



BOWLING (TENPIN)

TECHNICAL HANDBOOK

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Message

Minister of Youth & Sports Malaysia and Chairman of Malaysia SEA Games Kuala Lumpur 2017 Organising Committee (MASOC)



Greetings from the Malaysia SEA Games Kuala Lumpur 2017 Organising Committee (MASOC) and “Selamat Datang” to Kuala Lumpur 2017! We are delighted to have you join us on our journey to Kuala Lumpur 2017 (KL2017), as we prepare to host the 29th SEA Games in August.

Previous hosts of these Games have set the bar very high and we fully intend to keep up with these standards. Thus, we began the work ahead of us with a clear objective of creating a world-class experience for all sports fans across the region while embodying the spirit of the South East Asia Community.

We have chosen the theme “Bangkit Bersama” or “Rising Together”, to represent the deep-rooted essence of our camaraderie, togetherness and friendship while fulfilling our quest for glory and showcasing our sporting prowess.

At MASOC, we understand the needs associated with this lofty ideal and are working tirelessly to ensure that every detail is attended to and the best is made available. In order to assist you in your planning and preparation, we have prepared this Technical Handbook for each sports which contains useful information for your guidance.

On behalf of my colleagues at MASOC, I wish you every success in your preparations towards KL2017.

The Honourable Brigadier General Khairy Jamaluddin,
Minister of Youth & Sports Malaysia & Chairman of MASOC

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Message

President, South East Asian Games Federation (SEAGF) and Olympic Council of Malaysia



It is my pleasure to welcome you to our beautiful country. Indeed, it is an honour to be hosting the 29th SEA Games where we will witness 38 sports and 405 events being contested with participation from 11 countries of South East Asia.

The Games, which is under the governance of the South East Asian Games Federation (SEAGF) and recognised by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) and the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA), is anticipated to be an event with countless moments of emotion and pride.

As the President of the South East Asian Games Federation (SEAGF) and Olympic Council of Malaysia (OCM), it is my hope that all participating countries and athletes will adhere to ethical behaviour and demonstrate exemplary spirit of true sportsmanship in your pursuit of podium glory; for it will be the most decorative and beautiful value that we should strive to achieve throughout the Games period.

May I also take this opportunity to reiterate the IOC's stern zero – tolerance policy to combat cheating and to hold accountable anyone responsible for using or providing doping products. MASOC, SEAGF and the OCM are on the same page in this matter and we seek your full commitment and cooperation as leaders of your contingent to ensure that we have a “clean and fair” Games in August this year.

The 29th SEA Games will be a great opportunity to unite participating nations under a common roof and goal in advancing us towards a brighter future of sports. In that same spirit, on behalf of the OCM, I wish you all the best in the upcoming Games and may it be a truly wonderful celebration of our friendship and commitment towards the Region's sports development.

H.R.H. Tunku Tan Sri Imran ibni Almarhum Tuanku Ja'afar
President, South East Asian Games Federation and Olympic Council of Malaysia

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Message

Chief Executive Officer, Malaysia SEA Games Kuala Lumpur 2017 Organising Committee (MASOC)



First of all, I would like to say we are honoured to be hosting the 29th South East Asian Games and are eager to update you on the progress as we intensify our preparation for the region's biggest and most important biennial sporting event.

Since 2015, MASOC has formed 16 sub-committees headed by the various ministries and agencies, which had been working very hard to ensure a smooth run of the Kuala Lumpur 2017 Games – from venue preparation, transportation, lodging, food and beverages to recruiting and training of volunteers. We are also pleased to share with you that 13,000 enthusiastic and reliable volunteers will be participating in Kuala Lumpur 2017 and they are currently being trained in batches.

As challenging as it may sound, we are all charged up and excited to organise the Games for the sixth time. Rest assured that as a host country, Malaysia is doing its best to ensure zero to minimal errors so that all athletes would only need to focus on performing their best and make their respective countries proud.

