

## **Development and Youth Committee - Terms of Reference**

### **Regulation 6.3.3 and New Regulation - ISAF Trainer**

A submission from the Chairman of the Development and Youth Committee

#### **Purpose or Objective**

To establish:

1. the status of ISAF Trainer to run IOC funded Technical Courses for Coaches
2. the criteria and procedure for coaches to apply for status as ISAF Trainer.

#### **Proposal**

To update the Terms of Reference of the ISAF Development and Youth Committee to be responsible for the certification of ISAF Trainers.

#### ***Terms of reference***

6.3.3 The Development and Youth Committee shall:

**(a) be responsible for the certification of ISAF Trainers to run IOC funded Technical Courses for coaches;**

~~(a)~~ recommend to the Council the ISAF Development Plan, agree priorities and monitor progress;

~~(b)~~ recommend to the Council strategic development issues, budget requirements and policy;

~~(c)~~ ensure that the ISAF Development Plan is consistent with the ISAF Strategic Plan;

~~(d)~~ ensure that the ISAF Development Plan and other Committee activities are focused on achieving the stated objectives of the Committee; and

~~(e)~~ consult with other ISAF Committees and other organisations on issues relevant to Development.

Insert a new Regulation to establish the criteria and application procedure for coaches to apply for status as ISAF Trainer.

#### **NR ISAF TRAINER**

##### **Applications for Appointment**

**NR.1 The term for initial appointment as an ISAF Trainer shall begin on the date it is approved by the Development and Youth Committee.**

**NR.2 The list of appointed ISAF Trainers shall be validated annually by the Development and Youth Committee**

**NR.3 A candidate for initial appointment as an ISAF Trainer shall:**

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- (a) be nominated by the candidate's Member National Authority;
  - (i) a candidate from an MNA with ISAF Recognized National Training Programme shall be eligible to apply for appointment;
- (b) have successfully completed the 8 week ISAF Training Scholarship;
- (c) have assisted an existing ISAF Trainer at an IOC funded Technical Course for Coaches;
- (d) shall attend a Continuous Professional Development Seminar (CPD) each year;
- (f) maintain a valid First Aid certificate;
- (e) submit a Coaching CV;
- f) submit five relevant coaching references which may be from:
  - (i) National Recognized Sail Training Programmes;
  - (ii) National governing bodies for sports coaching;
  - (iii) Colleges or Universities;
- (g) send the application on the official form so that it is received by the Secretary General in time for consideration by the Development and Youth Committee at the ISAF Annual Conference.

#### Considerations for Appointment

NR.4 The Development and Youth Committee shall consider the following when deciding on an application:

- (a) whether the candidate has complied with the requirements listed above;
- (b) the geographical location and language skills of the candidate;
- (c) the number of ISAF Trainers required to deliver the courses funded by the IOC.

#### Recognition and Designation

The list of Appointed ISAF Trainers shall be published on the ISAF website and in the ISAF Yearbook and shall include designation of the Member National Authority of the Trainer

#### Current Position

None.

#### Reasons

By establishing the status of ISAF Trainer and the clear and visible definition of the criteria required for coaches to be an appointed ISAF Trainer ISAF will be able to build a truly international team that will be able to deliver the highest calibre training in their own MNA's and also within other nations where their language skills and local knowledge are seen by ISAF to be of particular benefit.

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