



**Report, IWF Technical Committee Meeting
24 November 2017
Anaheim Convention Center Room 201B, Anaheim, USA**

Attendance / Apologies

- Attended
 - Reiko Kato CHINEN
 - Karl RIMBOCK
 - Italo BARATTINI
 - Sirilak THATMAN
- Apologies
 - Alexander KURLOVICH
 - Milan MIHAJLOVIC
- Visa problem
 - Abullah AL JARMAL
 - Mustafa MAHDI
- No news
 - Jean-Alex RANDRIAMANARIVO
 - Pedro TORRES (Pedro Meloni will find out if he has had visa problem)

Approval of the previous TC meeting in Tbilisi (GEO, 2016)

Unanimously approved

4-year Work Plan

- Committee Secretary
 - Ms. Chinen was appointed as Committee Secretary
- BW Category
 - Together with MC, CRC, in a scientific way
 - Suggestion to EB is 10+10
 - Then how to select 7+7 for Tokyo 2020
- Video Playback Technology (VPT)
- TCRR modification
- Electronic Change of Call
- TO's pathway: TO refreshment course

Bucket List – modification of TCRR

- Approved and suggests to EB (If EB approved followed by Congress approval, those rules to be in force on 1 Jan 2018).
 1. Classification of athletes – Earlier in time is the winner for same results. (Not according to the lot number.)
 2. In case there are multiple venue / platforms at an event – Competitions of different gender or different category is possible to be run simultaneously but not for the same bodyweight category (Group A/B etc.).
 3. In case wrong athlete goes up on the stage and this mistake affected the final ranking, (even it happened due to the mistake of the call made by Speaker, or Technical Controller allowed wrong athlete to go up on the stage), the classification of the athlete will follow the original lifting order. (So far there is no rule to regulate such case, so new texts will be added).
 4. Athletes to be eliminated from the entry if he/she hasn't submitted proper whereabouts. (TCRR to have this rule, not only in the IWF Anti-Doping Policy. Because more athletes and coaches are reading TCRR.)
 5. "Touching the head with the bar" to be eliminated from "Incorrect Movements."
 6. Calling Referees is not obligatory when Jury reverse the decision. ("Jury may call Referees...").
 7. When competition is stopped (ex. Jury calls Referees), Attempt Board must show "STOP" instead of the clock.
 8. To "STOP" the competition, not only the system operator but Jury also has "STOP" button at the Jury Table.
 9. Precision of scale – From 10g to 50g (ex. 68.93 to 68.50).
 10. New texts will be added for the competition where the Online Entry System is applied, and where the Electronic Change of Call system is applied.
 11. Final results package to include Protocol (to publish athletes' bodyweights).
 12. Speakers are removed from the TOs. (Speakers still must have TO license at the competitions where TIS is not used).
 13. "Doctor on Duty" to be "Competition Doctor".
 14. Following the IOC's terms: "DQB (Disqualification for unsportsmanlike behavior)" to be applied for Disqualification by Doping, and "DSQ" is applied for disqualifications for more technical reason (such as overweight at weigh-in).
 15. TO uniform – color of belt, color of socks or stockings to be black or dark blue.

- Ask MC's assistance / opinion
 1. Guideline of Venue Temperature – will not to be included in TCRR but in “IWF Venue Guideline”
 2. Kneecap with strap / belt (Kneecap reinforced by metal/whalebone/plastic/wire will be still prohibited).

- Pending to the next TC Meeting in Tashkent
 1. Procedure for athletes who cannot fully extend the elbow
 2. When to stop the clock
 3. The rule for athletes who have tattoo on his/her elbow
 4. Flexibility for female outfits (to be more feminine: according to the IOC's favor)
 5. Places for Referees (one of them should be on the side of Platform?)
 6. Photo session at Victory Ceremony (Regulation part should be removed from TCRR and “Ceremony Guideline” should be created by the IWF.

Video Playback Technology

- Committee will not rush to consider the new TCRR texts (i.e. may not to make the official application at 2018 WWC, but will not make the process slow.)

TO refresher course

- Committee agreed the idea that TOs who have long blank period to take TO refresher course.
- Committee asked the IWF to study the application of online education system such as the IOC is running (system and the cost).

Other business

- Committee accepted the request from the Chairman to have assistant to the Chairman who has no voting right but assists administrative things.