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These Revised Competition Regulations dated August 2019 (these Regulations) are published by the FIH to assist National Associations in their preparations for the test event for the XXXII Olympic Games Tokyo. These Regulations reflect where appropriate the Regulations that will be implemented for the XXXII Olympic Games

1 INTERPRETATION

In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, the following words and expressions have the meanings set out below:

FIH	The International Hockey Federation
TOCOG	The Tokyo Organising Committee for the Olympic Games and Paralympic Games of the XXXII Olympiad to be held in Tokyo, 25 July / 9 August 2020
ORIS	The Olympic Results and Information Services.
Cxx	Codes of forms and reports in ORIS system that will be used for this competition
TMS	FIH's Tournament Management System

Words importing the singular shall include the plural and vice versa.

2 RULES OF THE COMPETITION

- 2.1 The competition shall be conducted in accordance with the Rules of Hockey in force on the first playing day of the competition except as varied by Appendix 1 of these Regulations and in accordance with these Regulations.
- 2.2 These Regulations will be published from time to time by FIH on its website www.fih.ch
- 2.3 The competition plan and ranking scheme is set out in Appendix 2.
- 2.4 The FIH Code of Conduct, established to create awareness of and accountability for the promotion of the game of hockey amongst the participants of the competition will apply.
- 2.5 The FIH Media Policy (Appendix 6) will apply to the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games Test Event.
- 2.6 By competing in the competition all National Associations, players, and team officials grant FIH, TOCOG, and the sponsors and broadcasters of the competition the right in perpetuity to make, use, process, edit, store or sell any photographs, video, television, audio material or other reproductions of the players, teams and / or team officials during the competition without the need for further consent and without the payment of royalties.
- 2.7 In addition to Articles 2.4 and 2.5 above, FIH Statutes and General Regulations, Rules of Hockey, FIH Tournament Regulations, FIH Anti-Doping Rules, FIH Integrity Code, FIH Standard Event Operating Procedures and any other rules and regulations that are applicable and may come into force from time to time, shall apply.

3 COMPETITION OFFICIALS

- 3.1 A Technical Delegate is appointed by FIH for each of the men's and women's competitions. The Technical Delegate has the full power and authority of FIH in relation to all technical matters concerning the conduct of the competition in accordance with these Regulations.
- 3.2 The Technical Delegate appoints the Umpires, Technical Officers and Judges for each match from among the persons appointed by FIH to officiate in the competition. Match or Video Umpires must not be appointed to a match in which their country is playing (whenever possible, the same principle will apply to any Technical Official on duty for a match);
- 3.3 The Technical Delegate ensures that all participants abide by the FIH Code of Conduct (Appendix 4) and has authority to take action in accordance with the Code.
- 3.4 With the consent of the FIH Chief Executive Officer or his designee, the Technical Delegate may delegate the exercise of his powers and authorities to a Technical Official, in whole or in part and for such duration as the Technical Delegate deems necessary.

4 TEAM ENTRY

- 4.1 National Associations are responsible for completing and submitting via TMS to FIH and TOCOG the Long List of all individual players and team officials that may participate no later than 30 April 2019. There is no restriction as to the number of players and team officials that may be submitted for the Long List.
- 4.2 By virtue of a National Association submitting the Team Entry, all Team members are automatically bound by and required to comply with all of the provisions of FIH Tournament Regulations, Code of Conduct, Media Policy and Uniform Advertising Policy
- 4.3 The Long List must include details of:
 - a the primary and alternative colours of field players clothing. Each piece in one set must consist of at least 80% single colour. No colour that is in one set of clothing may be repeated in the other relevant item of uniform (ie shirts, shorts, skirts / skorts and socks) except in collars, edging, piping or other decorative features (eg an accepted manufacturer's branding); and
 - b the primary and alternate colours of goalkeeper's shirts which must consist of colours completely different from each other and must not include any colours of the field players' shirts.
- 4.4 National Associations are responsible for advising FIH and TOCOG the names of all individual players and team officials that will travel to the competition and require accreditation not later than 12 July 2019.
- 4.5 National Associations are responsible for completing and submitting the Team Entry via TMS to FIH and TOCOG not later than 2 August 2019, using only players and team officials previously registered in the Long List.

- 4.6 The Team Entry must include:
- a the names of up to 16 players identified by their respective playing shirts numbered from within the range 1 – 32 and indicating the nominated captain and goalkeepers;
 - b the names of up to two (2) alternate players identified by their respective playing shirt numbers (P Athletes);
 - c in the squad of 16 + 2 players, each team must designate two (2) goalkeepers. It is for teams to decide whether they include both goalkeepers in the list of 16, or one in the 16 and 1 as a P Athlete.
 - d the name of the Team Manager: not being the Head Coach;
 - e the name(s) of the Head Coach, any Assistant Coach, Assistant Team Manager, Team Physiotherapist and Team Medical Doctor, if present and wishing to be authorised to sit on the team bench;
- 4.7 Where injury, urgent medical problems, or other exceptional circumstances arise after the closure of entries on 2 August 2019, but before the end of the Event Briefing meeting on 16 August 2019, it is possible for a team to make a late player or team official replacement as long as the players and team officials are registered in the Long List. Any such changes must be advised to FIH and the Technical Delegate at the Event Briefing meeting and indicated on the Provisional Team Roster (C33).
- 4.8 The following applies to the alternate players (P accreditations):
- a after the pre-competition Event Briefing meeting, any request to change the status of an alternate player in order to enrol him / her in the official list of 16 players must be made in accordance with the IOC Late Athlete Replacement Policy specific to Hockey;
 - b the FIH Medical Officer appointed for the Test Event, will consider any request for the replacement of a player in the event of injury or urgent medical condition or in other exceptional circumstances and provide a recommendation to the FIH Chief Executive or his designee in relation to the replacement. Once withdrawn from the team list the player is not allowed any further participation in the competition;
 - c as a specific concession for the Hockey competition of the Ready, Steady Tokyo Test Event, teams are allowed to replace up to 2 athletes from their Final Team Roster (C33) after Sunday, 18 August 2019. These changes can be for any reason and Team Managers are responsible for advising FIH and the Technical Delegate of them. Any player replaced under this provision is not allowed any further participation in the competition.
 - d The deadline for the approval of a replacement player is two (2) hours before the start of a match.
 - e Any player suspended by the Technical Delegate or FIH Disciplinary Commissioner cannot be replaced until (s)he has served any suspension.
- 4.9 All costs incurred by any alternate player (airfares, board, lodging etc) shall be borne by either the relevant NA or the respective NOC.

- 4.10 National Associations may apply for additional accreditations for players that may travel in a touring squad but are not included in the 16 +2 players named on the Team Entry by submitting the appropriate application form to TOCOG. These players must be included in the Long List submitted by the National Association.
- 4.11 In the event of withdrawal of one or more teams, the participation of a replacement team(s) is the prerogative of FIH. The host country, the participating countries and the media will be notified accordingly prior to the tournament commencing.

5 PRE-COMPETITION BRIEFING MEETINGS

- 5.1 Team Managers must attend the Event Briefing at 10:30 on 16 August 2019; the meeting will be held at the venue.
- 5.2 Team Managers must bring to this meeting or such other meeting specified by the Technical Delegate:
- a samples of the clothing of their field players and goalkeepers (primary and alternate colours) and all playing equipment for approval prior to the commencement of the competition; equipment includes goalkeepers' headgear, hand protectors, leg guards and kickers together with any protective equipment such as face masks and hand protectors worn by field players; sticks for all players will also be checked but the Technical Delegate may authorise this to be done at another time.
 - b the passports of players for proof of identity, nationality and (if applicable) age; no other form of documentation (eg national identity card) is acceptable. The Technical Delegate may require a player to attend a meeting with his / her passport;
- 5.3 The Team Medical Doctor (if any) must attend the meeting with the FIH appointed Medical Officer at 10:00 on 15 August 2019. If a team has not nominated a Team Medical Doctor, the Team Physiotherapist or other team medical person must attend the meeting.
- 5.4 A Team's Head Coach must attend the meeting with the FIH appointed Umpires Manager(s) at 19:00 on 14 August 2019.
- 5.5 Using the Provisional Team Roster (C33) supplied by TOCOG, Team Managers must confirm or advise FIH and the Technical Delegate at the Event Briefing of any inaccuracies in the document. No further amendments will be accepted after this meeting.
- 5.6 Failure to attend any of the above meetings will result in teams being sanctioned in accordance with the Non Compliance with FIH Regulations, Policies and Procedures, April 2016.

6 COMPOSITION OF A TEAM

- 6.1 No later than sixty (60) minutes before the start of every match, Team Manager must submit to FIH and TOCOG via TMS:
- a the eleven players who will be on the field of play at the commencement of the match;

- b the five players who will start on the team bench (unless one or more players has or have been suspended for that match in which case the relevant player(s) should be included but marked with an S);
- c the captain and goalkeeper(s) for the match;
- d the Team Manager for the match;
- e the Coach on the team bench for the match;
- f Physiotherapist (if any);
- g Medical Doctor (if any):
- h an additional person as required (if any).

6.2 Nominations can only be made from the players and team officials whose names appear on the Team Roster (C33), excluding any person who has been suspended from participating in the match by the Technical Delegate or the FIH Disciplinary Commissioner.

6.3 A player nominated to start the match who becomes incapacitated during warm-up or practice may be replaced by a player whose name appears on the Team Entry Form. The Team Manager must notify the Technical Officer on duty accordingly, who will inform the Team Manager of the opposing team and the media.

6.4 Any additional team persons named on the Team Roster (C33) may be with their team up to 10 minutes prior to the scheduled start time of the match or a time indicated at the Event Briefing meeting. The Team Manager is responsible for ensuring that these additional persons remain outside the field of play until the match, including any shoot-out competition, is completed.

7 TEAM CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND COLOURS

7.1 The Technical Delegate, at his / her absolute discretion, shall specify to the Team Managers the clothing to be worn by their field players and goalkeepers for each match.

7.2 Any additional items of clothing worn by a player during a match must be the same colour as the adjoining piece of clothing. Head or wrist sweatbands may be any plain (but not fluorescent) colour other than the predominant colour(s) of the opposition shirts.

7.3 When warming up during a match, substitutes must wear bibs or some other form of clothing in a colour different to both teams.

7.4 Each field player's number must remain the same throughout the competition. This number must:

- a appear in distinctive filled (not outlined) figure(s);
- b be not less than 16 cm and not more than 20 cm in height on the back of the player's shirt;
- c be not less than 7 cm and not more than 9 cm in height on the front of the player's shorts / skirts / skorts at thigh level.

