



# **PARIS 2024 PARALYMPIC GAMES**

## **QUALIFICATION REGULATIONS**

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

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

These Regulations present:

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

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

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

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

## **QUALIFICATION METHODS**

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

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

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

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

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

## **QUESTIONS AND UPDATES**

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

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

## **OFFICIAL LANGUAGE**

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

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## 2. PARIS 2024 PARALYMPIC GAMES PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

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

	MEDAL EVENTS				ATHLETE SLOTS			
	Male	Female	Mixed /Open	Total	Male	Female	Gender -free	Total
Para archery	3	3	3	9	76	64	0	140
Para athletics	90	73	1	164	584	485	0	1069
Para badminton	7	7	2	16	60	60	0	120
Blind Football	1	0	0	1	64	0	0	64
Boccia	4	4	3	11	48	48	28	124
Para canoe	5	5	0	10	50	50	0	100
Para cycling	29	20	2	51	140	80	0	220
Para equestrian	0	0	11	11	0	0	78	78
Goalball	1	1	0	2	48	48	0	96
Para judo	8	8	0	16	62	56	30	148
Para powerlifting	10	10	0	20	80	80	20	180
Para rowing	1	1	3	5	52	52	0	104
Shooting Para Sport	3	3	7	13	45	60	55	160
Para swimming	71	64	6	141	325	280	0	605
Para taekwondo	5	5	0	10	60	60	0	120
Para table tennis	15	14	2	31	166	114	0	280
Para triathlon	6	5	0	11	54	50	16	120
Volleyball (Sitting)	1	1	0	2	96	96	0	192
Wheelchair Basketball	1	1	0	2	96	96	0	192
Wheelchair Fencing	8	8	0	16	48	48	0	96
Wheelchair Rugby	0	0	1	1	0	0	96	96
Wheelchair Tennis	2	2	2	6	48	32	16	96
<b>Total</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>2202</b>	<b>1859</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>4400</b>

### **3. GENERAL IPC REGULATIONS ON ELIGIBILITY**

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

#### **IPC MEMBERSHIP**

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

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

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

#### **MINIMUM AGE REQUIREMENT**

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

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

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

#### **NPC SELECTION STANDARDS**

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

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

### **COMPLIANCE WITH CLASSIFICATION RULES**

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

## **4. BIPARTITE COMMISSION INVITATIONS**

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

## **5. REDISTRIBUTION OF VACANT QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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

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

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

## **6. UNIVERSALITY WILD CARDS**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- Para athletics
- Para swimming

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

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

## 7. KEY DATES

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

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

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

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

### **ACCREDITATION DEADLINE: (TBD)**

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

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

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



## 8. PARA ARCHERY

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
75	65	0	140

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated according to the following matrix:

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

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

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<b>2023/2024 Continental Qualification Tournaments Allocation (CQT)</b>	<p>Athletes from NPCs outside the defined continental area may not compete in the CQT. The highest ranked athletes in each Individual medal event at each of the four CQTs will obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC and according to the following matrix:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2"></th> <th colspan="3">Men</th> <th colspan="3">Women</th> </tr> <tr> <th>Ind W1</th> <th>Ind. Comp</th> <th>Ind Rec</th> <th>IndW1</th> <th>Ind Comp</th> <th>Ind Rec</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><b>2023 Asian Qualification</b></td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>2023 Americas Qualification</b></td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>2023 European Qualification</b></td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>2024 Africa / Oceania Qualification</b></td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>NPCs who have already obtained slots at the 2023 World Championships can obtain additional slots at their CQT up to the maximum quota per NPC.</p>		Men			Women			Ind W1	Ind. Comp	Ind Rec	IndW1	Ind Comp	Ind Rec	<b>2023 Asian Qualification</b>	1	2	2	1	2	2	<b>2023 Americas Qualification</b>	1	2	2	1	2	2	<b>2023 European Qualification</b>	1	2	2	1	2	2	<b>2024 Africa / Oceania Qualification</b>	1	1	1	1	1	1	<p>18 male athletes 18 female athletes</p>
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<b>2024 World Qualification Tournament Allocation</b>	<p>The two (2) highest ranked athletes in each Individual medal event will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC. An NPC can obtain a maximum of one (1) qualification slot per medal event from the 2024 World Qualification Tournament allocation, up to the maximum quota per NPC.</p>	<p>6 male athletes 6 female athletes</p>																																									
<b>Host Country Allocation</b>	<p>Up to the maximum quota per event the Host Country directly qualifies one (1) athlete for each Individual medal event in which they enter at</p>	<p>3 male athletes</p>																																									

	least one (1) athlete at the 2023 Para Archery World Championships. Any unused Host Country slot(s) will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.	3 female athletes												
<b>Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation</b>	<p>Bipartite Commission Invitation slots will be made available according to the following matrix:</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Men's Individual W1</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Compound</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Recurve</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual W1</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Compound</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Recurve</td> <td>2</td> </tr> </table> <p>To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to World Archery by tbd, 2024.</p>	Men's Individual W1	0	Men's Individual Compound	2	Men's Individual Recurve	2	Women's Individual W1	0	Women's Individual Compound	2	Women's Individual Recurve	2	4 male athletes 4 female athletes
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Women's Individual Recurve	2													
<b>Total</b>		<b>75 male athletes</b> <b>65 female athletes</b>												

## TIMELINE

1 July 2023	Start of the period for athletes to attain MQS performances
13-23 July 2023	Para Archery World Championships, Pilzen, Czech Republic
10-20 August 2023	European Para Archery Championships, Rotterdam, Netherlands
17-26 November 2023	Parapan American Games, Santiago, Chile
19-28 November 2023	Asian Para Archery Championships, Bangkok, Thailand
Tbd, 2024	Africa-Oceania Qualification Tournament, Dubai, UAE
Tbd, 2024	World Archery notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots obtained at World Championships and Continental Qualifiers



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

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

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

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

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

**REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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## 9. PARA ATHLETICS

### MEDAL EVENTS

Men's	Women's	Mixed/Open	Total
90	73	1	164

Detailed Medal Events List at the end of this chapter

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
584	485	0	1069

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

## **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

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

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

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

## **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

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

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

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

## **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

<b>METHOD</b>	<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>2023 Marathon World Championships Allocation</b>	The top six (6) ranked athletes at the 2023 Para athletics Marathon World Championships in each medal event on the Paris 2024 Games Programme each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their respective NPC.  In the case that this competition does not take place, or fewer slots are allocated through this method than available in the quota, WPA will	12 male athletes  12 female athletes

	allocate the remaining slots via the High Performance Allocation method (see below).	
<b>2023 World Championships (Track and Field) Allocation</b>	<p>The top four (4) ranked athletes at the 2023 Para athletics World Championships in each of the individual medal events on the Paris 2024 Games Programme (excluding the marathon events) will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their respective NPC.</p> <p>In the case that an athlete is ranked in top four (4) places in more than one medal event, the athlete can only obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>Athletes who have obtained a qualification slot through the previous allocation method(s) cannot obtain an additional slot for their NPC through this allocation method or vice versa.</p> <p>In the case that this competition does not take place, or fewer slots are allocated through this method than available in the quota, WPA will allocate the remaining slots via the High Performance Allocation method (see below).</p>	<p>360 male athletes</p> <p>292 female athletes</p>
<b>2024 World Championships (Track and Field) Allocation</b>	<p>The top two (2) ranked athletes at the 2024 Para athletics World Championships in each of the individual medal events on the Paris 2024 Games Programme (excluding the marathon events) will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their respective NPC.</p> <p>In the case that an athlete is ranked first or second in more than one medal event, the athlete can only obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>Athletes who have obtained a qualification slot through the previous allocation method(s) cannot obtain an additional slot for their NPC through this allocation method or vice versa.</p> <p>In the case that this competition does not take place, or fewer slots are allocated through this method than available in the quota, WPA will</p>	<p>180 male athletes</p> <p>146 female athletes</p>

