General Enquiries

Opening Dates and Times will be as follows:

Operational Dates: **17 – 31/10/2015**

Operational Hours: **07:30 to 23:00**

This will be the main centre for technical information, although certain documents produced in the TIC will also be distributed to the Championship Information Desks (CID) for circulation. Only accredited personnel with a TIC pass shall have access to TIC and CID.

## 8.2 Championships Information Desk – CID (Hotels)

These will be situated in each of the Team Hotels/ Accommodation and will be linked to each other as well as to the TIC. They shall be responsible for, but not limited to, the following:

- Display on the relevant notice-board of official communications to the teams, including Start Lists, Results and Call Room reporting times.
- Distribution of urgent notices to the delegations from the Technical Delegates and Competition Management via the pigeonholes. It is the Team Leader's duty to collect this kind of information in due time.
- Distribution of information for issues relating to accommodation, meals, transport and the Championships in general.
- Receipt of written questions for the Technical Meeting (deadline : 19 October 2015 at 19:00)

Opening Dates and Times will be as follows:

Operational Dates: **17 – 31 October 2015**

Operational Hours: **07:30 to 13:00 / 14:00 to 22:30**

## 8.3 Documents Distribution

The protection of the environment is becoming increasingly important in everybody's life and IPC Athletics and LOC are trying to do their part. With today's media and communication technology, saving paper may seem an obvious way to contribute

but many of us are still reluctant to adapt, especially when it comes to Start List and Results which, for IPC Athletics World and Regional Championships, are systematically published on the IPC Athletics website even before they are available in hard copy.

IPC Athletics and LOC will make every effort to reduce the amount of printed material distributed to the Teams through their pigeon holes at the TIC at the Stadium or at the CID at the Team Hotels/Accommodation.

In practice this means that the distribution of competition related information at the TIC and CID will NOT be systematically made through printouts in the Team pigeonholes but will be displayed on the notice-boards (also available at the Warm-up Area). It will still be possible to request occasional copies of specific event start lists and / or results (at the TIC).

Important notices of general interest (e.g. changes to the timetable) will also be displayed on the Posting Board while individual communications to specific teams will be posted through the pigeonholes.

# 9

## COMPETITION









## 9.1 Competition Venue Information: Qatar Sports Club

### Warm-up Area

- One Discus cage for Standing (Warm-up)
- One Circle for Shot Put Standing (Warm-up)
- One Javelin Throw Runway (Warm-up)
- One Portable Discus Cage for wheelchair throwing (Warm-up)
- Four Wheelchair Throwing platforms with fixing devices for Shot Put and Javelin (Warm-up)
- One 400m eight-lane track (Polytan) divided in two by cones:
  - Inner four lanes for wheelchair training and warm-up
  - Outer four lanes for ambulatory warm-up
- Starting Blocks
- Two landing areas for Long & Triple Jump
- High Jump Area
- Fitness Hall

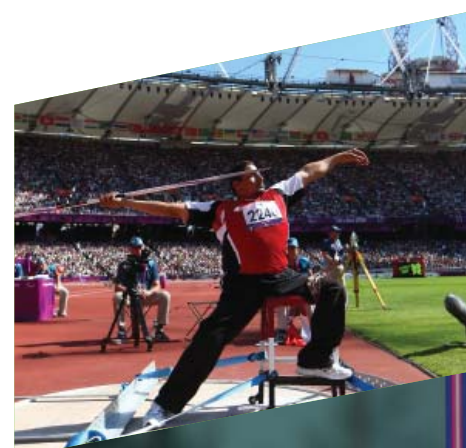
- One Discus cage for standing
- Two Portable Discus cage for wheelchair throwing events with platforms and fixing devices.
- One Circle for Shot Put Standing
- Two Wheelchair Throwing Areas for Shot Put and Javelin.
- One High Jump Area
- Two landing areas for Long & Triple Jump
- Two javelin Throw runways.
- Ambulance on site

## 9.2 Training Venues Information

### Al-Arabi Sports Club: For Ambulatory Athletes (Track & Field)

The Following facilities will be available

- One 400m eight-lane Track.
- Two (2) Discus Cages.
- Two (2) Circles for Shot Put.
- Two Javelin Throw Runways.
- Starting-blocks.
- Two (2) landing areas for long & triple jump
- High Jump Area.



- Fitness Hall.
- Ambulance on site
- Athletes' Lounge
- Throwing implements

### Qatar Sports Club: For Wheelchair Athletes (Track & Field)

The following facilities will be available

- One 400m eight-lane track (Polytan) divided in two by cones:
  - Inner four lanes for wheelchair training and warm-up
  - Outer four lanes for ambulatory warm-up during competition period
- Storage area
- Fitness Hall
- Athletes' lounge
- Throwing Implements
- Football Area (Training for Wheelchair throwing)
- Two Portable discus cages with wheelchair throwing platforms and fixing devices
- Eight Wheelchair throwing platforms with fixing devices (Shot Put and Javelin)
- Ambulance on site

### 9.3 Training Schedule

Training Sites	Dates	Times
Al-Arabi Sports Club	17 – 31/10/2015	09.30 - 12.30
		16.00 - 22.00
Qatar Sports Club	17 – 31/10/2015	09.30 - 12.30
		16.00 - 22.00

### 9.4 Sports Equipment

#### 9.4.1 Implementation

The implements provided by the LOC (see implements list, Appendix 17.2) are selected from those appearing on the current IAAF approved list. Teams using IAAF approved equipment not listed by the LOC may present such equipment no later than 18:00 the day before the scheduled event to the TIC for inclusion in the competition pool, subject to approval (see below).

Basic implements will be provided for warm up and training.

#### 9.4.2 Throwing Frames Inspections:

Throwing frames pre-check:

- Throwing frames must be presented to the storage area on October 20th at 18:00 for first inspection.

Inspection during competition time:

- Athletes and Team Managers have the responsibility to bring their frames from the storage area to the first call room according to their events call room time.

### 9.5 Official Implements

Personal Implements will be allowed, providing that:

- they are readily identifiable and are IAAF certified
- they are not already on the official list
- they have been checked for compliance with IPC Athletics (for those are unique to para-athletics) and IAAF Rules
- they are made available to all the other athletes until the end of the Final

The checking procedure will be as follows:

Checking	Location	Time Return
Personal Throwing Implements are to be checked prior to the event, after which a receipt will be given for the implements	TIC	Implements are returned in exchange for the receipt after the event's Final at 21:00 October 31st.

If a personal implement cannot be accepted into the pool due to it not meeting the specifications or being unidentifiable, the relevant team will be immediately notified through the TIC, with an explanation, and the implement will be returned.



# 10

## ENTRIES & FINAL CONFIRMATIONS

### 10.1 Entry Regulations

#### 10.1.1 Declaration of Participation

By completing and submitting the sport entries via IPC Online Entry & Bipartite System (EBS), NPCs are considered to have declared the participation of their athletes in the specified event(s). Athletes are required to compete in all their event(s) specified on the Online Entries Confirmation Form and submitted by their NPC. Only athletes that are injured or become ill during the course of the Championships provided a presentation of a medical certificate signed by the team/LOC medical doctor may be granted an exception to this rule subject to assessment and sign off from IPC Athletics Medical Delegate. IPC Athletics may waive the application of this rule to an athlete under exceptional circumstances.

Any athlete found to be in breach of the Declaration of Participation Regulation may be disqualified by IPC Athletics from all remaining events at the IPC Athletics World Championships.

#### 10.1.2 Athlete Programme

After the close of the entries on 28 September 2015, athletes are subject to the Athlete Programme Regulation and NPCs may not enter the athlete into additional events to those already specified on the Online Entries Confirmation Form. IPC Athletics may accept additional event entries in exceptional circumstances.

The Athlete Programme Regulation also applies to any proposed substitute athlete or athlete eligible for re-entry due to a change in sport class. (See 9.4.3)

#### 10.1.3 Athlete /Guide-runner Substitution

Athlete/Guide-runner substitutions in principle will only be considered for an NPC if the substitution is made for an athlete in the same gender, sport class and event. Under exceptional circumstance, at IPC Athletics' discretion, substitutions not meeting these criteria may be accepted.

The substitute athlete should have met the conditions of the qualification criteria as outlined for the respective event(s).

Substitutions may only be made for an athlete/guide-runner who withdraws due to injury, illness or other exceptional circumstances and prior to 14 October. In the case of injury or illness, a medical certificate signed by the team medical officer must be submitted to IPC Athletics for approval. Absolutely no athlete substitution will be permitted after this date.

Substitutions for Guide-runner after 14 October may only be permitted due to injury, illness or other extraordinary circumstances within the existing team.

IPC Athletics must receive an official request from





the NPC for any proposed substitution prior to the above date. The official request must include all required supporting documents for consideration and processing by IPC Athletics.

## 10.2 Final Entries

Final Entries must be submitted by 28 September, midnight, Central European Time (CET) time, via IPC Online Entry & Bipartite System (EBS). EBS will be available from 7 September.

If you encounter difficulties when submitting entries, please contact IPC Athletics ([ipcatletics@paralympic.org](mailto:ipcatletics@paralympic.org)) for assistance.

## 10.3 Event Viability

IPC Athletics will review the final sport entries as at 28 September 2015 for all medal events to determine if they are viable or not. To be viable a

medal event should have a minimum of five (5) entries from three (3) nations.

If an individual medal event is non-viable as at 28 September 2015 it may not appear on the final Medal Event Programme and may still be run as a non-Medal Event. NPC's shall be advised accordingly.