- 7.5 Each goalkeeper's number must remain the same throughout the competition. This number must:
- a appear in distinctive filled (not outlined) figure(s);
 - b be not less than 16 cm and not more than 20 cm in height on the back of the goalkeeper's shirt;
 - c be not less than 7 cm and not more than 20 cm in height on the front of the goalkeeper's shirt.
- 7.6 The display of the family name of the player is compulsory. Each player's name must:
- a appear on the back of their shirt;
 - b be in distinctive filled (not outlined) letters not less than 6 cm and not more than 10 cm in height;
 - c be positioned above the player's number so that the number remains clearly visible.
- 7.7 Each team involved in a match must have available with it two spare sets of players' clothing without number plus suitable material for numbering in an emergency such as replacement of blood-stained clothing.
- 7.8 All players must be uniformly and neatly dressed at all times during a match.
- 7.9 Field players must:
- a wear shin guards inside the socks and below the knee at all times during a match;
 - b wear any form of body protection (including leg protection) underneath normal playing clothing; knee pads may be worn outside the socks, provided that the colour of the knee pads is the same as the colour of the socks;
 - c not wear any additional protective equipment related to medical reasons or similar as specified in the Rules of Hockey unless approved by FIH or the FIH Medical Officer.
- 7.10 No advertisement may appear on any item of clothing or equipment used by any player, or team official except as may be permitted in Appendix 8.
- 7.12 Manufacturer identification(s) on a particular item of clothing worn by players or team officials or equipment used by players whilst playing may be permitted in accordance with Appendix 7.
- 7.13 Any team wishing to wear black arm bands for a specific match must obtain beforehand the approval of the FIH Chief Executive Officer or his designee. Applications must be made in writing (for example by email) at least 6 hours before the start of the match in question. In exceptional circumstances, and at the absolute discretion of the FIH Chief Executive Officer, this notice period may be reduced. The wearing of black arm bands will be limited to indicating a mark of respect for the death of a significant international figure or a significant public figure of the team requesting approval. Where it is agreed that black armbands may be worn, it will be appropriate to observe a minute's silence as a mark of respect of the person concerned.
- 7.14 A player on the field of play must not use or be equipped with any device to receive communication.

8 DURATION OF MATCHES

- 8.1 The Umpires start and re-start the match; they also signal to the Technical Officials on duty every time stoppage they order and the subsequent re-start.
- 8.2 Time-keeping is controlled by the Technical Officials on duty; they are responsible for signalling the end of each period. If a match is prolonged at the end of a quarter to allow for the completion of a penalty corner as specified in the Rules of Hockey, the umpires will signal the end of that period.

9 SUBSTITUTION OF PLAYERS

- 9.1 Substitution takes place as specified in the Rules of Hockey between the players eligible for that match as listed on the Team Roster (C33).
- 9.2 Substitution takes place under the supervision of the Technical Officer on duty.
- 9.3 After leaving the field of play having been substituted, a player must immediately go to the team bench.
- 9.5 Team Managers are responsible for the proper application of the procedures.

10 ADMISSION TO THE FIELD OF PLAY

- 10.1 The nominated Team Manager for a match is responsible for the conduct of all persons occupying the team bench.
- 10.2 The Coach on the team bench may not enter the field of play during playing time under any circumstances but may do so during a shoot-out competition.
- 10.3 The Team Manager and substitute players nominated for that match must remain seated on the team bench during playing time, including time stoppages, except when implementing the substitution procedures. The Coach nominated for the match must remain in an area designated by the Technical Officer on duty but need not be seated. Substitutes may leave their seats to warm up in an area designated by the Technical Officer on duty. The Team Medical Doctor and Physiotherapist may leave their seats to treat players; wherever possible treatment should take place at the end of the team bench furthest away from the Technical Table.
- 10.4 Vocal communication by team officials and / or players on the team bench must not be directed at the Technical Officials seated at the table, the Umpires and / or the players of the opposing team.
- 10.5 If misconduct occurs after a Team Manager has been warned about acts of misconduct on his / her team bench, the Technical Officer on duty is empowered to order the person or persons involved to leave the team bench and remain in the team changing room for the rest of the match. After the match, the Technical Officer will report the circumstances to the Technical Delegate who may take further disciplinary action.

- 10.6 No incapacity treatment is permitted on the Field of Play unless the Physiotherapist or Team Doctor reasonably believe that a player requires medical attention and for that reason they may enter the Field of Play without permission.
- a if a team does not have such registered medical officials referred to in Regulations 6.1f and 6.1g above, the on-duty Medical Officer or Team Manager in the case that the on-duty Medical Officer is not present, may enter the Field of Play if they reasonably believe that a player requires medical attention.
 - b if necessary, stretcher bearers may enter the Field of Play:
 - c persons authorised to enter the Field of Play are required to assist and remove the player concerned from the Field of Play as soon as it is safe to do so.
- 10.7 If any person from the team bench and / or the on-duty Medical Officer enters the Field of Play and attends a player at any time:
- a that player must leave the Field of Play and return to the team bench area for a minimum of two minutes of playing time;
 - b the two minutes period will be managed by the Technical Officials on duty;
 - c the player required to leave the Field of Play may be substituted in accordance with the Rules of Hockey
 - d As an exception to the above, if a goalkeeper is treated on the pitch for an injury incurred immediately prior to the award of a penalty corner or penalty stroke, including following a video umpire referral, the goalkeeper does not have to leave the pitch for two minutes of playing time.
- 10.8 If blood staining to the field of play occurs, TOCOG personnel will immediately clean the area using a Non-Acid Disinfectant Surface Cleaner which is effective against antibiotic-resistant bacteria or, if such a material is not available, an 80% alcohol solution. During this activity there will be a time stoppage of play.
- 10.9 No liquid or other refreshment may be consumed on the field of play. Any player or umpire wishing to take refreshment during a match, including during time stoppages must leave the field of play. A goalkeeper may leave and re-enter the field of play adjacent to the goal.
- 10.10 Team officials and players may leave the technical facility area surrounding the Field of Play during half time.
- 10.11 At the end of a match, all players and team officials must leave the field of play through the Mixed Zone.
- 10.12 Coaching and audible vocal communication may only take place from designated areas only, namely from the team bench, coaches boxes (if provided) and designated seats, as identified at the Event Briefing Meeting.

11 INTERRUPTIONS OF A MATCH

- 11.1 Appendix 8 illustrates the principles that will be applied if a match is delayed, postponed or cancelled.

12 MEDICAL DATA

- 12.1 FIH may collect and assess injury data in the match in order to monitor injuries sustained by all players within International Events. Such studies are conducted in the interests of players' health and safety.
- 12.2 Players shall participate in any FIH medical injury surveillance study conducted in connection with the Test Event. For the avoidance of doubt any information gathered in the course of any medical injury surveillance study shall not identify players personally and shall be used for statistical purposes only. It is the right of players not to participate in any medical injury survey should they not wish to do so.

13 MATCH REPORT FORMS

- 13.1 At the end of a match, a Match Report (C73A) is produced at the technical table. This is a summary of the match showing the names of all players, team officials and technical officials nominated for the match and the key match statistics, including the result.
- 13.2 Within five minutes of the end of the match, the Team Manager of each participating team must sign the Match Report, even if a protest is contemplated. In signing the Match Report, Team Managers are indicating that the details on the report are correct. Should it subsequently come to light that a detail is incorrect (eg the scorer of a goal) and the Team Manager wants the information corrected, evidence must be submitted to the Technical Delegate that an error has occurred. If the Technical Delegate is satisfied by the evidence provided that a mistake has been made, (s)he must advise FIH of the error and FIH will make the correction accordingly..
- 13.3 The match officials named on the Match Report must also sign the Match Report once both Team Managers have done so.

14 DISQUALIFICATION OR FAILURE TO PLAY

- 14.1 During the pool matches:
- a A team either disqualified or refusing to play or failing to complete a match is deemed to have withdrawn from the competition.
 - b If a team so withdraws from the competition:
 - i any matches it has played until then, as well as all the matches it has still to play, will be recorded as a 5-0 loss;
 - ii that team will be disqualified and will not be ranked in the competition;
 - iii the pool points table and ranking table will be adjusted accordingly for all teams;
 - v statistics in ORIS for the team and its individual players will be removed for all matches in which a team has been disqualified or has failed to play;
 - vi statistics in TMS for the team (other than the result referred to in Reg 14.1 i) and individual player statistics will be retained for all matches played up to and until the point of withdrawal

14.2 During a classification match:

- a A team either disqualified or refusing to play or to complete a match is deemed to have withdrawn from the competition at that stage.
- b If a team so withdraws from the competition at the classification stage:
 - i the team is deemed to have lost the match in question;
 - ii the team will be disqualified and will not be ranked in the competition;
 - iii all teams ranked below the team at the time of the withdrawal will be advanced by one place in the final ranking.
 - iv no goals will be attributed in ORIS to a player for any matches played in the classification stage by the team that has been disqualified;
 - v team statistics are retained in ORIS for any matches played in the pool stage by the team that has been disqualified but individual player scoring statistics are removed.
 - vi statistics for the team (other than the result referred to in Regulation 13.2b i) and individual statistics will be retained in TMS for all matches played up to and until the point of withdrawal
- c Depending on the time of withdrawal of a team during the classification stage FIH reserves the right to determine how a final ranking will be determined.

14.3 A team which is deemed to have withdrawn may be subject to further disciplinary action as determined by the FIH Executive Board.

14.4 A team shall not be deemed to have withdrawn from a match if such withdrawal is caused or brought about by an Event of Force Majeure.

14.5 An Event of Force Majeure in these Regulations is meant to cover circumstances beyond the control of a team that is unforeseeable and cannot be resisted and includes but not restricted to:

- a Acts of God (such as but not limited to, fires, explosions, earthquakes, drought, tidal waves and floods);
- b War, hostilities (whether war is declared or not), invasion, act of foreign enemies, mobilization, requisition or embargo;
- c Riot, commotion, strikes, go slows, lock outs, or disorder;
- d Acts of terrorism;
- e Acts of governments or government authorities (such as, but not limited to, refusal of visas, ministerial orders and travel restrictions).

15 VIDEO UMPIRE

15.1 The Video Umpire protocols are detailed in Appendix 9.

15.2 Video Umpire will be available for matches on North Pitch only.

16 CODE OF CONDUCT AND SANCTIONS

- 16.1 The FIH Code of Conduct applies to all participants at this competition.
- 16.2 Appendices 4 and 5 to these Regulations provides further information for the Technical Delegate about the application of the Code of Conduct, Appeal Process, guidelines on sanctions and the Process for Hearing and Determining Any Reported Offence.
- 16.3 In deciding on the duration of any suspension, the Technical Delegate is limited to the remaining matches in the competition but, if the Technical Delegate decides that the appropriate penalty may or ought to include the imposition of a suspension that affects matches or should otherwise take effect beyond the conclusion of the competition, the Technical Delegate must, within 3 days of the decision being published, give written notice of the decision to the FIH Chief Executive Officer, who will refer it to the FIH Disciplinary Commissioner to decide on any further period of suspension or other penalty to be imposed.
- 16.4 Suspended persons may not enter the field of play or the technical facility areas (including the team benches, changing rooms, coaches' boxes and video tower) until completion of the match or matches comprising the suspension.
- 16.5 Subject to Regulation 18 an individual or a team may appeal against any suspension. The appeal will be referred to an Appeal Jury except that a suspension imposed after the completion of the competition may only be appealed to the FIH Disciplinary Commissioner as specified in FIH Statutes.
- 16.6 Subject to Regulation 18, if an individual or a team wishes to appeal, the Team Manager(s) must give written notice to the Technical Delegate within sixty (60) minutes after the Technical Delegate's decision is published using an Official Communication (C67). If no appeal is lodged within this period, the decision of the Technical Delegate is final.
- 16.7 If an appeal is lodged, the Technical Delegate must immediately inform the FIH Chief Executive.

