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## Procedure for sending "Entries" of Indian Players for any International Tournament during COVID-19

### A) Official Indian Contingent:

1. The entries of the Official Indian Contingent duly selected by the Selection Committee of Badminton Association of India shall be forwarded by BAI.
2. Any applicable penalty due to withdrawal of entries shall be borne by the concerned Player.

### B) Personal Entries of TOPS / Core Group Players:

1. The entries for the tournaments at own cost shall be sent only on recommendation of the Chief National Coach.
2. The entries shall be sent through their parent Member Association in the prescribed format at least 7 days prior to the International Entry Closing Date. BAI will assist only in sending the entries.
3. Any applicable penalty due to withdrawal of entries shall be borne by the concerned Player. In case of default, the amount shall be charged to the concerned Member Association.
4. If a player who has sent the entries and has withdrawn, for whatever reasons, will be required to pay BAI an administrative charge of R 2,500/- per withdrawal. The withdrawal may be at any time after the entries are forwarded by BAI. This charge will be in addition to the withdrawal fees which may be charged by BWF as per their regulations.
5. The recommending Member Association will be responsible for collection of this charge from the player concerned.
6. The Chief Coach / BAI will have authority to withdraw an entry at any time after it has been sent based on the fitness.

### C) Personal Entries of Non-core Group Players:

1. Players appearing in the latest Indian Ranking list only can participate in any International Tournament in the event in which their names appear in the latest Indian Ranking List.
2. The entries shall be sent through their parent Member Association in the prescribed format at least 7 days prior to the International Entry Closing Date. BAI will assist only in sending the entries.
3. Any applicable penalty due to withdrawal of entries shall be borne by the concerned Player.
4. If a player who has sent the entries and has withdrawn, for whatever reasons, will be required to pay BAI an administrative charge of Rs 2,500/- per entry withdrawal. The withdrawal may be at any time after the entries are forwarded by BAI. This charge will be in addition to the withdrawal fees/ penalties which may be charged by BWF as per their regulations.
5. The recommending Member Association will be responsible for collection of this charge from the player concerned.

### D) International Participation of Non-core Group Players: (For COVID 19)

- 1 Any Player Having Rank in Seniors (National) Up to 100 In the Specific Event Can Participate in International Tournament Abroad.
- 2 Any Player Having Rank in Juniors (National) (20191231) Up to 8 In the Specific Event Can Participate in Senior International Tournament Abroad Under the Development Scheme.
- 3 Any Player Having Rank in Juniors (National) (20210211) Up to 8 In the Specific Event Can Participate in Senior International Tournament Abroad Under the Development Scheme.
- 4 Any Player Can Take Part in International Events Held in India (Junior/ Senior) (No National Rank Required)
- 5 Players Who Are in BWF World Junior Top 20 Rank Can Participate In Senior International Tournaments Abroad Under The Development Scheme under the recommendations of Junior Chief Coach.
- 6 BAI Is Following the Same procedure For Under-19 and Under -17 International Tournaments abroad.
7. Players in top 30 BWF Ranks in Senior Category can forward their entry for International Tournament in recommendations from Chief Coach.

### E) Ranking used for processing entries (Junior Players eligibility to participate in Higher age category)

1. 2019 last updated rank (Top 8 Ranked Players from Each Ranking)
2. 2020 Freezed updated rank (Top 8 Ranked Players from Each Ranking)
3. 2021 Freezed updated rank (Top 8 Ranked Players from Each Ranking)
4. BWF World Junior Top 20 Ranked Players.

Note\*: Withdrawal of entry for any of the reasons will be charged accordingly.

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