	allocate the remaining slots via the High Performance Allocation method (see below).	
<b>High Performance Allocation</b>	<p>WPA will release a set of High Performance Standards ("HPS") by 1 October 2023. Athletes who achieved these Standards at a WPA Recognised Competition between 1 October 2022 and 16 June 2024 but who have not obtained a qualification slot for their respective NPC through the aforementioned methods will be considered to determine the High Performance Allocation of slots.</p> <p>HPSs are only recognised for athletes who were licensed at the time they achieved the result and who hold an international Sport Class Status of Review, Review with a Fixed Review Date, Confirmed as of 16 June 2024.</p> <p>If more athletes have achieved a HPS than the total number of qualification slots available under this method, then the qualification slots will be allocated as follows:</p> <p><b>Male Allocation*:</b> <math>A \times (B \div C)</math></p> <p><b>Female Allocation*:</b> <math>A \times (B \div C)</math></p> <p>A - Number of athletes** with a high performance per gender per NPC</p> <p>B - Total number of available qualification slots per gender</p> <p>C - Total number of athletes** with a high performance per gender for all NPCs</p> <p><i>*WPA reserves the right to round up or down in order to achieve the required allocation of qualification slots per gender.</i></p> <p><i>**Only athletes who have not obtained a slot via the aforementioned qualification methods will be considered for the High Performance Allocation.</i></p> <p>In the case more qualification slots are available in a gender than the number of eligible athletes who have achieved an HPS, the remaining slots</p>	<p>27 male athletes</p> <p>30 female athletes</p>

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

### **UNIVERSAL RELAY ENTRY CONDITIONS**

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

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

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

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

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

**TIMELINE**

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



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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## PARIS 2024 PARALYMPIC GAMES ELIGIBLE SPORT CLASSES AND QUALIFICATION STANDARDS

### MEN

No.	Event	Eligible Sport Classes	HPS	MES
1	100m T11	T11		
2	100m T12	T12		
3	100m T13	T13		
4	100m T34	T33, T34		
5	100m T35	T35		
6	100m T36	T36		
7	100m T37	T37		
8	100m T38	T38		
9	100m T44	T44		
10	100m T47	T45, T46, T47		
11	100m T51	T51		
12	100m T52	T52		
13	100m T53	T53		
14	100m T54	T54		
15	100m T63	T42, T63		
16	100m T64	T62, T64		
17	200m T35	T35		
18	200m T37	T37		
19	200m T51	T51		
20	200m T64	T64		
21	400m T11	T11		
22	400m T12	T12		
23	400m T13	T13		
24	400m T20	T20		
25	400m T36	T36		
26	400m T37	T37		
27	400m T38	T38		
28	400m T47	T45, T46, T47		
29	400m T52	T51, T52		
30	400m T53	T53		
31	400m T54	T54		
32	400m T62	T62		
33	800m T34	T33, T34		
34	800m T53	T53		
35	800m T54	T54		

36	1500m T11	T11		
37	1500m T13	T12*, T13		
38	1500m T20	T20		
39	1500m T38	T37, T38		
40	1500m T46	T45, T46		
41	1500m T54	T53, T54		
42	5000m T11	T11		
43	5000m T13	T12*, T13		
44	5000m T54	T53, T54		
45	Marathon T12	T11,T12		
46	Marathon T54	T52,T53,T54		
47	Long Jump T11	T11		
48	Long Jump T12	T12		
49	Long Jump T13	T13		
50	Long Jump T20	T20		
51	Long Jump T36	T36		
52	Long Jump T37	T37		
53	Long Jump T38	T38		
54	Long Jump T47	T45, T46, T47		
55	Long Jump T63	T42, T61, T63		
56	Long Jump T64	T44, T62, T64		
57	High Jump T47	T45, T46, T47		
58	High Jump T63	T42, T63		
59	High Jump T64	T44, T64		
60	Club Throw F32	F31, F32		
61	Club Throw F51	F51		
62	Discus Throw F11	F11		
63	Discus Throw F37	F37		
64	Discus Throw F52	F51, F52		
65	Discus Throw F56	F54, F55, F56		
66	Discus Throw F64	F43, F44, F62, F64		
67	Javelin Throw F13	F12*, F13		
68	Javelin Throw F34	F33, F34		
69	Javelin Throw F38	F38		
70	Javelin Throw F41	F40, F41		
71	Javelin Throw F46	F45, F46		
72	Javelin Throw F54	F53, F54		
73	Javelin Throw F57	F56, F57		
74	Javelin Throw F64	F42, F43, F44, F61, F62, F63, F64		
75	Shot Put F11	F11		
76	Shot Put F12	F12		

77	Shot Put F20	F20		
78	Shot Put F32	F32		
79	Shot Put F33	F33		
80	Shot Put F34	F34		
81	Shot Put F35	F35		
82	Shot Put F36	F36		
83	Shot Put F37	F37		
84	Shot Put F40	F40		
85	Shot Put F41	F41		
86	Shot Put F46	F45, F46		
87	Shot Put F53	F53		
88	Shot Put F55	F54, F55		
89	Shot Put F57	F56, F57		
90	Shot Put F63	F42, F61, F63		

## WOMEN

No.	Event	Eligible Sport Classes	HPS	MES
1	100m T11	T11		
2	100m T12	T12		
3	100m T13	T13		
4	100m T34	T33,T34		
5	100m T35	T35		
6	100m T36	T36		
7	100m T37	T37		
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9	100m T47	T45, T46, T47		
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29	400m T54	T54		
30	800m T34	T33, T34		
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32	800m T54	T54		
33	1500m T11	T11		
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35	1500m T20	T20		
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37	5000m T54	T53, T54		
38	Marathon T12	T11,T12		

39	Marathon T54	T52,T53,T54		
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## UNIVERSAL

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

\* Eligible sport classes will compete under the rules of their own sport class.





## 10. PARA BADMINTON

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender Free	Total
60	60	0	120

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

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

- have participated in their relevant singles event at a minimum of three (3) designated qualifying tournaments counting towards the Race to Paris Paralympic Games Singles Ranking List published on 2 April 2024.