If there are withdrawals from any event in accordance with these regulations after 5 October 2015 and the entries drop below the minimum criteria, the event will still be run as a Medal Event. In the event there are three (3) or less entries, the medals will be allocated using the 'Minus One' rule (e.g. if only 3 athletes remain in an event, only gold and silver would be awarded).

## 10.4 Final Confirmations

### 10.4.1 General

Teams will receive the Final Confirmation Forms prior to the Technical Meeting. Team Leaders, or

their representatives, must confirm the names of those athletes already entered who will actually take part in the competition. The completed forms must be returned to the TIC at the end of the Technical Meeting.

### 10.4.2 Relays

The final composition of the Relay teams and the order of running must be declared at the TIC no later than one hour before the published 1st Call Time for the event. The Declaration Forms will be available at the TIC on the day of the event. Once the team has taken part in the event, only two (2) additional athletes may take part in the Final. Substitutes may only be taken from the list of entered athletes in the respective relay event.

### 10.4.3 Failure to participate

Any athlete who, after the Final Confirmation has been submitted, or after qualifying during a

qualifying round or a heat for any event, fails to participate in the event without giving a valid reason (e.g. a medical certificate issued by the official doctor of the Championships), shall be excluded from participation in all further events in the competition, including Relays.

## 10.5 Withdrawals

Withdrawals after arrival in Doha must be submitted on the official Withdrawal Form to the TIC. The reason for the withdrawal, subject to Entry Regulations 8.1, has to be specified in detail, its acceptance being the responsibility of the Technical Delegates in consultation with the Medical Delegate.

# 11

## **COMPETITION PROCEDURES**

## 11.1 Technical Meeting

The Technical Meeting will take place on the 20 October 2015 at 20:00 in Qatar Sports Club. A maximum of two representatives from each NPC may attend the technical meeting. If necessary, an interpreter or team attaché may also attend. The IPC Athletics Technical Delegate will preside over the meeting, which will be conducted in [English](#). The agenda will be as follows:

- Welcome by IPC Athletics
- Introduction of the IPC Athletics Technical Delegate and main Championships Officials
- Timetable amendment (if any)
- Call Room reporting times
- Qualifying Procedures for Races
- Starting heights and raising of the bar
- Protests and Appeals
- Opening and Closing Ceremonies
- Answers to written questions

All questions and proposals concerning the procedures of the Athletics competition, which will be dealt with during the technical meeting, must be made in English on the Questions for the Technical Meeting form. This form must be submitted to the TIC/CID no later than 19 October 2015 at 19:00. A summary of all submitted questions and answers will be distributed during the technical meeting.

### 11.1.1 Confirmation of starting heights, distances and progressions

The qualification procedure for the track events (number of rounds, number of heats in each round, and method of progression from each round), Triple Jump board distances, starting heights, and the raising of the bar in High Jump will be determined by the Technical Delegate. Team leaders will be informed of the decision at the technical meeting. Full documentation of the qualification procedures will also be available at the Stadium TIC and the CID.

### 11.1.2 Declaration of relay teams

Each team's relay composition and running order must be officially declared no later than one hour before the published first call time for the first heat of each round of the competition. Further changes may be made for medical reasons (verified by IPC Athletics Medical Delegate) up until the final call for the particular heat in which the team is competing. This declaration must be made at the Stadium TIC where an official will be based at specific times for this purpose.

### 11.2 Orientation Visit for Team Leaders

There will be a visit organised at the competition venue on October 20th at 10:00 for the team leaders to familiarize themselves with the exact location of the main facilities (change rooms, warm-up area, call room, etc.). The tour will be led by the Doha 2015 Competition Managers. More information, including transport arrangements, will be available at the TIC/CID.

### 11.3 Timetable (Competition Schedule)

Please refer to Appendix 17.1 and <http://www.paralympic.org/doha-2015/schedule-results> for the most up-to-date version.

### 11.4 Athletes' Bibs

Each athlete will be provided with a total of five (5) number bibs (and supporting pins) for individual events. The bibs will be distributed at the TIC before the technical meeting. The bibs containing the athlete's competition number must be attached to:

- the front and back of the athlete's vest (except in High Jump, where only one must be worn, and wheelchair track events, where none need

be worn)

- the athlete's tracksuit
- the athlete's bag
- the athlete's throwing frame
- the athlete's racing chair (to be placed on the back of the chair)
- the athlete's day chair (for wheelchair track athletes – to ease identification)

Athletes competing in relay events will also be provided with a bib containing the athlete's NPC code. During relay events, this bib must be worn on the back in place of the bib containing the athlete's number.

Teams should note the following regulations:

- Bibs must not be cut, folded or obscured in any way.

- Each athlete must use the same bibs, regardless of the number of events in which they compete.

Each athlete must display the bibs as described above. The same bibs are to be used by the athletes, regardless of the number of events in which they compete.

Bib numbers will be distributed along with pins to teams from the TIC. NPC-coded bib numbers for relays will be distributed in the Final Call Room. Arrangements will be made at the Stadium to reprint any bib numbers as required.

The athletes competing in Track Events will also be given two adhesive hip numbers in Final Call Room before entering the Field of Play. The hip numbers must be secured to both sides of the athlete's shorts/legs/helmets.



## 11.5 Athletes' Clothing

All athletes must compete wearing the official national uniform approved by their Delegation. This also includes the Lap of Honour and the Medal Ceremonies.

Any advertising on clothes and bags must comply with the latest IPC Athletics Uniform and Equipment Advertising Regulations, which can be found on the IPC Athletics website (<http://www.paralympic.org/athletics/about/official-documents>).

All team competition and victory ceremony uniform pieces must be submitted online at the SDMS Uniform application for preliminary inspection prior to the start of competition. The online uniform application can be found at <http://www.paralympic.org/sdms/uniform/default/welcome>. Based on online review, IPC Athletics may request certain pieces of uniform for onsite inspection.

Onsite inspection of uniforms will be checked upon arrival in the Athlete Accreditation Centre (AAC). All uniform must be approved prior to the start of the Championships. Any infringement of the Rules may result in the disqualification of the athlete.

## 11.6 Personal Belongings

Athletes will only be permitted to take a backpack or similar sized bag with them into the Field of Play. A strict inspection shall be made on illegal and prohibited items, which athletes may have in their possession. Cassette recorders, radios, CD/MP3 players, mobile phones, cameras, etc. shall not be permitted. Any items that do not conform to the IPC Athletics Rules and Regulations will be confiscated. Confiscated items may be retrieved at the Post Event Control after the event.

## 11.7 Equipment Storage - throwing frame and racing chairs

Racing chairs and throwing frames will be stored at the Qatar Sport Club (QST). For transferring equipment upon arrival to the storage area the following process will be in place:

### 11.7.1 Team Arrivals:

For Teams arriving at the airport prior to 10pm: Athletes and Team officials should take their sport equipment directly from the airport to Qatar Sports Club (QSC) in transport provided by the LOC. Teams will be responsible for checking in their equipment to the storage. After equipment has been checked in, transport will be provided to the hotel.

For Teams arriving later than 10pm:

Athletes and Team Officials will be transferred directly to the hotel with their equipment.

Equipment will be stored overnight in a designated storage area in the hotel and will be transferred to QSC the next morning

### 11.7.2 Team Departures:

At the end of competition athletes and team officials transport their equipment from QSC to the hotel storage until departure.

In the case of early departures, team leaders should confirm their arrangements a minimum of 24 hours prior at the competition wheelchair storage facility.

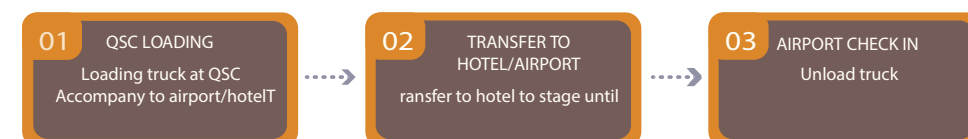
### Arrivals until 10pm



### Arrivals after 10pm



### Departures





## 11.8 Call Rooms

### 11.8.1 First Call Room

Call Room 1 is located at Warm-up Area. It will be just a marshalling point for athletes before they are transferred to Call Room 2. All athletes will be required to report to the First Call Room according to the scheduled reporting times below (there may be slight amendments in case of particularly large fields in the field events).

Athletes in seated throws events must deliver their

#### Ambulant Athletes

Event	Latest Time to report to Call Room 1
High Jump	70min
Horizontal Jump & Throwing	60min
Relay	45min
Track	40min

#### Wheelchair Athletes

Event	Latest Time to report to Call Room 1
Relay	55min
Throwing	45min
Track	45min

throwing frame, showing their competition number, to the entrance to the Call Room for measurement and to be sent to the field of play.

Athletes in finals of wheelchair track events must deliver their day chair to the entrance of the Call Room so that it can be delivered to the post event area, where it will be available for athletes to transfer for Victory Ceremonies and doping control.

Athletes who fail to appear on time at the First Call Room without a valid reason may be excluded from participating in this and all further events in the Championships, including Relays. Team Officials are not allowed to enter the Call Rooms.

### 11.8.2 Final Call Room

Final Call Room will be the multipurpose hall of QSC, located in the main building, under the VIP tribune. The procedures in the Final Call Room shall be as follows:

- Identification of athletes by means of their Accreditation Card and bib number.
- Checking of athletes' uniform
- Inspection of personal belongings
- Checking for compliance with IPC Advertising Regulations
- Checking of shoe spikes (number, shape/type and size) for compliance with IPC Athletics Rule

6.3. The maximum sizes allowed are:

- All events: not more than 9 mm
- High Jump and Javelin Throw: not more than 12 mm If they do not comply with IPC Athletics Rules, the athletes will be asked to change them to the correct size.