17 PROTESTS

- 17.1 If a team wishes to lodge a protest at the end of a match or at the end of a stand-alone shoot-out competition the Team Manager must:
- a declare the intention to do so immediately in writing directly below their signature when signing the Match Report (C73A) or Shoot-out Competition (C73B) form;
 - b produce in addition in writing the grounds of the protest and must hand that document to the Technical Officer on duty within 30 (thirty) minutes of the completion of the match or stand-alone shoot-out competition;
 - c deposit in addition five hundred US Dollars (US\$500) (or equivalent in freely convertible currency) with the written protest.
- 17.2 If a protest is made, the Technical Officer on duty must immediately notify the Technical Delegate and the FIH Chief Executive Officer.

- 17.3 Notwithstanding the provisions of this Regulation, a protest from a decision of an Umpire or Video Umpire or Technical Official during a match or shoot-out competition may not be made to or considered by the Technical Delegate.
- 17.4 A team may protest to the Technical Delegate about any other decision of the Technical Delegate or application of these Regulations. In this case the Team Manager must:
- a produce in writing the grounds of the protest and must hand that document to the Technical Delegate within thirty (30) minutes of the publication or other communication on which the protest is based;
 - b deposit five hundred US Dollars (US\$500) (or equivalent in freely convertible currency) with the written protest.
- 17.5 The Technical Delegate must make a decision and publish it through an Official Communication (C67) within two hours from the submission of a protest; if possible, the Technical Delegate should also orally notify the decision to the Team Manager concerned immediately after making the decision.
- 17.6 The Team Manager must make arrangements with the Technical Delegate to be available so that the Technical Delegate can give his / her decision from the protest to the Team Manager.
- 17.7 The deposit may be refunded in whole or in part if the protest is not allowed, at the discretion of the FIH Executive Board, who will consider the matter at an appropriate time after the match or the Test Event.
- 17.8 Failure to comply with any part of this Regulation will result in dismissal of the protest.
- 17.9 If a team involved in a protest wishes to appeal the decision of the Technical Delegate resulting from any protest under these Regulations, the Team Manager(s) must give written notice to the Technical Delegate within sixty (60) minutes after the Technical Delegate's decision is published. If no such appeal is lodged, the decision of the Technical Delegate is final.
- 17.10 If an appeal is lodged, the Technical Delegate must immediately inform the FIH Chief Executive or his designee. Any appeal will be conducted in accordance with the provisions of these Regulations.

18 APPEAL JURY

- 18.1 The FIH Chief Executive Officer or his designee will appoint an Appeal Jury. An Appeal Jury may not necessarily meet on site in Tokyo but could meet electronically, eg via Skype.
- 18.2 An Appeal Jury shall consist of a minimum of three persons and a maximum of five persons.
- 18.3 Any person who has taken part in any previous proceedings relating to the matter under appeal must not be appointed to a particular Appeal Jury.
- 18.4 Reasonable steps should be taken to ensure that at least one member of an Appeal Jury for a particular hearing has played international hockey within the previous 10 years.

19 APPEALS

- 19.1 An individual or a team may lodge an appeal against:
- a a decision by a Technical Delegate to suspend a player, team, team official or other official;
 - b a decision of a Technical Delegate following a protest.
- 19.2 An appeal may not be lodged for consideration by an Appeal Jury in respect of any decision of the Technical Delegate unless the decision appealed against is in respect of a suspension or other penalty imposed to have effect during the remainder of the tournament. Where the decision appealed against is in respect only of a period of suspension or other penalty that may take effect after the conclusion of the tournament, a written notice of appeal must be given, within 3 days of the Technical Delegate's decision being published, to the FIH Chief Executive Officer, who will refer it to the FIH Disciplinary Commissioner.
- 19.3 A deposit of five hundred US Dollars (US\$500) (or equivalent in freely convertible currency) must be paid if the appeal is against a decision by a Technical Delegate to suspend a player, team or team official; the deposit must accompany the written notice of appeal.
- 19.4 The written notice of appeal must contain a statement outlining the grounds of appeal and indicating whether the appeal is against:
- a a finding;
 - b a penalty imposed;
 - c both a finding and a penalty;
 - d procedural irregularities of a Technical Delegate hearing.
- 19.5 The appeal is not by way of a re-hearing of the evidence. It is limited to a review of the decision of the Technical Delegate to ensure compliance with the Regulations, Code of Conduct Guidelines and principles of natural justice.
- 19.6 No fresh evidence shall be presented to the Appeal Jury without its approval. If approval is sought to present fresh evidence, particulars of such evidence and the reasons why it was not presented to the earlier decision-maker must also be included in the written notice of appeal.
- 19.7 The parties are entitled to make oral representations to the Appeal Jury at the hearing.
- 19.8 The Appeal Jury may conduct the hearing in such a manner and at such time and in such a way as it considers desirable and / or suitable. This may include holding the hearing by video link or any other appropriate form of communications technology. If any party fails to attend the hearing, the Appeal Jury may proceed in the absence of that or any other party.
- 19.9 The Appeal Jury must publish a decision in writing. A copy must be provided to the FIH Chief Executive and the Technical Delegate and it must be published as soon as possible but not later than two hours before the start of the next match in which the individual or team that is the subject of the Appeal is due to participate. Wherever possible, the Chair of the Appeal Jury which heard the case should orally notify the decision to the Team Manager or official concerned immediately after making the decision.

19.10 The decision of the Appeal Jury is final and binding on all parties concerned.

19.11 Notwithstanding the test set out in Article 19.5, the decision of the Appeal Jury shall be based on the balance of probabilities (more likely than not).

19.12 An Appeal Jury has the power:

- a to allow or dismiss the appeal;
- b to vary the decision of the Technical Delegate;
- c to increase, decrease, remit or otherwise vary any penalty included in the decision of the Technical Delegate;
- d to impose such other penalty or sanction as it deems fit;
- e to recommend to the FIH Executive Board that the deposit be refunded or forfeited;
- f to make an order for payment of costs.

19.13 If the Appeal Jury decides, whether or not it allows the appeal in whole or part, that any period of suspension or other penalty may or ought to include the imposition of a suspension that affects matches or otherwise should take effect beyond the conclusion of the competition, the Appeal Jury must, within 3 days, give written notice of its decision to the FIH Chief Executive Officer, who will refer it to the FIH Disciplinary Commissioner to decide on any further period of suspension or other penalty to be imposed.

20 ANTI - DOPING

20.1 As a pre-condition of their participation in the Event, all players must have undertaken an anti-doping education program prior to the commencement of the Event (if not completed within the preceding 24 months). Each National Association is free to choose which education program is most suitable for its players, such as the World Anti-Doping Agency's on-line course ALPHA, or a National Anti-Doping Organisation / Regional Anti-Doping Organisation organised training.

20.2 All anti-doping tests will be carried out in accordance with the World Anti-Doping Code and the FIH Anti-Doping Rules relevant as at the first playing day of the tournament.

20.3 All matches are subject to anti-doping tests as TOCOG or FIH may direct.

20.4 Team Managers will be advised about anti-doping test procedures at the Event Briefing meeting.

20.5 Any player listed on the Team Entry form may be the subject of an anti-doping test after a match even if that player has not entered the Field of Play. A player may be the subject of more than one anti-doping test during a competition.

20.6 A player selected for an anti-doping test may not take a shower, bath, ice-bath or similar before providing a urine / blood sample which meets the requirements in the International Standard for Testing.

21 UNFORESEEN EVENTS

- 21.1 If circumstances arise pertaining to the technical aspects of the conduct of the tournament, which are not provided for in these Regulations, the Technical Delegate will determine any actions necessary.
- 21.2 If any team affected by a decision of the Technical Delegate made under Regulation 21.1 wishes to protest, it may do so following the procedures set out in Regulation 17.
- 21.3 If circumstances in relation to a wider event matter arise which are not provided for in these Regulations, the FIH Chief Executive Officer will determine any actions and follow the FIH Crisis Communications procedure as appropriate.

APPENDIX 1

SCHEDULE OF VARIATIONS TO THE RULES OF HOCKEY

Below is a list of Regulations which supersede the Rules of Hockey and apply to the Ready Steady Tokyo Test Event.

1 CAPTAINS

Rule 3.3: Captains must wear a distinctive arm-band or similar distinguishing article on an upper arm or shoulder or over the upper part of a sock.

Regulation: Captains must wear a distinctive single colour (not black) or in the team's national colour(s) arm-band or similar distinguishing article on an upper arm or shoulder or over the upper part of a sock.

2 MATCH PERIODS

Rule 5.1: A match consists of four quarters of 15 minutes, an interval of 2 minutes between quarter 1 and 2 and between quarter 3 and 4 and a half- time interval of 5 minutes between quarter 2 and 3.

Regulation: a A Match consists of 4 quarters of 15 minutes.
b At the end of the first and third quarters there shall be an interval of 2 minutes. During these intervals teams are not permitted to leave the Field of Play.
c At the end of the second quarter there shall be an interval of 10 minutes. During this interval Team officials and players may leave the technical facility area surrounding the Field of Play.
d When a penalty corner is awarded, time is stopped for 40 seconds, except in the case of re-awards or penalty corners awarded after a Video Umpire referral.
e In the case of a re-awarded penalty corner time will be immediately stopped but the teams will not be allowed an additional 40 seconds. The umpire will re-start play at the earliest possible opportunity, ensuring that any delay is kept to a minimum.
f After a goal is scored time is stopped for 40 seconds, except in the case of goals awarded after a Video Umpire Referral or a Penalty Stroke. The umpire will then re-start play as soon as possible, unless time has to be stopped for another reason.

3 GREEN CARD – TWO MINUTE SUSPENSION

Rule 14.1.b: For any offence, the offending player may be warned and temporarily suspended for 2 minutes of playing time (indicated by a green card).

Regulation: For any offence, the offending player may be warned (indicated by a green card).

a The offending player is temporarily suspended for two (2) minutes of playing time.

- b For the duration of each temporary suspension, the offending team plays with one less player.
- c If a field player receives a green card, the Umpires stop the match (but not necessarily the time) to issue the card; if time has been stopped, the Umpires restart it immediately after issuing the card.
- d If a goalkeeper, the Umpires stop the time and re-start it immediately after that player has left the field of play.
- e The offending player leaves the field immediately; if (s)he interferes with play on his / her way to the designated suspension area the Umpire may further penalise the player in accordance with the Rules of Hockey.
- f The two minute temporary suspension starts when the player is seated in the designated area.
- g Timing of the suspension is controlled by a Technical Official on duty.
- h The offending player is permitted to resume play when the Technical Officer on duty indicates that the period of suspension has been completed.
- i If the offending player is a goalkeeper, the technical official on duty notifies the Umpires when the period of suspension has been completed; the Umpires stop the time at the next stoppage of play to enable that player to resume play.