Exception is made if a player qualifies in doubles or mixed doubles and is required to play singles;

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### Entry into Doubles Events from Singles

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

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

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

The following entry requirements apply for Doubles pairs:

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

The following minimum entry numbers will be observed:

Men		Women		Mixed	
MS WH1	9	WS WH1	9	XDSL3-SU5	6 pairs
MS WH2	6	WS WH2	6	XDSH6	6 pairs
MS SL3	6	WS SL3	6		
MS SL4	6	WS SL4	6		
MS SU5	6	WS SU5	6		
MS SH6	10	WS SH6	10		
MD WH1-WH2	6 pairs	WD WH1-WH2	6 pairs		

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

### QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

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

	their NPC. Only one (1) pair per NPC will qualify via this method.																						
<b>Race to Paris Paralympic Singles Ranking List Allocation</b>	<p>Following the Doubles Ranking allocation, further slots will be allocated to the highest ranked athletes (not yet qualified) on the Race to Paris Paralympic Singles Ranking List published on 02 April 2024 according to the matrix below. Only one (1) player per NPC will qualify via this method.</p> <p>The allocation per event is as follows:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Class</th> <th>Men</th> <th>Women</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>WH1</td> <td>3</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>WH2</td> <td>3</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SL3</td> <td>5</td> <td>5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SL4</td> <td>5</td> <td>5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SU5</td> <td>5</td> <td>5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SH6</td> <td>4</td> <td>4</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Class	Men	Women	WH1	3	3	WH2	3	3	SL3	5	5	SL4	5	5	SU5	5	5	SH6	4	4	<p>25 male athletes</p> <p>25 female athletes</p>
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<b>Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation</b>	<p>Bipartite slots will be allocated primarily to ensure event viability and according to the following matrix:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="485 353 983 730"> <thead> <tr> <th>Class</th> <th>Men</th> <th>Women</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>WH1</td> <td rowspan="2">3</td> <td rowspan="2">3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>WH2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SL3</td> <td rowspan="3">7</td> <td rowspan="3">7</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SL4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SU5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SH6</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs (including host country) must submit an official application in writing to BWF by 30 April 2024.</p> <p><b>Host Country Slots</b></p> <p>One (1) male Bipartite slot and one (1) female Bipartite slot are reserved for the host country. In case the host country obtains any slot(s) via any other allocation method for the respective gender, the Host Country Slot for the respective gender automatically expires.</p> <p><b>Continental Slots</b></p> <p>One (1) male Bipartite slot and one (1) female Bipartite slot are reserved for each continent. If a continent obtains any slot(s) via any other allocation method for the respective gender, the continental Bipartite slot for the respective gender will expire, except:</p> <p>If the continent has qualified only one Mixed Doubles pair across all events (i.e. one (1) male and one (1) female) through the mixed doubles qualification method, then the continent will obtain an additional continental slot in singles in both genders.</p>	Class	Men	Women	WH1	3	3	WH2	SL3	7	7	SL4	SU5	SH6	1	1	<p>11 male athletes</p> <p>11 female athletes</p>
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SU5																	
SH6	1	1															

	Any host country Bipartite slot or any continental Bipartite slot offered, which is not accepted by the respective NPC may no longer be reserved for the host country or the respective continent.	
<b>Total</b>		<b>60 male athletes</b> <b>60 female athletes</b>

## **TIMELINE**

1 January 2023	Start of the period for athletes to gain points towards the Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking List
31 March 2024	End of the period for athletes to gain points towards the Paralympic Ranking List
2 April 2024	BWF publishes the Race to Paris Paralympic Ranking List
2 April 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process (including reserved host country and continental slots)
3 April 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots under the Paralympic Doubles and Mixed Doubles Ranking List Allocation method
10 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of allocated Doubles and Mixed Doubles slots including the sport class for each slot.
11 April 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of any unused Doubles and Mixed Doubles slots
18 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of reallocated Doubles and Mixed Doubles slots including the sport class for each slot.
19 April 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots under the Paralympic Singles Ranking method
26 April 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of all allocated slots under the Singles Ranking method
29 April 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of any unused Singles qualification slots

30 April 2024	Deadline to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to BWF
Tbd	Deadline for Paris 2024 Paralympic Games Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
6 May 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of reallocated Singles slots
16 May 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
23 May 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of Bipartite slots
27 May 2024	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs, entry invitation of additional Doubles and Mixed Doubles pairs created from already qualified singles players (if any)
03 June 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the acceptance of entry invitation for additional Doubles and Mixed Doubles pairs including the sport class for each player (if any)
05 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

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

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

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

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

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



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## 11. BLIND FOOTBALL

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
64	0	0	64

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

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

- have entered in at least one international, sanctioned IBSA Blind Football competition between 1 January 2022 and 31 May 2024; and
- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later.

### MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

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

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
<b>Regional Qualifier Allocation</b>	<p>The top ranked teams in each of the following Regional Qualification Tournaments obtain qualification slots for their NPCs as indicated:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2022 IBSA Blind Football European Championships, Italy - one (1) team</li> <li>• 2022 IBSA Blind Football African Championships, Morocco - one (1) team</li> <li>• 2022 IBSA Blind Football Asian Championships, India - one (1) team</li> <li>• 2023 Parapan American Games, Chile - one (1) team</li> </ul> <p>In the case that a region does not host a Qualification Tournament, any available slots will be allocated to the highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) at the 2023 World Championships regardless of region.</p>	32 male athletes
<b>2023 World Championships Allocation</b>	The top three (3) ranked teams (not otherwise qualified) obtain one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.	24 male athletes
<b>Host Country Allocation</b>	The host country directly qualifies one (1) men's team subject to participation in either the 2023 IBSA Blind Football World Championships or their respective Regional Qualification Tournament.	8 male athletes
<b>Total</b>		<b>64 male athletes</b>

## TIMELINE

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

slot, the slot will be reallocated to the highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) at the 2023 IBSA Blind Football World Championships regardless of region.

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## 12. BOCCIA

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
48	48	28	124

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

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

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

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

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

<b>METHOD</b>	<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>2023 Regional Championships Teams and Pairs Allocation</b>	<p>In each of the following 2023 World Boccia Regional Championships, the highest ranked Team/Pair (excluding the host country) obtains qualification slots for their NPC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Europe</li> <li>• Asia &amp; Oceania</li> <li>• Americas</li> <li>• Africa</li> </ul> <p>Slots are allocated according to the following quotas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BC1-2 Teams: the highest ranked NPC obtains one (1) male, one (1) female and (1) gender-free qualification slot.</li> <li>• BC3 Pairs: the highest ranked NPC obtains one (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot.</li> <li>• BC4 Pairs: the highest ranked NPC obtains one (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot.</li> </ul> <p>In the case that a Region does not host a 2023 Regional Championships, or if a Regional Championships does not offer a particular</p>	<p>12 male athletes</p> <p>12 female athletes</p> <p>4 gender-free</p>

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



	<p>Pair (one (1) male and one (1) female slot) subject to being ranked on the BISFed Boccia Teams and Pairs World Ranking List closing 31 December 2023.</p> <p>Any host country slots that cannot be allocated will be given to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) in the respective event on the BISFed Boccia Teams and Pairs World Ranking List closing 31 December 2023.</p>	<p>3 female athletes</p> <p>1 gender-free</p>
<b>Bipartite Invitation Allocation</b>	<p>A maximum of twenty-four (24) eligible athletes will be selected by the IPC and BISFed for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.</p> <p>To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to BISFed by 17 June 2024.</p>	<p>Up to 24 athletes</p>
<b>Total</b>		<b>124 athletes</b>

## **TIMELINE**

1 January 2022	Start of the period for athletes to achieve performances for ranking on the BISFed Boccia Teams, Pairs, and Individual Ranking Lists
Tbd, 2023	2023 World Boccia Asia/Oceania Championships
Tbd, 2023	2023 World Boccia European Championships
Tbd, 2023	2023 World Boccia Africa Regional Championships
17-25 November 2023	2023 Parapan American Games, Santiago, Chile
31 December 2023	End of period for athletes to achieve performances for ranking on the BISFed Boccia Teams, Pairs and Individual Ranking Lists
Tbd, 2024	2024 World Boccia Paralympic Qualification Tournament
3 June 2024	BISFed confirms in writing to NPCs the allocation of Teams, Pairs and Individual qualification slots
3 June 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application
17 June 2024	NPCs confirm in writing the use of allocated qualification slots

