



**AGREEMENT ENTERED INTO BETWEEN THE SOUTH AFRICAN SPORTS
CONFEDERATION AND OLYMPIC COMMITTEE (SASCOC)**

AND

**BADMINTON SOUTH AFRICA (BSA)
ON THE SELECTION OF ATHLETES FOR THE**

XXI COMMONWEALTH GAMES, GOLD COAST

4 – 15 APRIL 2018

1. ELIGIBILITY OF ATHLETES

For an athlete to be eligible for selection to the 2018 Commonwealth Games, the athlete shall satisfy the under-mentioned General Eligibility Criteria:

- 1.1 Be a South African Citizen with a valid RSA ID and passport;
- 1.2 Have not represented another Commonwealth Country, unless they have received written approval from their respective NF, IF, SASCOC, and the country they represented previously;
- 1.3 Be a member in good standing with the relevant NF;
- 1.4 Not be under suspension for any offence (including but not limited to doping) during the selection period;
- 1.5 Comply with and uphold the Constitution, Rules and Regulations and Code of Conduct of SASCOC their NF and IF, and the CGF;
- 1.6 Be registered with the BWF and have a valid BWF Licence number;
- 1.7 Compete at the NF's National Championships as prescribed by the NF internal selection policy;

2 SPORT SPECIFIC SELECTION CRITERIA

Over and above the General Eligibility Criteria, SASCOC and BSA agree on the following sport-specific selection criteria for selection of eligible athletes:

SASCOC will consider selection of athletes if qualification is attained through:

Singles and Doubles Events

- 2.1 Being ranked in the Top 10 in the Commonwealth in their respective event;
- 2.2 Qualification period – 1 January 2017 – 31 December 2017
- 2.3 Deadline for qualification – 31 December 2017

Mixed Team Event

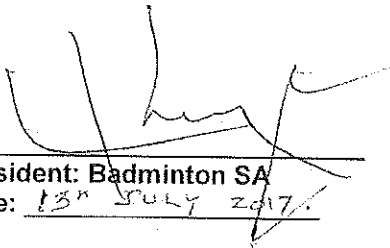
- 2.4 Mixed Team invited by CGF/BWF, be ranked in the Top 10 in the Commonwealth;
- 2.5 Qualification period – 1 January 2017 – 31 December 2017
- 2.6 Deadline for qualification – 31 December 2017

3 REPLACEMENTS

- 3.1 In an event that any selected athletes in the Team are to be replaced due to a medical condition, the CGF/ BWF Athlete Replacement Policy shall be applicable. Any replacement athlete shall form part of the original Long List of athletes submitted by the National Federation to SASCOC and shall meet the set sport specific criteria.

4 REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION PLACES

- 4.1 It is specifically recorded that in the event of any reallocation, wild card or Universality places being allocated or offered to South Africa, such reallocation, wild card or Universality slot will not be taken up by SASCOC.
- 5 It is specifically recorded that irrespective of the provisions referred to in Clauses 1 and 2 above, final confirmation of participation for Team South Africa shall vest with SASCOC.


President: Badminton SA
Date: 13th JULY 2017


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