4 YELLOW CARD – TEMPORARY SUSPENSION

Rule 14.1.c: For any offence, the offending player may be temporarily suspended for a minimum of 5 minutes of playing time (indicated by a yellow card).

Regulation: For any offence, the offending player may be temporarily suspended for a minimum of 5 minutes of playing time (indicated by a yellow card).

- a The duration of temporary suspension is indicated to the Technical Officials on duty by the Umpire who issues the yellow card.
- b For the duration of each temporary suspension, the offending team plays with one fewer player.
- c If a field player receives a yellow card, the Umpires stop the match (but not necessarily the time) to issue the card; if time has been stopped, the Umpires restart it immediately after issuing the card.
- d If a goalkeeper receives a yellow card, the Umpires stop the time and re-start it immediately after that player has left the field of play.
- e The offending player leaves the field immediately; if (s)he interferes with play on his / her way to the designated suspension area the Umpire may further penalise the player in accordance with the Rules of Hockey.
- f The temporary suspension commences when the player is seated in the designated area.
- g Timing of the suspension is controlled by a Technical Official on duty.

- h The offending player is permitted to resume play when the Technical Officer on duty indicates that the period of suspension has been completed.
- i If the offending player is a goalkeeper, the Technical Officer on duty notifies the Umpires when the period of suspension has been completed; the Umpires stop the time at the next stoppage of play to enable that player to resume play.

APPENDIX 2

ONE POOL COMPETITION PLAN AND RANKING

1 PLAN OF THE COMPETITION

1.1 There will be one pool comprising of the four participating teams.

2 RANKING IN THE POOLS

2.1 In each pool, all the teams will play against each other, and the following points will be awarded for each match :

- three points to the winner;
- one point to each team, in the event of a draw;
- no points to the loser.

2.2 In each pool, teams will be ranked according to the number of points each has accumulated in the competition.

- a If at the end of the pool matches two or more teams have the same number of points for any place in a pool, these teams will be ranked according to their respective number of matches won.
- b If there remains equality among two or more teams, then these teams will be ranked according to their respective goal difference (which means “goals for” less “goals against”). A positive goal difference always takes precedence over a negative one.
- c If there still remains equality among two or more teams, then these teams will be ranked according to their respective number of “goals for”.
- d Should there still remain equality among two teams, then the result of the match played between those teams will determine the ranking of the tied teams.
- e If more than two teams are involved, then a ranking based upon the results of the matches among (only) them shall determine their respective position, based upon the points awarded in accordance with paragraph 2.1 of this appendix. If there remains equality, then the teams involved shall be ranked according to paragraphs 2.2.a, b, c, and d of this regulation.
- f If there still remains equality among two or more teams, then these teams will be ranked according to the number of Field Goals scored in the pool matches.
- g Should there still remain equality among two teams, then the ranking will be determined by a shoot-out competition between those teams (for details see Appendix 3 of these Regulations).
- h If more than two teams are involved, then each team will play a shoot-out competition against the other teams in the same sequence of play as the order of play in the competition, in accordance with Appendix 3 of these Regulations but with one round of 5 shoot-outs only to be taken compulsorily by each team.

- i A ranking will then be established based upon the results of the round of the shoot-out competition only, with the award for each play of 3 points to the team having scored the highest number of goals, 1 point to each team having scored an equal number of goals and 0 points to the team having scored the lowest number of goals.
- j If equality remains then teams having an equal number of points shall be ranked according to paragraphs 2.2.a, b, c and d as applied to goals recorded during the shoot-out competition.
- k If an equal position of three (or more) teams still remains thereafter, then the same procedure shall be repeated until the teams can be ranked. The Technical Delegate shall make a draw to take place to establish each sequence of play if such further rounds of shoot-outs are required.

3 CLASSIFICATION MATCHES

3.1 The teams for the classification matches will be as follows and will be played in this order:

3 rd ranked team	v	4 th ranked team (to determine 3 rd and 4 th places)
1 st ranked team	v	2 nd ranked team (to determine 1 st and 2 nd places)

3.2 The score at the end of the regulation time of any match will be registered by the FIH as the result of the match.

3.3 If at the end of the regulation time the result is a draw, in order to establish an outright winner of a classification match for the purpose of the competition, a shoot-out competition as specified in Appendix 3 will be played to establish the winner of the match.

APPENDIX 3

SHOOT-OUT COMPETITION

In a shoot-out competition, five players from each team take a one-on-one shoot-out alternately against a defender from the other team as set out in this Regulation. The shoot-out competition comprises all series of shoot-outs required to determine a result.

The following sets out both the playing Rules and the procedures to be followed.

- 1 If the shoot-out competition takes place after the end of a match, the first shoot-out shall take place within five (5) minutes of the end of the match.
- 2 The respective Team Managers provide five players to take and one player to defend the shoot-outs from those on the Match Report except as excluded below. A player nominated to defend the shoot-outs can also be nominated to take a shoot-out. No substitutions / replacements are permitted during the shoot-out competition other than as specified below.
- 3 A player who is still serving a disciplinary suspension by the Technical Delegate at the time the shoot-out competition takes place or has been excluded permanently (red card) during the match which leads to the shoot-out competition, cannot take part in that shoot-out competition. A player who has been warned (green card) or temporarily suspended (yellow card) may take part in the shoot-out competition even if the period of their suspension has not been completed at the end of the regulation playing time.
- 4 FIH will advise teams at the Event Briefing the method of timing shoot-outs taking account of the facilities available and the need to control time accurately.
- 5 FIH will specify the goal to be used.
- 6 A coin is tossed; the team which wins the toss has the choice to take or defend the first shoot-out.
- 7 All persons listed on the Match Report other than any player who has been excluded permanently (red card) during the match which leads to the shoot-out competition are permitted to enter the field of play outside the 23m area used for the shoot-out but must be at least 10 metres from the spot where the ball is placed at the start of the shoot-out.
- 8 The goalkeeper / defending player of the team taking a shoot-out shall wait on the back-line outside the circle.
- 9 A player taking or defending a shoot-out may enter the 23m area for that purpose.
- 10 Players taking a shoot-out and also defending the shoot-outs taken by opponents are allowed reasonable time to take off their protective equipment to take their shoot-out and subsequently to put back on their protective equipment.
- 11 Five players from each team take a shoot-out alternately against the goalkeeper / defending player of the other team making a total of 10 shoot-outs.

- 13 Taking a shoot-out:
- a the goalkeeper / defending player starts on or behind the goal-line between the goal posts;
 - b the ball is placed on the nearest 23m line opposite the centre of the goal;
 - c an attacker stands outside the 23m area near the ball;
 - d the Umpire blows the whistle to start time;
 - e an official at the technical table starts the clock;
 - f the attacker and the goalkeeper / defending player may then move in any direction;
 - g the shoot-out is completed when:
 - i 8 seconds has elapsed since the starting signal;
 - ii a goal is scored;
 - iii the attacker commits an offence;
 - iv the goalkeeper / defending player commits an unintentional offence inside or outside the circle in which case the shoot-out is re-taken by the same player against the same goalkeeper/defending player;
 - v the goalkeeper / defending player commits an intentional offence inside or outside the circle, in which case a penalty stroke is awarded and taken;
 - vi the ball goes out of play over the back-line or side-line; this includes the goalkeeper / defending player intentionally playing the ball over the back-line.
- 14 If a penalty stroke is awarded as specified above, it can be taken and defended by any eligible player on the Match Report subject to the provisions of Articles 17, 18 and 19 of this Appendix.
- 15 The team scoring the most goals (or ahead by more goals than the other team has untaken shoot-outs available) is the winner.
- 16 A player may be suspended by a yellow or red card but not by a green card during the shoot-out competition.
- 17 If during a shoot-out competition (including during any penalty stroke which is awarded) a player is suspended by a yellow or red card:
- a that player takes no further part in that shoot-out competition and, unless a goalkeeper / defending player, cannot be replaced;
 - b the replacement for a suspended goalkeeper / defending player can only come from the five players of that team nominated to take part in the shoot-out competition:
 - i the replacement goalkeeper / defending player is allowed reasonable time to put on protective equipment similar to that which the goalkeeper/defending player they are replacing was wearing;
 - ii for taking their own shoot-out, this player is allowed reasonable time to take off their protective equipment to take their shoot-out and subsequently to put it on again.
 - c any shoot-out due to be taken by a suspended player is forfeited; any goals scored by this player before being suspended count as a goal.

- 18 If during a shoot-out competition, a defending goalkeeper / defending player is incapacitated:
- a that goalkeeper / defending player may be replaced by another player from among the players listed on the Match Report for that particular match, except as excluded in this Appendix or unless suspended by an Umpire during the shoot-out competition;
 - b the replacement goalkeeper:
 - i is allowed reasonable time to put on protective equipment similar to that which the incapacitated goalkeeper / defending player was wearing;
 - ii if this replacement is also nominated to take a shoot-out, this player is allowed reasonable time to take off his protective equipment to take his shoot-out and subsequently to put it on again.
- 19 If during a shoot-out competition, an attacker is incapacitated, that attacker may be replaced by another player from among the players listed on the Match Report for that particular match, except as excluded above or unless suspended by an Umpire during the shoot-out competition.
- 20 If an equal number of goals are scored after each team has taken five shoot-outs:
- a a second series of five shoot-outs is taken with the same players, subject to the conditions specified in this Appendix;
 - b the sequence in which the attackers take the shoot-outs need not be the same as in the first series;
 - c the team whose player took the first shoot-out in a series defends the first shoot-out of the next series;
 - d when one team has scored or been awarded one more goal than the opposing team after each team has taken the same number of shoot-outs, not necessarily being all five shoot-outs, that team is the winner.
- 21 If an equal number of goals are scored after a second series of five shoot-outs, additional series of shoot-outs are taken with the same players subject to the conditions specified in this Appendix:
- a the sequence in which the attackers take the shoot-outs need not be the same in any subsequent series;
 - b the team which starts each shoot-out series alternates for each series.
- 22 Unless varied by this Appendix or Appendix 1, the Rules of Hockey apply during a shoot-out.