17 June 2024	Deadline to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to BISFed
1 July 2024	BISFed confirms in writing the allocation of Bipartite Commission Invitations and reallocation of unused qualification slots
Tbd, 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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## 13. PARA CANOE

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
50	50	0	100

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

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

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

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

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

### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

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

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

	<p>Note: The seeding of heats at the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games will be based upon the results ranking of qualified NPCs at the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships.</p> <p>In the event the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships is not held, or an event is not offered, the respective slots will be allocated to the next highest ranked and not otherwise qualified NPCs in the same medal event at the 2023 ICF Paracanoe World Championships.</p>	
<b>Host Country Allocation</b>	<p>The host country directly qualifies one (1) eligible male athlete in Kayak, one (1) eligible female athlete in Kayak, one (1) eligible male athlete in Va'a and one (1) eligible female athlete in Va'a, subject to participation in the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships.</p> <p>The Host Country slots will be awarded from the events in which the host country has had the highest ranked performance at the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships. In case the host country has more than one athlete in the same gender and boat category with the same rank at the 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships, the host country must then select from which medal event it wants to obtain the qualification slot.</p> <p>These slots will be deducted from the 2024 World Championships Qualification quota in the respective medal event and gender.</p> <p>Should the host country obtain any qualification slot at the 2023 or 2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships the host country will not receive a qualification slot for the respective boat category and gender, under the Host Country Allocation method.</p>	<p>Up to 2 male athletes</p> <p>Up to 2 female athletes</p>
<b>Total</b>		<p>50 male athletes</p> <p>50 female athletes</p>

## **TIMELINE**

Tbd, 2023	2023 ICF Paracanoe World Championships
Tbd, 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
Tbd, 2024	2024 ICF Paracanoe World Championships
Tbd, 2024	ICF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots
Tbd, 2024	NPCs confirm to ICF in writing the use of allocated qualification slots
Tbd, 2024	ICF confirms in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

## **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

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

By tbd, 2024 the ICF will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

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

## **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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

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## 14. PARA CYCLING

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
140	80	0	220

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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



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

### MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

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

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

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

### QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL																					
2022 UCI Nations Ranking Allocation	The highest ranked NPCs on the UCI Para-cycling Nations Ranking Lists for each gender combined (Road and Track) closing 31 December 2022 each obtain one (1) qualification slot up to the maximum regional quotas below:	47 male athletes 28 female athletes																					
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	Africa		4	3																			
Total	47	28																					
In order to maintain their slot(s) allocated under this method, NPCs must have had at least one (1) athlete for each allocated gender slot participating in one (1) of the following competitions:																							
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2023 UCI Para-Cycling Track World Championships</li> <li>• 2023 UCI Para-Cycling Road World Championships</li> </ul>																							

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any 2023 or 2024 UCI Para-Cycling Road World Cup prior to 30 June 2024</li> <li>• 2024 UCI Para-Cycling Track World Championships</li> </ul> <p>Any slots not allocated under this method will be allocated via the 2023/2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking Allocation method. The same applies for qualification slots which could not be confirmed due to an athlete not participating in one (1) of the above-listed events.</p>	
<b>2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking Allocation</b>	<p>A combined (Road and Track) ranking called the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking will be used to allocate all remaining slots except for five (5) male and five (5) female bipartite slots. Events included in the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking will be the 2023 UCI Para-cycling Road World Championships, the 2023 and 2024 UCI Para-cycling Track World Championships, and the 2023 and 2024 UCI Para-cycling Road World Cups taking place prior to 30 June 2024. A maximum of 3 athletes per nation per sport class will score points at each of the above competitions.</p> <p>The factor used to calculate the number of male qualification slots allocated through the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking Allocation method will be determined by adding the ranking points of all NPCs on the UCI Para-cycling Ranking closing 30 June 2024, and then dividing the total by the number of available male qualification slots. Each NPC's points will then be divided by this factor to calculate the number of male qualification slots for each NPC, up to a maximum of thirteen (13).</p> <p>The factor used to calculate the number of female qualification slots allocated through the 2024 UCI Paralympic Ranking Allocation method will be determined by adding the ranking points of all NPCs on the UCI Para-cycling Ranking closing 30 June 2024, and then dividing the total by the number of available female qualification</p>	<p>88 male athletes</p> <p>47 female athletes</p>

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

## **TIMELINE**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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**MEDAL EVENTS**

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



## 15. EQUESTRIAN

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
0	0	78	78

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

**MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC**

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

**ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

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

To be eligible for selection by an NPC, Athlete/Horse combinations must:

- Have achieved at least one (1) sixty-four (64) percent score at a FEI Para Equestrian 3\* or above event in an Individual or Team competition between 1 January 2022 and 19 June 2024.

**MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

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

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

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

<b>Team Qualification</b>		
<b>METHOD</b>	<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>Host Country Allocation</b>	<p>The host country directly qualifies four (4) Athletes.</p> <p>If the host country is unable to field a team by the allocation deadline of 4 March 2024, it may be allocated a maximum of two (2) slots for eligible Individual Athletes. In this case, remaining slots will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) on the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List.</p>	4 athletes
<b>2022 FEI World Championships</b>	The top seven (7) ranked teams (not including the host country) at the 2022 FEI World Championships will each obtain four (4) qualification slots for their NPC.	28 athletes
<b>2023 FEI European Championships</b>	The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) at the 2023 FEI European Championships will obtain four (4) qualification slots for their NPC.	4 athletes
<b>FEI Para Equestrian Regional Team Ranking Allocation</b>	<p>The highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) on the FEI Paralympic Team Ranking List* from each of the following regions will obtain four (4) qualification slots for their NPC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Africa</li> <li>• Americas</li> <li>• Asia</li> <li>• Oceania</li> </ul> <p>Should a region not have an eligible team, the relevant slots will be allocated, regardless of region, to the next highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) on the FEI Paralympic Team Ranking List.</p>	16 athletes



<b>FEI Para Equestrian Team Ranking List Allocation</b>	<p>The two (2) highest ranked teams on the FEI Paralympic Team Ranking List* (not otherwise qualified) will each obtain four qualification slots for their NPC.</p> <p>*The FEI Paralympic Team Ranking List, covering the period of 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023, is a Team Ranking based on each team's best team results from two (2) qualifying events added together.</p>	8 athletes
<b><u>Individual Qualification</u></b>		
<b>METHOD</b>	<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>Para Equestrian Individual Ranking List Allocation - Regional Distribution</b>	<p>Only NPCs that have not earned qualification slots through any of the above allocation methods are eligible to receive qualification slots through the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List** Allocation method.</p> <p>**The FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List, covering the period of 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023, is an Individual Ranking based on each Athlete's accumulated ranking points of a maximum of six (6) best results obtained in FEI Para Equestrian qualifying competitions.</p> <p>The three (3) highest ranked Athletes from each of the following regions each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC, irrespective of Grade, and up to two (2) slots per NPC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Africa</li> <li>• Americas</li> <li>• Asia</li> <li>• Europe</li> <li>• Oceania</li> </ul> <p>Should a region not have eligible Athletes, the relevant slots will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC on the FEI Paralympic Individual Ranking List regardless of region.</p>	15 athletes

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

## **TIMELINE**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### **Unused Team slots**

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

#### **Unused Individual slots**

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

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## 16. GOALBALL

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
48	48	0	96

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

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later.

### MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

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

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
<b>2022 IBSA Goalball World Championships Allocation</b>	<p>The top two (2) ranked teams of the men's competition each obtain one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>The top two (2) ranked teams of the women's competition each obtain one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p>	<p>12 male athletes</p> <p>12 female athletes</p>
<b>2023/24 Regional Qualifier Allocation</b>	<p>The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the men's competition in each of the following 2023/24 IBSA Goalball Regional Championships obtain qualification slots for their NPCs as indicated:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Americas - one (1) team</li> <li>• Asia/Pacific - one (1) team</li> <li>• Europe (Group A) - one (1) team</li> <li>• Africa - one (1) team</li> </ul> <p>The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the women's competition in each of the following 2023/24 IBSA Goalball Regional Championships obtain qualification slots for their NPCs as indicated:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Americas - one (1) team</li> <li>• Asia/Pacific - one (1) team</li> <li>• Europe (Group A) - one (1) team</li> <li>• Africa - one (1) team</li> </ul> <p>In the case that a Region does not host a Championships, the available slots will be allocated via the 2023 IBSA Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament Allocation method regardless of region.</p>	<p>24 male athletes</p> <p>24 female athletes</p>
<b>2023 IBSA Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament Allocation</b>	<p>The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the men's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>The top ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the women's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p>	<p>6 male athletes</p> <p>6 female athletes</p>

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

## **TIMELINE**

2022, tbd	2022 IBSA Goalball World Championships
June - July 2023 (tbc)	2023 IBSA Goalball Paralympic Qualification Ranking Tournament, TBD
17-26 November 2023	2023 Parapan American Games, Santiago, Chile
Oct.-Nov. 2023 (tbc)	2023 IBSA Goalball European Championships (Group A), tbd
Oct.-Nov. 2023 (tbc)	2023 IBSA Goalball Asia/Pacific Championships, tbd
Oct.-Nov. 2023 (tbc)	2023 IBSA Goalball African Championships, tbd
8 March 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots from World Championships.
22 March 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IBSA the use of allocated team qualification slots from World Championships.
25 March 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused team allocation slots from World Championships.
25 March 2024	IBSA confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots from Regional Qualifiers.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Any team qualification slots allocated and not used by the respective NPC will be reallocated to the highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) at the respective competition where it was obtained. Should the host country not use any of its allocated slots, the slot will be reallocated to the highest ranked NPC (not otherwise qualified) at the 2022 IBSA Goalball World Championships regardless of region.



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## 17. PARA JUDO

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
62	56	30	148

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for competition athletes must:

- be born before 1 January 2011;

- have competed in at least one (1) international, sanctioned IBSA competition which provides World Ranking Points between 1 September 2022 and 24 June 2024; and
- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later.

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

<b>METHOD</b>	<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>																																				
<b>World Ranking List Allocation</b>	The top ranked male and female athletes in each medal event regardless of sport class on the IBSA Judo World Ranking List closing 24 June 2024 obtain a qualification slot for their respective NPC according to the following matrix:	54 male athletes 48 female athletes																																				
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<b>Host Country Allocation</b>	The host country directly qualifies one (1) athlete in each medal event for which the host country has entered at least one (1) athlete in the 2022 IBSA Judo World Championships. Host country slots will be allocated to the highest-ranked athlete from the host country (not otherwise qualified) on the IBSA Judo World Ranking List closing 24 June 2024.  Any unused host country slots will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.	8 male athletes  8 female athletes
<b>Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation</b>	Thirty (30) athletes will be selected by IBSA and the IPC for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.  To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to IBSA by 8 July 2024.	30 athletes
<b>Total</b>		<b>62 male slots</b>  <b>56 female slots</b>  <b>30 gender-free slots</b>

## **TIMELINE**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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## 18. PARA POWERLIFTING

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
80	80	20	180

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC may be allocated no more than eight (8) male and eight (8) female qualification slots. Exceptions may be granted through the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

2. be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later;
3. have completed all the requirements set out in the “*World Para Powerlifting Qualification Pathway 2021-2024*”. Qualification Pathway requirements include mandatory participation in the following World Para Powerlifting Recognised Competitions:
  - 2021 World Championships or Junior World Championships;
  - 2022 respective Regional Championships;
  - 2023 World Championships or Junior World Championships; and
  - Two (2) World Para Powerlifting Sanctioned Competitions between 1 January 2024 and 30 June 2024 (inclusive) and;
4. be ranked in the World Para Powerlifting Preliminary Paralympic ranking list closing 26 June 2024 (inclusive).

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

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

## **TIMELINE**

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



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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## 19. PARA ROWING

### MEDAL EVENTS

Male	Female	Mixed	Total
1	1	3	5
PR1M1x	PR1W1x	PR2Mix2x PR3Mix2x PR3Mix4+	

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender Free	Total
52	52	0	104*

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

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

### MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

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

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

- one (1) male and one (1) female athlete for the Double Sculls PR2Mix2x medal event;
- one (1) male and one (1) female athlete for the Double Sculls PR3Mix2x medal event; and
- two (2) male and two (2) female athletes for the Coxed Fours PR3Mix4+ medal event.

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
<b>2023 World Rowing Championships Allocation</b>	<p>The highest ranked boats in each medal event at the 2023 World Rowing Championships will qualify according to the number of quota places indicated below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1M1x): 7</li> <li>• PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1W1x): 7</li> <li>• PR2 Mixed Double Sculls (PR2Mix2x): 6</li> <li>• PR3 Mixed Double Sculls (PR3Mix2x): 5</li> <li>• PR3 Mixed Coxed Fours (PR3Mix4+): 6</li> </ul>	<p>30 male athletes</p> <p>30 female athletes</p>
<b>Continental Qualification Regattas</b>	<p>The highest ranked boat in each of the following medal events shall qualify:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1M1x)</li> <li>• PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1W1x)</li> <li>• PR3 Mixed Double Sculls (PR3Mix2x)</li> </ul> <p>Continental Qualification Regattas shall be held for the following continental groupings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Africa</li> <li>• Americas</li> <li>• Asia and Oceania</li> <li>• Europe</li> </ul> <p>In case only one boat is entered in an event at a Continental Qualification Regatta, the respective qualification slot will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method and no boat would qualify from that Continental Qualification Regatta in this particular medal event. A race would not be held for Continental Qualification to the Paralympic Games with only one (1) boat.</p>	<p>8 male athletes</p> <p>8 female athletes</p>

