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Dear Presidents & Secretary General's
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Dear Taekwondo Colleagues

**2019 President's Cup - Oceania Region (G2 – Kyorugi, and Poomsae)
Gold Coast - Queensland, Australia**

It is with great honour and pleasure to we invite you and your team to participate at the 3rd President's Cup - Oceania Region.

The competition will be held in the City of Gold Coast in Queensland, Australia on 27 June 2019.

All competition areas will be equipped with video replay and Daedo electronic body protectors and electronic headgear. This championship will have the best referees in order to guarantee maximum transparency, fair play and impartiality for the athletes.

We ask that you please mark this event in your calendar and make sure not to miss this high level and quality championship. This G2 ranked Kyorugi event will be preceded on 27 June 2019 by the 3rd President's Cup – Oceania Region, which is also a G2 event, and represents a unique opportunity for athletes to gain valuable ranking points. The Australian Open is the last event in June that will be counted into the July ranking for the Chiba Grand Prix, with the points for the President's Cup being awarded in February 2020.

In addition, we are also providing an opportunity for Poomsae athletes to compete in the President's Cup as a leadup to the Australian Open Poomsae Championships the following day.

Our professional organisation team is working hard to make this event successful, and if you need any assistance please do not hesitate to contact the Organising Committee.

We hope that you and your team will participate at the 3rd President's Cup – Oceania Region and we look forward to seeing you at the Gold Coast in Queensland, Australia.

Yours sincerely



Mr. John Kotsifas
President, World Taekwondo Oceania &
Vice President, World Taekwondo



Mr. Hassan Iskandar
President, Australian Taekwondo

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Entries Open	11 February 2019, 05:00 PM (GMT+10:00 Australia/Sydney)
Entries Close	31 May 2019, 11:59 PM (GMT+10:00 Australia/Sydney)

GENERAL INFORMATION

2019 President's Cup – Oceania Region (Kyorugi – G2) (Poomsae)

Thursday 27 June 2019

Promoter	World Taekwondo Oceania (WTO) Ground Floor, 116 Hardware Street 3000 Melbourne, Australia Tel: +61 410 656 308 Fax: +61 3 9640 0611 E-mail: admin@worldtaekwondooceania.org
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Venue	Gold Coast Sports and Leisure Centre 296 Nerang Broadbeach Rd Carrara, Queensland, Australia 4211
Organising Committee	Australia Taekwondo Level 5, 7 Eden Park Drive North Ryde New South Wales, Australia 2113 Email : events@austkd.com.au Tel : +61 403 052 973
Competition Date	Event day: Thursday 27 June 2019 Weigh in day: Wednesday 26 June 2019
General Qualification	<p>Each team can send male and female athletes to compete in cadet, junior and senior weight divisions. One athlete cannot participate in more than one (1) weight category or age division.</p> <p>Registered participants must also satisfy the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Holder of the nationality of the participating team 2. Holder of Taekwondo Dan/Poom certificate issued by the Kukkiwon, WT or a CU; and 3. Holder of the WT Global Athlete License (GAL).

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Awards	Individual awards: 1 st place – gold medal and certificate 2 nd place – silver medal and certificate 3 rd place – bronze medal and certificate 3 rd place – bronze medal and certificate												
Coaches Accreditations and Qualifications	The minimum qualification requirements for coaches are as follows: All coaches must be at least 18 years of age. All Coaches / Trainers must be holders of the WT/WTO/WTO License (granted by participation in a WT/WTO/WTO Coach Seminar) or a license issued by another WT Continental Union (CU). Coaches / Trainers that do not have the WT/WTO/WTO Coach License (or a Continental Union coach’s license) shall pay a \$ 200.00 USD fine at the registration desk before any coaching accreditation can be issued.												
Dress Code	During the preliminary rounds, coaches shall wear either a neat tracksuit or a shirt and pants. Coaches and Team Medical/Doctor will not be permitted to wear caps, sandals, shorts in the competition area. Please note that for semi-finals and finals it is a WT requirement that coaches wear a suit jacket. During the Head of Team meeting, further information about dress code shall be provided to the teams.												
Protector & Scoring System	DAEDO Gen. 2 is being used as the PSS. The Organizing Committee will provide DAEDO trunk protector and DAEDO E-headgear. <u>IMPORTANT NOTE: Athletes must supply their own DAEDO sensor socks.</u>												

