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The Provincial President/General Secretary

Good Day Colleagues

I trust that you are all safe and in good health.

Volleyball South Africa had indicated to CAVB and SASCOC its intention to send a team to participate in the 2020 Olympic Games, following all protocol and qualification criteria. Unfortunately owing to the Covid 19 pandemic the games were postponed as you are aware and will now take place during September 2021 in Japan.

The qualification criterion as set out by the FIVB is as follows:

1. To be eligible to represent an NOC that has been allocated a quota place through the FIVB Beach Volleyball Olympic Qualification Tournament, the 2019 FIVB Beach Volleyball Senior World Championships or the Olympic Ranking List of 14th June 2021, all athletes must have participated as an individual in a minimum of 12 of the following events:

The FIVB Beach Volleyball Olympic Qualification Tournament;

The 2019 FIVB Senior World Championships;

The 2019 FIVB World Tour Finals;

FIVB World Tour 1*-5* events;

Recognised Continental Tours Finals, scheduled from 1st September 2018 until 13th June 2021.

In the event that an NOC/NF has earned a quota place through the FIVB Beach Volleyball Olympic

Qualification Tournament, the 2019 FIVB Beach Volleyball Senior World Championships or the

Olympic Ranking List of 14th June 2021, the NOC/NF must choose its athletes from its twelve (12) best eligible athletes according to the FIVB Ranking Points accumulated within the Qualification Period while participating in events listed in the previous paragraph.

2. To be eligible to represent an NOC that has been allocated a quota place through the Beach Volleyball

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Continental Cup Final or the Host Country Places, all athletes must have participated as an individual in a minimum of 12 of the following events: the FIVB Beach Volleyball Continental Cups (each phase counts as one event); Recognized Competitions: Continental Tours, National Tours, Zonal Tours; recognized Multi-Sports Games and regional Games; FIVB Competitions as defined in the FIVB Handbook, scheduled from 1st June 2018 until 27th June 2021.

In the event that an NOC/NF has earned a quota place through the Continental Cup Final or the Host Country Places, the NOC/NF must choose its athletes from its twelve (12) best eligible athletes as per the FIVB Ranking Points accumulated within the Qualification Period while participating in events listed in the previous paragraph.

The following players details have been submitted to SASCOC as a possible candidate eligible to participate, provided that they meet all the requirements of the FIVB as well as those of SASCOC.

1. Leo Williams
2. Shaien Govender
3. Jamaine Naidoo
4. Dean Layters
5. Jonas Mthobi
6. Jerome Fredericks
7. Aviwe Mamfanya
8. Lukholo Jooste
9. Thandolwethu Ngobese
10. Thokozane Sanele
11. Lunga Vilakazi

Manager/Coach : Gadija Jappie

Presently, the only avenue available to qualify is through the Continental Cup Qualifier and by winning the Continental Cup Final. These will count as 2 qualification events.

Some of our players are based overseas and have been accumulating events towards the requirement of a minimum of 12 FIVB events as an individual.



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The following players have events to their credit:

Leo Williams – 32
Shaïen Govender – 4
Jermaine Naidoo – 2
Jonas Mothobi – 1
Jerome Fredericks – 1

There are FIVB events that are taking place in other countries up until June 2021. However participation in these events require a great amount of resources, which the National Federation does not have.

We recommend to our players who desire to accumulate the required number of events to do so considering that due to the Covid pandemic many of the countries have closed their borders to athletes travelling from South Africa, furthermore there are mandatory quarantine requirements as well to consider.

Stay Safe

Kind regards

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