	<p>In case a Continental Qualification Regatta is not held the respective slots will be allocated to the highest ranked NPC from that region at the 2023 World Rowing Championships, up to a maximum of one (1) slot per NPC. If an NPC would achieve more than one (1) qualifying slot, then the NPC must select the boat that will qualify for the Paralympic Games. Only those NPCs that have not yet qualified any slots at the 2023 World Rowing Championships will be considered for this allocation.</p> <p>Any slots that can still not be allocated shall be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation.</p>	
<b>Final Paralympic Qualification Regatta Allocation</b>	<p>The highest ranked boats at the Final Paralympic Qualification Regatta will qualify according to the number of quota places indicated below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PR1 Men’s Single Sculls (PR1M1x): 1 boat</li> <li>• PR1 Women’s Single Sculls (PR1W1x): 1 boat</li> <li>• PR2 Mixed Double Sculls (PR2Mix2x): 2 boats</li> <li>• PR3 Mixed Double Sculls (PR3Mix2x): 1 boat</li> <li>• PR3 Mixed Coxed Fours (PR3Mix4+): 2 boats</li> </ul> <p>In case the Final Paralympic Qualification Regatta is not held the respective slots will be allocated, in the same medal events, to the highest ranked eligible NPCs at the 2023 World Rowing Championships.</p>	<p>8 male athletes</p> <p>8 female athletes</p>
<b>Host Country Allocation</b>	<p>In the case that it does not qualify a boat at the 2023 World Rowing Championships or the relevant Continental Qualification Regatta, the Host Country may be allocated a qualification place in either the PR2Mix2x, PR3Mix2x, or the PR3Mix4+ event.</p> <p>In the case that the Host Country is allocated a boat, the allocation should be in the medal event in which the Host Country has participated in/is ranked highest at the 2023 World Rowing Championships.</p>	<p>2 male athletes</p> <p>2 female athletes</p>

	Any unused Host Country slots will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation (see below).	
<b>Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation</b>	Four (4) eligible male athletes and four (4) eligible female athletes will be considered by the IPC and World Rowing for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots in the PR3Mix4+, PR3Mix2x, and/or the PR2Mix2x. To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to World Rowing by TBC	4 male athletes 4 female athletes
<b>Total</b>		<b>52 male athletes</b> <b>52 female athletes</b>

### **QUALIFICATION PRINCIPLES**

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

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

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

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

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

**TIMELINE**

3-10 September 2023	2023 World Rowing Championships, Belgrade, Serbia
22 September 2023	World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the number of allocated qualification slots from World Rowing Championships
6 October 2023	NPCs confirm in writing to World Rowing the use of allocated qualification slots from World Rowing Championships
TBC	Africa Continental Qualification Regatta, TBC
TBC	Americas Continental Qualification Regatta, TBC
TBC	Europe Continental Qualification Regatta, TBC
TBC	Asia & Oceania Continental Qualification Regatta, TBC
TBC	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
TBC	World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the number of allocated qualification slots from all Continental Qualification Regattas
TBC	NPCs confirm in writing to World Rowing the use of allocated qualification slots from all Continental Qualification Regattas
TBC	Start of Bipartite application process
TBC	2024 Final Paralympic Qualification Regatta, TBC
TBC	World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the number of allocated qualification slots from the Final Qualification Regatta
TBC	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite applications to World Rowing
TBC	NPCs confirm in writing to World Rowing the use of allocated qualification slots from the Final Qualification Regatta
TBC	World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused qualification slots

TBC	World Rowing confirms in writing to the NPCs the awarding of Bipartite invitations
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

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

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

By TBC World Rowing will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

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

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

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

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## ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
45	60	55	160

## ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

## MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

## ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

1. hold a World Shooting Para Sport (WSPS) Athlete License for the 2024 season;
2. be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later; and
3. have achieved the following Minimum Qualification Scores (MQS) at two (2) WSPS Recognised Competitions (WSPS Championships, WSPS Sanctioned Competitions, WSPS Approved Competitions or IPC Games) in the same medal event between 1 January 2022 and 15 July 2024 (inclusive):

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

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

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

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

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

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

Paris 2024 Paralympic Games	R1	R2	R3		R4		R5		R6		R7		R8		R9		P1		P2		P3		P4		Total MALE slots	Total FEMALE slots	GENDER-FREE	TOTAL Slots		
Event	Male	Female	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF	Male	GF				
2022 World Cup France	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	7	7	18	
2022 Al Ain World Championships	2	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	2	0	1	1	2	2	0	1	2	2	1	8	13	10	31	
2023 World Cup Korea	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	8	8	3	19
2023 Rotterdam European Para Championships	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	6	
2023 World Championships	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	2	2	0	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	8	13	12	33	
2022 Hangzhou Asian Para Games	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	4	8		
2023 Santiago Parapan American Games	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	4	
2024 European Championships	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	2	6	10		
2024 World Cup TBD	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	7	8	20	
Per event totals	10	10	12		14		14		14		9	9	11	10	10	13		13												
	Bipartite commission slots																							3	3	3	9			
	Host Country slots																							1	1	0	2			
																								45	60	55	160			

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

<p><b>2022 World Championships Allocation (UAE)</b></p> <p><b>Direct slots</b></p>	<p><b>Rifle</b></p> <p>In the R1, R2, R7, and R8 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R3 event, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R4 and R9 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R5 and R6 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p><b>Pistol</b></p> <p>In the P1 and P2 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the P3 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the P4 medal event, the top two (2) ranked male athletes, the top two (2) ranked female athletes, and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p>	<p>8 male athletes</p> <p>13 female athletes</p> <p>10 gender free</p>
<p><b>2023 World Cup Allocation (Korea)</b></p> <p><b>Direct slots</b></p>	<p><b>Rifle</b></p> <p>In the R1 and R2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal</p>	<p>8 male athletes</p> <p>8 female athletes</p>

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

<p><b>2023 World Championships Allocation (TBD)</b></p> <p><b>Direct slots</b></p>	<p><b>Rifle</b></p> <p>In the R1, R2, R7, and R8 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R4, R5, and R6 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R9 medal event, the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p><b>Pistol</b></p> <p>In the P1 and P2 events, the top two (2) ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the P3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete, the top two (2) ranked female athletes, and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the P4 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete, the top one (1) ranked female athlete, and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p>	<p>8 male athletes</p> <p>13 female athletes</p> <p>12 gender free</p>
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<p><b>2022 Asian Para Games Allocation (China)</b></p> <p><b>Direct slots</b></p>	<p><b>Rifle</b> In the R1 and R2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R3, R5, and R6 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p><b>Pistol</b> In the P1 and P2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the P4 event, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p>	<p>2 male athletes</p> <p>2 female athletes</p> <p>4 gender free</p>
<p><b>2023 Parapan American Games Allocation (Chile)</b></p> <p><b>Direct slots</b></p>	<p><b>Rifle</b> In the R3 and R4 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p><b>Pistol</b> In the P1 and P2 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p>	<p>1 male athletes</p> <p>1 female athletes</p> <p>2 gender free</p>
<p><b>2024 European Championships Allocation (TBD)</b></p> <p><b>Direct slots</b></p>	<p><b>Rifle</b> In the R7 and R8 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R5, R6, and R9 events, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not</p>	<p>2 male athletes</p> <p>2 female athletes</p> <p>6 gender free</p>

	<p>otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p><b>Pistol</b> In the P3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the P4 event, the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p>	
<p><b>2024 World Cup Allocation (TBD)</b></p> <p><b>Direct slots</b></p>	<p><b>Rifle</b> In the R1, R2, R7, and R8 medal events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R3 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete, the top one (1) ranked female athlete, and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R4 medal event, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top two (2) ranked athletes regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R5 medal event, the top one (1) ranked male athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the R6 and R9 medal events, the top one (1) ranked female athlete and the top one (1) ranked athlete regardless of gender (not otherwise qualified) in each medal event obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p><b>Pistol</b> In the P1 and P2 medal events, the top one (1) ranked athlete (not otherwise qualified) in each</p>	<p>5 male athletes</p> <p>7 female athletes</p> <p>8 gender free</p>