Recognised Brands	<p>Participating contestants are required to wear WT- recognized doboks and WT-recognized protective equipment. The latest version of WT-recognized manufacturers' list is available at the website of WT:</p> <p>http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/WT-partners/recognized/</p> <p>Athletes will not be permitted to compete with non-WT approved equipment. Taping over non-WT approved logos will not be permitted.</p>
Indemnities	<p>The respective participants shall be responsible for ensuring that they have validly completed and agreed to the relevant declarations during registration, thus indemnifying the organizers and the WTO, its officials and other contestants from any claims of injuries, losses, fatalities or otherwise arising in the course of participation in this championships or any activities thereto.</p>
Head of Team Meeting	<p>The Head of Team meeting shall be conducted by WTO officials on 26 June 2019.</p> <p>Exact location and time shall be communicated forthwith.</p>
Drawing of Lots	<p>All athletes in WT sanctioned divisions will be seeded according to the WT Global Ranking as per 26 June 2019. The draw sheets and brackets will be available the day before the start of the competition of the respective weight category.</p>
Weigh-In	<p>Weigh-in of the athletes takes place the day prior to the start of the respective weight category they compete in. During the weigh-in, the male athlete shall wear underpants and the female athlete shall wear underpants and brassiere. However, the athlete may weigh in nude if he/she wishes to do so.</p> <p>Each athlete shall have one (1) attempt to pass the weigh in. However, one (1) extra attempt is allowed for those athletes who did not qualify the first time. This extra attempt shall be done within the time limit of the official weigh-in.</p>
Transportation	<p>Round trip airfare of the teams shall be borne by the participating teams.</p>
Accommodation	<p>See page 10 for list of Official Hotels.</p>
Country Entry Visa	<p>A Visa to enter Australia may be necessary.</p> <p>An official invitation letter can be issued to assist your visa application by emailing it to the Organizing Committee via events@austkd.com.au</p> <p>The Organising Committee cannot guarantee entry into Australia and can only offer assistance. It is the responsibility of each athlete and team to apply for and secure the correct entry visa</p>
Information/Updates	<p>For further updates please refer to the official Facebooks of WTO or Australian Taekwondo:</p> <p>WTO: https://www.facebook.com/Oceania-Taekwondo-Union-464576653697391/</p> <p>Australian Taekwondo: https://www.facebook.com/AustralianTaekwondo/</p>

Event registration	<p>Registration will only be accepted through the WT Event Registration System (https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com) and registration is only possible with a valid 2019 WT Global License and WT Event Pass.</p> <p>The following <u>documents</u> are required for all participants and must be uploaded and approved by the National Federation and WT before you are able to register through the WT Event Registration System.</p>
Qualification details for the Oceania Championships Please note : Seniors only	<p>The top two (2) ranked Seniors Kyorugi athletes from each Oceania country in each division will qualify directly for the 2019 Oceania Taekwondo Championships.</p> <p>This means that an Oceania MNA can obtain a maximum three (3) quota places per division for the 2019 Oceania Championships:</p> <p>One (1) standard quota place, to be decided by the MNA (normal national team entry); Two (2) quota places per result of the Oceania WT President's Cup.</p>

DEADLINES

The entry fees must be paid online at the time of registration. Athletes shall not be allowed to compete without verified payment of entry fee to the Organising Committee.

Entry deadline is **31 May 2019, 11:59 PM** (GMT+10:00 Australia/Sydney). Entry submission after this date will be not accepted under any circumstances. Late withdrawal due to injury shall be handled case by case.

IMPORTANT:

The registered athletes or team officials may be removed without any penalty until 11:59 PM, AEST **28 May 2019**.

If the athlete registered on-line does not take part in the competition for any reason, but he/she has not been removed from the list of participants before 11:59PM, AEST **29 May 2019**, his/her team will forfeit 100% of the entry fee.