Accreditation Cards for competing athletes will be collected at the Final Call Room and returned upon the completion of their respective events at the Post Event Area. Team Leaders must ensure that all their athletes comply with the above before entering the Call Rooms to avoid delays. After completion of these procedures, athletes must follow the instructions given by the officials at the Final Call Room before being taken onto the Field of Play.

## 11.9 Entry onto Field of Play

All athletes, escorted by competition officials, shall enter the Field of Play from the 100m start gate. During an event, no athlete may leave the competition area without the permission from the Chief Judge. In cases where an athlete must leave the Field-of-Play, an official must escort the athlete.

## 11.10 Specific Event Procedures

### 11.10.1 Track Events

The starter's commands will be given in English. Lanes 1-8 will be used for all events.

### 11.10.2 Field Events

The competing order for the fourth, fifth and final rounds of trials shall be in the reverse ranking order recorded after the first three rounds of trials, unless the technical delegate decides to stage six throws in succession for each athlete in secured throwing events.

### 11.10.3 Coaching Zones

Dedicated seating will be provided in appropriate areas for the Field Event coaches. These will be accessible by means of a specific pass, one per athlete, distributed through the TIC once the start lists are issued.

## 11.11 Timing and Measurement

Official timing and measurement will be provided by Atos

## 11.12 Post Competition Procedures

All athletes will leave the Field of Play via the Mixed Zone, which is located in the FOP behind the

finish line.

In the Mixed Zone, the media may conduct short interviews. After passing through the Mixed Zone, athletes move to the Post Event Area where they will be able to recover and collect their clothing. The Post Event Area is located to the right of the mixed zone exit.

In case of a medal ceremony, press conference or doping control, the athletes concerned will be escorted to the dedicated areas via specific routes.

### 11.13 Victory Ceremonies

The first three athletes in each individual event and the first three teams in each Relay race will each be presented with a gold, silver and bronze medal respectively subject to application of “Minus One” Rule (See Section 7.3). When a delegation competes in a Relay event with more than four athletes, only the four athletes (along with their respective guide-runners) in the Final will be awarded medals during the official ceremony. The other eligible athletes (and guide-runners) will receive their medals later at the TIC.

All the Medal Ceremonies will take place at the center of the Field of Play. Where practical, the Medal Ceremonies will be held on the same day as the event, usually before the doping control procedures (where applicable). LOC staff will be responsible to gather the first three athletes or Relay teams and escort them to the ceremony waiting area where they will wait for the ceremony.

For those held on the following day/session, the medallists will receive an information sheet from the athlete escorts at the exit of the Post Event Area, which will indicate the time and location that they are to report to for the next day/session. A provisional medal ceremonies schedule is provided together with the Competition Schedule in Appendix 17.1.

The athletes must wear their delegation's official uniform at Medal Ceremonies. During the playing of the anthem and the raising of the flags, they shall face the flags and conduct themselves in a dignified manner at all times. The medallists will not be permitted to bring a national flag nor any other items to the ceremony.

### 11.14 Protests and Appeals

Protests and Appeals shall be handled according to IPC Athletics Regulation Chapter 4.1, 4.2 and 4.3. Protests and appeals shall be handled by the TIC at Qatar Sports Club.

#### 11.14.1 Protests

Protests concerning the result or conduct of an event shall be made within 30 minutes of the official announcement of the result of that event. The Organising Committee of the competition shall be responsible for ensuring that the time of the announcement of all results is recorded.

Any protest shall, in the first instance, be made orally to the Referee by an athlete, by someone acting on his behalf or by an official representative of a team. Such person or team may protest only if they are competing in the same round of the event to which the protest (or subsequent appeal) relates. To arrive at a fair decision, the Referee should consider any available relevant evidence. The Referee may decide on the protest or may refer the matter to the Jury. If the Referee makes a decision, there shall be a right of appeal to the Jury. Where the

Referee is not accessible or available, the protest should be made to him through the TIC.

#### 11.14.2 Appeals

An appeal to the Jury of Appeal must be made within 30 minutes of: the official announcement of the amended result of an event arising from the decision made by the Referee; or the advice being given to those making the protest, where there is no amendment of any result.

The Appeal shall be in writing, signed by a responsible NPC official on behalf of the athlete or team, and shall be accompanied by an appeal fee of €200 EUR, \$230 USD or 830 QAR (Qatari Riyals). The appeal fee will be forfeited if the appeal is not allowed. Such athlete or team may appeal only if they are competing in the same round of the event to which the appeal relates (or are competing in a competition on which a team points score is being conducted).

Note: The relevant Referee shall, after his decision on a protest, immediately inform the TIC of the time of the decision. If the Referee was unable to communicate this orally to the relevant team(s)/ athlete(s), the official time of the announcement will be that of posting the decision at the TIC.

# 12

## CLASSIFICATION

### 12.1 NPC Responsibilities

It is the collective responsibility of each athlete and their NPC, through the NPC Team Leader and relevant team officials, to be informed about and comply with all classification policies and procedures relating to the IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015 and as outlined in the IPC Athletics Classification Rules and Regulations. Each NPC is responsible for ensuring that the athletes who need to be present for assessment during the Classification Evaluation Period do so at the times defined in the Classification Evaluation Schedule.

### 12.2 Sport Class Status

A sport class status informs NPCs whether an athlete must attend classification evaluation upon arrival at the IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015. A sport class status also denotes which classification protest opportunities may be available.

### 12.3 Pre-Championships Classification Activities

#### 12.3.1 Classification Master List

Each NPC is responsible for verifying the sport class data of their athletes. NPCs should liaise directly with IPC Athletics if the Classification Master List contains incorrect athlete data (name, sport class, sport class status) and/or if an athlete is not included on the Classification Master List.

#### 12.3.2 Classification Evaluation Schedule

The Classification Evaluation Schedule will be distributed by email to NPCs after the final entries deadline. The schedule will include the details of all athletes that must present for classification (athletes with a sport class status of N or R [not including athletes with a fixed date review beyond 2015]) upon arrival at the IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015.

In the event that some athletes attend IPC Athletics sanctioned international classification opportunities between the final entry deadline and the start of the Classification Evaluation at the IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015, changes to the Classification Evaluation Schedule may be necessary. Any changes will be

communicated to the respective NPCs via email. All athletes listed on the Classification Evaluation Schedule must be present for classification at the specified time, date and location, with the appropriate equipment, attire and medical documentation as stipulated in the IPC Athletics Classification Rules and Regulations. Failure to be present for classification at the specified time, date and location and/or without the required equipment, attire and medical documentation may be viewed as a failure to comply with the IPC Athletics Classification Rules and Regulations, and the athlete may be deemed ineligible to compete.

## 12.4 Championships-time classification activities

### 12.4.1 Classification Evaluation Period

All athletes with a sport class status of N and R (not including athletes with a fixed date review beyond 2015) are required to arrive at the IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015 in time to be available for classification during the Classification Evaluation Period. It is the responsibility of each NPC, through the Team Leader, to ensure that athletes listed on the Classification Evaluation Schedule are available and present for classification at the designated time, date and location. Locations are as follows:

- Qatar Sports Club
- Physical Impairment Classification (PI)

- Intellectual Impairment Classification (II)
- Doha Eye Specialist Centre
- Visual Impairment Classification (VI)

Transportation will be provided from official competition hotels to specified classification venues based on the Classification Evaluation Schedule. All athletes listed on the Classification Evaluation Schedule must present for classification no later than 30 minutes before the scheduled classification time at the designated venue, and must be present for evaluation with the appropriate equipment, attire and medical documentation as stipulated in the IPC Athletics Classification Rules and Regulations.

Failure to comply with the Athlete Evaluation Process (as outlined in Article 4 of the IPC Athletics Classification rules and regulations) may deem an athlete ineligible to compete.

One person (in addition to any required interpreter) may accompany an athlete during Athlete Evaluation. If the athlete is a minor or has an Intellectual Impairment, a parent or Guardian should accompany him or her, or a person authorised by a parent or guardian on their behalf. Athletes must accept the terms of the IPC Athletics Consent Form prior to participating in Athlete Evaluation.

The athlete must provide identification, such as

passport or ID card along with their accreditation that verifies the Athlete's identity.

### 12.4.2 Classification competition period – First Appearance

If a Classification Panel requires an Athlete to complete Observation Assessment following completion of Physical and Technical Assessment in order that the Athlete can be allocated a Sport Class, the provisions regarding observation assessment will apply (IPC Athletics Classification Rules and Regulations, Article 4.12).

Pending completion of Observation Assessment, the Athlete will be allocated a Sport Class with a tracking code:

If the athlete has entered the Competition with Sport Class Status New (N), the athlete will be allocated the Tracking Code Competition New Status (CNS);

If the athlete has entered the Competition with Sport Class Status Review (R), the athlete will be allocated the Tracking Code Competition Review Status (CRS);

An Athlete will retain the Sport Class and Tracking Code until Observation Assessment is satisfactorily completed.

Observation Assessment, if required by the Classification Panel for the respective athlete, is conducted during the athlete's First Appearance. First appearance is the first time that an athlete competes in an event during a competition. First appearance in one event within a Sport Class and shall apply to all other events within the same Sport Class.

After satisfactorily completing Observation Assessment, the Classification Panel will allocate the athlete a Sport Class and designate the athlete with a Sport Class Status. The Tracking Code will then be removed.

In the event of a changed sport class following first appearance, the athlete is subject to Re-entry (9.4.3).