APPENDIX 4

FIH CODE OF CONDUCT

1. PURPOSE, SCOPE AND APPLICATION

- 1.1 The International Hockey Federation (FIH) is recognised by the International Olympic Committee as the sole ultimate governing body for the sport of Hockey throughout the world and the *Code of Conduct* is adopted and implemented as part of FIH's continuing efforts to preserve the integrity of the sport of *Hockey*.
- 1.2 The *Code of Conduct* aims to promote the highest standard of behaviour and conduct in the administration, coaching and playing of hockey and is an effective means to deter any *Participant* from conducting themselves improperly both on and off the field-of-play or in a manner that is contrary to the spirit of hockey.
- 1.3 Unless otherwise indicated, words in italicised text in the *Code of Conduct* are defined terms and their definitions are set out in Article 3.
- 1.4 All *Participants* are automatically bound by and required to comply with all of the provisions of the *Code of Conduct*. Accordingly, by their participation in a *Match* or an *International Event*, such *Participant* shall be deemed to have agreed that it is their personal responsibility to familiarise themselves with all of the requirements of the *Code of Conduct*, including what conduct constitutes an offence under the *Code of Conduct*.
- 1.5 The National Association of each participating team is responsible for informing and educating *Participants* about the *Code of Conduct*. National Associations shall share liability with *Participants* should breaches of the *Code of Conduct* occur.
- 1.6 All *Participants* are bound by the *Code of Conduct* at all times and shall continue to be bound by and required to comply with the *Code of Conduct* until they have not participated in an *International Event* during the *Applicability Period*. During the *Applicability Period*, *FIH* shall have jurisdiction over all *Participants* under the *Code of Conduct*.
- 1.7 The Technical Delegate has jurisdiction to deal with breaches of the *Code of Conduct* during the tournament (unless the Technical Delegate is in breach, in which case, the matter will be dealt with by the *FIH Chief Executive Officer*). After the *International Event* has been completed and at all other times, any breaches of the *Code of Conduct* shall be dealt with by the *FIH Chief Executive Officer*, who may refer matters to the *FIH Disciplinary Commissioner* for a decision, if appropriate. Breaches of the *Code of Conduct* by *FIH* Representatives and staff shall be dealt with in accordance with *FIH Staff Procedures*.
- 1.8 Further information about the application of the *Code of Conduct*, appeal process, Guidelines on Sanctions and the Process for Hearing and Determining Any Reported Offence is contained in *FIH Tournament Regulations*.
- 1.9 The *Code of Conduct* came into full force and effect at *FIH* level on 1 May 2016 (the *Effective Date*) and superseded the previous *Code of Conduct* as from that date. It may be amended from time to time by *FIH*.

2: CODE OF CONDUCT OFFENCES

2.1 General Behaviour

- a *Participants* shall comply at all times with the *FIH Statutes* and General Regulations, Rules of Hockey, *FIH Tournament Regulations*, *FIH Anti-Doping Rules*, *FIH Integrity Code*, the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions, *FIH Media Policy*, *FIH Code of Conduct* and any other rules and regulations that may come into force from time to time.
- b *Participants* shall always use their best efforts during a *Match* when competing in an *International Event*.
- c *Participants* shall conduct themselves fairly, properly and in an acceptable manner on and off the field of play, including inside or around the hockey venue and accommodation.
- d *Participants* shall not act (or fail to act) in any way which may harm the interests and reputation of the *FIH*, a *Continental Federation* or *National Association* or bring *Hockey* into disrepute.

Conduct described in 2.2 to 2.4 below, if committed by a *Participant* during an *International Event*, shall amount to an offence by a *Participant* under the *Code of Conduct*.

Comment: Where considered helpful, guidance notes have been provided beneath the description of a particular offence. Such notes are intended only to provide guidance as to the nature and examples of certain conduct that might be prohibited by a particular Article and should not be read as an exhaustive or limiting list of conduct prohibited by such Article.

2.2 Specific Offences – Level One

The penalty for a Level 1 Offence shall be an official reprimand or a suspension of the individual for a minimum of one match with or without an official reprimand.

- a Using language or gesture(s) that is obscene, offensive or of an insulting nature.

Note: This includes: (i) excessively audible or repetitious swearing; and (ii) obscene gestures which are not directed at another person, such as swearing in frustration at one's own poor play or misfortune.

- b Showing dissent at an Umpire's decision

Note: Dissent will include disputing / protesting, reacting in a provocative or disapproving manner in an inappropriate way towards any decision made by an Umpire or other official. This may include arguing or entering into a prolonged discussion with an Umpire or a Technical Official about the decision.

- c Charging or advancing towards an Umpire or Technical Official in an aggressive manner during an *International Event*.

- d Excessive appealing of an Umpire's, Video Umpire's or Technical Official's decision, or crowding an Umpire or Technical Official.

Note: Excessive appealing shall include repeated appealing of the same decision / appeal.

- e Throwing a stick or ball (or any other object or item of equipment) at or near another *Participant* or any other person in an inappropriate and / or dangerous manner.

f Deliberate, reckless or careless physical contact between players in the course of play.

Note: Without limitation, *Participants* will breach this article if they deliberately, recklessly or carelessly push, walk or run into another *Participant*.

g Feigning injury and / or overreacting to alleged physical contact from another player.

Note: Without limitation, *Participants* will breach this article if they deliberately fake an injury in order to penalise another *Participant* against whom it is alleged committed a foul against him/her.

h Abuse of hockey equipment or clothing, venue equipment or fixtures and fittings.

Note: This includes any action(s) outside the course of normal hockey actions, such as hitting or kicking the goal posts and any action(s) which intentionally or negligently results in damage to the team benches, advertising boards, dressing room doors, mirrors, windows and other fixtures and fittings.

i Breach of FIH's Uniform Advertising Policy or FIH Team Dress Protocol

Note: One of the core objectives of FIH Uniform Advertising Policy and FIH Team Dress Protocol is to ensure appropriate and professional standards of appearance on the field of play and during opening and closing ceremonies at *International Events* and to prevent any practices that undermine that objective.

j Breach of FIH Media Policy

Note: One of the core objectives of FIH Media Policy is to ensure compliance with all contractual obligations imposed upon FIH by its media partner(s). This includes failure by a *Participant* to participate in a press conference when requested to do so by FIH.

k Public criticism of, or inappropriate public comment in relation to an incident occurring in an *International Match* or any *Participant* or team participating in any *International Match* or *FIH*, generally, irrespective of when such criticism or inappropriate comment is made.

l Where the facts of the alleged incident are not adequately or clearly covered by any of the above offences, conduct that either is contrary to the spirit of the game or brings the game into disrepute.

Note: Article 2.2 l is intended to be a 'catch-all' provision to cover any type of conduct of a minor nature that is not, and because of its nature cannot be, adequately covered by the specific offences set out elsewhere in the *Code of Conduct*.

2.3 Specific Offences – Level Two

The penalty for a Level 2 offence shall be a suspension of the individual for a minimum of two matches.

a Using language or gesture(s) that is seriously obscene, seriously offensive or have a seriously insulting nature to another *Participant* or any other third person.

Note: It is acknowledged that there will be verbal exchanges between Players in the course of play. Rather than seeking to eliminate these exchanges entirely, Umpires or technical officials will be required to report such conduct that falls below an acceptable standard.

b Serious public criticism of, or inappropriate public comment in relation to an incident occurring in an *International Match* or any *Participant* or team participating in any *International Match* or *FIH*, generally, irrespective of when such criticism or inappropriate comment is made.

- c Any attempt to manipulate any *Match* or *International Event* for inappropriate strategic or tactical reasons.

Note: This is intended to prevent the manipulation of *Matches* for inappropriate strategic or tactical reasons (such as when a team deliberately loses a pool *Match* in an *International Event* in order to affect the standings of other teams in that event). It is not intended to cover any corrupt or fraudulent acts (including any use of inside information and / or related betting activity). Such conduct is prohibited under the FIH Integrity Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions and must be dealt with according to the procedures set out therein.

- d Intimidation of an Umpire or other third person whether by language or conduct (including gestures) during an *International Match*.

Note: Includes appealing in an aggressive or threatening manner.

- e Threat of assault or physical assault (without injury) on a *Participant* or any other third person.

Note: This offence is not intended to cover threats of assault, which are prohibited under Article 2.4.

- f Where the facts of the alleged incident are not adequately or clearly covered by any of the above offences, conduct that is either contrary to the spirit of the game or brings the game into disrepute

Note: Article 2.3 f is intended to be a 'catch-all' provision to cover any type of conduct of a serious nature that is not, and because of its nature cannot be, adequately covered by the specific offences set out elsewhere in the *Code of Conduct*

2.4 Specific Offences – Level Three

The penalty for a Level 3 offence shall be a suspension of the individual for a minimum of five matches.

- a Threat of assault or physical assault (without injury) on an Umpire or Technical Official
- b Physical assault of another *Participant* or any other person (including a spectator)
- c Any act of violence on or off the field of play during an *International Event*.
- d Where the facts of the alleged incident are not adequately or clearly covered by any of the above offences, conduct that is either contrary to the spirit of the game, or brings the game into disrepute

Note: Article 2.4 f is intended to be a 'catch-all' provision to cover any type of conduct of a very serious nature that is not, and because of its nature cannot be, adequately covered by the specific offences set out elsewhere in the *Code of Conduct*.

3. DEFINITIONS

Applicability Period

For the purpose of this *Code of Conduct*, this is defined as a period of 3 months after the last *International Event* that a *Participant* has taken part in.

Code of Conduct

This Code of Conduct, as amended from time to time.

Continental Federation / National Association

A continental or national entity which is a member of or is recognised by *FIH* as the entity governing the sport of hockey in a continent/country.

Disciplinary Commissioner

The Disciplinary Commissioner appointed in accordance with Article 11.1 of *FIH Statutes*

Effective Date

As defined in Article 1.9

Executive Board.

The Executive Board of *FIH*.

FIH

The International Hockey Federation.

FIH Chief Executive Officer

The person appointed by *FIH* from time to time to act in that role, or his / her designee.

Hockey

The sport of hockey, including both field and indoor hockey and all current and future forms, variations and/or derivatives of the game modified or derived from its traditional form, irrespective of the number of players involved, or the type of venue or playing surface used (excluding only ice-hockey), as decided from time to time by the Executive Board.

Match

A hockey match of any format and duration in length in which two hockey teams compete against each other to which *FIH* deems it appropriate that the *Code of Conduct* should apply.

International Event.

A duly sanctioned match or event contested by national representative teams.

Participants

Participants shall be considered as the following:

- a All *National Association* team members and officials including Players, Team Management, Coaching Staff, Medical Staff, Technical Support Staff and any duly appointed representatives of the *National Associations* of the participating teams.
- b All *FIH* tournament officials including the *FIH* Representatives, *FIH* staff, Technical Delegate, Technical Officials, Umpires' Managers, Medical Officers, Media Officers, Umpires and any other ad hoc officials appointed by the *FIH* or the organising committee.
- c The host *National Association's* representatives and the members of the organising committee.

Statutes

Statutes of *FIH*.

APPENDIX 5

FIH CODE OF CONDUCT – GUIDELINES TO TECHNICAL DELEGATES ON PROCESS FOR HEARING AND DETERMINING ANY REPORTED OFFENCE

1 THE REPORT

All reports of any offence against the FIH Code of Conduct shall be made to the Technical Delegate.

The Technical Delegate is to determine the level of the offence.