If a team does not show up at the event and has not requested a participation cancellation before 11:59PM AEST **28 May 2019**, it will be requested to settle the payment of all entry fees in full (100%).

ENTRY FEES

2019 President's Cup – Oceania Region (WT Divisions)

Registration will begin on 11 February 2019, 05:00 PM (GMT+10:00 Australia/Sydney)

Registration will end on 31 May 2019, 11:59PM AEST.

➤	Coach Registration	\$ 40.00 USD
➤	Senior Sparring	\$ 130.00 USD
➤	Junior Sparring	\$ 100.00 USD
➤	Cadet Sparring	\$ 100.00 USD
➤	Poomsae Senior Divisions	\$ 130.00 USD
➤	Poomsae All Other Divisions	\$ 100.00 USD
➤	Additional Events (Poomsae only)	\$ 130 USD (capped at \$260 USD)

WTO reserves the right to accept or reject any late entries, but if accepted, an additional fee of \$25.00 USD on top of usual entry fee will apply.

Each request for a weight category change is subject of an administration fee of \$50.00 USD

Additional registration of officials requested at the registration desk is subject to an administration fee of \$50.00 USD (new official accreditation requests).

President's Cup - WT Kyorugi Divisions

Registration via <https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com>

Senior Black Belt Weight Categories (G2 Ranking) (17 years and over)	
Male Divisions	Female Divisions
Under 54 kg	Under 46 kg
Under 58 kg	Under 49 kg
Under 63 kg	Under 53 kg
Under 68 kg	Under 57 kg
Under 74 kg	Under 62 kg
Under 80 kg	Under 67 kg
Under 87 kg	Under 73 kg
Over 87 kg	Over 73 kg

Junior Black Belt Weight Categories (15 - 17)			
Male Division		Female Division	
Under 45kg	Not exceeding 45kg	Under 42kg	Not exceeding 42kg
Over 45kg	Not exceeding 48kg	Over 42kg	Not exceeding 44kg
Over 48kg	Not exceeding 51kg	Over 44kg	Not exceeding 46kg
Over 51kg	Not exceeding 55kg	Over 46kg	Not exceeding 49kg
Over 55kg	Not exceeding 59kg	Over 49kg	Not exceeding 52kg
Over 59kg	Not exceeding 63kg	Over 52kg	Not exceeding 55kg
Over 63kg	Not exceeding 68kg	Over 55kg	Not exceeding 59kg
Over 68kg	Not exceeding 73kg	Over 59kg	Not exceeding 63kg
Over 73kg	Not exceeding 78kg	Over 63kg	Not exceeding 68kg
Over 78kg	Over 78+	Over 68+	Over 68+

Cadet Black Belt Weight Categories (12 - 14)			
Male Division		Female Division	
Under 33kg	Not exceeding 33kg	Under 29kg	Not exceeding 29kg
Over 33kg	Not exceeding 37kg	Over 29kg	Not exceeding 33kg
Over 37kg	Not exceeding 41kg	Over 33kg	Not exceeding 37kg
Over 41kg	Not exceeding 45kg	Over 37kg	Not exceeding 41kg
Over 45kg	Not exceeding 49kg	Over 41kg	Not exceeding 44kg
Over 49kg	Not exceeding 53kg	Over 44kg	Not exceeding 47kg
Over 53kg	Not exceeding 57kg	Over 47kg	Not exceeding 51kg
Over 57kg	Not exceeding 61kg	Over 51kg	Not exceeding 55kg
Over 61kg	Not exceeding 65kg	Over 55kg	Not exceeding 59kg
Over 65kg	Over 65+	Over 59+	Over 59+

The Organising Committee reserve the right to merge weight categories if there are insufficient entries.

