

## FIH COMPETITIONS COMMITTEE REPORT 2021-2022

The Competitions Committee is tasked with assisting the FIH to implement its Strategic Plan in relation to all forms of hockey. This includes providing Tournament Regulations for inter-nations events and the policies that underpin them; managing the FIH Calendar of Events; development of technical guidelines and resource materials for the Organisation; management and evaluation of tournaments; implementation of guidelines for the FIH Events and other Multi-Sports Events, and the on-going review of the new FIH World Ranking System.

The Committee has met virtually every three (3) months to review and discuss all points noted, including:

- FIH World Ranking System,
- Review and modify as necessary Qualification System for Olympic Games, FIH World Cups, FIH Indoor World Cups, FIH Junior World Cups, FIH Nations Cup and FIH Hockey5s World Cup,
- Discussions around the long term Global Calendar,
- Review and update of Tournament & Other Regulations and Appendices,
- Review and Approval of Match Schedules and Competition Formats,
- Updates from the Working Groups, and
- Recommendations to the FIH Executive Board

### Specific matters addressed during the period include (but were not limited to):

- Paris 2024 Olympic Games Qualification Process
- 2023 & future Junior World Cup Qualification System
- Recommendation for 2025 & future Indoor World Cup Qualification System
- Implementation and ongoing review of Outdoor & Indoor World Ranking Systems
- Inclusion in Tournament Regulations a Covid-19 Protocol and other Health & Safety provisions/protocols
- Updates to Uniform Advertising Policy
- Ongoing review of Penalty Corner

### Current Committee Members:

Chair: Willard P. Harris (TTO)

Members: Mathavan Devadas (SGP) Marelize de Klerk (RSA)  
Björn Isberg (SWE) Nigel Traverso (USA)  
Dion Gosling (NZL) / Kathleen McCaskie (AUS)

Athlete's Committee Representative: Scott Tupper (CAN)

Secretary: Eduardo Leonardo (FIH)