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

**TIMELINE**

1 January 2022	Start of period for athletes to achieve MQS performances
4-13 June 2022	2022 WSPS World Cup, Chateauroux, France
3-18 November 2022	2022 WSPS World Championships, Al Ain, UAE
22 May-01 June 2023	2023 WSPS World Cup, Korea
August 2023	2023 European Para Championships, Rotterdam, Netherlands
September 2023	2023 WSPS World Championships
22-28 October 2023	Hangzhou 2022 Asian Para Games, China
17-25 November 2023	Santiago 2023 Parapan American Games, Chile
TBD 2024	2024 WSPS European Championships
TBD 2024	2024 WSPS World Cup
TBD	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
21 June 2024	Start of Bipartite application process
25 June 2024	WSPS confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots
5 July 2024	NPCs confirm to WSPS in writing the use of allocated slots
5 July 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite applications to WSPS
9 July 2024	WSPS confirms in writing the reallocation of unused qualification slots
9 July 2024	WSPS confirms in writing the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitations
15 July 2024	End of the period for athletes to achieve MQS performances
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

**CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

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

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

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

**REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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## 21. PARA SWIMMING

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
325	280	0	605

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC can be allocated a maximum of thirty-four (34) male qualification slots and a maximum of twenty-eight (28) female qualification slots for a maximum total of sixty-two (62) qualification slots per NPC. Exceptions may be granted through the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for selection by an NPC athletes must:

1. hold a World Para Swimming Athlete License for the 2024 season;
2. be internationally classified before 30 June 2024; in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later;

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

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

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

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

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

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

**TIMELINE**

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



**CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

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

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

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

**REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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**LIST OF MEDAL EVENTS**

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

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



## 22. PARA TABLE TENNIS

### MEDAL EVENTS

Male	Female	Mixed	Total
15	14	2	31
Singles - Class 1 Singles - Class 2 Singles - Class 3 Singles - Class 4 Singles - Class 5 Singles - Class 6 Singles - Class 7 Singles - Class 8 Singles - Class 9 Singles - Class 10 Singles - Class 11  Doubles - MW4 Doubles - MW8 Doubles - MS14 Doubles - MS18	Singles - Class 1-2 Singles - Class 3 Singles - Class 4 Singles - Class 5 Singles - Class 6 Singles - Class 7 Singles - Class 8 Singles - Class 9 Singles - Class 10 Singles - Class 11  Doubles - WW5 Doubles - WW10 Doubles - WS14 Doubles - WS20	Doubles - XW7 Doubles - XS17	

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender Free	Total
166	114	0	280



## 23. PARA TAEKWONDO

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
60	60	0	120

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

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

## **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

- hold a WT Global Athlete License for the year 2024;
- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later;
- hold a WT recognized Dan certificate;
- be at least sixteen (16) years of age by 31 December 2024; and
- have competed in at least three (3) World Para Taekwondo Ranking competition between January 1, 2022 and May 1, 2024.

## **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

## **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

<b>METHOD</b>	<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List Allocation</b>	The six (6) highest ranked K44 athletes in each weight category on the World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking list of January 2024 each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC, up to the maximum quota.  Any slots that cannot be allocated under this method shall be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.	30 male athletes  30 female athletes
<b>2024 Continental Qualification Allocation</b>	The highest ranked athlete in each medal event at each of the five (5) Continental Qualification Tournaments will obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.  In each gender, only those NPCs that have not yet obtained three (3) or more qualification slots through the allocation method above may enter athletes in the Continental Qualification Tournaments.  The number of entries per NPC will be limited to the number of slots remaining to reach the maximum quota of three (3) qualification slots	25 male athletes  25 female athletes

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

## **TIMELINE**

1 January 2022

Start of the period for athletes to gain eligibility for entry into the Paris 2024 Paralympic Games

8 January 2024	WT notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of slots under the World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List allocation method and host country slots
15 January 2024	Deadline for NPCs to confirm acceptance of World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List qualification slots and host country slots
19 January 2024	WT notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused World Para Taekwondo Paralympic Ranking List qualification slots and host country slots
Feb-Apr 2024	Africa Continental Qualification Tournament
Feb-Apr 2024	Oceania Continental Qualification Tournament
Feb-Apr 2024	Americas Continental Qualification Tournament
Feb-Apr 2024	Asia Continental Qualification Tournament
Feb-Apr 2024	Europe Continental Qualification Tournament
April 30, 2024	WT notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of slots obtained at Continental Qualification Tournaments
tbd, May 2024	Start of the Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
tbd, 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
tbd, 2024	Deadline for NPCs to confirm acceptance of qualification slots obtained at Continental Qualification Tournaments
tbd, 2024	Deadline for NPCs to submit applications for Bipartite Commission Invitations
tbd, 2024	WT notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of Bipartite Invitation slots and the reallocation of unused Continental Qualification slots
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs



**CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

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

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

**REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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## 24. PARA TRIATHLON

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
54	50	16	120

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

- be internationally classified in an eligible Sport Class with a Sport Class Status of (i) Confirmed; or (ii) Review with a Fixed Review Date of 2025 or later.

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

For all Medal Events except Women's PTS4:

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

For the Women's PTS4 Medal Event:

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

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

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

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

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

	Paralympic Ranking						Slots from Rankings	Bipartite slots	Total
	PTWC	PTS2	PTS3	PTS4	PTS5	PTVI			
<b>Men</b>	9	9	9	9	9	9	54	16	120
<b>Women</b>	9	9	-	14	9	9	50		

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

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

## **TIMELINE**

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

## **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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## 25. SITTING VOLLEYBALL

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
96	96	0	192

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

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

<b>METHOD</b>	<b>QUALIFICATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>2022 World Championships Allocation</b>	<p>The top ranked team of the Men's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>The top ranked team of the Women's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the case that a World Championships does not take place, the team qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024, regardless of region.</p>	<p>12 male athletes</p> <p>12 female athletes</p>
<b>2023 World Cup Allocation</b>	<p>The top ranked team of the Men's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>The top ranked team of the Women's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the case that the World Cup does not take place, the team qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024, regardless of region.</p>	<p>12 male athletes</p> <p>12 female athletes</p>
<b>2023 Zonal Championships Allocation</b>	<p>The highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the Men's competition in each of the following 2023 Zonal Championships obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ParaVolley Pan America</li> <li>• ParaVolley Asia Oceania</li> </ul>	<p>48 male athletes</p>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ParaVolley Europe</li> <li>• ParaVolley Africa</li> </ul> <p>The highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the Women's competition in each of the following 2023 Zonal Championships obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ParaVolley Pan America</li> <li>• ParaVolley Asia Oceania</li> <li>• ParaVolley Europe</li> <li>• ParaVolley Africa</li> </ul> <p>In the case that a Zone does not host a Championships, the respective Men's or Women's team qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, from that Zone, at the 2024 World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event.</p> <p>If the Zone does not host a Championships and no team from the respective Zone enters the 2024 World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event, the respective Men's or Women's team qualification slot(s) shall be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, from that Zone, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024.</p> <p>If the Zone does not host a Championship and the 2024 World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event does not take place, the respective Men's and Women's team qualification slot(s) shall be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, from that Zone, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024.</p>	48 female athletes
<b>2024 World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event Allocation</b>	<p>The highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the Men's competition obtains one (1) team qualification slot for their NPC.</p>	12 male athletes 12 female athletes