Meanwhile, we hope you will find the Technical Handbook that we have prepared useful in assisting you to prepare your athletes for the Games.

On behalf of my colleagues, I would like to wish you all the very best and we look forward to nurturing a bond that lasts beyond this sporting event.

Dato' Seri Zolkples Embong
Chief Executive Officer, MASOC

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1 Competition Information

1.1 Competition Dates : 21 - 26 August 2017

1.2 Competition Venue

Sunway Mega Lanes, Lot F2.22, Level 1, Sunway Pyramid, Jalan PJS 11/15, Bandar Sunway, 46150, Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia

2 Events

No.	Event	Men	Women	Mixed
1	Single	✓	✓	-
2	Doubles	✓	✓	-
3	Trios	✓	✓	-
4	Team of Five	✓	✓	-
5	Masters	✓	✓	-
6	Mixed Doubles	-	-	✓
Total Events		5	5	1
		11		

3 Quotas

Each NOC may enter a maximum of six (6) male and six (6) female athletes for the Bowling (Tenpin) competition with the following maximum of numbers per event.

3.1 Singles events: Six (6) athletes per Singles event.

- 3.2 **Doubles events:** Three (3) pairs comprising two (2) athletes per pair per Doubles event.
- 3.3 **Mixed Doubles events:** Six (6) pairs comprising one (1) male and one (1) female athlete per pair per Mixed Doubles event.
- 3.4 **Trios events:** Two (2) trios comprising three (3) athletes per trio per Trios event.
- 3.5 **Team of Five events:** One (1) team comprising five (5) athletes per team per Team event.
- 3.6 **Masters events:** Top sixteen (16) athletes who qualify based on the scores from their thirty (30) qualifying games, that is, six (6) games each from Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles, Trios, and Team of Five.

4 Eligibility

- 4.1 To be eligible for participation in the SEA Games, a competitor must comply with the SEA Games Federation (SEAGF) Charter and Rules as well as Rule 40 and the By-law to Rule 40 of the Olympic Charter (Participation in the Games).
- 4.2 Only nationals of the country of the NOC shall be qualified to represent the NOC in the Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country, which an athlete may represent in the SEA

Games shall be resolved in accordance with Article 31 of the South East Asian Games Federation (SEAGF) Charter and Rules as well as Rule 41 and By-law to Rule 41 of the Olympic Charter (Nationality of competitors).

5 Submission of Entries

Entries of each participating NOC must be submitted in accordance with the regulations laid down by the Malaysia SEA Games Kuala Lumpur 2017 Organising Committee (MASOC).

5.1 Deadline for “Entry by Number”

Deadline for submission of Entry by Number Forms is 23 December 2016 @ 1800 hours Malaysia time (GMT+8)

5.2 Deadline for “Entry by Name”

Deadline for submission of Entry by Name Forms (online) is 30 June 2017 @ 2359 hours Malaysia Time (GMT +8)

Please contact MASOC Sports Entries Section for any additional information you may require regarding the Entries process.

For all Sport Entries submission, please send to the address provided below:

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Address : Malaysia SEA Games Kuala Lumpur
2017 Organising Committee (MASOC)
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Malaysia
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E-mail : sportentry@kualalumpur2017.com.my

6 Meetings

6.1 Team Managers' Meeting

Date : 19 August 2017
Time : TBC
Venue : Sunway Resort & Spa Hotel, Jalan PJS
11/15, Bandar Sunway, 46150, Petaling
Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia

6.2 Technical Officials' Meeting

Date : 19 August 2017
Time : TBC
Venue : Sunway Resort & Spa Hotel, Jalan PJS
11/15, Bandar Sunway, 46150, Petaling
Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia

7 Competition Schedule

Date	Time	Gender	Event
19 08 2017 Sat	1000 - 1700	All	Ball Registration
19 08 2017 Sat	1500 - 1700	All	Team Manager's Meeting
20 08 2017 Sun	1000 - 1700	All	Ball Registration
20 08 2017 Sun	1100 - 1200	All	Official Practice (Patern 1)
20 08 2017 Sun	1300 - 1400	All	Lane Maintenance
20 08 2017 Sun	1400 - 1500	All	Official Practice (Patern 2)
21 08 2017 Mon	0900 - 1300	W	Women's Singles Finals
21 08 2017 Mon	1300 - 1330	W	Victory Ceremony (Women's Singles)
21 08 2017 Mon	1330 - 1430	M	Lane Maintenance
21 08 2017 Mon	1430 - 1830	M	Men's Singles Finals
21 08 2017 Mon	1845 - 1900	M	Victory Ceremony (Men's Singles)
22 08 2017 Tue	0900 - 1300	M	Men's Doubles Finals
22 08 2017 Tue	1300 - 1330	M	Victory Ceremony (Men's Doubles)
22 08 2017 Tue	1330 - 1430	All	Lane Maintenance
22 08 2017 Tue	1430 - 1830	W	Women's Doubles Finals
22 08 2017 Tue	1845 - 1900	W	Victory Ceremony (Women's Doubles)
23 08 2017 Wed	0900 - 1300	X	Mixed Doubles - 1st Block
23 08 2017 Wed	1300 - 1430	All	Lane Maintenance
23 08 2017 Wed	1430 - 1830	X	Mixed Doubles - 2nd Block
23 08 2017 Wed	1845 - 1900	W	Victory Ceremony (Mixed Doubles)

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24 08 2017 Thu	0900 - 1230	W	Women's Trios - 1st Block
24 08 2017 Thu	0900 - 1230	M	Men's Trios - 1st Block
24 08 2017 Thu	1230 - 1400	All	Lane Maintenance
24 08 2017 Thu	1430 - 1730	W	Women's Trio - 2nd Block
24 08 2017 Thu	1430 - 1730	M	Men's Trios - 2nd Block
24 08 2017 Thu	1745 - 1800	W	Victory Ceremony (Women's Trios)
24 08 2017 Thu	1800 - 1815	M	Victory Ceremony (Men's Trios)
25 08 2017 Fri	0900 - 1230	W	Women's Team - 1st Block
25 08 2017 Fri	0900 - 1230	M	Men's Team - 1st Block
25 08 2017 Fri	1230 - 1400	All	Lane Maintenance
25 08 2017 Fri	1430 - 1800	W	Women's Team - 2nd Block
25 08 2017 Fri	1430 - 1800	M	Men's Team - 2nd Block
25 08 2017 Fri	1815 - 1830	W	Victory Ceremony (Women's Team)
25 08 2017 Fri	1830 - 1845	M	Victory Ceremony (Men's Team)
26 08 2017 Sat	0900 - 1200	W	Women's Masters - 1st Round
26 08 2017 Sat	0900 - 1200	M	Men's Masters - 1st Round
26 08 2017 Sat	1200 - 1300	All	Lane Maintenance
26 08 2017 Sat	1300 - 1600	W	Women's Masters - 2nd Round
26 08 2017 Sat	1300 - 1600	M	Men's Masters - 2nd Round
26 08 2017 Sat	1630 - 1800	W	Women's Step-Ladder Finals
26 08 2017 Sat	1630 - 1800	M	Men's Step-Ladder Finals
26 08 2017 Sat	1815 - 1830	W	Victory Ceremony (Women's Masters)
26 08 2017 Sat	1830 - 1845	M	Victory Ceremony (Men's Masters)

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8 Training

8.1 Training Policies

Pre-competition training will be allocated to all NOCs two (2) days prior to the start of the competition for the sports (including familiarisation, if necessary). Training sessions are strictly by allocation; no change and addition of training requests are allowed. NOCs are required to notify the Sport Information Desk if any NOC does not intend to use the allocated training session.

