

Technical Committee Minutes

Meeting: 19 April 2021

Duration: via Zoom 1:13

Approved

Present

- Jamie Cadaval (MEX)
- Jorge Garcia (ESP)
- Lyndell Murray (AUS)
- Ricardo Neves (BRA)
- Kiriyo Suzuki (JAP)
- Bela Varga (HUN)
- Howard Vine (GBR)
- Leslie Buchanan (CAN) Executive Board
- Miles Stewart (AUS) Executive Board
- Thanos Nikopoulos (GRE) – World Triathlon Staff Liaison
- Enrique Quesada (ESP) – World Triathlon Staff Liaison

Absent

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*For ease of minute taking only first names or initials of the members will be referred to in the minutes. You can see full names above

Item	Discussion Items	Discussion	Actions
1	Opening remarks	<p>Modified timelines for entries and start list approval process approved by email by the TC members before this meeting took place</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Start list will be created on Tuesday April 13th 10.00 AM CET. World rankings published will be used. It will contain b. NFs can ask for one replacement per gender and/or non penalized withdrawals till Wednesday April 14th 12.00 noon CET. c. Invitations can be requested till Wednesday April 14th 12.00 noon CET. 	no action needed

		d. Start lists will be completed after the Invitation Panel meeting scheduled for Wednesday April 14th 19.00 CET.	
2	Apologies/absence	n.a.	no action needed
3	Approval of minutes	Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting (09.03.2021) done by email before this meeting took place	no action needed
4	Rule exceptions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Caorle (please see the details in the Supporting Documents) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Junior race: four (4) semifinals for men (each with maximum of 30 athletes) approved – the selection procedure for the final to be adjusted accordingly b) Elite race: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● five (5) additional slots in the start list approved ● cancellation of overlapping rule: NOT approved – lapped athletes have to be removed from the race 2. Thibaut Rigauudeau case (please see the details in the Supporting Documents): the TC decided to extend the replacement period for Yokohama by ten (10) days 3. Leeds timelines: the TC approved the proposed timelines for the entries and start list approval process according to the approval for Yokohama (same schedule to be applied) 4. General provision to modify the timelines: the TC approved that in case of bubble conditions apply, the same schedule will be applied like for Yokohama and Leeds. 	inform the related parties

5	Selection of TO reserves for Tokyo 2020 OG and PG	<p>a) five (5) for Olympic Games (OG) / one (1) per continent b) five (5) for Paralympic Games (PG) / one (1) per continent</p> <p>The TC selected the following TOs:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="490 427 1662 954"> <thead> <tr> <th>ID</th> <th>First name</th> <th>Family name</th> <th>Gender</th> <th>Nat</th> <th>Continent</th> <th>SELECTION</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>6383</td> <td>Maria</td> <td>Teh Mei Lin</td> <td>F</td> <td>MAS</td> <td>ASTC</td> <td>rep OG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1336</td> <td>Andrew</td> <td>Tai</td> <td>M</td> <td>TPE</td> <td>ASTC</td> <td>rep PG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2653</td> <td>Alma</td> <td>Wasserfall</td> <td>F</td> <td>RSA</td> <td>ATU</td> <td>rep OG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3893</td> <td>Shaun</td> <td>Shelton</td> <td>M</td> <td>ZIM</td> <td>ATU</td> <td>rep PG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2784</td> <td>Ricardo</td> <td>Neves</td> <td>M</td> <td>BRA</td> <td>CAMTRI</td> <td>rep OG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4829</td> <td>Bobbie</td> <td>Solomon</td> <td>F</td> <td>USA</td> <td>CAMTRI</td> <td>rep PG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1646</td> <td>Gyorgyi</td> <td>Bodnar</td> <td>F</td> <td>HUN</td> <td>ETU</td> <td>rep OG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3565</td> <td>Kalle</td> <td>Jensen</td> <td>M</td> <td>NOR</td> <td>ETU</td> <td>rep PG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2060</td> <td>Michael</td> <td>Haarsma</td> <td>M</td> <td>AUS</td> <td>OTU</td> <td>rep OG</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1434</td> <td>Cathi</td> <td>Davey</td> <td>F</td> <td>NZL</td> <td>OTU</td> <td>rep PG</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	ID	First name	Family name	Gender	Nat	Continent	SELECTION	6383	Maria	Teh Mei Lin	F	MAS	ASTC	rep OG	1336	Andrew	Tai	M	TPE	ASTC	rep PG	2653	Alma	Wasserfall	F	RSA	ATU	rep OG	3893	Shaun	Shelton	M	ZIM	ATU	rep PG	2784	Ricardo	Neves	M	BRA	CAMTRI	rep OG	4829	Bobbie	Solomon	F	USA	CAMTRI	rep PG	1646	Gyorgyi	Bodnar	F	HUN	ETU	rep OG	3565	Kalle	Jensen	M	NOR	ETU	rep PG	2060	Michael	Haarsma	M	AUS	OTU	rep OG	1434	Cathi	Davey	F	NZL	OTU	rep PG	inform the related parties
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6	Sport equipment	<p>a) FORM Goggles submitted by Ironman (please see the details in the Supporting Documents) b) Head follow up from Jorge c) Prospector follow up from Bela d) Aero bars submitted by Ironman (please see the details in the Supporting Documents)</p> <p>The topics were moved to the next TC meeting.</p>	Include items into the agenda of the next TC Meeting																																																																													

7	2021 Rule revision	<p>a) Timelines (please see the details in the Supporting Documents): approved according to the proposal</p> <p>2021 Rule revision timelines Deadline for receiving rule proposals from Confederations/ committees/ commissions: 24 September 2021 Rule proposals to be submitted to TC: 1 October 2021 TC meeting to review proposed changes: 9-10 October 2021 Communicate to Committees/ Commission the proposal putting forward by TC and ask for comments: 15 October 2021 Final review meeting from TC (VIRTUAL): 23-24 October 2021 Final proposal to be submitted to EB by TC: 5 November 2021 EB meeting to approve the new rules: 27-28 Nov 2021</p> <p>b) Nomination of 2/3 member to be in a working group to revise the appeal/protests processes: TC nominated Howard and Lyndell</p>	<p>Prepare the rule revision process accordingly</p> <p>Inform the working group about the TC representatives</p>
8	Athlete uniform	<p>a) Report from the uniform panel: Enrique reported that the appearance of a “single national flag” is not a logo, but any text integrated into a flag is already a commercial logo according to the interpretation of the Uniform Panel. The TC suggested to address the topic to the Executive Board.</p>	<p>Leslie and Miles to take the topic to the Executive Board</p>
9	Next meeting	<p>Next meeting scheduled to Monday 3 May 2021 (Europe and America) / Tuesday 4 May 2021 (Asia and Oceania) at usual time (22:30 CET)</p>	<p>set up the meeting accordingly</p>