### 12.4.3 Re-entry after changes in sport class

Should an athlete's sport class change during the Classification Evaluation Period and/ or the Classification Competition Period, re-entry will be considered in accordance with the following criteria:

- The minimum eligibility criteria have been met;
- The event(s) is/are offered in the newly allocated sport class;
- The maximum entries per NPC have not been reached;
- The competition of the concerned event(s) has

not started;

- The competition schedule is not badly affected.

Classification Evaluation Period, for a re-entry to be considered, the NPC is requested to confirm to IPC Athletics of his/her re-entry within two (2) hours after the publication of the classification outcomes. Athletes who are subject to re-entry may only be permitted to re-enter in the same event(s) that had been previously entered of the revised class. In the event that an athlete cannot get an event due to lack of availability in his revised class, he may enter another available event of his revised class. All re-entries are subject to the Technical Delegate's approval.

#### **Change of Class during Competition**

During Competition period, the sport class of athletes may change after observation in competition, protests after observation in competition, or protest under exceptional circumstances. The following regulation outlines how sport class changes in competition shall take effect on an athlete's class, result and record at these Championships.

#### **Track Events**

If the revised class is still within the eligible classes of that event, re-entry of that event is not required and the result achieved. Placing and prize won by the athlete shall stand.

If the athlete had entered other events in his previous class at the same competition, he may be re-entered in those events of his revised class subject to the above re-entry criteria and approval of the appointed Technical Delegate.

If the revised class is outside the eligible classes of that event, the performance(s) achieved by the athlete shall stand but the placing and prize won by the athlete shall be void. Re-entry of that same event in the revised class is subject to above re-entry criteria.

If the athlete had entered other events in his previous class at the same competition, he may be re-entered in those events of his revised class subject to the above re-entry criteria and approval of the appointed Technical Delegate.

#### **Field Events**

If the revised class is still within the eligible classes of that event, re-entry of that event is not required. The performance(s) achieved by the athlete may stand provided same competition rules apply in his revised class. If the Raza system is being used, the points which determine the placing and prize shall be recalculated against his revised class.

Re-entry of that same event in the revised class is subject to above re-entry criteria. If the athlete had entered other events in his previous class at the same competition, he may be re-entered in those events of his revised class subject to the above re-entry criteria and approval of the appointed Technical Delegate.

If the revised class is outside the eligible classes of that event, the performance(s) achieved by the athlete may stand provided the same competition rules apply in his revised class but the placing and prize won by the athlete shall be void. If the athlete had entered other events in his previous class at the same competition, he may be re-entered in those events of his revised class subject to the above re-entry criteria and approval of the appointed Technical Delegate.

## **12.5 Classification Protests**

### **12.5.1 General Principles**

Only athletes with a sport class status New (N) or Review (R) may be subjected to classification protest. An athlete with a sport class status of C or R with a fixed date review beyond 2015 may only be subjected to classification protest under exceptional circumstances by the Chief Classifier (see section: Protests Under Exceptional Circumstances).

To be considered, all protests must be lodged in accordance with the policies and procedures detailed in the most current IPC Athletics Classification Rules and Regulations. An athlete may only be subjected to classification protest once during the IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015, unless there is a protest under an exceptional circumstance (see section: Protests under exceptional circumstances).

Protests may be lodged by the authorised person on behalf of the NPC as outlined in the table below:



**Protests during Classification Evaluation Period**

Sport class status at final entry	Protest by own NPC	Protest by other NPC	Protest by Chief Classifier under exceptional circumstance
N	Yes	Yes	Yes
R	Yes	No	Yes
C	No	No	Yes

**Protests during Classification Competition Period (First appearance)**

Tracking status at entry of competition period	Protest by own NPC	Protest by other NPC	Protest by Chief Classifier under exceptional circumstance
CNS	Yes	No	Yes
CRS	Yes	No	Yes

Championships Doha 2015 shall only be considered if:

- The protest is submitted in accordance with the provisions detailed in above table
- The protest is submitted in accordance with the time frame stipulated in the IPC Athletics Classification Rules and Regulations
- The protest is submitted in English on the official Classification Protest Form which must be completed in its entirety
- The protest is submitted by the authorised person on behalf of the NPC
- The protest fee is paid

Classification Protest Forms will be available at the TIC at the competition venue.

Protests must be submitted within the designated timeframe to the TIC within the timeframes presented in the table below.

Each classification protest submitted by an NPC will be subject to a fee of €200 EUR, \$230 USD or 830 QAR (Qatari Riyals), paid in cash and submitted

with the Classification Protest Form. No other foreign currency shall be accepted. The amount paid will only be refunded to the respective NPC if the classification protest is upheld. A fee will not be required if the classification protest is submitted by the Chief Classifier.

The final decision about each protest will be documented on the official Classification Protest Form. The original form will be kept by the Chief Classifier, and copies will be given to the LOC and NPC of the athlete concerned. It is the responsibility of the Chef de Mission of the athlete's NPC to inform the athlete of the final decision about each protest. If an athlete does not appear for classification re-evaluation, they will be deemed ineligible to compete further in these Championships. The Chef de Mission of the relevant NPC will be appropriately notified in writing by the Chief Classifier.

**12.5.3 Protest deadlines**

Protests may be submitted by an authorised person on behalf of the NPC to the TIC. The NPC will be notified verbally and in writing about any protest lodged against one of its athletes, and will be provided with a time and date for any subsequent

re-evaluation if required. The notification will be done by the Chief Classifier to the NPC Chef de Mission as soon as possible after the acceptance of a protest.

Classification Phase	Classification evaluation results posted	Protest deadline window
Classification Evaluation Period	Following each classification session (Morning/Afternoon)	No later than one hour after the athlete's sport class was posted
Classification Competition Period (First Appearance)	No later than 15 minutes after the completion of the event in which first appearance occurred	No later than 15 minutes after the athlete's sport class was posted

**Protests during the Classification****Evaluation Period**

In order for a classification protest to be considered during the Classification Evaluation Period, it must be lodged after the completion of the athlete's classification evaluation session and within the protest deadline window listed in the table above.

**Protests during the Classification****Competition period**

In order for a classification protest relating to an athlete with a CNS or CRS sport class status to be considered by the Chief Classifier, the protest must be lodged within 15 minutes of the publication of the athlete's allocated sport class and sport class status after the completion of the event in which First Appearance occurred. The protest must be lodged at the TIC. It is the responsibility of the Chief Classifier, with full cooperation of the NPC concerned, to resolve the protest as soon as possible after the notification of a protest in order to minimise impact on the competition.

**12.5.4 Protests under exceptional circumstances**

Protests under exceptional circumstances may be lodged by the Chief Classifier at any time during these Championships.

An exceptional circumstance is any occasion when an athlete, including those with a Confirmed (C) sport class status or a Review (R) sport class status with a fixed review date (E.g. Review 2016), intentionally or unintentionally performs in view of the Chief Classifier with significantly less or greater functional ability, which does not reflect their current sport class profile during the competition, or when the Chief Classifier believes that an error has

been made by the classification panel during the Classification Evaluation Period that has led to the athlete being allocated a sport class that is not in keeping with the athlete's ability.

A protest under exceptional circumstances may be lodged against an athlete that already has been protested during these Championships on the condition that the classification panel has the opportunity to resolve the protest immediately. If the protest is accepted, a protest panel consisting of IPC classifiers who not involved in the most recent allocation of the sport class will be appointed by the Chief Classifier to conduct the athlete evaluation. The decision of the protest panel will be final.

**12.6 Classification Appeals**

The term 'Classification Appeal' refers to the procedure by which a formal objection to the manner in which an athlete's classification evaluation and/or classification procedures have been conducted is submitted and subsequently resolved.

The IPC Board of Appeal of Classification (BAC) is the final appeal body available to NPCs and IPSFs for the resolution of classification issues for all sports on the Paralympic programme. The Bylaws of the IPC Board of Appeal of Classification are part of the IPC Handbook (section 1, chapter 2.8), available from the IPC section of

[www.paralympic.org](http://www.paralympic.org).

# 13

## MEDICAL SERVICES



### 13.1 General Plan

The Doha 2015 Local Organising Committee, recognising the importance of health and medical services, has engaged Aspetar, a specialised Orthopaedic and Sports Medicine Hospital, to plan for the coordination and organisation of medical services at the IPC Athletics World Championship Doha 2015.

An LOC Medical Commission has been formed to coordinate with different service providers.

Aspetar has been delivering multidisciplinary sports medicine to athletes within the State of Qatar, plus regional and high profile international athletes since 2007. Sport Medicine Physicians will attend to injured athletes at training and competition venues. Aspetar will also coordinate services to VIPs, the IPC and all team delegations as well as to spectators in collaboration with the Qatar Red Crescent (QRC), Hamad Medical Corporation (HMC) and other selected health care providers.

For any athlete admissions required to Aspetar Orthopaedic and Sport Medicine Hospital, or HMC, athletes will require identification, in the form of passport, or passport copies. Team delegations are requested to maintain passport copies during competition period in case of emergency transfers from Qatar Sports Club.

### 13.2 Emergency Contact Numbers

A Sports Medicine Specialist will be available during the opening hours of the training and competition venues (two hours before the event and one hour after completion of the event). For an emergency after opening hours, contact 999 if you are outside the training or competition venues or hotel accommodation.

Chief Medical Officer: Dr Aston Ngai, Mobile number

**+974 3332 4683**

Venue Medical Officer: Dr Frank van Hellmondt,

Mobile number **+974 3332 5403**

HMC Emergency Ambulance service: **999**

### 13.3 Designated Medical Institutions

Aspetar Orthopaedic and Sport Medicine Hospital  
Aspetar offers the full spectrum of multidisciplinary sports medicine and surgical care at the highest international standards. Upon referral from the CMO or sports medicine physician at the Athlete Medical Centre, athletes will have access to services by a team of sports medicine physicians and surgeons who are experienced in the care of international athletes. The facility is supported by radiology services specialised in musculoskeletal imaging with conventional X-ray, ultrasound and 3-T magnetic

resonance imaging on-site.