8.2 Training Venue

Sunway Mega Lanes, Lot F2.22, Level 1, Sunway Pyramid, Jalan PJS 11/15, Bandar Sunway, 46150, Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia

8.3 Training Schedules

8.3.1 Pre-competition Training

Date : 20 August 2017 (Official Practice)
Times : 1100 to 1200 hours (Pattern #1)
1400 to 1500 hours (Pattern #2)
Venue : Sunway Mega Lanes, Sunway Pyramid, Bandar Sunway, Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia

Note: All participating NOCs will train simultaneously at the training venue.

8.3.2 Training during Competition

There will be no designated area for training on competition days.

8.4 Equipment at Training Venue

All athletes will have to provide their own equipment for all training sessions.

9 Competition Procedures, Rules and Regulations

9.1 Competition Rules

The Bowling (Tenpin) competition of the 29th SEA Games Kuala Lumpur 2017 will be held in accordance with the current World Bowling (WB) Rules and Regulations under the guidance of the Technical Delegate (TD) appointed by Asian Bowling Federation (ABF) as authorised by WB.

In case of any disagreement in the language interpretation of the WB Rules and Regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen cases not covered by the Rules and Regulations shall be resolved as follows:

9.1.1 General Issues: To be resolved in

accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

9.1.2 Technical Issues: To be resolved in accordance with the WB Rules and Regulations and WB Norms.

9.2 Competition Format

All Bowling (Tenpin) events will be competed as straight finals and the competition of each event to be completed within the same day.

Each game shall be bowled on a pair of lanes. Individuals shall successively and in regular order, bowl one (1) frame on one (1) lane, and alternate and use the adjoining lane for the next frame. Alternating continues until five (5) frames are bowled on each lane and thus, completing the game. When any question arises as to which of the two (2) athletes should bowl first, it is incumbent upon the athlete on the right to do so.

In each of the following events, athletes are assigned to start bowling on odd numbered lanes will move left and athletes assigned to start bowling on even numbered lanes will move right for each successive game. The Competition Manager will determine the number of lanes to be moved each game during the event.

9.2.1 Singles events

Six (6) games in one (1) block will be competed over two (2) athletes from the same NOC scheduled per lane, when feasible. Each game will be competed on a different pair of lanes.

9.2.2 Doubles

Six (6) games in one (1) block will be competed. Each game will be competed on a different pair of lanes. One Doubles per NOC will be scheduled per lane. The Doubles of the same NOC will be scheduled on different squads when possible.

9.2.3 Mixed Doubles

Six (6) games in one (1) block will be competed. Each game will be competed on a different pair of lanes. One (1) team will be scheduled per lane.

9.2.4 Trios

Six (6) games in two (2) different blocks will be competed on the same day, with two (2) Men's Trios and two (2) Women's Trios per NOC. One (1) team will be scheduled per lane and each game will be played on a

different pair of lanes.

9.2.5 Team of Five

- (i) Six (6) games will be competed in two (2) different blocks on the same day, with one (1) team scheduled per lane and each game played on a different pair of lanes. A Team may change one (1) bowler at the start of the second block or make a change as otherwise provided under the World Bowling (WB) Substitution Rule.

- (ii) Line-up changes will be allowed for the second block, but may not be made during the block. The change of Line-up must be submitted within thirty (30) minutes after the completion of the first block.

9.2.6 Masters

- (i) The Master Finals will comprise a round-robin competition between the top sixteen (16) athletes who qualify based on the scores from their thirty (30) qualifying games, that is, six (6) games each from Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles, Trios, and Team of Five.

