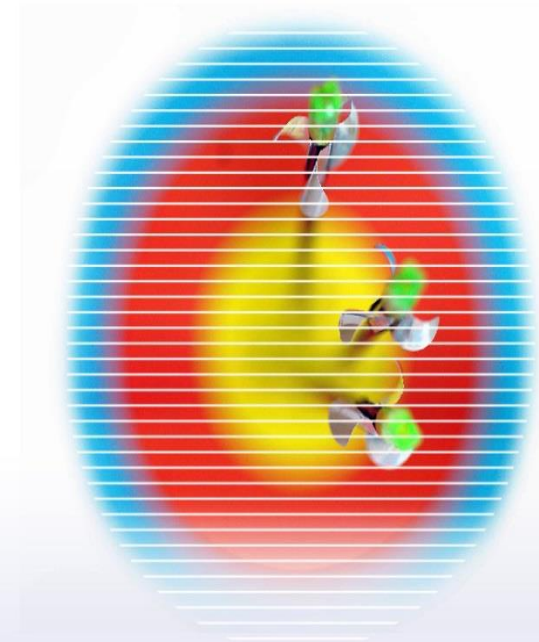




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Motions & Amendments





Motion 1

Book 1, Article 1.3.1

Motion presented by: World Archery Constitution and Rules Committee

Motion text:

Add as objective for World Archery in Article 1.3.1:

“To protect clean athletes and the integrity of sport, by
o substantially contributing to the fight against doping and by taking action against all forms of manipulation of competitions and related corruption;”

Reasons :

To support the goals of the IOC and its “Agenda 2020”



Motion 2

Book 1, Article 1.4.2.3

Motion presented by: World Archery Constitution and Rules Committee

Motion text:

Revise existing language from:

“No discrimination shall be allowed against any country, association or person on grounds of gender, disability, race, religion or politics.”

to read as follows:

“No discrimination of any kind shall be allowed such as race, colour, sex, sexual orientation, language, religion, political or other opinion, national or social origin, property, birth or other status.”

Reasons :

To strengthen the World Archery Rules to support the 6th Fundamental Principle of Olympism.



Motion 3

Book 1, New Article 1.4.2.5

Motion presented by: World Archery Constitution and Rules Committee

Motion text:

Member Associations must have an Archery activity to remain as member. A Member association that is no longer active will be expelled by Congress

Additional bylaw which can be changed by the Executive Board when necessary

1.4.2.5.1 Being an active member means:

- organize a national championship in target archery at least once every Olympiad*
- have a minimum of 10 competing athletes*
- report to World Archery every 4 years on the activities of their Member Association*
- Have anti-doping rules that are in compliance with the World Archery Anti doping rules and the World Anti Doping Code*
- be a member in good standing*

1.4.2.5.2 In case a Member Association doesn't fulfill the requirements of being an active member, a warning will be sent. If no corrective action is initiated prior to the next Congress, they will be recommended for expulsion



Motion 3

Book 1, New Article 1.4.2.5

Motion presented by: World Archery Constitution and Rules Committee

Reasons:

We don't want to keep postal addresses and have members with no athletes. A criteria for the IOC is the % of national championships. By making this a requirement we can report 100% of our members. We had a member reporting that they had zero athletes. This is not acceptable. By stating this in our constitution we make a clear message to our members as well as the IOC and NOCs that we only accept "real national federations"

The criteria e.g. number of athletes should be in a bylaw so it can be modified.



Motion 4

Book 1, Article 1.17.8

Motion presented by: World Archery Constitution and Rules Committee

Motion text:

Revise existing language from:

“A Coaches Committee of three shall bring to the attention of the relevant Committees matters which, as coaches, they consider to require attention. Candidates for the Coaches Committee shall have represented a Member Association in a coaching or team captain capacity on at least one occasion during the previous four years, at the time of the election.”

to read as follows:

“A Coaches Committee of three shall consider matters relating to acting as a Team Manager or Coach on the field of play at International Events. Candidates for the Coaches Committee shall have represented a Member Association in a coach or manager capacity on at least one occasion at an International Event during the previous four years, at the time of the election.”

Reasons :

To better define the function of this Committee and to require members to have recent relevant experience.



Motion 5

Book 1, Article 1.17.9

Motion presented by: World Archery Para-Archery Committee

Motion text:

That the first sentence be amended to read:

1.17.9. A Para-Archery Committee of six (five elected and one appointed) deals with all matters concerning athletes with disabilities and shall work in coordination with other relevant Committees.

The remainder of the article to remain the same with an additional provision as follows:

Four members of the Committee will be elected at the appropriate Congress with the fifth member to be elected by athletes at the appropriate year of the World Para-Archery Championships.

Reasons :

The Para athletes are governed by the same shooting rules as able bodied athletes. It is the view of the Para Committee and the current Para-Archery athletes' representative that a greater contribution to the promotion and regulation of Para-Archery could be made by having a Para athlete as a full member of the Para-Archery Committee. Any proposed rule changes concerning Para-Archery is referred to the Parra Committee anyway.



Amendment to Motion 5

Book 1, Article 1.17.9 - Amendment to Book 1, Article 1.17.7

Amendment submitted by: World Archery Para-Archery Committee

Amendment text:

And that Book 1 article 1.17.7 be amended to read "An Athletes Committee of five shall bring to the attention ---"

Reasons :

Consequential amendment to moving the Para-Archery representative from the Athletes' Committee to the Para-Archery Committee thus reducing the membership of the Athletes' Committee from six to five.



Motion 6

Book 1 – Chapter 2 – Appendix 1

Motion presented by: Archery Ireland

Motion text:

Congress resolves to de-couple the Congress from the World Championships, and further resolves to seek an appropriate time and venue for Congress bearing in mind the demands of the competitive archery season.

Reasons :

We believe that the connection of Congress with World Championships competition is detrimental to decision making as some associations nominate team managers or coaches as congress delegates and not the Association decision makers. Moving Congress to a different time would enhance the quality of debate and decision making.



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