Aspetar is 11km from Qatar Sports Club, or approximately 30-40 minutes in traffic.

Hamad Medical Corporation

Hamad Medical Corporation (HMC) is the principle public healthcare provider for the State of Qatar.

Hamad General Hospital has a modern 630-bed facility that offers all medical specialities.

HMC is 5km from Qatar Sports Club, or approximately 10 minutes in traffic.

### 13.4 Medical Centres at the Different Venues

#### 13.4.1 Competition Venue

At the competition venue Qatar Sports Club (QSC), the Athlete Medical Centre will welcome any athletes with acute injuries or illness requiring medical consultation. The centre will be in operation two hours before competition/ warm-up starts, until one hour after the competition ends.

To ensure a fast response to any injury on the field of play, doctors, ambulance paramedics and medical buggies are strategically located around the field of play.

In cases where athletes require treatments, they will firstly be seen at the Athlete Medical Centre at QSC,

or in case of any major injury, transferred directly to Aspetar or HMC.

#### 13.4.2 Warm-up Venue

The warm-up field, located next to the competition venue, has ambulance paramedics provided on site. In case of any injury, the athlete will be transported for treatment to the Athlete Medical Centre, or in case of any major injury, directly to Aspetar or HMC.

#### 13.4.3 Training Venue(s)

The training venue at Al Arabi Sports Club will include Ambulance Paramedics on site. In case of any injury, the athlete will be treated in the medical facility at the training venue, or in case of any major injury, transported directly to Aspetar or HMC.

#### 13.4.4 Team Hotels/Accommodation

At the major team hotel, Ezdan Hotel and Suites, a medical clinic with a nurse and/or doctor will be provided and operated from 7:00 am to 11:00 pm. This clinic is open to all athletes and delegations. In case of any medical inquiries outside the operation hours, please contact the doctor on call or the emergency number: 999.

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Venue Medical Officer: Dr Frank van Hellmondt,  
Mobile number: +974 3332 5403  
HMC Emergency Ambulance service: 999  
There will not be a First Aid Clinic at other hotels.  
However, you may contact the doctor on call from the reception or 999 in case of emergency. You may contact your liaison officer to assist with facilitating transport to the First Aid Clinic at Ezdan Hotel and Suites during their operating hours of 7am – 11pm. A team physician who has assessed an athlete and requires a sports medicine / surgery consultation or imaging, may contact the Chief Medical Officer or Venue Medical Officer directly. Transport may be organised by ambulance or through the team liaison officer as needed.

### **13.5 Medical Delegate and Procedures during Competition**

The IPC Athletics Medical Delegate, Dr Peter van der Vliet, or his appointed representative, Dr Aston Ngai, LOC Chief Medical Officer(CMO), is exclusively responsible for every kind of special clarification, such as supervising the boosting programme, notification of change for a relay, removal of an athlete from a competition, or designated exceptional permission for team doctors and physiotherapists to enter in restricted areas.

To request any medical care from the LOC during operating hours, team members who suffer from an injury or illness should present themselves at designated Medical Centre(s). Outside operating hours, team members must contact the CMO in order to benefit from the LOC medical services. During competition, in case of athletes' injury or illness, a certificate must be requested from the official medical service and presented to the TIC in case of withdrawal from the event. These certificates will be attested by the IPC Athletics Medical Delegate, or his appointed representative in his absence.

### **13.6 Physiotherapy and Massage Services offered by the LOC**

Physiotherapy and Massage Services will be available at the Venue Medical Center. Preference will be given to athletes without team physiotherapy/massage staff.

### **13.7 Team Physiotherapy Spaces**

At the Competition venue, Qatar Sport Club, spaces for Teams to establish physiotherapy treatment areas will be provided upon request to NPC Services.

### **13.8 Medical Insurance**

First Aid treatments for acute injuries and emergency situations at the Medical Centres and First Aid Stations of the official venues will be provided by the LOC free-of-charge for all accredited team members. Any costs incurred through additional medical care after transport to the hospital must be paid by the patient and/or their teams through appropriate medical insurance coverage. It is strongly advised that each accredited person has its own medical insurance. Teams are also responsible for sufficient medical insurance to cover, for example, any treatment in a hospital, non-urgent treatment, treatment for pre-existing conditions, or emergency transport for their team members.

#### **13.8.1 Medical Licensing for Team Physicians**

The Supreme Council of Health (SCH) does not currently require a medical license issued by Qatari authorities for visiting team physicians if the following conditions are fulfilled:

- Team physicians are fully licensed in their home country;
- They limit their care provision exclusively to their athletes and delegation during their stay in Qatar;
- Upon admission of any of their athletes /

delegation members, they hand over full responsibility to hospital staff.

Team Physicians are advised to bring a copy of their medical license for reference.

### **13.9 Medical Briefing**

A meeting for all team physicians will be held on 20 October 2015 at the Qatar Sports Club. This briefing will outline the locations of the medical centres, and medical pathways and procedures for IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015. More information will be provided through the TIC/CID

### **13.10 Pharmacy Services**

All requests for pharmacy prescriptions will need to be made through the doctors at the Medical Station or First Aid Clinic at Ezdan Hotel and Suites. The Aspetar Pharmacy will be contacted by the doctors and the prescription medication can be made available usually within six hours. However, athletes and officials are advised to bring their own chronic illness medications as some medications may not be readily available in the country as treatment regimens may differ from country to country.

### **13.11 Other Medical Matters**

#### **13.11.1 Rules on Importation of Drugs, Medical Equipment, etc.**

Regulations regarding the importation of medicines into Qatar have been forwarded to all NPC's by the LOC. Team members are advised to bring their own medications for chronic medical conditions, as some medications may not be readily available. Please refer to the NPC Team Physician Licensing and Medication importation document for further information.

#### **13.11.2 Immunisation**

All athletes and officials are advised to obtain the

necessary vaccinations for prevention of disease as recommended by the World Health Organisation. There is no advice for specific vaccinations required for sports participation in Qatar.

#### **13.11.3 Distribution of Ice**

Ice will be provided to athletes by the LOC at the competition and training venue. For ice requirements at the hotel, athletes should contact hotel room service

#### **13.11.4 Weather Forecast and Monitoring**

The month of October in Doha is characterised by falling daily high temperatures, with daily highs decreasing from 35°C to 32°C over the course of the Championships, exceeding 38°C or dropping below 30°C only in one day in ten. Daily low temperatures range from 24°C to 27°C, falling below 21°C or exceeding 29°C only one day in ten. The relative humidity typically ranges from 35% (comfortable) to 92% (very humid) over the course of a typical October, rarely dropping below 18% (dry) and reaching as high as 100% (very humid). The weather conditions will be monitored during the competition to ensure that athletes compete in safe weather conditions.

#### **13.11.5 Autonomic Dysreflexia and Boosting**

The IPC Position Statement on autonomic dysreflexia and boosting will apply to all participants in IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015. The statement is referred to in the IPC Athletics Rules and Regulations, art. 3.2.4 and is part of the IPC Handbook (Section 2, Chapter 4.3 – available from [www.paralympic.org/TheIPC/HWA/Handbook](http://www.paralympic.org/TheIPC/HWA/Handbook)). The IPC Athletics Medical Delegate will conduct and supervise assessment of autonomic dysreflexia and boosting. These may be undertaken at any time that is appropriate, including in call rooms or other such areas used by athletes for warming up before competition, as indicated by the provisions of the IPC Position Statement. Please refer to the Operation Management document for further information.



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DOPING  
CONTROL

Doping control tests at the IPC Athletics World Championships Doha 2015 will be conducted in accordance with the IPC Anti-Doping Code. Anti-Doping procedures will be supervised by IPC Athletics Anti-Doping Delegates, Ms. Nicki Vance and Ms Vanessa Webb. The IPC, in cooperation with the Qatar Anti-Doping Commission, will be responsible for implementing the test distribution plan. The urine and blood samples will be analysed by the Anti-Doping Lab Qatar, which is accredited by the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA).

The doping control programme will consist of both in-competition testing and out-of-competition testing carried out from the official opening of the Team Hotels/Accommodation until the end of the competition. All athletes are subject to doping control and can be tested anytime, anywhere. Providing accurate rooming list information is crucial in order to ensure effective out-of-competition testing. There will be an anti-doping education programme in operation during the event and

all nations are encouraged to visit the education booths located at the Ezdan hotel and the Qatar Sport Club.

Athletes who require the use of a prohibited substance for a medically justified reason must ensure that they have a valid Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) prior to the event. During the event, only emergency TUE applications will be accepted. If an athlete is considered an International Level Athlete (ILA) by the IPC, they must apply directly to the IPC Medical Committee: [tue@paralympic.org](mailto:tue@paralympic.org). All other athletes must apply to their National Anti-Doping Agency. More information on TUEs can be found on the IPC website: <http://www.paralympic.org/athletics/anti-doping/tue>

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## DEPARTURES

The Team Leader is requested to confirm the departure date and time or communicate any change in travel plans at the NPC Services Centre 24-48 hours prior to departure.

The bus schedule will be made available at the hotel lobby reception so that all participants are informed of the departure timings of the buses from the hotel to the airport.

Unless special arrangements have been requested with the LOC, check-out time from the hotels is 12:00 (noon). NPCs must settle any outstanding costs (telephone, laundry, minibar, etc.) with the hotel front desk prior to departure.

