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Subject

: Selection Process for the Paralympics

Dear Sir/Madam

We would like to announce the "Roadmap for Paralympics Paris 2024" for the 2024 Paris Paralympics, Para Archery World Ranking Events and Foreign Training (copy attached). You may also find the document on the AAI website (http://www.indianarchery.info).

The details of Selection Trials for 2024 Paris Paralympics are given as under -

18-20 January, 2024	SAI NCOE Sonipat
18-20 March, 2024	SAI NCOE Sonipat
28-30 May, 2024	SAI NCOE Sonipat
-	18-20 March, 2024

You are requested to kindly circulate this notice to all concerned Archers and Coaches and send the entries of eligible Archers for the selection trial through State Association/Associate Members on or before $15^{\rm th}$ January, 2024.

All State Associations/Associate Members are required to send their entries and arrival/departure schedule through 'Tournament Manager' only.

Best wishes and regards,

(PRAMOD CHANDURKAR) Hony. Secretary General, AAI

Encl..: 1) Roadmap/Selection Process



Road Map for Paralympics Paris 2024

1. Selection Process for Paralympics Aug'24

The Paralympics Trials will be held in as under:

- Open Selection Trials from 18th to 20th Jan'24 in at NCOE Sonipat
- Closed Selection Trials amongst top 8 archers selected from Jan'24 trials from 18th to 20th Mar'24 at NCOE Sonepat
- Closed Selection Trials amongst top 8 selected from Jan'24 trials from 28-30 May'24 at NCOE Sonipat
- Final selection of Paralympics team after WRE Czech held in June'24.

2. International events upto the Paralympics

- Fazza WRE 20-25 Feb'24
- Foreign Training Italy -15-21 June'24
- Czech WRE 22-30 June'24
- Foreign Training- Compiegne France 18-27 Aug'24
- Paralympics Paris, France 28th Aug to 8th Sept'2024

3. Total Medal at Stake - Paralympics

			Category			
Recurve Open		Compound Open		en W1 Open		
Indv M&W	Mixed Team M&W	Indv M&W	Mixed Team M&W	Indv M&W	Mixed Team M&W	Total
2	2	2	1	2	1	9

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4. Minimum qualifying score by World Archery

Event's Name	RMO	RWO	СМО	cwo	W1M	W1W
Min Qualification Score by	570	530	650	620	500	520
World Archery	370	330	030	020	390	320

5. Status of Quota Places

Below table showing maximum quota per NPC and quota secured:

Category	Maximum Quota per NPC	India Secured Quota till Now
Recurve Men Open	2(Team/MT/Indv)	1
Recurve Women Open	2(Team/MT/Indv)	1
Compound Men Open	2(Team/ MT/Indv)	2
Compound Women Open	2(Team/ MT/Indv)	2
W 1 Men	1	0
W1 Women	1	0

6. Planning for Competitions and Training – Two International exposures to be provided – Fazza WRE and Czech WRE. Team to be exposed for training at Compiegne prior to Olympics Games.

Sr No.	Dates	Dates Event Type Composition Eve		Event	Venue
1	18-20 Jan'24	1 st Paralympics Selection Trials	Open Trials	Open Trials Para Open Selection Trials	
2	5-7 Feb'24	1 st NTPC Para NRAT	Open	Domestic Competition	Haryana
3	5 - 19 Feb'24	Para Camp for WRE Fazza	4 SRB + 4 SRG+ 4 SCB + 4 SCG + 2 MW1+ 1 WW1	National Para Camp	NCOE Sonipat
4	20-25 Feb'24	Fazza Cup	3 SRB + 3 SRG+ 3 SCB + 3 SCG + 2 MW1 + 1 WW1	Fazza World Ranking Event	UAE
5	18-20 Mar'24	2 nd Paralympics Selection Trials	Closed Trials	Para Open Selection Trials	NCOE Sonipat
6	1-21 April'24	Para Camp for Paralympics	4 SRB + 4 SRG+ 4 SCB + 4 SCG + 2 MW1+ 1 WW1	National Para Camp	NCOE Sonipat
7	13-15 April'24	2 nd NTPC Para NRAT	Open	Domestic Competition	TBD-Punjab
8	1 – 21 May'24	Para Camp for Paralympics	4 SRB + 4 SRG+ 4 SCB + 4 SCG + 2 MW1+ 1 WW1	National Para Camp	NCOE Sonipat

