



2011 CANADA WINTER GAMES

TARGET SHOOTING TECHNICAL PACKAGE

Technical Packages are a critical part of the Canada Games. They guide the selection of athletes by prescribing the age and eligibility requirements, assist the organizing committees by detailing tournament formats and scoring procedures, assist Chefs de Mission in verifying eligibility, help with budgeting by describing the number of participants permitted, advance coaching certification by stating minimum requirements, and generally contribute to athlete development by identifying each National Sport Organization's (NSO) version of prospective high performance athletes.

Every Games' coach, manager, sport leader, and mission staff has an obligation to read and understand every aspect of the Technical Package. Failure to do so could cost an athlete his or her eligibility for the Games or could affect final standings or the conduct of the competition. If someone does not understand an aspect of the Technical Package, he or she is to seek clarification from the Sport Committee of the Canada Games Council through his or her Chef de Mission or National Sport Organization.

Technical Packages are developed primarily by National Sport Organizations, following principles, guidelines, and requirements of the Canada Games Council. As the overall governing body of the Games, the Council has the ultimate authority for Technical Packages, but this authority is exercised only with the knowledge and understanding of the NSO concerned.

If an individual wishes to initiate a change to a Technical Package leading up to the Games, the desired change should be first directed to the National Sport Organization or the Chef de Mission. The NSO or Chef will evaluate the merits of the change and will, if it has merit, submit the requested change to the Sport Committee of the Canada Games Council. The NSO or Chef will submit the rationale for the change. Changes to age groups, eligibility requirements, team size or staff complements will not be considered after three years prior to the Games. Substantive changes to events or competition formats will not be considered after 18 months before the Games. Minor corrections will be considered at almost anytime, but will be increasingly difficult to achieve within six months of the Games. These time frames reinforce the importance of complete understanding of the Technical Package early.

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2011 HALIFAX CANADA WINTER GAMES

TECHNICAL PACKAGE

1. SPORT: TARGET SHOOTING

2. PARTICIPANTS:

2.1 Competitors: Female 4 (2 Pistol, 2 Rifle)

Male 4 (2 Pistol, 2 Rifle)

2.2 Staff: Two (2) team support personnel: 1 coach + 1 coach or manager, one of whom must be female, one of whom must be male as per the following parameters:

The Provincial Sport Organization will select one (1) fully certified NCCP Level 3 or Comp-Dev coach from either the rifle or pistol discipline to serve as the Head Coach.

The Provincial Sport Organization will select a second support staff member who will preferably be a fully certified coach in the discipline not represented by the Head Coach to serve as the Manager/Coach. The Manager/Coach must be the opposite gender to that of the Head Coach.

If no female coaches are available, then a male rifle coach or a male pistol coach (fully certified at Level 3 or Comp-Dev) may be selected as the Head Coach and a female must be sent as the Manager.

3. CLASSIFICATION:

YEAR OF BIRTH: **1991 to 1998** inclusive

4. ELIGIBILITY:

4.1 Coaches:

Any staff listed as a coach on the official registration form must be **fully certified** under the National Coaching Certification Program to at least Level 3 (theory, technical and practical) or at least to Competition-Development (Trained Status) in rifle or pistol target shooting. These coaches must be so certified not later than 90 days before the opening of the Games (i.e. by November 13, 2010).

4.2 Competitors:

Excluded from the Canada Games are:

- a) Athletes who have held C-1 or Senior cards (as defined by Sport Canada's Athlete Assistance program) at any time;
- b) Athletes who have been National Team members (as defined by the Shooting Federation of Canada and approved by the Canada Games Council) at any time;
- c) Athletes who have competed for any nation at any senior Pan American Games, Commonwealth Games, Olympic Games or senior World Championships.

No athlete can be rendered ineligible within 90 days of the opening of the Games due to carding status or national team status (i.e., no athlete will be excluded if they become a National Team member for the first time or are granted carding status after November 13, 2010).

5. **COMPETITION:** International Shooting Sports Federation Rules will govern.