A report can be received by the Technical Delegate from any person but if received later than 24 hours after the occurrence of the conduct said to constitute the offence the Technical Delegate must exercise discretion as to whether to accept such a report. That discretion is to be exercised taking into account the seriousness of the reported behaviour and the reason for the delay in making the report.

2 PRINCIPLES OF NATURAL JUSTICE

Principles of natural justice apply in the following way.

The Technical Delegate will advise the Team Manager of:

- the fact of the report of an offence;
- the identity of the team member(s) reported;
- the level of the offence;
- the time and place of the hearing;
- details of the conduct and the mode of proof of it;
- if the report was received later than 24 hours after the occurrence of the conduct said to constitute the offence the Technical Delegate must state the reasons for the exercise of the discretion to accept the report. No appeal from the exercise of that discretion is available.

3 THE HEARING

The Technical Delegate must chair the meeting (subject to delegation for reason of conflict of interest).

The hearing must be attended by the person the subject of the report and one representative if they desire (in addition the person the subject of the charge may be assisted by an interpreter).

The Technical Delegate must outline the evidence relied on to support the report including showing any video footage.

The team member is to be asked for their response to the report, ie do they accept the offence charged or not. The team member must be permitted to present material as to either or both of the fact of the offence or penalty.

Should the person who is the subject of the report fail to attend the hearing, the hearing shall take place in the absence of that person and the fact of the failure to attend shall be taken into account in the determination of the appropriate penalty in the event that an offence is found to have been committed.

4 THE DECISION

The decision should be in writing and read to the person the subject of the report by the Technical Delegate (through an interpreter if necessary). It should deal (at least) with the following matters:

- a whether or not the team member accepts the breach of the Code of Conduct;
- b if the team member does not accept the breach, a finding as to whether a breach has occurred and why.

Should it be found (or agreed) that an offence has been committed either the minimum penalty will be imposed or, at the entire discretion of the Technical Delegate, a greater penalty. If a greater penalty is being considered then:

- a the disciplinary history of the team member;
- b the attitude of the team member at the hearing;
- c any penalty already incurred, eg if a card was given during the match the length of time of any suspension served under that card;
- d the seriousness of the offence by comparison with other offences at this level

will be taken into account by the Technical Delegate in imposing a greater penalty and details of which will be set out in the written decision.

5 DEFINITION OF THE PENALTY

A clear definition of the penalty will include:

- a the numbers of matches for which the team members is suspended;
- b the date of commencement of the suspension;
- c a statement whether, in the view of the Technical Delegate, any additional period of suspension or other penalty to take effect beyond the conclusion of the competition should be imposed or may be appropriate; and, if so
 - i a statement that the decision to impose any further suspension or penalty is referred to the FIH Chief Executive Officer for further consideration by the FIH Disciplinary Commissioner; and
 - ii a summary of the Technical Delegate's reasons that may justify the imposition of an additional suspension or other penalty.

APPENDIX 6

FIH MEDIA POLICY

1 PURPOSE, SCOPE AND APPLICATION

- 1.1 The International Hockey Federation (*FIH*) is recognised by the International Olympic Committee as the sole ultimate governing body for the sport of *Hockey* throughout the world. *FIH's* purpose is to raise the global status and popularity of hockey. The Media Policy (the *Policy*) is adopted and implemented as part of *FIH's* strategy to unite the hockey community to reach its ambition - a global game that inspires the next generation.
- 1.2 The *Policy* aims to assist in the management of the relationship between the accredited media covering *International Events* and *Participants*. Crucially, this *Policy* also assists in maximizing and enhancing the media coverage of *International Events* to help achieve *FIH's* purpose.
- 1.3 Unless otherwise indicated, words in italicised text in the *Policy* are defined terms and their definitions are set out in Article 5 of this policy.
- 1.4 All *Participants* are automatically bound by and required to comply with all of the provisions of the *Policy*. Accordingly, by their participation in a *Match* or an *International Event*, such *Participants* shall be deemed to have agreed that it is their personal responsibility to familiarise themselves with all of the requirements of the *Policy* and acknowledge non-compliance with the *Policy* may result in disciplinary action being taken against them.
- 1.5 While this *Policy* sets out general guidelines and minimum requirements *FIH* reserves the right to apply flexibility whenever needed, for the benefit of all parties, and to modify them following consultation with the *Participants*.
- 1.6 The *Policy* incorporates the Social Media Guidelines set out in Article 3 of this *Policy*.
- 1.7 The *National Association* of each participating team is responsible for informing and educating *Participants* about the *Policy* and ensuring that each *Participant's* media (and social media) activity prior to, during and after the *International Event* is in accordance with the *Policy* and does not bring the name of *FIH* and sport of *Hockey* into disrepute.
- 1.8 Each Participant acknowledges the importance of communicating and cooperating with the media in order to enhance the image of *International Events*. The *Policy* applies to all *Participants* for the duration of the *International Event* (from the start of the Outward Journey until the conclusion of the Homeward Journey).
- 1.9 The *Code of Conduct* came into full force and effect at *FIH* level on 1 May 2016 (the *Effective Date*) and superseded the previous *Policy* as from that date. It may be amended from time to time by *FIH*.

2. MEDIA ACTIVITIES

- 2.1 *Participants*, and in particular, Captains shall participate in media conferences / briefings.

- 2.2 *Participants* shall participate in media activities. Media activities may vary from each *International Event*, but shall include training sessions, school visits, personal appearances, photo opportunities and media conferences / briefings. Still and moving images from these media activities may be used for promotional and broadcast production.
- 2.3 *Participants* shall take part in promotional video shoots or other similar activity as may be reasonably required by *FIH*. These may be scheduled on non-match days.
- 2.4 *Participants* shall participate in TV and / or radio interviews pre and post *Matches*, throughout the *International Event*, for promotional activity and international broadcast.
- 2.5 The capturing of team “huddles” may take place before the start of any period of a *Match*
- 2.6 Each changing room may have a small remote-controlled camera installed which will be used according to the following protocol:
- a the location of the cameras will be indicated to Team Managers
 - b a red cue light will indicate when the camera is live to air
 - c shots will be wide angled to encompass the team rather than focused on individuals
 - d these cameras will provide vision only; there will be no audio
 - e the maximum usage is specified below, however not all shots will be used for each *Match*
 - f use of the shots will be determined by the Host Broadcaster for each *Match*
 - g shots from changing room cameras may only be used at the following times:
 - i a single shot may be transmitted from each changing room on a delayed basis as part of a pre-recorded sequence showing the team arriving at the venue, exiting the mode of transport, moving into the tunnel area and entering the changing room. It will be a wide shot of the team entering the changing room moving to and placing their gear in their respective positions
 - ii a single shot from each changing room of a maximum of 20 seconds may be transmitted live between 8 and 10 minutes before the start of a *Match*. These shots should show the final team huddle / interaction prior to leaving the changing room
 - iii during half-time a single shot from each changing room for a maximum of 20 seconds may be transmitted live at a specified time
 - iv subject to prior agreement with each individual team, a maximum of 2 shots post-*Match* from each changing room may be recorded and broadcast on a delayed basis. These will be a maximum of 20 seconds duration each. Agreement on the use of these shots can be reached based on results (eg it may be agreed that these shots are not used if a team loses a *Match*)
- 2.7 *Participants* may receive requests for quarter-time and half-time interviews, however these are subject to agreement by the respective Team Management and *FIH*.
- 2.8 A compulsory post-match Mixed Zone or equivalent will be in operation following all *Matches*. It will be managed by *FIH* and *TOCOG*; it is designed for brief commentary on the *Match*, not detailed interviews. The Mixed Zone, or its equivalent, is a managed area where the accredited media have the opportunity to interview players and coaching staff as they leave the match

venue. Players and coaching staff are separated from the media by means of suitable barriers. The Mixed Zone opens following the end of the *Match*. The host broadcaster will have priority in terms of access to *Participants* in the Mixed Zone. This is followed by TV and radio rights holders, then broadcast non-rights holders and finally the written press. All players and coaches should leave the match venue through the Mixed Zone, unless otherwise agreed by the FIH Event Director.

- 2.9 *Participants* will be required to give compulsory flash interviews:
- a prior to the start of the third period of a *Match*
 - b within one (1) minute of the end of a *Match* / Shoot-out, unless it is deemed unreasonable to do so by the FIH Event Director
 - c the captains of the two teams shall attend one world feed interview on the field or in close proximity of the changing room immediately after the end of the *Match* / Shoot-out and prior to returning to the changing room
 - d each interview will be conducted in English by the Host Broadcaster's reporter
 - e *FIH* may put in place a process to select a Player of the Match for each *Match*; if this happens the Player of the Match will conduct a flash interview after the final whistle / Shoot-out and prior to returning to the changing room
- 2.10 *Participants* shall participate in a Highlights Show, by providing an interview and / or commentary, which will be broadcast after the conclusion of the world feed.
- 2.11 *Participants* shall participate in guest slots during live broadcast
- 2.12 *Participants* shall participate in a "Master Class" slot during broadcast. This will provide an opportunity to analyse performances individually and as a team and will take place on non-match days.
- 2.13 *FIH* or the broadcasters will provide a set of headphones to the team benches so that *Participants'* reaction can be captured during a *Match*.
- 2.14 Umpires may be required to wear for broadcasting purposes specifically designed cameras and / or microphones.

3. SOCIAL MEDIA ACTIVITIES

- 3.1 *FIH* recognises the importance of social media for *Participants* communicating with hockey fans. The *FIH* Social Media Guidelines, a copy of which can be found on the *FIH* web site at <http://socialmedia.fih.ch> have been developed to reflect standards expected from *Participants* at *International Events*. These Social Media Guidelines apply equally to all *Participants* and will sit alongside each Participating National Association's existing guidelines. Breaches of the Social Media Guidelines shall be treated in the same manner as any other breaches of this *Policy* and / or the *Code of Conduct*. Breaches of the Social Media Policy by *FIH* Representatives and staff shall be dealt with in accordance with the *FIH* Staff Procedures.
- 3.2 In addition to the Social Media Guidelines, any social media activity, including tweeting, is not permitted from the field of play, technical table and / or team bench during a *Match*.