LOC staff will be available at the airport in order to facilitate your departure to your country of origin or final destination.

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## OTHER INFORMATION

### 16.1 Competition Tickets

Doha 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships competition tickets will go on sale September 2nd, 2015. Tickets can be purchased on <https://doha2015.q-tickets.com>.

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## APPENDICES AND MAPS

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## 17.1 Competition schedule

### Thursday 22nd October

#### Morning session – 09:30 to 12:35

Men's discus F56 final  
Men's shot put F42 and F36 finals  
Women's shot put F34 final  
Men's long jump T13 final

#### Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00

Men's javelin F34 final  
Women's long jump T42 final  
Women's club F32 final  
Men's 100m T53 final  
Men's 1,500m T46 final  
Men's discus F44 final  
Women's long jump T44 final  
Women's 200m T53 and T54 finals  
Men's high jump T42 final  
Men's shot put F20 and F12 finals  
Men's 200m T54, T37 and T38 finals  
Women's javelin F11 final  
Women's 100m T33/34, T37 and T38 finals

### Friday 23rd October

#### Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00

Women's discus F41 final  
Men's long jump T44 final  
Women's shot put F37 final  
Women's javelin F54 final  
Men's 400m T20, T36 and T47 finals  
Women's 400m T11 and T12 finals  
Men's 800m T13 final  
Women's shot put F57 and F20 finals  
Women's 200m T52 final  
Women's long jump T47 final  
Men's javelin F37 final  
Men's 100m T11 and T12 finals

### Saturday 24th October

#### Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00

Men's javelin F57 final  
Men's long jump T20 and T12 finals  
Men's shot put F32 and F41 finals  
Women's 200m T44 and T35 finals  
Men's 1,500m T54 final  
Women's 1,500m T54 and T20 finals  
Men's 100m T13 final  
Women's 100m T53 and T54 finals  
Women's discus F11 final  
Women's club F51 final  
Men's 400m T34 final  
Women's 400m T13 final  
Men's 800m T38 final  
Men's discus F46 final

### Sunday 25th October

#### Morning session – 09:30 to 12:35

Men's shot put F35 and F38 finals  
Men's discus F52 final  
Women's shot put F55 and F54 finals  
Men's high jump T12 final

#### Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00

Men's 200m T53, T44, T47 and T35 finals  
Men's shot put F33 and F37 finals  
Women's 200m T11, T12 and T36 finals  
Women's long jump T20 final  
Women's 400m T37, T53 and T38 finals  
Men's javelin F54 and F11 finals  
Women's discus F44 final  
Men's long jump T38 final  
Men's 100m T42 and T54 finals  
Men's 1,500m T20 final

### Monday 26th October

#### Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00

Men's 400m T11, and T12 finals  
Women's discus F38 final  
Women's 400m T47 final  
Men's club F32 final  
Women's shot put F41 final  
Men's long jump T42 final  
Women's 100m T52 final  
Men's javelin F13 and F55 finals  
Men's 5000m T54 and T11 finals  
Men's shot put F34 final  
Men's triple jump T47 final  
Men's 200m T13 final  
Women's 800m T54 final  
Men's 800m T36 and T34 finals  
Men's 1,500m T13 and T52 finals  
Women's 1,500m T11 final

### Tuesday 27th October

#### Morning session – 09:30 to 12:35

Women's discus F57 final  
Women's shot put F53 and F35 finals  
Men's shot put F44 final  
Men's long jump T11 final

#### Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00

Men's javelin F46 final  
Men's shot put F57 final  
Men's long jump T36 final  
Men's 100m T51, T52 and T47 finals  
Women's 100m T36 final  
Women's javelin F13 final  
Women's long jump T38 final  
Women's discus F52 final  
Women's 800m T53 final  
Men's 400m T54, T44 and T53 finals  
Women's shot put F40 final  
Women's 400m T54 final  
Men's discus F11 final  
Women's 200m T13 final

### Wednesday 28th October

#### Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00

Men's javelin F38 and F41 finals  
Women's shot put F33 and F44 finals  
Women's long jump T37 final  
Men's 200m T42 final  
Men's 100m T33 and T34 finals  
Women's 100m T11 and T12 finals  
Women's 800m T34 and T20 finals  
Women's discus F55 final  
Men's long jump T47 final  
Men's 800m T20 final  
Men's discus F42 final  
Women's 400m T44 final  
Men's 400m T13 final  
Women's 200m T47 final

### Thursday 29th October

#### Morning session – 09:30 to 12:35

Women's shot put F36 final  
Men's club F51 final  
Women's javelin F34 final  
Women's long jump T11 final  
Men's shot put F46 final

#### Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00

Men's 400m T37 and T38 finals  
Women's javelin F56 and F37 finals  
Women's discus F12 final  
Women's long jump T12 final  
Women's 100m T13, T44 and T35 finals  
Men's 100m T35, T44 and T36 finals  
Men's shot put F53 final  
Men's 200m T11 and T12 finals  
Women's 200m T37 and T38 finals  
Men's long jump T37 final  
Men's high jump T47 final  
Men's 800m T54 and T53 finals  
Men's 5000m T13 final  
Women's 5000m T54 final

**Friday 30th October****Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00**

Men's discus F57 final  
 Women's shot put F32 final  
 Women's 100m T47 and T42 finals  
 Men's triple jump T20 final  
 Men's 1500m T11, T37 and T38 finals  
 Women's 1500m T13 final  
 Women's 800m T11 final  
 Women's 400m T20 final  
 Men's discus F37 final  
 Women's triple jump T20 final  
 Men's high jump T44 final  
 Men's shot put F40 final  
 Men's javelin F44 final  
 Men's 5000m T20 final

**Saturday 31st October****Afternoon session – 16:00 to 22:00**

Men's discus F34 and F12 finals  
 Women's javelin F46 final  
 Women's shot put F12 final  
 Men's 200m T36 and T34 finals  
 Men's 4x100m T11-13 and T42-47 finals  
 Men's 100m T37 and T38 finals  
 Men's shot put F55 final  
 Women's 4x100m T11-13 and T35-38 finals  
 Men's 400m T51 and T52 finals  
 Women's 400m T52 and T34 finals  
 Women's 5000m T20 final  
 Women's 4x400m T53/54 final  
 Men's 4x400m T53/54 final

**17.2 Official Implements**

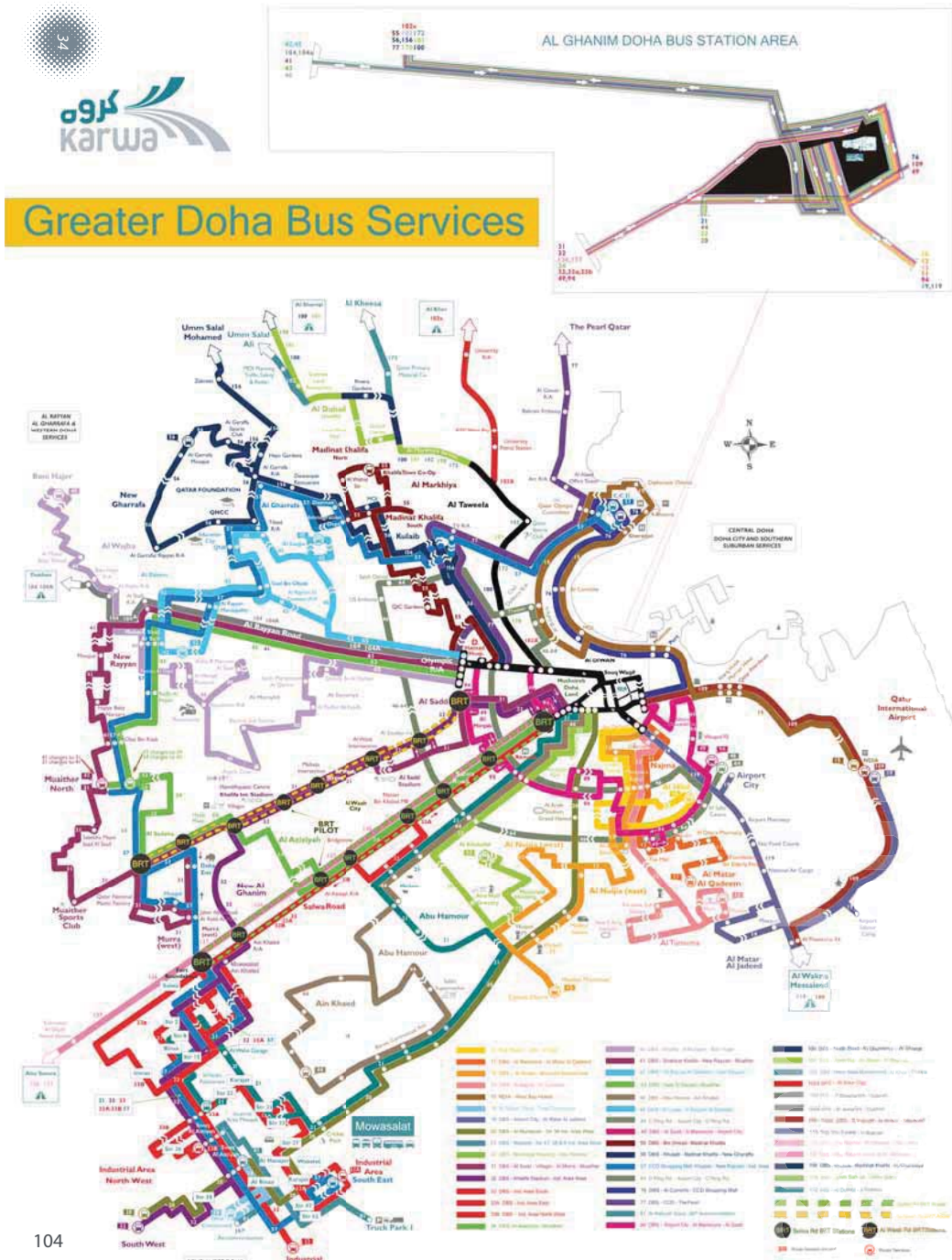
Discipline	Company	Equipment
SHOT 7.26kg	Nelco	"Turned Iron, Dia:128mm"
SHOT 7.26kg	Nelco	"Brass Dia: 110mm"
SHOT 7.26kg	Nishi	"Steel Dia: 129mm"
SHOT 7.26kg	Nishi	"Steel Dia: 125,5mm"
SHOT 7.26kg	Nordic	"Stainless Steel Dia: 117mm"
SHOT 7.26kg	Mondo	"Competition Steel Dia: 121mm"
SHOT 6.00kg	Nelco	"Brass, dia: 106mm"
SHOT 6.00kg	Nelco	"Turned iron, dia: 119mm"
SHOT 6.00kg	Nishi	Steel, dia:117mm
SHOT 6.00kg	Nordic	"Brass, dia: 106mm"
SHOT 6.00kg	Polanik	Stainless steel, competition, dia: 110mm
SHOT 6.00kg	Polanik	Competition, Turned steel, dia: 125mm
SHOT 5.00kg	Nelco	"Turned steel, dia: 114mm"
SHOT 5.00kg	Nishi	"Steel, dia: 110mm"
SHOT 5.00kg	Nordic	"Brass, dia: 100mm"
SHOT 5.00kg	Polanik	"Stainless steel, dia: 105mm"
SHOT 5.00kg	Polanik	Stainless steel, dia: 115mm
SHOT 5.00kg	Polanik	Competition, Turned steel, dia: 120mm