President's Cup - WT Poomsae Divisions

Registration via <https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com>

WT Ranking Points (G Ranking TBA) for Individual U30 & U40 Divisions

Individual Poomsae – Male / Female								
Age Division	Cadet 12-14 yrs	Junior 15-17 yrs	Under 30 18-30 yrs	Under 40 31-40 yrs	Under 50 41-50 yrs	Under 60 51-60 yrs	Under 65 61-65	Over 66+
Pair Poomsae – Mixed Gender								
Age Division	Cadet 12-14 yrs	Junior 15-17 yrs		Senior 18-30 yrs		Senior Over 30 yrs		
Team Poomsae – Same Gender								
Age Division	Cadet 12-14 yrs	Junior 15-17 yrs		Senior 18-30 yrs		Senior Over 30 yrs		

Freestyle With Music		
Individual – Male and Female		
Age Division	12 – 17 years	18+ Years
Pair Poomsae – Mixed Gender		
Age Division	12 – 17 years	18+ Years
Team Poomsae – At Least 2 Male and 2 Female +1		
Age Division	12+ Years	

❖ Freestyle athletes need to submit their performance plan using the Freestyle Poomsae Performance Plan Form (see page 10) on the day of competition.

❖ Freestyle athletes will also be required to bring their music in an Audio CD format on the day of competition. Please ensure that only one track is on the Audio CD.

Participating contestants must wear the WT-recognized Poomsae Competition uniform. As per WT poomsae rules contestants must present at inspection desk wearing approved uniform in order to proceed to competition area:

- **Cadet Division** (Ages 12-14): White top with red and black collar, plus blue pants for males; the same top, but with red pants, for females. This includes Poom belt half red half black same as dobok collar.
- **Junior and Senior Division** (Ages 15-50): White top with dark blue pants for males; white top with light blue pants for females.
- **Master Division** (Ages 51 and up): Yellow top and dark blue pants for both males and females.

The end of the athlete's belt must be at least 10cm or higher above the knee. No sponsor or other marking other than manufacturers logo is allowed on uniform. No colourful hair ties/accessories and no jewellery or colour nail polish is to be worn.

(Optional) National flag shall be located between 3.5cm below the right shoulder line of upper garment. Flag size should be 10cm width x 7cm height. NOC Code is a three-letter National Olympic Committee abbreviation, and it shall be printed at the back of the upper garment of Poomsae competition uniform in black colour and centred 12cm from the top line of the upper garment within the size of 30cm width x 12cm height. The font of the letters shall be in bold "Verdana".



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Please Fill out required information and free style poomsae performance plan and send it to events@austkd.com.au by no later than 28 May 2019.

Name of Association/Club	
Name of Entrant & Age	Age:
Title of Free style Poomsae	
Team/Pair Name & Number of members	Team/Pair Name: #Male () #Female ()
Name of Music	
Division	Individual <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Pair <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Team <input type="checkbox"/>
Contact Person (name and email)	

Subject:	
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Technique	Performance Plan
Performance 1. Heights of Jump (Side kick)	<i>(Please describe your performance plan keeping the order of the requirements 1-7 indicated in the left column)</i>
Performance 2. Number of kicks in a jump (Front kick)	
Performance 3. Gradient of spins in a spin kick (Spinning hook kick or turning kick)	
Performance 4. Performance level of consecutive kicks (Kyorugi style kick)	
Performance 5. Acrobatic actions W Kick	
Key point of your performance	

PARTICIPANT DECLARATION

2019 President's Cup – Oceania Region

I,
(insert name)

the undersigned, of

.....
(insert address)

declare that I am a member of the WTO Member National Association (Federation) being

.....
(insert name on MNA)

and will follow the policies, guidelines, regulations and principles of the aforementioned Federation and specifically the rules and instructions concerning participation in the PRESIDENT'S CUP 2018 – OCEANIA REGION (known as the 'Championships'), any team before, during and after said Championships. I agree to accept all rules and regulations of both the WT and WTO with regard to dispute settlement and sanctioning.

I understand that the aforementioned federation nor WTO or the Organising Committee is at no time responsible for the financial consequences of participating at the respective Championship for which I qualified by winning a medal at these Championships. All financial aspects of my participation at the Championships shall be borne by myself.