4. **IMAGE AND DATA RIGHTS**

- 4.1 *Participants* consent to be filmed, televised, photographed, identified and / or otherwise recorded during *International Events*, and that their captured or recorded images, together with their name, likeness, voice, performance and biographical information, may be used in any content, format and through any media or technology whether now existing or created in the future, by *FIH* and third parties authorised by *FIH* during and after an *International Event* in perpetuity in relation to the promotion of the *International Event*, the sport of *Hockey* and *FIH*, in a commercial or non-commercial manner
- 4.2 The copyright of footage and photographic images produced by *FIH* and third parties remains with *FIH*. Written permission from *FIH* must be given for any *Participant* or third party to use the footage / images.
- 4.3 All rights to exploit any news and information services and content arising from the *International Event* are retained by *FIH*, including, without limitation, all data, stills, audio and audio visual archive.
- 4.4 *Participants* consent to their personal information (“Personal Data”) being collected by *FIH* and organising committees, and to such data being stored and used by *FIH* and organising committees in any place required for its operation, for the purposes of facilitating his / her participation in, and / or organising, *International Events*. This consent includes the right for *FIH* and organising committees to collect and process their Personal Data, including where necessary to share such data with law enforcement authorities and other third parties, in all manners necessary for the following purposes:
- a security risk assessments
 - b manage accreditations
 - c carry out anti-doping activities
 - d manage tournaments and results
 - e provide services to participants and the media
 - f investigation and/or prosecution of breaches of any of *FIH Statutes*, *Code of Conduct* and other applicable rules and regulations (which may require, for example, the collection relevant information in relation to the prevention of the manipulation of competitions);
 - g statistics, historical studies and other *FIH* approved research projects conducted during and after the *International Event*
 - h any other data processing operation to which they provide their express consent to *FIH* and / or the organising committee.

5. **DEFINITIONS**

Code of Conduct

The *FIH* Code of Conduct

Continental Federation / National Association

A continental or national entity which is a member of or is recognised by the *FIH* as the entity governing the sport of hockey in a continent / country.

Effective Date.

As defined in Article 1.9

Executive Board

The Executive Board of *FIH*.

FIH

The International Hockey Federation.

Hockey

The sport of hockey, including both field and indoor hockey and all current and future forms, variations and / or derivatives of the game modified or derived from its traditional form, irrespective of the number of players involved, or the type of venue or playing surface used (excluding only ice-hockey), as decided from time to time by the *Executive Board*.

Homeward Journey

The air, rail or coach passage between a single international airport, train station or point of departure in the host country of the *International Event* as applicable and a single international airport, train station or point of arrival in the *National Association's* home territory (with the exception of the Host *National Association*).

International Event.

A duly sanctioned *Match* or event contested by national representative teams.

Match

A hockey match of any format and duration in length in which two teams compete against each other to which the *FIH* deems it appropriate that the *Media Policy* should apply.

Media Policy (The Policy).

The *FIH Media Policy* as amended from time to time.

Outward Journey

The air, rail or coach passage between a single international airport, train station or point of departure in the home territory of a *National Association* (other than the Host *National Association*) and a single international airport, train station or point of arrival in the host country of the *International Event*.

Participants

Participants shall be considered as the following:

- a All *National Association* team members and officials including Players, Team Management, Coaching Staff, Medical Staff, Technical Support Staff and any duly appointed representatives of the *National Associations* of the participating teams.
- b All *FIH* tournament officials including the *FIH* Representatives, *FIH* staff, Technical Delegate, Technical Officials, Umpires' Managers, Medical Officers, Media Officers, Umpires and any other ad hoc officials appointed by the *FIH* or the organising committee.
- c The host *National Association's* representatives and the members of the organising committee.

Statutes

Statutes of *FIH*

APPENDIX 7

FIH UNIFORM ADVERTISING POLICY

1 PURPOSE, SCOPE AND APPLICATION

- 1.1 The International Hockey Federation (*FIH*) is recognised by the International Olympic Committee as the sole ultimate governing body for the sport of *Hockey* throughout the world. *FIH's* purpose is to raise the global status and popularity of hockey. The Uniform Advertising Policy (the *Policy*) is adopted and implemented as part of *FIH's* strategy to build a recognized powerful image for hockey.
- 1.2 Placing the national and *FIH* identity of athletes at the forefront helps to distinguish *FIH International Events*, whilst respecting the significant contribution that sponsors and sporting goods manufacturers provide.
- 1.3 Unless otherwise indicated, words in italicised text in the *Policy* are defined terms and their definitions are set out in Article 4 of this *Policy*.
- 1.4 All *Participants* are automatically bound by and required to comply with all of the provisions of the *Policy*. Accordingly, by their participation in a *Match* or an *International Event*, such *Participants* shall be deemed to have agreed that it is their personal responsibility to familiarise themselves with all of the requirements of the *Policy* and acknowledge non-compliance with the *Policy* may result in disciplinary action being taken against them.
- 1.5 While this *Policy* sets out general guidelines and minimum requirements *FIH* reserves the right to apply flexibility whenever needed, for the benefit of all parties, and to modify them following consultation with the *Participants*.
- 1.6 The *National Association* of each participating team is responsible for informing and educating *Participants* about the *Policy* and ensuring that each *Participant* complies with it.

2 MANUFACTURER IDENTIFICATION

- 2.1 An item of clothing or equipment may display the manufacturer's identification in the form of the name, trademark, logo, or any other distinctive sign of the manufacturer of the item, when worn or used by a player, official or umpire whilst playing or officiating in any event subject to the following limitations.
- 2.2 The display may appear once only on any article of clothing other than socks, except on shirts where it may be repeated in the one or two figure(s) of the number(s) on the back of the shirts. Any such displays may not exceed the overall size of 30 cm² per item of clothing.
- 2.3 For socks, one Identification of the Manufacturer per sock will be permitted, to a maximum size of 10 cm²
- 2.4 In addition to the manufacturer's identification in Article 1.2 above, one additional identification limited to Product Technology will be allowed on clothing, with a maximum size of 10 cm².

- 2.5 Authorised identifications may not appear close or adjacent to each other, in order to avoid a composite logo effect or a repetitive effect. This applies also in case of several layers of items worn by the same person or for one-piece body suits
- 2.6 Where one-piece body suits are used in competition, one identification of the manufacturer shall be permitted above the waist and one below the waist, each to be no larger than the maximum size noted above; however these identifications shall not be placed immediately adjacent to each other
- 2.7 In respect of outfield players' gloves and armbands, one identification of the manufacturer per glove or armband will be permitted to a maximum size of 10 cm².
- 2.8 There is no restriction on equipment, headgear or shoes.

3 SPONSORS' ADVERTISEMENTS

3.1 Interpretation

- a The definition of "sponsor advertising" includes all funding bodies such as national lotteries, National Olympic Committees and public or private companies. Uniforms may carry advertisements as specified in clause 3.3 below.
- b All measurements are taken as the area within a rectangle drawn around the advertisement. Further information on the positions of the advertising sites see <http://www.fih.ch/files/Sport/Event%20Management/Uniform%20Advertising.pdf>
- c Advertising must conform to all domestic legislation and regulations in force at the venue at which the team is competing. It is the responsibility of the *National Association* of each participating team to ensure compliance.
- d No advertising will be permitted that is deemed by *FIH* to be detrimental to the positive image of the game.
- e Temporary skin tattoos are not permitted as advertising media.

3.2 Procedure for Approval

- a The National Association should advise *FIH* not less than 3 weeks before the tournament that it wishes to advertise on the players' or umpires' / officials' uniforms, as to the following:
 - i the company(ies) / organisation(s) product(s) / business type and country(ies) of origin;
 - ii the size of advertisement(s) (sample in full scale to be submitted);
 - iii the text of the advertisement(s);
 - iv the position(s) of the advertisement(s) on the uniform.
- b Only written approval by *FIH* is valid. Approval will be given (or denied) within one week after submission to *FIH*. The approval, when given, is valid for any subsequent event.
- c Changes to approved advertisements must be approved by *FIH* in the same manner.

- d *FIH* will publish the list of approved advertisements on its official website (www.fih.ch). Host organisers who wish to register a conflict of interest between a tournament sponsor and a participating team's sponsor must advise *FIH* in writing not less than one week prior to the start of the event. A decision will be made at the discretion of *FIH*.

3.3 Athletes' Uniforms

Advertising in the form of companies' names, logos or trademarks or any other distinctive signs are permitted when expressly authorised by *FIH*, as described below:

- a on the front of the player's shirt - area not exceeding 350 cm²;
- b on the upper arm of both shirt sleeves - size not exceeding 80 cm² on each sleeve;
- c on the reverse of the player's shirt below the player's number - area not exceeding 200 cm²;
- d on the front of the shirt collar (both sides) - size not exceeding 40 cm² each collar;
- e on the side panels of the shirt (both sides) – size not exceeding 100 cm² each panel;
- f where a team wears a singlet style shirt (i.e. no collar) replacement advertisements of size not exceeding 40 cm² each may be placed near the neckline of the shirt;
- g on the back of the player's shorts / skirt / skorts below the waistline - area not exceeding 100 cm²;
- h on one front leg (opposite the player's number) of the player's shorts / skirt / skorts - size not exceeding 80 cm² each leg.
- i on the sides or back of socks – size not exceeding 100cm².
- j Below the collar on the reverse of the shirt is reserved for *FIH* use.
- k There are no restrictions on the size of the national emblem or name of the team.

Notes Advertisements a, b and d – i must be the same for all field players. Advertisement c may vary but the different advertisements must all be contained within the same sized rectangle drawn around the advertisements.

Advertisements on Goalkeepers shirts, if different from field players, must be subject to agreement of *FIH*, who will apply the principles outlined above.

3.4 Umpires / Officials' Uniforms

Advertising in the form of a company's name, logo or trademark or any other distinctive sign of the manufacturer is permitted when expressly authorised by *FIH*, as described below:

- a on the front of the umpires / officials' shirts – size not exceeding 350 cm²;
- b on the upper arm of one or both shirt sleeves - size not exceeding 80 cm² each;
- c on the back of the umpires / officials' shirts, below the umpire's name – size not exceeding 350 cm²;
- d the host organizer or *FIH* may add a tournament, National Association or *FIH* logo to the uniform, in place of the national emblem, with no restriction on size of the logo.

3.5 Other Clothing and Equipment

- a Advertising that conforms to Article 3.1 above, is permitted on training clothing (tracksuits, etc), sports bags, medical bags, etc.
- b Sponsors' advertising is not permitted on any playing equipment – sticks, helmets, gloves etc.

3.6 Continental and Other Club Events

Advertising guidelines for these events are the responsibility of the respective *Continental Federations* or other body controlling the event.

Illustrations of Uniform Advertising

<http://www.fih.ch/files/Sport/Event%20Management/Uniform%20Advertising.pdf>

4. DEFINITIONS

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A duly sanctioned *Match* or event contested by national representative teams.

FIH Uniform Advertising Policy (The Policy).

The *FIH* Uniform Advertising Policy as amended from time to time.

Participants

Participants shall be considered as the following:

- a All *National Association* team members and officials including Players, Team Management, Coaching Staff, Medical Staff, Technical Support Staff and any duly appointed representatives of the *National Associations* of the participating teams.
- b All *FIH* tournament officials including *FIH* Representatives, *FIH* staff, Technical Delegate, Technical Officials, Umpires' Managers, Medical Officers, Media Officers, Umpires and any other ad hoc officials appointed by *FIH* or the organising committee.
- c The host *National Association's* representatives and the members of the organising committee.