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9	28-30 May'24	3 rd Paralympics Selection Trials	Closed Trials	Para Open Selection Trials	NCOE Sonipat
10	1-14 June'24	Para Camp for Paralympics	4 SRB + 4 SRG+ 4 SCB + 4 SCG + 2 MW1+ 1 WW1	National Para Camp	NCOE Sonipat
11	8-10 June'24	3 rd NTPC Para NRAT	Open	Domestic Competition	TBD- Aurangabad
12	15-21 June'24*	Foreign Training	3 SRB + 3 SRG+ 3 SCB + 3 SCG + 2 MW1 + 1 WW1	Foreign Training	Italy
13	22-27 June'24 *	WRE	3 SRB + 3 SRG+ 3 SCB + 3 SCG + 2 MW1 + 1 WW1	WRE	Czech
14	4-6 July'24	4 th NTPC Para NRAT	Open	Domestic Competition	TBD-J&K
15	7 July'24 – 21 July'24	Para Camp for Paralympics	2 SRB + 1 SRG+ 2 SCB + 2 SCG	National Para Camp	NCOE Sonipat
16	1 Aug '24 – 17 Aug'24	Para Camp for Paralympics	2 SRB + 1 SRG+ 2 SCB + 2 SCG	National Para Camp	NCOE Sonipat
17	18-27 Aug'24*	Foreign Training	2 SRB + 1 SRG+ 2 SCB + 2 SCG	Acclimatisation Camp	Compiegne, France
18	28 Aug - 8 th Sept'24	Para Camp for WRTs/PAG	2 SRB + 1 SRG+ 2 SCB + 2 SCG	2 SCB + 2 Paralympics	

^(*) Date of International competitions/training camps are subject to the invitation packages to be received from the host countries/World Archery.

6. Selection Policy

- **6.1 Methodology** Selection of Indian Para Archers for Paralympics will be conducted in four phases. Selection Trial-(I) will be open for all classified Archers to select a Core Group from 18 th to 20th Jan'24. Points earned by the Archers in Selection (I), Selection-(II) and Selection-(III) + WRE will be clubbed to decide Paralympics Team.
- **6.2 Selection Trial- (I)** will be conducted from 18th to 20th Jan'24 at NCOE Sonepat from those who were Internationally or Nationally classified.
- **6.2.1 Eligibility** All the classified Archers having valid International & National classification certificates with a 'Confirmed' and Review sport class status in the following six categories will be allowed to take part in the aforesaid Para Selection Trial —(I)

Recurve Men Open (RMO)	Compound Men Open(CMO)
Recurve Women(RWO)	Compound Women Open(CWO)
W1 Men(MW1)	W1 Women(WW1)



6.2.2 Selection Process – All eligible Archers will shoot 4 x 70m Recurve, 4 X 50m for

Compound & 4 X 50m for W1 Compound, the total score of each archer will be calculated.

After 2 x 70 M or 2 x 50 M only top 8 archers or top 2 archers (where archers are less than 4) in each category will proceed to the next $2 \times 70 \,\text{M}$ or $2 \times 50 \,\text{M}$.

6.2.3 In case of tie for the last place a direct shoot off shall decide the winner at the end of the 4 x 50M/70M.

6.2.4 The top 8 archers or lower based on the cumulative points of the $4 \times 70 \text{ M}/4 \times 50 \text{ M}$ shall play two rounds of elimination matches.

Points shall be given to all the top 8 archers as undermentioned based on cumulative scores of qualification round – $4 \times 70 \text{ M}$ or $4 \times 50 \text{ M}$.

Point system for Cumulative scores of Qualifications Round					
Rank	Points				
1	4				
2	3.5				
3	3				
4	2.5				
5	2				
6	1.5				
7	1				
8	0.5				

Elimination Round -@ 2 Elimination Round for Top 8 archers. Losers also play matches to rank 1st to 8th archers.

All 8 selected archers shall play 3 matches to rank them from 1st to 8th position. In case there are less than 8 archers then the top archer gets a bye.

For example for RWO and MW1 they may start from quarter or semi finals .

Below Chart attached for reference:

	Elimination Matches	Winners 8	k Losers co	ntinue to play matches
	1/8 Elimination	Quarter	Semi	Finals
			Winner	
		Winners	2	1 st /2 nd position
	nost 11 - 12 - 12 - 12 - 12 - 12 - 12 - 12	4	Loser	_
			2	3 rd /4 th position
	Winners (8)		Winner	
		Losers	2	5 th /6 th position
		4	Loser	
Top 16			2	7 th /8 th Position
archers			Winner	
(S)		Winners	2	9 th /10 th Position
		4	Loser	
1))		- a e	2	11 th /12 th Position
	Losers (8)		Winner	
		Losers	2	13 th /14 th position
	3	4	Loser	_
		Control of the Contro	2	15 th /16 th position

For Recurve archers it shall be set score match.

 2^{nd} Elimination Round shall be played in 2^{nd} half based on the new rankings of the 1^{st} Elimination Round to determine 1^{st} to 8^{th} archer.

Point shall be given to the top 8 position as under.