Dated: / / 2019

Name athlete: _____

Signature: _____

If the athlete is a minor (i.e. younger than 18 years of age):

Dated: / / 201

Name parent/guardian: _____

Signature: _____

This form must be completed and signed by each athlete and returned **via email:** events@austkd.com.au

HOTELS

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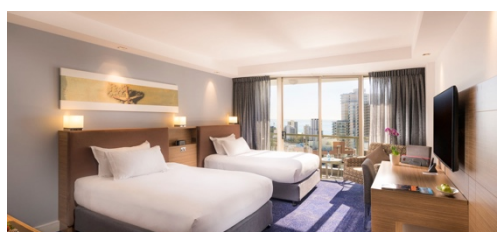
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**DRAFT ONLY - COMPETITION
SCHEDULE
2019 President's Cup – Oceania Region,
27 June 2019**

(Subject to change by the Organising Committee)

DAY/DATE	PLACE	TIME	DETAILS
Monday 24 June 2019	Refer to details	10:00 – 12:00 13:00 – 17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Team Arrivals for President's Cup Oceania Region, Oceania Taekwondo Championships & Para Championships. ➤ Team, Athlete and Coach Registration <p>1 x Team Manager to attend ONLY (Venue: TBA)</p>
Tuesday 25 June 2019	Refer to details	13:00 – 17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Team, Athlete and Coach Registration <p>1 x Team Manager to attend ONLY (Venue: TBA)</p>
Wednesday 26 June 2019	Refer to details	Weigh In 10:00 -12:00 Head of Team 16:00 -17:00 Referee Meeting: 17:00 - 18:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Weigh in – President's Cup & Para Championships, Australia Open All Divisions (Venue: TBA) ➤ Head of Team Meeting & Drawing of Lots For President's Cup and Australian Open <p>2 x Rep perTeam/Country ONLY (Venue: TBA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Referees Meeting (Venue: TBA)
Thursday 27 June 2019	Cararra Stadium 296 Nerang - Broadbeach Road Cararra Queensland	Venue Opens 08:00 Competition Starts 09:00	<p><u>2019 President's Cup</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ G2 - Kyorugi Competition ➤ G Rank TBA – Poomsae Competition
Friday 28 June 2019	Cararra Stadium 296 Nerang - Broadbeach Road Cararra Queensland	Venue Opens 08:00 Competition Starts 09:00	<p><u>2019 President's Cup</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ G4/G2 – Para Taekwondo Competition ➤ Para Poomsae Competition <p><u>2019 Australian Open</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Poomsae Competition ➤ Cadet Kyorugi Competition
Saturday 29 June 2019	Cararra Stadium 296 Nerang - Broadbeach Road Cararra Queensland	Venue Opens 08:00 Competition Starts 09:00	<p><u>2019 Australian Open</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ G2 –Taekwondo Kyorugi Competition ➤ Junior Taekwondo Kyorugi Competition

PRESIDENT'S CUP BYLAWS

World Taekwondo President's Cup – Oceania Region

World Taekwondo Oceania (WTO) By-Law – “The World Taekwondo Presidents Cup - Oceania Region”

Definitions

The Athlete

Shall mean the athlete who won a medal at the WT President's Cup and thus a quota place for the World Taekwondo Oceania Championships

The WTO

Shall mean the Continental Union of the World Taekwondo for the Oceania region

MNA

Shall mean a Member National Association of the WTO

Direct Qualification

Shall mean being able to obtain entry and qualification for the Oceania Championships, without being nominated or entered via the athletes MNA

Quota Place

Shall mean entry position in a weight category of an Oceania Championship. In theory, an MNA can obtain maximum 3 quota places per weight category:

- a) 1 standard quota place, to be decided by the MNA (normal national team entry);
- b) **2 quota places** per result of the World Taekwondo President's Cup – Oceania Region.

Article 1 – General Remarks

- 1.1 The principle idea of the WT President's Cup is to honour the WT President Dr Chungwon Choue.
- 1.2 For the WTO the WT President's Cup gives a platform for the first and second ranked athletes from each Oceania country in each division to directly qualify for the Oceania Championships in the weight and age division in which they have competed and obtained a quota place for the Oceania championships.
- 1.3 The quota places are not dependent on an athlete medalling as this is a G2 world ranked event attracting athletes worldwide and outside of the Oceania region. That means that overall performances in each weight division will determine the 2 quota places for each MNA.

