



Athlete Code Compliance – IF Classification Rules in Compliance

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Article 13.1.2 of the 2015 IPC Athlete Classification Code (the Code) requires:

“A list of all members with Classification Rules in Compliance with the Code will be made public by the IPC on 1 January 2018.”

Status on 27 August 2018

The following sports/International Federations have classification rules in compliance with the Code(*):

BISFed	Boccia International Sport Federation		WPA	World Para Athletics
BWF	Badminton World Federation		WPAS	World Para Alpine Skiing
FEI	International Equestrian Federation		WPDS	World Para Dance Sport
FISA	World Rowing		WPIH	World Para Ice Hockey
IBSA	International Blind Sport Federation (Football-5-a-side, Goalball, Judo)		WPNS	World Para Nordic Skiing
ICF	International Canoe Federation		WPPO	World Para Powerlifting
ITTF	International Table Tennis Federation		WPS	World Para Swimming
ITU	International Triathlon Union		WPSB	World Para Snowboard
IWAS	International Wheelchair and Amputee Sport Federation (Wheelchair Fencing)		WSPS	World Shooting Para Sport
IWRF	International Wheelchair Rugby Federation		WPV	World Para Volley
UCI	International Cycling Union		WT	World Taekwondo
WA	World Archery			



- * The current assessment of compliance only addresses the presence of classification rules that are in compliance with the Code. This does not include an assessment of the operational implementation of the rules, nor of the classification system in line with article 2 of the Code.

Notwithstanding being ruled in compliance with the Code, a number of IFs have been informed in the decision letter that there are a few points of attention that need to be addressed.

In a few cases, the process for formal adoption of the classification rules by the IF is only initiated upon receipt of the IPC decision letter.

The following sports/International Federations have classification rules not yet in compliance with the Code(**):

ITF	International Tennis Federation		WCF	World Curling Federation
IWBF	International Wheelchair Basketball Federation			

** Follow-up has been initiated in accordance with article 13.2 of the Code.

The following Recognized International Federations have classification rules in compliance with the Code:

FIPFA	International Federation of Powerchair Football		IFCPF	International Federation of Cerebral Palsy Football
IBSF	International Bobsleigh and Skeleton Federation		WS	World Sailing

The following Recognized International Federations have adopted or are committed to adopt the Classification Model Rules but require further support from the IPC to further their understanding of the definition and purpose of classification (Code, article 2) and/or the development of complementary operational structures to implement the rules:

FIH	International Hockey Federation		UIPM	International Union of Modern Pentathlon
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IFSC	International Federation of Sport Climbing		WAF	World Armwrestling Federation
IGF	International Golf Federation		WFDF	World Flying Disc Federation
IHF	International Handball Federation		WKF	World Karate Federation
ISA	International Surfing Association			