Individual Events: maximum of two entrants per province/territory (male and female)

Team Events: maximum of one, two-person team per province/territory

Course of fire:

- 1) Air Pistol - individual female - 40 shots per competitor: ISSF Technical Rule 3.3.1.4*
- 2) Air Pistol - team female - 40 shots per competitor
- 3) Air Pistol - individual male - 60 shots per competitor ISSF Technical Rule 3.3.1.3*
- 4) Air Pistol - team male - 60 shots per competitor
- 5) Air Rifle - individual female - 40 shots per competitor ISSF Technical Rule 3.3.1.4*
- 6) Air Rifle - team female - 40 shots per competitor
- 7) Air Rifle - individual male - 60 shots per competitor ISSF Technical Rule 3.3.1.3*
- 8) Air Rifle - team male - 60 shots per competitor

*Note: the top eight (8) shooters in the individual events enter the Finals of ten (10) shots each.

Allocation of Firing Points:

Firing points will be allocated by drawing of lots, or a randomizing computer program, that shall take place at least twenty-four (24) hours before the start of the first event.

6. SPORT SCORING:

a) Individual Events:

In all events, each competitor will fire one shot per target with targets being changed after every shot. The results of the Finals competition will be added to the total point value of the qualification round of the individual competitor.

b) Team Events:

In all events, the team members will each fire one full course, one shot per target, with targets being changed after every shot. The scores of team members are recorded separately and added for the team score.

7. PROVINCIAL/TERRITORIAL RANKING:

Men and women will be ranked separately.

Points will be awarded for placings obtained in all Pistol and Rifle events and overall rankings will be determined by adding these placing points.

Individual events will be scored as follows:

Position	Pts
1st place	100
2nd place	97
3rd place	94
4th place	91
5th place	88
6th place	85
7th place	83

Position	Pts
8th place	81
9th place	79
10th place	77
11th place	75
12th place	74
13th place	73
14th place	72

Position	Pts
15th place	71
16th place	70
17th place	69
18th place	68
19th place	67
20th place	66
21st place	65

Position	Pts
22nd place	64
23rd place	63
24th place	62
25th place	61
26th place	60

Team events will be scored as follows:

Position	Pts
1st place	150
2 nd place	140
3 rd place	130
4th place	120
5th place	110
6th place	100
7th place	90

Position	Pts
8th place	80
9th place	70
10th place	60
11th place	50
12th place	40
13th place	30

Overall Provincial/Territorial rankings for the Games Flag will be determined by adding the placing points obtained by competitors in all events.

1st place	-	10 points	7th place	-	4 points
2nd place	-	9 points	8th place	-	3 points
3rd place	-	8 points	9th place	-	2½ points
4th place	-	7 points	10th place	-	2 points
5th place	-	6 points	11th place	-	1½ points
6th place	-	5 points	12th place	-	1 point
			13th place	-	½ point

8. TIE BREAKING RULE - COMPETITION:

a) Individual Events:

Ties in all individual events shall be broken according to ISSF technical Rules 6.14, 6.14.1 to 6.14.2.4.1 inclusive: "The highest score in the last ten shot series working backward by ten-shot series in full ring scoring until the tie is broken".

If a tie remains unbroken, "The highest number of 10's, 9's, 8's, etc."

In the situation of a tie in determining eligibility for entry into the finals, ISSF Technical Rule 6.14.6 will be applied in carrying out a shoot-off. The shoot-off will be conducted in accordance with ISSF Technical Rules 6.14.6.1 through 6.14.6.4

Finals:

In the individual events, in case of tied scores after the Finals, all ties will be broken by a shot-for-shot shoot-off, as per ISSF Technical Rules 6.14.6 to 6.14.6.4 inclusive.

b) Team Events:

Ties in all team events must be broken by giving precedence to the total of all team members' scores in the last series of the event [ISSF Technical Rule 6.14.7.1].

In all team events, ties shall be broken by totaling the scores of the team members and following the procedure as for individual ties: "The highest score in the last ten shot series working backwards by 10 shot-series until the tie is broken."

If a tie remains unbroken, "The highest number of 10's, 9's, 8's, etc."