SHOT 4.00kg	Nelco	"Turned Iron, Dia:104mm"
SHOT 4.00kg	Nelco	"Brass Dia: 95mm"
SHOT 4.00kg	Nishi	"Steel Dia: 109mm"
SHOT 4.00kg	Nishi	"Steel Dia: 103mm"
SHOT 4.00kg	Nordic	Turned Steel Dia: 108mm
SHOT 4.00kg	Mondo	"Competition Steel Dia: 99mm"
SHOT 3.00kg	Nelco	"Turned Iron, dia: 97mm"
SHOT 3.00kg	Nishi	"Steel, dia: 109mm"
SHOT 3.00kg	Nordic	"Stainless Steel, dia: 90mm"
SHOT 3.00kg	Polanik	Steel, Competition, dia: 85mm
SHOT 3.00kg	Polanik	Steel, Competition, dia: 100mm
SHOT 3.00kg	Polanik	Steel, Competition, dia: 108mm
SHOT 2.00kg	Nelco	Turned Iron, dia:85mm
SHOT 2.00kg	Nelco	Turned Iron, dia:90mm
SHOT 2.00kg	Nelco	Turned Iron, dia:100mm
SHOT 2.00kg	Polanik	Turned Steel, dia 85mm
SHOT 2.00kg	Polanik	Turned Steel, dia 90mm
DISCUS 2.00KG	Nelco	"Gold Brass Rim, Plastic Side White / Gold"
DISCUS 2.00KG	Nishi	"Super HM, Steel Rim, FRP side Purple/Black/White"
DISCUS 2.00KG	Nishi	"Super. Steel Rim, FRP Sides Black/ Red/White"
DISCUS 2.00KG	Nordic	"Gold Brass Rim, Fiberglass Side White / Gold"
DISCUS 2.00KG	Polanik	"Competition Steel Rim, Plastic Side Red"
DISCUS 1.75KG	Various	****
DISCUS 1.50KG	Nishi	S/R Super Spin Olympia, steel rim, plastic side: Yellow or Blue
DISCUS 1.50KG	Nelco	Super, steel rim, FRP sides: Black Red White
DISCUS 1.50KG	Nordic	Viking, stainless steel rim, fiberglass sides
DISCUS 1.50KG	Nordic	Super spin, brass rim, black fiberglass sides
DISCUS 1.50KG	Polanik	"Competition, hard plywood, stainless rim, plywood sides Wooden Color"
DISCUS 1.50KG	Polanik	Competition, plastic, stainless rim, synthetic sides: Blue
DISCUS 1.25KG	Various	****
DISCUS 1.00KG	Nelco	"Lo-Spin, Steel Rim, Plastic Sides Red"
DISCUS 1.00KG	Nelco	"Gold Brass Rim, Plastic Side White / Gold"
DISCUS 1.00KG	Nishi	"Super HM, Steel Rim, FRP side Purple/Black/White"
DISCUS 1.00KG	Nishi	"Super. Steel Rim, FRP Sides Black/ Red/White"



DISCUS 1.00KG	Nordic	"Gold Brass Rim, Fiberglass Side White / Gold"
DISCUS 1.00KG	Polanik	"Gold Brass Rim, Plastic Side Blue"
DISCUS 0.75KG	Nishi	"Competition, As Per IPC Rules Various Colors"
DISCUS 0.75KG	Nelco	"Competition, As Per IPC Rules Various Colors"
DISCUS 0.75KG	Nordic	"Competition, As Per IPC Rules Various Colors"
DISCUS 0.75KG	Polanik	"Competition, As Per IPC Rules Various Colors"
"JAVELLIN 800gr"	Gill	OTE Intermediate Tailwind 60m, Aluminium, grey cord
"JAVELLIN 800gr"	Nemeth	Standard 60m, aluminium, violet cord
"JAVELLIN 800gr"	Nemeth	"Club 80m, aluminium, violet cord Violet/yellow/blue"
"JAVELLIN 800gr"	Nishi	"Super Dr 80m, aluminium, red cord Silver/yellow/red"
"JAVELLIN 800gr"	Nordic	"Super Elite 80m, steel, red cord White"
"JAVELLIN 700gr"	Various	****
"JAVELLIN 600gr"	Gill	OTE Intermediate Headwind 40m, Aluminium, grey cord
"JAVELLIN 600gr"	Gill	OTE Intermediate Tailwind 40m, Aluminium, grey cord
"JAVELLIN 600gr"	Gill	OTE Xtra Tailwind 60m, Aluminium, grey cord
"JAVELLIN 600gr"	Nemeth	"Standard 60m, aluminium, violet cord Violet"
"JAVELLIN 600gr"	Nordic	"Diana 60, steel, red cord Pink"
"JAVELLIN 400gr"	TBC	Javelin 400g
THROWING CLUB	"Neuff neuff.co.uk"	Throwing Club Round Head as per IPC Rules
THROWING CLUB	"Neuff neuff.co.uk"	Throwing Club Cylindrical Head as per IPC Rules

17.3 Public Transport Map



Guide to Bus Services

PSV	St/D	QR/Stop	Route	Headway
10	16	0.19	Ibn Dirham - Al Hilal	Every 30 mins
11	20	0.15	Al Mansoura - Lulu Hypermarket - Al Matar Al Qadeem	Every 15 mins
12	23	0.13	Ibn Dirham - Al Nuaija - Abu Hamour - Medical Commission	Every 30 mins
19	18	0.22	Airport Terminal - Al Matar Street - (119 continues to Al Matar Al Jadeed)	Every 20 mins
20	35	0.09	Al Muntazah Street - Mowasalat Depot - Industrial Area (South West)	Every 30 mins
21	39	0.08	Al Muntazah - Whole Sale Market - Mowasalat Depot - Industrial Area (Central)	Every 30 mins
22	24	0.13	Al Muntazah - Abu Hamour	Every 30 mins
31	34	0.09	Al Sadd - Al Mirqab - Al Soudan - Villagio - Al Murra - Muaither (West)	2 journeys per hour
32	22	0.14	Ibn Mahmood - Al Sadd - Villagio - Fort Roundabout - Industrial Area (South West)	Every 30 mins
33	38	0.08	Salwa Road - Haloul Street - Fort Roundabout - Industrial Area (South)	Every 15 mins
33A	41	0.07	Salwa Road - Haloul Street - Fort Roundabout - Industrial Area (South East)	3 journeys per hour
33B	37	0.08	Salwa Road - Haloul Street - Fort Roundabout - Industrial Area (North West)	Every 30 mins
34	46	0.07	Salwa Road - Al Aziziyah - Hyatt Plaza/Villagio - Muaither	Every 20 mins
40	28	0.11	Hamad Hosp. - Al Qudsiya - Khalifa Stadium - Al Muraykh - New Al Rayyan - Bani Hajer	2 journeys per hour
41	30	0.10	Al Rayyan Road - Shabiyat Khalifa - New Al Rayyan - Muaither (West)	2 journeys per hour
42	43	0.07	Hamad Hosp. - Al Rayyan Al Qadeem - New Al Rayyan - Al Zaeem	Every 30 mins
43	22	0.14	Hamad Hosp. - Shabiyat Khalifa - New Al Rayyan - Muaither	Every 30 mins
45	22	0.14	Hamad Hosp. - Al Luqta - Qatar Foundation - Al Rayyan Al Qadeem	Every 30 mins
49 / 94	23	0.13	CITY CIRCLE Hamad Hosp. - Ramada Signal - Al Mansoura - Najma Street - Airport Terminal as 49, and in reverse as 94	Every 20 mins
55	21	0.14	Bin Omran - Madinat Khalifa	Every 20 mins
56	29	0.10	Khulaib - Madinat Khalifa - Al Gharaffa Village - New Gharaffa	2 journeys per hour
57	128	0.02	City Centre Shopping Mall - Khulaib - Madinat Khalifa - New Al Rayyan - Muaither - Fort Roundabout - Industrial Area	Every 30 mins
156	38	0.11	Khulaib - Madinat Khalifa - Izghawa - Al Khuraitiyat	Hourly
76	15	0.20	Al Corniche - City Centre Shopping Mall	Every 20 mins
100	41	0.22	Doha - Qatar Sports Club - Al Duhail - North Road - Umm Thughaib - Al Ghuwairiya - Umm Quraiba - Al Zubara - Abu Dahlouf - Al Ruwais - Al Shamal	3 journeys per day
101	52	0.17	Doha - Qatar Sports Club - Al Duhail - North Road - Umm Thughaib - Al Kaban - Al Juthay - Ain Sinan - Al Shamal - Al Ruwais - Abu Dahlouf	7 journeys per day
102	61	0.11	Doha - Qatar Sports Club - Al Duhail - Al Khuraitiyat - Umm Slal Mohammed - North Road - Al Khor - Al Thakhira	Every 30 mins
102X	36	0.19	Express Service Doha - Qatar Sports Club - University Roundabout - Al Khor - Al Khor Industrial Area	Hourly
104	38	0.18	Doha - Hamad Hospital - New Rayyan - Al Sheehaniya - Zekreet - Dukhan	Hourly
104A	45	0.16	Doha - Hamad Hospital - New Rayyan - Al Sheehaniya - Al Othuriyah - Al Jemaliya - Zekreet - Dukhan	6 journeys per day
109	35	0.17	Doha - Ras Abu Abud - Al Wakra - Mesaieed / Al Wukair	3 journeys per hour
119	28	0.14	Doha - Airport - Rus Abu Funtas - Al Wakra	Hourly
136	30	0.23	Doha - Fort Roundabout - Abu Nakhla - Mekainis - Al Karaana - Al Razani - Abu Samrah	4 journeys per day
137	32	0.22	Doha - Fort Roundabout - Abu Nakhla - Mekainis - Umm Bab - Dukhan	Hourly
170	24	0.17	Doha - Qatar Sports Club - Al Duhail - Umm Slal Alj Village - Umm Garn Village	Every 2 hours
172	33	0.12	Doha - Qatar Sports Club - Al Duhail - Al Kheesa	Every 2 hours