	<p>The highest ranked team (not otherwise qualified) of the Women's competition obtains one (1) qualification slot for their NPC.</p> <p>In the case that a World ParaVolley Final Paralympic Qualification Event does not take place, the team qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked NPC(s), not otherwise qualified, on the World ParaVolley Ranking List as of 1 April 2024, regardless of region.</p>	
<b>Host Country Allocation</b>	The host country directly qualifies one (1) Men's team and one (1) Women's team. Should the host country occupy any direct allocation slot(s) at one of the above Championships the slot(s) will be awarded to the next highest ranked NPC in that competition (not otherwise qualified).	12 male athletes 12 female athletes
<b>Total</b>		<b>96 male athletes</b> <b>96 female athletes</b>

## **TIMELINE**

4-11 Nov. 2022	World ParaVolley Sitting Volleyball World Championships, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina
2023 tbc	World ParaVolley Sitting Volleyball World Cup, Cairo, Egypt
2023 tbc	ParaVolley Asia Oceania Zonal Championships, tbc
2023 tbc	ParaVolley Europe Zonal Championships, tbc
2023 tbc	ParaVolley Pan America Zonal Championships, tbc
2023 tbc	ParaVolley Africa Zonal Championships, tbc
2024 tbc	Paris 2024 Women's Final Paralympic Qualification Tournament, tbc
2024 tbc	Paris 2024 Men's Final Paralympic Qualification Tournament, tbc
1 May 2024	World ParaVolley confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots.

15 May 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to World ParaVolley the use of allocated team qualification slots.
29 May 2024	World ParaVolley confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of any unused team qualification slots
tbd	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

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

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

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

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

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

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

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## **WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL**

### **MEDAL EVENTS**

Male	Female	Mixed	Total
1	1	0	2
Men's 8-team Tournament	Women's 8-team Tournament		

### **ATHLETE QUOTA**

Male	Female	Gender Free	Total
96	96	0	192

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

### **ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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

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

### **ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

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

**TIMELINE**

5-21 June 2023	2022 IWBF World Championships, Dubai, UAE (re-scheduled)
30 June 2023	Deadline for IWBF to publish the matrix for assigning team qualification slots to the 2023 Zonal Championships based on final standings at the 2022 World Championships
8-20 August 2023	2023 Europe Zonal Championships
tbd	2023 Asia/Oceania Zonal Championships
tbd	2023 Africa Zonal Championships
17-26 November 2023	Parapan American Games (Americas Zonal Championships), Santiago, Chile
31 December 2023	Deadline for IWBF to publish the matrix for Men's and Women's team participation in the 2024 Repechage Tournaments
tbd	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
tbd	2024 Men's and Women's Repechage Tournaments
01 July 2024	IWBF confirms in writing to the NPCs the allocation of team qualification slots
08 July 2024	NPCs confirm in writing to IWBF the use of allocated team qualification slots
15 July 2024	IWBF confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of unused team allocation slots
05 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

**CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 08 July 2024 each qualified NPC must confirm to IWBF in writing (emails are accepted) if they wish to use their allocated team slot(s). NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their team qualification slot(s), and IWBF may reallocate these slot(s).

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

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

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

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

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## 27. WHEELCHAIR FENCING

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
48	48	0	96

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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



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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

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

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

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

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

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

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

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

## **TIMELINE**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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## 28. WHEELCHAIR RUGBY

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
0	0	96	96

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

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### TEAM ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for entry, teams must:

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

## MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC

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

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

**TIMELINE**

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

**CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

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

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

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

**REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

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

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

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## 29. WHEELCHAIR TENNIS

### MEDAL EVENTS

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

### ATHLETE QUOTA

Male	Female	Gender-free	Total
48	32	16	96

### ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

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

### MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

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

### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### **MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

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

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

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

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

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

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated in the following order:

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

	The top twelve (12) ranked quad athletes on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 (tbc) will qualify.	
<b>Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation</b>	<p>Twelve (12) eligible male athletes will be selected by the IPC and the ITF for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.</p> <p>Eight (8) eligible female athletes will be selected by the IPC and the ITF for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.</p> <p>Four (4) eligible athletes in the quad sport class will be selected by the IPC and the ITF for Bipartite Commission Invitation slots.</p> <p>To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, the ITF must receive an official application in writing from the relevant NPC by 23 July 2024 (tbc).</p>	<p>12 male athletes</p> <p>8 female athletes</p> <p>4 quad athletes</p>
<b>Total</b>		<p><b>48 male athletes</b></p> <p><b>32 female athletes</b></p> <p><b>16 quad athletes</b></p>

## **TIMELINE**

8-20 August 2023	2023 European Para Championships, Rotterdam, Netherlands
September 2023, tbc	2023 African Para Games
22-28 Oct. 2023	2022 Asian Para Games, Hangzhou, China
17-25 November 2023	2023 Parapan American Games, Santiago, Chile
12 February 2024	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
Date tbc	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")

14 July 2024 (tbc)	End of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the Wheelchair Tennis World Ranking Lists
15 July 2024 (tbc)	Wheelchair Tennis World Ranking Lists published
16 July 2024 (tbc)	ITF confirms in writing to the NPCs and National Associations the allocation of qualification slots
23 July 2024 (tbc)	Deadline for NPCs to confirm in writing to ITF the use of allocated qualification slots
23 July 2024 (tbc)	Deadline for NPCs to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to ITF
2 August 2024 (tbc)	ITF confirms in writing to the NPCs and National Associations the reallocation of unused qualification slots and the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
Date tbc	Deadline for NPCs to submit doubles nominations to the ITF
5 August 2024	Deadline for Paris 2024 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

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

By 23 July 2024 (tbc) each qualified NPC must confirm to ITF in writing by email if they wish to use their allocated qualification slots. NPCs that have not responded by this date will lose their qualification slots, and ITF may reallocate these slots.

By 2 August 2024 (tbc) ITF will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

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

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

Any qualification slots that are (a) allocated and not confirmed by the respective NPC by 23 July 2024 (tbc) or (b) returned as a result of player withdrawal will be reallocated as follows:

- Slots from Regional Games and World Ranking List Allocation: the ITF will reallocate to the next highest ranked eligible athlete (not otherwise

qualified) on the Wheelchair Tennis Singles World Ranking List dated 15 July 2024 (tbc) (subject to the maximum quota per NPC);

- Bipartite slots: the Bipartite Commission will select from a reserve list of Bipartite applicants.

This reallocation process may occur up until 2 August 2024.

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

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## 30. REGISTER OF UPDATES

SECTION	DATE	CHANGES & ADDITIONS
Front	30 June 2022	Corrected quotas for TKW and TTE
Para table tennis	30 June 2022	Corrected athlete quota
Front	30 June 2022	Corrected event numbers for SWI
New sport chapters	30 June 2022	CSP, CYC, SWI, TKW, VBS
New sport chapters	17 July 2022	ROW, WFE, WTE
Wh. rugby	17 July 2022	Adjustment of Zonal Championships mechanism
Wh. tennis	25 Aug. 2022	Date for Asian Para Games
Shooting	25 Aug. 2022	Adjustment of qualification progression; Date for Asian Para Games
New sport chapters	25 Aug. 2022	BDM, JUD
New sport chapter	30 Sep. 2022	WBK