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Para Athletics

Via Email

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Para Athletics Tokyo 2020 Medal Event Programme

Dear President/Secretary General,

World Para Athletics would like to inform you that on the weekend on 27-28 January 2018 the IPC Governing Board confirmed the sport programme for the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games with the overall sport programme of the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games featuring 22 sports.

We would now like to provide you with some additional background information on the World Para Athletics medal event programme and the final programme itself.

In February 2016, World Para Athletics submitted their event programme request to the International Paralympic Committee (IPC). This request was based on the principles set out in developing the Rio medal event programme and included a requested number of slots and athlete allocation.

Following numerous levels of further consultation with NPCs, inputs from Sport Technical Committee and management team, World Para Athletics presented a final draft programme to NPCs during Sport Forums in Frankfurt Germany February 2017 for feedback. Following this exercise, the final programme was concluded taking into account of the classification updates introduced in November 2017. We believe the event programme submitted to the IPC will allow NPCs to continue on the athlete development and performance programme that have been in place prior to Rio Paralympic Games while addressing the need for increased participation opportunities for females and safeguarding event viability and strengthening depth of competition field.

The final medal event programme for Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games approved by the IPC Governing Board features 168 medal events (93 male, 64 female and 1 mixed) with an athlete quota allocation of 1100 (630 male and 470 female). – See Appendix 1

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However, within our objectives to address the need for increased participation opportunities for females and safeguarding event viability and strengthening depth of competition field, we do have events on the medal event programme that will be required to meet a specific set of criteria to be included on the medal event programme for Tokyo 2020.

These events must meet the minimal eligibility criteria set out in the IPC handbook on conclusion of the 2019 World Championships.

The events as are follows:

- Men's High Jump T64
- Women's 100m T52
- Women's Javelin Throw F13
- Universal 4x100m Relay

World Para Athletics are now advising all NPCs that should the events identified above not meet the minimal eligibility criteria by the end of the 2019 World Championships they will be removed from the Tokyo 2020 medal event programme without replacement events being added to the Tokyo 2020 medal event programme. We trust that you will ensure the development of these events within your NPC ensuring we secure their viability on the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games event programme.

In the coming weeks (or months) we will aim to announce the qualification criteria for the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games and we wish your NPC the best for the season ahead and your aspirations for Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be the name "Haozhe Gao" in Chinese characters.

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**Appendix One – Tokyo Medal Event Programme – Para Athletics
Men (93)**

No	Event Name	Eligible Classes
1	100m T11	T11
2	100m T12	T12
3	100m T13	T13
4	100m T33	T33
5	100m T34	T34
6	100m T35	T35
7	100m T36	T36
8	100m T37	T37
9	100m T38	T38
10	100m T47	T45, T46, T47
11	100m T51	T51
12	100m T52	T52
13	100m T53	T53
14	100m T54	T54
15	100m T63	T42, T63
16	100m T64	T44, T62, T64
17	200m T35	T35
18	200m T37	T37
19	200m T51	T51
20	200m T61	T61
21	200m T64	T44, T64
22	400m T11	T11
23	400m T12	T12
24	400m T13	T13
25	400m T20	T20
26	400m T36	T36
27	400m T37	T37
28	400m T38	T38
29	400m T47	T45, T46, T47

30	400m T52	T51, T52
31	400m T53	T53
32	400m T54	T54
33	400m T62	T62
34	800m T34	T33, T34
35	800m T53	T53
36	800m T54	T54
37	1500m T11	T11
38	1500m T13	T12, T13
39	1500m T20	T20
40	1500m T38	T37, T38
41	1500m T46	T45, T46
42	1500m T52	T51, T52
43	1500m T54	T53, T54
44	5000m T11	T11
45	5000m T13	T12, T13
46	5000m T54	T53, T54
47	Marathon T12	T11, T12
48	Marathon T46	T45, T46
49	Marathon T54	T52, T53, T54
50	Long Jump T11	T11
51	Long Jump T12	T12
52	Long Jump T13	T13
53	Long Jump T20	T20
54	Long Jump T36	T36
55	Long Jump T37	T37
56	Long Jump T38	T38
57	Long Jump T47	T45, T46, T47
58	Long Jump T63	T42, T61, T63
59	Long Jump T64	T44, T62, T64
60	High Jump T47	T45, T46, T47
61	High Jump T63	T42, T63
62	High Jump T64	T44, T64

