

## **IFF Report to CB Meeting March 2019**

## 1.0 AOFC Meeting WFC 2018

 The AOFC members at WFC held a meeting to discuss progress of actions and continue planning for the region

## 2.0 Highlights for the AOFC region

- Now 15 members of AOFC
- Floorball officially included in SEA Games 2019 in Philippines
- Pakistan Floorball Association has Launched A Floorball Development and Introduction program with the collaboration of Special Education for special education sports teachers and Other Sports and Physical Education Teachers. dated 22,23 November 2018
- Bangladesh party from a couple of years ago has again expressed interest in developing floorball in Bangladesh.
- NZ have applied to hold WFCU19 2022
- Referee and coaching development continues at a strong pace in the region.
  Referee development seminar to be held in Singapore 25<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> April for all AOFC members
- Youth development plan being trialled in China with a Standard Test of Floorball Skill Level for Youth being introduced.
- IFF Mentor Coach program launched in New Zealand
- Philippines to hold AOFC Cup 5<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> July 2019
- Women's WFCQ held very successfully in Bangkok. Australia, Japan, Singapore and Thailand qualified
- Coaching and development work continuing in China and Pakistan

## 3.0 Actions

- o Countries have been agreed in principle to propose to the IFF as hosts for
  - WFCQ Men 2020 Thailand
  - WFCQ Women 2021- Japan
- Hold a development seminar in SEA region and include Nepal and Bangladesh
- Discuss with Indian Floorball association to take on mentor role with Nepal and Bangladesh
- Continue Project Oceania with a new contact now moved there, NZ have been asked to follow up and mentor them
- Plan implementation of IFF Mentor Coach in NZ
- Continue to push for more Countries to organise Open tournaments in their country