Appointment of Technical Delegate and Race Officials to Continental Games

Regulation 25.9

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Purpose or Objective

The allocation of Technical Delegate and International Technical Officers including IROs and IJs should be done by Continental Associations for all Continental Games (PanAm Games, Asian Games, European Games, African Games).

Proposal

Insert New Regulation 25.9.10

25.9.10 Appointment of Technical Delegates, International Jury and International Race Officers in Continental Games (PanAm Games, Asian Games, European Games, African Games) will be appointed by the respective Continental Association and approved by ISAF.

(Change in all relevant clauses in Regulation 25 accordingly)

Current Position

Technical Delegate for regional Games category 1 and International Jury are appointed by ISAF and appointment of international Race Officers in Regional Games is not clear

Reasons

1. Continental Games are run by the Organising Authorities of Continental Olympic Associations under IOC who correspond with ISAF Continental Associations.
2. There is duplication of process and sometimes confusion for the appointment to these Continental Games.
3. The above Continental Games are very large events and Continental Associations play a large role in the execution of these games at local level.
4. ISAF committee for appointment to these Games specific to Continents sometimes does not include any Executive members of the Continental Association resulting in miscommunication.
Continental Associations run programs for new and upcoming officials locally who need to be given a chance to improve at these games. These officials are best known to Continental Associations.