Statutes

Statutes of *FIH*

APPENDIX 8

CONTINGENCY PLAN CONCERNING COMPETITION SCHEDULE

1 BACKGROUND

This Appendix intends to guide decision making and identify potential thresholds in the event of a match being delayed, postponed, interrupted, rescheduled or cancelled, rather than provide solutions to all possible eventualities. It will enable the FIH and TOCOG to assess the potential course of action to be taken if any of the broad scenarios introduced below occur. The following definitions are taken from the ORIS document

DELAYED: A delay may occur if a match does not start as scheduled, but should start within the current ticketing session. The new start time is unknown. If the delay exceeds the current ticketing session, the status will be changed to postponed, rescheduled or cancelled.

POSTPONED: A match did not start as scheduled and has been postponed to a later ticketing session. The new date and start time is unknown. The status will subsequently be changed to rescheduled or cancelled. If an interrupted match cannot be resumed within the current ticketing session and the new date and start time is unknown, the status will be changed to postponed. The status will subsequently be changed to rescheduled or cancelled.

INTERRUPTED: A match may be subject to an unplanned interruption after it has started. The time of resumption is unknown. If the match cannot be completed within the current ticketing session, the status will be changed to postponed, rescheduled or cancelled. If the match will be held in a different ticketing session, the output "Starting Line-Up" (C54) will be reissued as "REVISED" however the teams cannot change their declared starting line-ups once the match has started.

RESCHEDULED: A match may be rescheduled if it cannot be held at the originally scheduled start date/time. The new date and start time are known. If it is impossible to reschedule a session or phase of competition within a certain time frame, the status may be changed to cancelled. If the match can be rescheduled, the output "Starting Line-Up" (C54) will be reissued as "REVISED". Teams may revise a previously declared starting line-up in this case.

CANCELLED: A match which cannot be rescheduled prior to the Closing Ceremony of the Olympic Games is cancelled.

For the Ready Steady Tokyo Test Event, FIH will decide what effect the situation would have on the tournament and what actions should be taken.

2 EXAMPLES OF DELAY/POSTPONEMENT CAUSES

The list below outlines a range of examples that may lead to a delay, postponement, interruption. The list is illustrative; it is not intended to be exhaustive.

2.1 Oi Hockey Stadium:

- a competition venue structural issues;
- b Field of Play unsuitable for competition;
- c power failure;

- d public / spectator behaviour issues;
- e safety / security issues;
- f sport equipment issues.

2.2 Weather:

- a actual or immediate threat of lightening;
- b heavy rain causing flooding of the surface of play.

3 INTERRUPTIONS TO A MATCH

- 3.1 If a match has to be interrupted by either the umpires or the Technical Officials, every effort will be made to resume this match as soon as possible (not necessarily on the same field of play or on the same day) using the rescheduling management guidelines below.
- 3.2 The match must be completed up to the regulation full time or the completion any shoot-out competition as the case may be, the score on the resumption being that at the time the interruption took place. On resumption, Regulation 9 relating to the substitution of players shall apply as though there had been no interruption to the match.

4 RESCHEDULING MANAGEMENT PRINCIPLES

The table below outlines the broad management guidelines that will guide the rescheduling of any match(es) which have been delayed, postponed, interrupted or cancelled at different stages of a session or day and at different stages of the competition.

Scenario	Timing threshold	Potential management
1a Delay reported in first match of days 1, 2 and 4. Can be managed without affecting the scheduled warm up and start time of the second match.	Up to a maximum of 15 minutes delay.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce changeover times. • Reduce pitch watering times. • 25 minutes is available between the first match and warm up for the second match within a session. 10 minutes to be retained for post match protocols to take place.
1b Delay reported in first match of days 1 and 2. Can be managed within the same session on the same pitch but affects the scheduled warm up and start time of the second match.	Up to a maximum of 135 minutes delay (2 hours 15mins).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Play this match to a completion on same Pitch to maintain the same environment / delivery. • Reschedule the second match of the session to Rest Day.
1c Delay reported in second match on days 1 & 2 but can be managed within the same session on the same day and the same pitch.	Up to a maximum of 40 minutes delay	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete match on same pitch.

1d	Delay reported in second match on days 1 & 2 and cannot be managed within the same session on the same day and the same pitch.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete Match on Rest Day
1e	Delay reported in first or second match on day 4 and cannot be managed within the same session on the same day and the same pitch.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Play matches on day 5 and CANCEL classification matches
2a	Matches during the preliminary round on days 1 and 2 cannot be completed on the day(s) scheduled. Postponement	Loss of entire day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Play matches on Rest Day
2b	Matches during the preliminary round cannot be completed in the existing venue on the day(s) scheduled, or re-scheduled in the case of the Rest Day. Postponement and Cancellation	Loss of the entire day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Play matches on day 5 and CANCEL classification matches.
3a	One match during the classification round cannot be completed on day 4. Postponement and Cancellation		<p>Final would be prioritised on either pitch.</p> <p>3rd / 4th place classification match may be cancelled</p>
3b	Both matches during the classification round cannot be completed on day 4. Cancellation	Loss of entire day of classification matches.	Classification of teams based on results in preliminary round.

APPENDIX 9

VIDEO UMPIRE

1 POWER TO REFER DECISIONS TO THE VIDEO UMPIRE

- 1.1 The Match Umpires are the only persons who can refer decisions to the Video Umpire either directly or after a request from a team;
- 1.2 Referrals cannot be made as a result of protests, queries or pressure from players, Team Managers or Coaches on any decision. Teams (and their captains) will be held responsible for any violation or abuse of the Video Umpire protocols;
- 1.3 No one other than the Match Umpires, can stop the match to request a referral; eg the Video Umpire or Technical Officials at the Technical Table cannot stop a match.

2 UMPIRE REFERRAL

- 2.1 The Match Umpires may refer decisions to the Video Umpire when they are not convinced that they have taken, or are able to take, the correct decision relating to the awarding / disallowing of goals or the award / non-award of Penalty Strokes.
- 2.2 Referrals shall only relate to whether or not a goal has been legally scored or if a Penalty Stroke has been correctly awarded or not awarded.
- 2.3 The match Umpires are therefore entitled to request the Video Umpire to assist in making decisions which include, but are not restricted to:
 - a whether the ball crossed the goal line (within the area bounded by the goal posts and crossbar);
 - b whether the ball was legally played or touched inside the circle by the stick of an attacker and did not travel outside the circle before passing completely over the goal-line and under the cross-bar;
 - c whether the ball travelled outside the circle before it entered the goal from a shot by an attacker during the taking of a penalty corner;
 - d whether a breach of the Rules has been observed within the attacking 23 metres area in the play leading to the awarding or disallowing of a goal. It is then for the Match Umpire to take any breach into account in reaching their decision.
 - e whether an offence has been committed by a defender in the circle which prevents the probable scoring of a goal, or there has been an intentional offence in the circle by a defender against an opponent who has possession of the ball or an opportunity to play the ball.
- 2.4 The Match Umpire requests Video Umpire assistance using the "television-screen" signal; he / she relays by radio to the Video Umpire whatever information is necessary.

3 UMPIRE REFERRAL PROCESS

- 3.1 The Video Umpire calls for as many replays from any camera angle as necessary to reach a decision.
- 3.2 Within the shortest time frame possible, the Video Umpire provides his / her advice and recommendation:
- 'Goal'
 - 'No Goal'
 - 'Penalty Stroke'
 - 'No Penalty Stroke'
 - 'No Advice Possible'
 - plus advice on any observed breach of the Rules.
- 3.3 If a breach of the Rules is observed and advised to the match Umpire, it is then for the Match Umpire to take into account the breach in reaching his / her final decision.
- 3.4 In the case of 'No Advice Possible' (if the video footage is inconclusive, including through not having the correct replays available, the ball never being in shot in the replays, the footage being of insufficient quality to permit a decision or technical problems with the referral equipment) the original decision of the Match Umpire stands. If there was no decision given before the referral, then the final decision is 'No Goal' or 'No Penalty Stroke' (depending on the type of referral).
- 3.5 An umpire referral that has been already been adjudicated upon may not be the subject of a subsequent team referral.

4 TEAM REFERRAL

- 4.1 Each team is allowed one team referral request (which must be made through the Match Umpires) during regulation time in any match subject to articles 5.4a and 5.4b below of this Regulation and one team referral request during a shoot-out competition, subject to articles 5.4a and 5.4b below:
- a team referrals will be restricted to decisions within the 23 metre areas relating to the award (or non-award) of goals, penalty strokes and penalty corners and, during a shoot-out competition, whether a shoot-out should be re-taken or a penalty stroke awarded. The award of personal penalty cards may not be the subject of a team referral;
 - b any team player, on the field of play at the time of the incident, can request a team referral;
 - c this player must indicate to a Match Umpire that he / she wishes to use their team referral. He / she must do so immediately after the incident or decision which is to be referred by using the 'T' signal as well as confirming this verbally to the Umpire;
 - d the Match Umpires will not disallow any request for a team referral provided the 'T' signal has been used by a player and seen by the umpire;

- e the player requesting the team referral must inform a Match Umpire of the exact nature of the decision (or non-decision) that their team wishes to be reviewed within a maximum of 20 seconds;
- f if no question is received within 20 seconds the team referral will automatically default to a review of the last decision or non-decision relating to the award (or non-award) of a goal, penalty stroke, penalty corner or re-take of a shoot-out;
- g the Match Umpire then requests Video Umpire assistance using the “television-screen” signal, followed by a ‘T’ signal to denote a team referral; he / she relays by radio to the Video Umpire whatever information is necessary.

5 TEAM REFERRAL PROCESS

- 5.1 The Video Umpire calls for as many replays from any camera angle as necessary to reach a decision.
- 5.2 Within the shortest time frame possible, the Video Umpire provides his / her advice and recommendation:
 - ‘Goal’
 - ‘No Goal’
 - ‘Penalty Stroke’
 - ‘No Penalty Stroke’
 - ‘Penalty Corner’
 - ‘No Penalty Corner’
 - ‘Shoot-out to be re-taken’
 - ‘No shoot-out re-take’
 - ‘No Advice Possible’
 - plus advice on any observed breach of the Rules.
- 5.3 If a breach of the Rules is observed and advised to the Match Umpire, it is then for the Match Umpire to take into account the breach in reaching his / her final decision.
- 5.4 Implications for the retention or loss of team referral rights:
 - a in the event that the referral is upheld the referring team retains its right of referral;
 - b in the event of ‘No Advice Possible’ (if the video footage is inconclusive, including through not having the correct replays available, the ball never being in shot in the replays, the footage being of insufficient quality to permit a decision or technical problems with the referral equipment), the referring team retains its right of referral;
 - c if there is no clear reason to change the Match Umpire’s original decision, the referring team loses its right of referral.
- 5.5 A team referral that has been already been adjudicated upon may not be the subject of a subsequent referral by the opposing team.

6 FOR UMPIRE AND TEAM REFERRALS

- 6.1 The final decision, including any matter of interpretation, remains with the Match Umpire and not the Video Umpire.
- 6.2 All other decisions remain with the Match Umpires.
- 6.3 Substitutions may not take place during the stoppage of play for a video referral; substitution may take place on the resumption of play subject to the Rules of Hockey.