



2011 EVALUATION CRITERIA FOR SPORTS AND DISCIPLINES – RECOGNISED INTERNATIONAL FEDERATIONS

Criteria added

Themes		Criteria		Questions	
1	General	1	Value added	1	Potential value added brought by the sport to the Olympic Games
		2	Good governance basic principles	2	Adoption and implementation of a Code of Ethics
2	Governance	3	Strategic planning process	3	Existence of transparent and enhanced dispute resolution mechanism in the Federation and submission to the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) of all disputes which cannot be settled amicably or through local arbitration or mediation
				4	Use of acknowledged standards of accounting which are verified by an independent audit system and lead to publication of an annual report
				5	Existence of a four-year strategic planning process for 2013-2016
				6	IFs' comments on the strategic planning process / Summary of planning process undertaken
		4	Athletes representation	7	Possibility for athletes to vote within the decision making bodies of the IF (Commissions & technical committees, executive bodies)
		5	Gender equity in elected bodies	8	Comparison between number of women and number of men in the governing elected bodies.
		6	Illegal and irregular betting	9	Existence of Rules and procedure to fight against the risk of competition fixing for betting purposes
3	History and Tradition	7	Sport / IF	10	Date of establishment of the International Federation
		8	World Championships	11	Year the World Championships were first held for each discipline or sport, for men and women
				12	Number of World Championships held to date for each discipline or sport, for men and women
		13	Frequency of World Championships	13	Frequency of World Championships



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4	Universality	9	Other multi-sport Games	14	Number of times each recognised discipline or sport has been included in the selected multi-sports Games (World Games, Universiade, Commonwealth Games, Continental Games – All African Games, Asian Games, Pan American Games and Mediterranean Games)
		10	Number of affiliated national federations	15	Number of National Federations affiliated to the International Federation which correspond to National Olympic Committees
		11	Active member national federations	16	Number of National Federations which organised National Championships
				17	Number of National Federations which participated in the Continental Championships
		18	Number of National Federations which participated in the Junior World Championships		
		19	Number of National Federations which participated in the World Championships		
		20	Number of medals awarded at the last two World Championships (or equivalent events) for men and women		
		21	Number and list of countries that won medals at the last two World Championships (or equivalent events) for men and women		
		22	Athletes	22	Potential participation of the best athletes in the Olympic Games
		14	Spectators - World Championships	23	Number of tickets available at the last two World Championships (or equivalent events) for men and women
				24	Spectator attendance at the last World Championships (or equivalent events) for men and women
15	Media - World Championships	25	Number of media accreditation requests at the last World Championships		
16	Television coverage - World Championships	26	TV coverage of the last World Championships.		
17	Digital media	27	IF official website: Number of unique visitors & visits during the year		
		28	Facebook: Number of fans & unique active users during the year		



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		29 Twitter: Number of followers during the year
	18 General Public appeal	30 Steps taken by your IF to present your sport in the most interesting and attractive manner
	19 Sponsors	31 List of major sponsors from 2009 to 2012 inclusive, and the kinds of benefits (cash, VIK, discounts, services, other) the IF receives from them
	20 Athletes' commission	32 Existence of an IF athletes' commission
		33 Definition of election process for the IF athletes' commission
6 Athletes	21 Athlete Career Programme	34 Existence of programme or resources to assist athletes with combining sport and studies
	22 Athletes' entourage	35 Existence of programme or resources to assist athletes with the post-athletic career transition
		36 Existence of initiatives or specific tools (e.g. Code of conduct, licence system for agents) to inform and monitor the athletes' entourage (coaches, agents, medical staff, etc.)
		37 Existence of initiatives to monitor and ensure the health, safety and security of athletes (e.g. pre-competition health checks, injury surveillance systems)
	23 Athletes' health	38 Number of out-of-competitions anti-doping tests carried out in the last two years by all approved drug testing agencies and percentage of tests conducted or financed by the IF
		39 Number of Anti-Doping Rule Violations
		40 IF's financial distribution system to support NFs and continental associations and amount allocated to these programmes by continent
	24 Scope of development programmes	41 Summary of the three main development programmes
7 Development of the IF / Sport		42 Existence of sport development programmes for youth
	25 Technical Evolution of the Sport	43 Existence of means to control the technical evolution within the sport regarding venues, sport equipment (items used by athletes in the practice of sport) and competition clothing (items worn by athletes and subject to IF technical specifications)
	26 Gender Equity	44 Comparison between percentage of national federations which took part in qualifying events for the last edition of the World Championships





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		45 Existence of a Women in Sport Commission within the IF
	27 Sport for All	46 Existence of a Sport for All Commission within the IF (or specific Sport for All initiatives)
	28 Transparency and fairness on the field of play	47 Steps taken by the IF to ensure that the outcome of the competition will be as objective and fair as possible, including selection & evaluation process for judges, training & certification, impact of judging on results
		48 Existence of ethical rules for technical officials (e.g. code of conduct, sanction system, etc.)
		49 Existence of IFs' juries of appeal and athletes' right to appeal
	29 Environment	50 Potential impact that the presence of a discipline or sport at the Olympic Games would have on the environment
		51 Policy of the IF regarding the environment: existence of an environmental programme and action plan
	30 Income	52 Total income of your Federation on the 2008-2011 period (membership fees, Marketing, Broadcasting, Misc.)
	31 Expenditure	53 Total expenditure of your Federation on the 2008-2011 period (administrative costs, operational costs, development costs, fight against doping, Misc.)
8 Finance	32 Venues costs at the Olympic Games	54 Potential cost of new competition and training infrastructures, including overlay, for a sport/discipline at the Olympic Games, ability to adapt existing venues and legacy to host cities
		55 Ability to share venues with other sports
	33 Technology requirements	56 Potential level of technology complexity and costs required at Olympic Games competition venues for each specific sport/discipline
	34 Television production	57 Potential costs and complexity of television production per sport/discipline at the Olympic Games