This IWF privacy policy (the Privacy Policy) applies to the processing of Personal Data by the IWF International Weightlifting Federation, with registered seat at Maison du Sport International, Avenue de Rhodanie 54, 1007 Lausanne, Switzerland (the “IWF”) in connection with the Website accessible at https://iwf.sport (the Website). Throughout this Privacy Policy, the term “Personal Data” means information relating to an identified or identifiable individual (i.e. a natural person), e.g. name, address, telephone number etc.

By accessing and using the Website, you expressly agree that IWF processes your Personal Data in accordance with this Privacy Policy.

IWF reserves the right to amend the Privacy Policy at any time at its sole discretion in order to adapt it to any new commercial or technological practice or change in the law. Should this occur IWF will inform you by any appropriate means (including via email and/or the Website, e.g. banners, pop-ups or other notification mechanisms). If you do not accept the amendments thus made by IWF, your sole remedy is to no longer access and/or use the Website.

IWF takes your privacy seriously, which is why we take the protection of data seriously and ensure appropriate security. We observe the statutory provisions of the Federal Act on Data Protection (FADP) and other applicable data protection provisions of Swiss and international law, in particular where applicable EU law.

1. Introduction

IWF recognizes the importance of your privacy and of transparency in its processing of your Personal Data.

The Privacy Policy explains (i) which Personal Data are collected when you access and use the Website, (ii) the manner and the purposes for which IWF processes the Personal Data, and (iii) the measures which IWF takes in order to protect such Personal Data.

2. Data collection

1. IWF collects the Personal Data which you provide.

1. IWF collects, directly or indirectly via its partners, the Personal Data you provide with IWF and/or its partners through web forms or email, or in your use of the Website, for example, when you subscribe to IWF’s newsletter, log-in to the Website, publish articles in the name and on behalf of IWF in IWF’s digital magazine, or publish photos and/or videos in the name and on behalf of IWF on the Website.

2. Such information includes your name, user name, password, nationality, date of birth, gender, language, address, email, telephone number, and any other information which IWF and/or its partners may request from you.

2. Certain Personal Data are also collected in an automated manner.

1. IWF may also automatically collect Personal Data when you access and use the Website, including by means of tools and other active elements contained in or through third-party plugins/Website, and cookies and other analytic tools, such as the IP address or other user identifications on your devices, visiting date on the Website, information about your Web browser,
the data contained in your device, the data contained in third party services (e.g. social plug-ins), your preferences, the internet sites that you visit before and after the Website, the links displayed on the Website which you select or other information related to your interaction with the Website, including your navigation details on the Website.

3. You can define certain authorizations and settings related to the automated collection of your Personal Data.

You may define certain authorizations related to data collection, in particular in connection with your device’s right to access data contained in your device, according to the available functionalities. You may also define certain settings for the automated collection of your Personal Data on your Web browser.

3. Processing Methods

IWF may process your Personal Data by automated means but takes appropriate security measures in this respect.

1. IWF takes the appropriate technical and organizational security measures to prevent the unauthorized access, disclosure, modification, alteration or destruction of your Personal Data. Data processing is carried out with computers or computer tools, and in compliance with the purposes indicated in this Privacy Policy.

2. IWF does not use any individual decision-making based solely on automated processing including profiling mechanisms on the Website.

4. Purposes of Data Processing

1. IWF processes your Personal Data to operate the Website.

Your Personal Data are collected so that IWF may operate the Website in accordance with the circumstances, or in the manner expressly indicated when the Personal Data concerned are collected. For example, IWF allows you to navigate on and use the Website or to re-engage you accessing and using the Website.

2. IWF may process your Personal Data to provide you with its newsletter and provide you further news and updates.

For example, you can subscribe to IWF’s newsletter and IWF’s news update regarding competitions or other IWF’s events, competitions results, IWF’s digital magazine, IWF’s photos and/or videos, IWF’s press releases or other documents. You may withdraw your consent at any time.

3. IWF processes your Personal Data for statistical and planning purposes.

Notably without limitation, IWF processes your Personal Data to improve the Website and for internal analyses and statistics. You may withdraw your consent at any time.

5. Communication to Third Parties

IWF may disclose your Personal Data to third parties in case this is necessary for the proper operation of the Website or as listed below.

1. This Privacy Policy does not apply to the practices of companies that IWF does not own or control, or to people that IWF does not employ or manage, including without limitation third-party advertisers or sponsors to whom you provide information. IWF makes its content available on a
variety of third party platforms like Facebook, Twitter, YouTube or Instagram and these platforms are governed by their own terms and conditions. You should carefully review the privacy policies of any other website that you visit from the Website to learn more about their information and privacy practices. In such contexts, the collection and use of your Personal Data shall be governed by such other party or websites’ privacy policy. IWF shall not be held responsible for their privacy practices.

2. IWF may disclose your Personal Data to subcontractors such as IT systems providers, cloud service providers, database providers and consultants.

3. IWF may disclose your Personal Data to any third party to whom IWF assigns or transfers any of IWF’s rights or obligations.

4. IWF may disclose your Personal Data to competent courts or supervisory or regulatory bodies, when IWF shall compellingly disclose your Personal Data, pursuant to any applicable law, regulation or order.

5. IWF may transfer some of your Personal Data, in particular the IP address and/or other user identifications for your devices, to the third-party suppliers of these solutions, who will process this data in accordance with their own internal data protection and privacy policies.

6. **International transfer**

   **Your Personal Data may be disclosed to countries that do not guarantee the same level of data protection and privacy as Switzerland and the European Union.**

   IWF stores and handles your Personal Data in Hungary. But your Personal Data may be disclosed and transferred to other states, provinces, countries or other governmental jurisdictions, always in compliance with this Privacy Policy, that do not necessarily guarantee the same level of Personal Data protection as Switzerland and the European Union or an adequate level. If you transfer your Personal Data to IWF, you specifically agree to such disclosure and international transfer.

If you have any questions regarding data protection, you can contact us by email [iwf@iwfnet.net](mailto:iwf@iwfnet.net) or at our Headquarters at MSI, Avenue de Rhodanie 54, 1007 Lausanne, Switzerland.

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