17.4 Qatar Entry Visa Guide

The Doha 2015 Organising Committee would like to introduce the Doha 2015 Qatar Entry Visa Guide. This guide will provide a detailed account of the visa application and distribution process. All Qatar Entry Visa Applications will be processed through the online Accreditation Registration and Visa Application System. Visa applications will automatically be submitted upon the completion and approval of the accreditation registration.

The Doha 2015 Organizing Committee will be facilitating entry visas free of charge for all accredited participants of the Doha 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships. All countries, with the exception of the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC), must apply for entry visas to enter the State of Qatar.

National Paralympic Committees

**26 July 2015** - Deadline for NPCs to complete data entry and submit all potential participants (Long List) for Accreditation Registration and Visa Application

**28 September 2015** - Deadline for NPCs to select and submit from the Long List their final participants (Short List) via the online Accreditation Registration and Visa Application system

**01 October 2015** - LOC/IPC start to confirm entry visa completion and availability for download via the online Accreditation Registration and Visa Application system following validation of NPCs final participants submission (Short List)

NPC Qatar entry visas issuing are based on the NPCs final participants submission (Short List)

IPC Family & Guests, VIPS, ITOs & Classifiers, Observers Programme, Media & Broadcasting, Contractors

**01 October 2015** - Deadline for remaining clients groups to submit their Qatar entry visa application via the online Accreditation Registration and Visa Application system.

\*Please note all issued Qatar entry visas are single entry visas to the State of Qatar.

01. Qatar Entry Visa Application

The first step in applying for a Qatar entry visa is completing your registration through the online Accreditation Registration and Visa Application System.

**IMPORTANT NOTE (1):** It is critical the name entered in the registration matches exactly what is on the applicant’s passport.

PERSONAL DATA (ROMAN LETTERS) : PLEASE ENTER INFORMATION EXACTLY AS IT APPEARS IN THE PARTICIPANT'S PASSPORT

Title: Mr	Name First Mark	Name Last CHANDLER
	Middle names(s)	
	1st Anthony	2nd Thomas
	3rd Lee	

**IMPORTANT NOTE (2):** It is critical that the information submitted through the system matches the applicants' passport details and is both complete

and accurate. Discrepancies in the submission may cause delays in Visa approval and issuing.

<b>Nationality</b> Iraq	
Preferred <b>First Name</b> [Yellow Box]	Preferred <b>Last Name</b> [Yellow Box]
<b>Gender</b> Male	<b>Birth Date</b> 01/09/1990 « CLICK mm/dd/yyyy
<b>Birth Place</b> Iraq	

All fields are required for **VISA request** !

**Passport Number**

0123456789

**Passport Issue Country**

Iraq

#### IMPORTANT:

Please upload a **copy of your passport** (upload under the passport photo)

**Passport Issue Date**

01/06/2010

mm/dd/yyyy **CLICK ON THE CALENDAR SYMBOL**

**ID Type**

[Yellow Box]

**Passport Date of Expiry**

05/01/2016

mm/dd/yyyy **CLICK ON THE CALENDAR SYMBOL!**

**IMPORTANT NOTE (3):** To receive an entry visa you must have a valid passport with an expiry date no less than May 01, 2016.

**Passport Date of Expiry**

05/01/2016

mm/dd/yyyy **CLICK ON THE CALENDAR SYMBOL!**

**IMPORTANT NOTE (4):** When uploading your electronic passport copy, please ensure the below items are clear visible and readable. This may be on multiple pages.

- Name
- Passport Number
- Passport Expiry Date
- Birthdate
- Gender

### Passport Upload

Choose File no file selected

Upload

- maximum 1 MB
- Filetype JPG
- Filetype PDF

The below passport nationalities must provide their Arabic Name as it appears on their passport.

Syria, Tunisia, Somalia, Jordan, Libya, Palestine, Lebanon, Mauritania, Djibouti & Comoros

Egypt, Algeria, Iraq, Iran, Sudan, Morocco, Yemen,

#### NAME ARABIC LETTERS

**First Name**

[Red Box]

**Second Name**

[Yellow Box]

**Third Name**

[Yellow Box]

**Fourth Name**

[Yellow Box]

**Last Name**

[Red Box]

## 02. Qatar Entry Visa Application Completion Notification

You can track the progress of your application through the online Accreditation Registration and Visa Application System. Once your Visa Status is

“Approved”, your Qatar entry visa has been issued and is available for download.

The screenshot shows the 'Doha 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships' Visa Application System. It features a table with columns: First name, Last Name, Birthday, Profession, Function, Status, and Visa Status. The 'Function' column has 'Athlete' and the 'Status' column has 'COMPLETE pending approval'. There are buttons for 'LONGLIST' and 'PRINT'. A sidebar on the right shows 'contact: phone: email: More contacts EDIT contacts User Guide' and a '32' badge.

## 03. Qatar Entry Visa Download

Upon the issuing of your Qatar entry visa, you may download the entry visa from the below website:  
[http://www.moi.gov.qa/VsaWeb/](http://www.moi.gov.qa/VsaWeb/Actions?action=getVisaInfoInput&language=English)  
 Actions?action=getVisaInfoInput&language=English

**IMPORTANT NOTE (5):** Please DO NOT use Google Chrome when downloading your Visa.

The screenshot shows the 'Qatar Entry Visa Download' website. It features a 'Visa Enquiry & Printing' section with fields for 'Visa Number', 'Passport Number', and 'Nationality'. There is a 'submit' button. The website header includes 'Prayer Times', 'Useful Numbers', 'About Qatar', and a search bar. The footer includes 'ABOUT MINISTRY', 'MOI NEWS', 'E-SERVICES', 'MOI FORMS', 'CONTACT DEPTS', 'USEFUL LINKS', and 'COMMENTS'.

To download your Qatar entry visa, please enter the following information:

- Passport Number
- Passport Nationality

**IMPORTANT NOTE (6):** Please do not enter any information in the “Visa Number” field.

The screenshot shows the 'Qatar Entry Visa Download' website. It features a 'Visa Enquiry & Printing' section with a sample visa. The visa details are as follows:

Visa Number :	772014005568
Name :	Test TEST
Nationality :	United States of America
Passport Number :	123456789
Description Of Visa Owner :	Passport Holder
Gender :	Male
Visa Type :	SPORT
Travel Index :	SINGLE ENTRY
Stay Duration :	1-MONTH
Date of Issue :	01/10/2015
Visa Validity :	1 MONTH
Visa Status :	Available for USE

Below the visa details is a section for 'Companions Information' with the text 'No Companions'.

A Qatar Entry Visa will look like the below example with your passport information inputted.

The sample Qatar Entry Visa document is as follows:

STATE OF QATAR  
 MINISTRY OF INTERIOR  
 General Directorate of Border  
 Passports and Expatriates Affairs

دولة قطر  
 وزارة الداخلية  
 الإدارة العامة لجوازات المنافذ وشؤون  
 الوافدين

Print Visa

Visa Number :  
 Date of Issue :  
 Description of Visa owner : Passport Holder  
 Purpose of Visa : SPORT  
 Name :  
 Nationality :  
 Passport Number / Type :  
 Place of Birth :  
 Profession : UNEMPLOYED  
 Sponsor Name : QATAR OLYMPIC COMMITTEE

Application Number :  
 Visa Validity :  
 Visa Type : SPORT  
 Duration of Residence : 1 - MONTH  
 Gender : Male  
 Passport Validity :  
 Date of Birth :