For example, if an MNA has 2 athletes in a weight division and they place 5th and 7th they will secure 2 quota places for the Oceania championships provided they are the highest placed athlete's in that division from that particular country. If for example an MNA only has one athlete in a weight division and that athlete places 9th they will still secure 1 quota place. If for example an MNA has 4 athletes in a weight division and those athletes place 4th, 5th, 6th and 8th, the athletes that placed 4th and 5th will secure quota places for the Oceania Championships.
- 1.4 These quota places shall be additional to the quota places an MNA usually has (one athlete per weight category) in each weight category at the Oceania Championships.
- 1.5 If an MNA secures a quota place at the President's Cup and the same athlete is nominated by the MNA as part of their national team, then there shall be no additional quota places added for that MNA and the quota place will not be reallocated.

Article 2 - Qualification Procedure

- 2.1 Only the top 2 ranked athletes in each weight division from each Oceania country are eligible to secure a place for the Oceania Championships.
- 2.2 An athlete can only qualify for the first Oceania Championship directly after the WT President's Cup at which the quota place was obtained and before the following WT President's Cup.

- 2.3 Participation at the Oceania Championship shall only be allowed within the same age and weight category in which the athlete obtained the quota place at the WT President's Cup.
- 2.4 If an athlete does not use his quota place, the quota place shall not be re-allocated nor is the quota place transferable.

Article 3 – Participation Procedure

- 3.1 It is at the sole discretion of each MNA whether or not accept the athlete in the national team and its program for the Oceania Championship for which the athlete obtained a quota place.
- 3.2 If the MNA decides not to accept the athlete in the national team program, the athlete shall have the right to have its own coach present at the Oceania Championship.
- The MNA shall provide both the athlete and coach with the national team uniform. It is at the discretion of the MNA to charge a (reasonable) fee for the uniform.
- 3.3 All costs with regard to participation at the Oceania Championship in the broadest sense of the word shall be borne by the athlete and shall not be transferred to either the MNA or WTO.
- 3.4 If the MNA decides to accept the athlete in the national team for the respective Oceania Championship, it is then at the sole discretion of the MNA to decide who shall be the coach of the athlete.
- 3.5 If the MNA decides to accept the athlete in the national team for the respective Oceania Championship, it is then at the sole discretion of the MNA to decide who shall be charged for the costs of participation at the Oceania Championship.
- 3.6 All athletes must have a WT Global Athlete License (GAL).
- 3.7 All coaches must have an WTO coaching accreditation and a WT Global Official license (GOL).

Article 4 - Member National Association Involvement

- 4.1 The MNA shall do its utmost to guarantee that the athlete will be entered into the registration system of the respective Oceania Championship and is able to participate at the Oceania Championship, all within the limits of this bylaw.
- 4.2 The MNA cannot prevent or block the athlete from participating at the Oceania Championship for which the athlete obtained a quota place, unless the MNA can prove that the athlete is under formal investigation of the MNA or has been sanctioned by the MNA.
- 4.3 The burden of proof for this lies within the MNA. In this case, the MNA has to inform the WTO in writing of the case at hand and argue – with sufficient evidence - for the cancellation of the obtained quota place of the athlete. The WTO retains the final right to determine whether an athlete can participate at the Oceania Championship.
- 4.4 The MNA nor the WTO shall at any time be liable for misconduct, misbehaviour or any other improper action of the athlete. In case of sanction of the athlete, the MNA shall at no time be responsible or liable for any imposed (financial) sanction.

Article 5 – Athlete Declaration

- 5.1 The participating athlete shall sign the athlete declaration form. Without a signed athlete declaration form, the athlete cannot participate at the WT President's Cup.
- 5.2 For minor athletes (under 18 years of age) a parent or legal guardian must sign the declaration.
- 5.3 Athletes might be investigated by WTO if there are strong reasons to believe that the athlete does not abide the signed declaration. The burden of proof for this lies within the MNA. At all times WTO's and WT's rules and regulations with regard to disputes and sanctions shall be applicable.