63	Club Throw F32	F31, F32
64	Club Throw F51	F51
65	Discus Throw F11	F11
66	Discus Throw F37	F37
67	Discus Throw F52	F51, F52
68	Discus Throw F56	F54, F55, F56
69	Discus Throw F64	F43, F44, F62, F64
70	Javelin Throw F13	F12, F13
71	Javelin Throw F34	F33, F34
72	Javelin Throw F38	F38
73	Javelin Throw F41	F40, F41
74	Javelin Throw F46	F45, F46
75	Javelin Throw F54	F53, F54
76	Javelin Throw F57	F56, F57
77	Javelin Throw F64	F42, F43, F44, F61, F62, F63, F64
78	Shot Put F11	F11
79	Shot Put F12	F12
80	Shot Put F20	F20
81	Shot Put F32	F32
82	Shot Put F33	F33
83	Shot Put F34	F34
84	Shot Put F35	F35
85	Shot Put F36	F36
86	Shot Put F37	F37
87	Shot Put F40	F40
88	Shot Put F41	F41
89	Shot Put F46	F46
90	Shot Put F53	F53
91	Shot Put F55	F54, F55
92	Shot Put F57	F56, F57
93	Shot Put F63	F42, F61, F63

Women (74)

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1	100m T11	T11
2	100m T12	T12
3	100m T13	T13
4	100m T34	T33, T34
5	100m T35	T35
6	100m T36	T36
7	100m T37	T37
8	100m T38	T38
9	100m T47	T45, T46, T47
10	100m T52	T51, T52
11	100m T53	T53
12	100m T54	T54
13	100m T63	T42, T63
14	100m T64	T44, T62, T64
15	200m T11	T11
16	200m T12	T12
17	200m T35	T35
18	200m T36	T36
19	200m T37	T37
20	200m T47	T45, T46, T47
21	200m T64	T44, T64
22	400m T11	T11
23	400m T12	T12
24	400m T13	T13
25	400m T20	T20
26	400m T37	T37
27	400m T38	T38
28	400m T47	T45, T46, T47
29	400m T53	T53
30	400m T54	T54

31	800m T34	T33, T34
32	800m T53	T53
33	800m T54	T54
34	1500m T11	T11
35	1500m T13	T12, T13
36	1500m T20	T20
37	1500m T54	T53, T54
38	5000m T54	T53, T54
39	Marathon T12	T11, T12
40	Marathon T54	T52, T53, T54
41	Long Jump T11	T11
42	Long Jump T12	T12
43	Long Jump T20	T20
44	Long Jump T37	T37
45	Long Jump T38	T38
46	Long Jump T47	T45, T46, T47
47	Long Jump T63	T42, T61, T63
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50	Club Throw F51	F51
51	Discus Throw F11	F11
52	Discus Throw F38	F37, F38
53	Discus Throw F41	F40, F41
54	Discus Throw F53	F51, F52, F53
55	Discus Throw F55	F54, F55
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59	Javelin Throw F34	F33, F34
60	Javelin Throw F46	F45, F46
61	Javelin Throw F54	F53, F54
62	Javelin Throw F56	F55, F56
63	Shot Put F12	F11, F12

64	Shot Put F20	F20
65	Shot Put F32	F32
66	Shot Put F33	F33
67	Shot Put F34	F34
68	Shot Put F35	F35
69	Shot Put F36	F36
70	Shot Put F37	F37
71	Shot Put F40	F40
72	Shot Put F41	F41
73	Shot Put F54	F54
74	Shot Put F57	F56, F57

Mixed (1)

No	Event Name	Eligible Classes
1	Universal 4x100m	T11-13, T42-47/T61-64 T35-38 T33-34/T51-54