

ITU Competition Uniform Rules for the Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games

1. Overview:

- a) This rule is a specific addition to the Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications of the International Olympic Committee.
- b) All athletes wishing to participate on the Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games Triathlon Competition must abide by these ITU Competition Uniform Rules for the Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games and the IOC's rules, guidelines and by-laws.
- c) Failure to comply with the ITU Competition Uniform Rules for the Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games and the IOC's rules, guidelines and by-laws will result in an athlete having to wear an NYOGOC supplied blank triathlon suit or covering the non-complying logos.

2. Purpose:

- a) Provide a clean and professional image of our sport to local and global spectators and media.

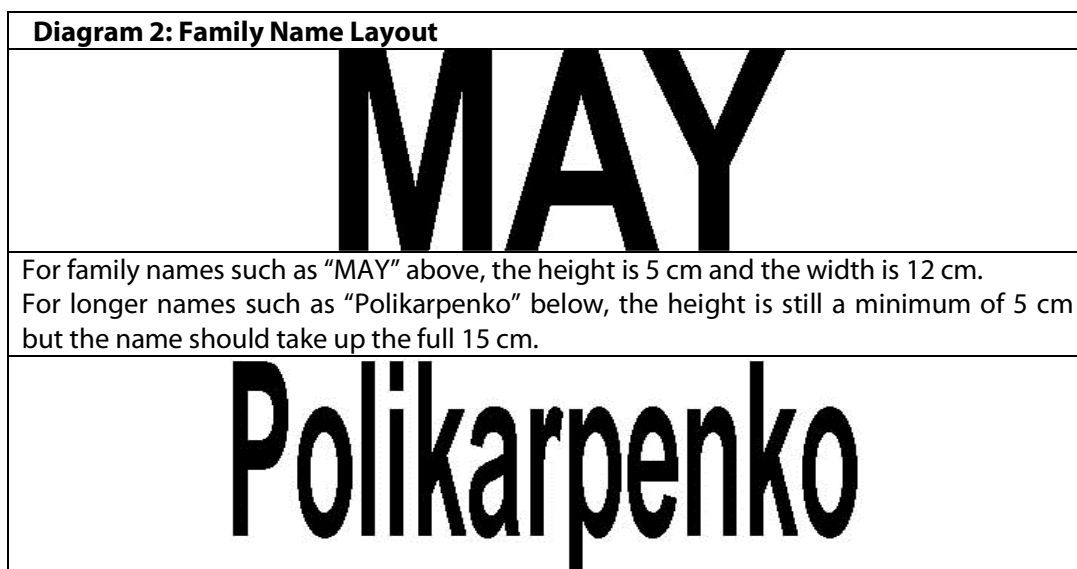
3. General Requirements:

- a) Uniforms will be completely clean of any logos or images other than those described below.
- b) All descriptions apply to competition uniforms, including any outer wear for cold weather.
- c) In all instances, where the clothing contains elastic material (e.g. LYCRA®), the Identification of the Manufacturer shall be measured as worn by the athlete (i.e. stretched).
- d) Zippers are to be located in the back and will be a maximum of 40 cm. Front zippers are not allowed.
- e) The competition uniform must be attached at both shoulders for the duration of the competition.
- f) The logo of the International Triathlon Union can not appear on the athletes' competition uniform.



4. Family Name and Country Code/Name:

- a) Family Name: The family name and the IOC country code must be placed on the upper front of the uniform and also on the buttocks. The representation of both the family name and country code must meet the following criteria:
- (i) Font Type:
 - The font type must be "Arial"
 - Letters for the family name and country code must be in upper case, unless the name is more than 9 letters, in which case lower case letters should be used following the first capital letter. Symbols such as ' - . and space are considered as characters (See Diagram 2: Family Name Layout).
 - (ii) Colour:
 - If the uniform is a dark colour, the letters must be white. If the uniform is a light colour, the letters must be black.
 - (iii) Position:
 - Front: The position on the front is below the NOC logo, the Manufacturer Logo and the NYOGOC Wordmark. The athlete's family name is above the country code.
 - Back: The position on the back is below the waistline so that it is clearly visible when the athlete is on the bike. The athlete's family name is above the country code.
 - Height: The family name and the country code must be 5cm in height, regardless of the number of letters in the name.
 - Width: The length for the family name is a minimum of 12cm and a maximum of 15cm. A family name with few letters must still be a minimum length of 12 cm. (See Diagram 2: Family Name Layout) The width for the country code must be 6cm to 10 cm.



5. **Logo spaces:**

- a) Space A - NOC Logo: The NOC logo can appear (not mandatory) on the upper right shoulder as described in the IOC Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications.
- b) Space B – Manufacturer Logo: This space is for the manufacturer of the competition uniform (not mandatory) as described in the IOC Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications.
- c) Space C – NYOGOC Wordmark: This space can be used (not mandatory) for the NYOGOC Wordmark as described in the IOC Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications.

6. **Headwear:**

a) Swim:

- (i) All athletes must wear the official event swim cap provided by NYOGOC during the swim section of each event.
- (ii) If an athlete chooses to wear two caps, the official cap must be on the outside. The specification of the second swim cap is described in the IOC Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications. No other sponsor logo may appear on the swim cap.
- (iii) Athletes should not alter the swim caps in any manner.
- (iv) Athletes failing to wear the official swim caps or altering the official swim caps may result in a penalty up to and including disqualification.
- (v) The second cap specifications affect as well to the cap used in the warm up and familiarization sessions.

b) Cycle:

- (i) All athletes must wear helmets on the bicycle section, warm up and familiarization sessions, as described by the ITU Competition Rules.
- (ii) Helmet race number stickers, provided by NYOGOC, must be placed on the front and both sides of the helmet, without any alteration. No other stickers are allowed.
- (iii) There must be a clearance around the official helmet number sticker of 1.5cm to ensure the number is clearly visible.
- (iv) The helmet manufacturer's logo may appear on the helmet, as described in IOC Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications. No other sponsor logo should appear on the helmet.

c) Run:

- (i) Athletes may wear hats or visors on the run section, warm up and familiarization sessions.
- (ii) The manufacturer's logo may appear on the hat or visor, as described in IOC Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications.

7. **Wetsuits:**

- (i) Athletes can include only the logo of the wetsuit manufacturer on their wetsuits as described in IOC Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications. This space includes both the inside and outside of the wetsuit.
- (ii) No other sponsors logo may appear on the wetsuit.



8. **Body Decals:**

- (i) Traditional race numbers will not be used for the athletes on the Youth Olympic Games. NYOGOC will provide each athlete with 4 sets of body number decals to be applied prior to the event.
- (ii) 1 set of body number decals are to be applied to each arm and each leg.
- (iii) For numbers with more than one digit, decals must be applied in a vertical manner, not side by side. For example, 23 should be applied $\begin{matrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{matrix}$ not 23

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9. **Temporary Tattoos:**

- a) Athletes are not allowed to place any temporary tattoo, other than the race numbers provided by NYOGOC, on their body during the Youth Olympic Games.

10. **Other:**

- a) The IOC Guidelines Regarding Authorised Identifications applies for all the other athletes' competition equipments such as wheels, bags, shoes (footwear), eyewear, armband, towels, bike, etc.

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