9. PROVINCIAL/TERRITORIAL RANKING - TIE BREAKING:

Ties shall be broken by awarding the higher placing to the Province/Territory with the most event first places; and if a tie still exists, the most second places and so on.

10. MEDALS:

GOLD: 12

SILVER: 12

BRONZE: 12

11. COMPETITIVE UNIFORM:

Only competitive uniforms meeting ISSF clothing regulations may be worn during training and competition by competitors. Pistol competitors will comply with ISSF Technical Rule 8.4.5. Rifle competitors will comply with ISSF Technical Rule 7.4.6 through 7.4.7.10.2. In lieu of leathers under ISSF clothing regulations, athletes may wear either their Provincial Uniform or "**Dockers-style**" pants or a collared, golf shirt. Jeans and tee shirts are no longer acceptable competitive attire for the rifle and pistol events.

NOTE: ISSF clothing regulations are outlined in ISSF Technical Rules, and commercial markings on clothing and equipment are detailed in ISSF Eligibility Rules.

12. EQUIPMENT:

Pistols, Rifles, and competition equipment must conform to ISSF regulations for Air Pistol Technical Rule 8.9 and Air Rifle Technical Rule 7.4.2.5 events.

13. APPENDIX:

The attached appendix forms an integral part of this technical package.

APPENDIX 1
2011 (Halifax) Canada Winter Games

Competitor Eligibility

1. Competitors must meet all eligibility requirements outlined in the Technical Package.
2. The Canada Games are open to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.
3. The Games are open to athletes who are members in good standing of their provincial and/or national sport organization.
4. An athlete's permanent domicile or actual residence must be located, for at least the 180 days prior to the opening of the Games, within the recognized boundaries of the province or territory they are representing. An athlete can have only one domicile.
5. Students attending school on a full-time basis outside their province of permanent residence during the year of the Games shall be permitted to compete for either their province of permanent residence or the province in which the athlete attends school. To be eligible to compete for the province where the athlete attends school, the student must be enrolled on a full-time basis during the 2010-2011 academic year.
6. If a non-student athlete attends a recognized national training centre outside his or her province of permanent residence, the athlete is encouraged to represent his or her province of permanent residence; however, the athlete could represent the province where the centre is located under the terms of paragraph (7), below.
7. Exceptions to the domicile requirement will be possible if the athlete can demonstrate a commitment to the province or territory she or he wishes to represent by such means as having been a member of a club or provincial sport organization in that province for the entire previous competitive season, having represented that province or territory at a previous national or regional championship, or having attended school full-time the previous academic year, or a recognized national training centre full-time during the previous 12 months. Other similar circumstances may be considered.
8. An athlete is permitted to try out for only one province or territory per Games.
9. The eligibility of any athlete that is not clearly established by these rules and by the Technical Package shall be determined by the Sport Committee of the Council. **Coaches or Provincial Sport Organizations must bring forward any unclear cases to their Chef de Mission and to their National Sport Organization as early as possible before the competition for forwarding to the Sport Committee of the Canada Games Council.**
10. Where a team/province or territory/Chef wishes to challenge the eligibility of an athlete on another provincial/ territorial team, it is expected that such a challenge will be made

as soon as the protesting team knows that an athlete may be ineligible. Every effort must be made to ensure that protests on eligibility are lodged before an athlete competes.

OTHER

1. All teams are reminded of the Canada Games Council's regulations concerning advertising on uniforms: only the uniform manufacturer's name or trade mark logo may be worn on team competition uniforms to **a maximum size of 60 square centimetres**.
2. The only coaching permitted is by those accredited coaches identified in the Technical Package. Personal coaches of athletes or additional coaches of any type will not receive accreditation and will not have access to competition or training areas.
3. Canada Games rules do not allow team staff to practice as therapists, physicians or other medical or paramedical practitioners. The Host Society (organizing committee) is responsible for providing high quality medical care at a central clinic at the Athletes' Village and at competition and training venues. The Canada Games Council assists the Host Society through its medical partners by providing additional medical practitioners to ensure that French and English speaking and male and female persons are available, to ensure that sport specific medical expertise is available and to ensure that all regions of Canada are represented. Team staff will not be permitted to administer medical care to athletes.