Point system for Elimination Round			
Rank	Points		
1	4		
2	3.5		
3	3		
4	2.5		
5	2		
6	1.5		
7	1		
8	0.5		

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At the end of 2 rounds of 1/4 elimination matches cumulative score added based on points earned and top 3 selected.

For any tie position in the top 8, to determine the higher rank, there will be one arrow shoot off.

For the 7th position in case there is a tie with 8th position there shall be a match or a round robin between the tied Archers to break the tie. If still tied after a match round then one arrow shoot off shall break the tie.

To award the consistency for shooting high the following Bonus Points will be awarded based on cumulative average score shot after all the matches. Archers shall be ranked based on the cumulative average scores and then points given.

Point system for Consistency Scoring in Elimination Round(Cumulative Average)					
Rank	Points				
1	4				
2	3.5				
3	3				
4	2.5				
5	2				
6	1.5				
7	1				
8	0.5				

The same points shall be given in case archer are tied and then the archer shall be ranked for e.g if there is a tie for the 3rd place by 3 archers then all will be ranked at 3 and the next archer will be ranked at 6th position.

At the end of Elimination Round the team comprising of 3 SRB + 3 SRG+ 3 SCB + 3 SCG + 2 MW1 +1 WW1 Fazza Cup shall be declared based on total cumulative points= Qualification Round + 2 rounds of elimination round points + consistency average score points.

In case the preliminary entry for Fazza Cup is before 20th Jan'24 then we can take the above team from the Para Nationals held at Patiala.

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- **6.2.5 Selection of probables for Selection Trials II & National Coaching Camp**: Based on the Open Selection Trials held in Jan'24 we shall shortlist 8 archers in RMO, RWO, CMO and CWO and Top 2 in MW1 or WW1 for Closed Selection Trials II and 4 SRB + 4 SRG+ 4 SCB + 4 SCG + 2 MW1 +1 WW1 for the National camp double the archer to provide team competition.
- 6.3 Selection Trial (II) will be conducted at camp venue, on 18th to 20th Mar'23.
- **6.3.1 Eligibility** Selected archers by Archery Association of India from Selection Trial-(I) as above who are classified Intl/National
- **6.3.2 Selection Process** same as selection process of the 1^{st} Open Trials. Points will be awarded for the Qualification and Elimination Round with consistency points.
- 6.4 Selection Trial (III) will be conducted at camp venue, on $28^{th} 30^{th}$ May'24.
- **6.4.1 Eligibility** Selected archers by Archery Association of India from Selection Trial-(I) as above who are classified Intl/National.
- **6.4.2 Selection Process** same as selection process of the 1st Open Trials. Points will be awarded for the Qualification and Elimination Round with consistency points.

The team for the WRE at Czech shall be selected based on the cumulative points earned by the archers in Selection Trials 1 + 2 + 3 and WRE – Fazza.

There will be 2 WREs where the top 3 archers will participate. Archers who participate shall get points as under:

Points for WRE

World Ranking Event Points

		W	orld Ranking	Event			
Qualification Bonus Points Recurve		Qualification Bonus Points Compound		Individual Position based on Elimination Round Ranking		Ranking	
Men	Women	Men	Women	Rank	Points	Rank	Points/team member
660–1	640-1	700-1	690-1	1	8	1	4
640 + - 0.5	620+ -0.5	690+-0.5	680+ - 0.5	2	6	. 2	3
0.0				3	4	3	2
				4	2	4-8	-0.25
				5-8	1	9-16	-0.25
				16-32	-0.25	16 rank and above	-0.25

As the desire is to win the Olympic medal so bonus is there for team being amongst top 4 and individuals amongst top 8.

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7. Selection of team for Paralympics

7.1.1 Total points of Archers achieved in the Selection Trial- 1 + 2 + 3 + WRE 1 + WRE 2 will be clubbed to draw a final ranking of Archers in each category who have achieved **World Archery MQS**.

Event's Name	RMO	RWO	смо	cwo	W1M	W1W
Min Qualification Score by	570	530	650	620	590	520
World Archery						

7.1.2 In case of a tie between the top 3 archers then the scores of the last WRE at Czech will hold precedence i.e. one who have scored more points at WRE Czech (Elimination Ranking). From amongst the 3 archers participating in the WRE the top 2 for the Olympics will be those who have not only performed at the National Trials but also at the WRE 1 & 2.

7.1.3 In case of tie for last place(3rd and 4th) in total points for selection for WRE

- Tie between two Archers the involved archers will play a single match.
- Tie between more than 2 Archers the involved archers will play round-robin matches (single match).
- In case, Tie still exist, direct shoot off to decide the winner.

Archers who have won the Individual Quota places shall be given 1 bonus points for Individual selection.