- (ii) One-game matches will be played. A final match will be played as a ranking round making a total of sixteen (16) matches bowled over one (1) day.
- (iii) The top three (3) athletes after the completion of sixteen (16) matches will qualify for the Stepladder Finals.
- (iv) In the first match of the Stepladder Finals, the 2nd and 3rd placed athletes will bowl one (1) game. The athlete with the higher pinfall will proceed to the Stepladder Finals match. The athlete with the lower score wins the Bronze medal.
- (v) In the Stepladder Finals, the 1st place athlete from the round-robin competition and the winner of the 1st match of the Stepladder will bowl against one another on a 1+1 game format.
- (vi) If the 1st place athlete from the round-robin competition wins the 1st game, he/she will be declared the winner of the Gold medal.
- (vii) If the winner of the 1st match of

Stepladder wins the 1st game, there will be a “sudden death” play-off of one (1) game. Whoever wins this game shall be declared the Gold medallist.

- (viii) Athletes who fail to qualify for the Masters Finals will fill vacancies that may exist at the start of the Masters competition. Such vacancies will be filled by the top-ranked non-qualifier from the thirty (30) games All-Events competition. In case of a tie between two (2) or more non-qualified athletes, selection will be made by a roll-off.

9.3 Scoring

9.3.1 A game of bowling consists of ten (10) frames. A competing athlete delivers two (2) balls in each of the first nine (9) frames unless a strike is scored. In the 10th frame, the athlete delivers three (3) balls if a strike or spare is scored. Every frame must be completed by each athlete bowling in regular order.

9.3.2 The scoring of pins will be as follows:

- (i) When no strike/spare is scored within

a frame, the score shall be the total number of pins knocked down in the frame.

- (ii) A spare is scored when the pins left standing after the first delivery within a frame are knocked down with the second delivery in that frame. The count for a spare is ten (10) plus the number of pins knocked down by the player's next delivery.
- (iii) A strike is made when a full setup of pins is knocked down with the first delivery in a frame. The count for one (1) strike is ten (10) plus the number of pins knocked down on the athlete's next two (2) deliveries.
- (iv) The maximum score of a game is 300, attainable by bowling twelve (12) strikes in succession.
- (v) The athlete/team with the highest score at the end of the game is the winner.
- (vi) The athlete / team with the highest score in each event shall be the winner.

9.4 Tie-breaker

- 9.4.1 If there is a tie in score registered for any of the first three (3) places in the Singles, Doubles, Trios, Mixed Doubles and Team of Five events, co-champions shall be declared.
- 9.4.2 If a tie occurs for the sixteen (16) positions in the All Events total, a one (1) game roll-off shall be held.
- 9.4.3 If there is a tie in the Masters Finals before the position round (that is, after fifteen (15) games) between places 2-3, 4-5, 6-7 and so on, the bowler with the higher position is the one who, in the round robin competition, has:
- the highest total scratch pinfalls
 - won their match
 - won more matches
 - the least difference between the highest and lowest game
 - the higher game.
- 9.4.4 If a tie occurs after the position round for the first or third place, a one (1) game roll-off shall be held.

9.5 Disqualification Rules

In general, the penalties on an athlete or team for rule violations within a tournament are as follows:

- 9.5.1 1st offence: Yellow Card (no penalty).
- 9.5.2 2nd offence: Disqualification of athlete or team from the competition.

9.6 Bowling on the wrong lanes

- 9.6.1 If only one (1) athlete of the lead-off persons on both teams bowl on the wrong lane, and the error is discovered before another athlete has bowled, a dead ball shall be declared and the athlete(s) is/are required to bowl again on the correct lanes.
- 9.6.2 If more than one (1) athlete on the same team has bowled on the wrong lane, the game shall be completed without adjustment and the next game shall be started on a correctly scheduled lane.
- 9.6.3 If during the Finals of the Masters, where athletes normally bowl two (2) frames during which they are declared, then the athlete must bowl both frames again on the correct lanes, provided the error is discovered before the opposing athlete has

bowled on the same lane. Otherwise, the score shall count and the athlete must bowl all remaining frames on the correct lanes.

9.7 Slow Bowling

- 9.7.1 All athletes must be ready to bowl when it is his/her turn and must not delay the start of his/her approach or delivery when the pairs immediately adjacent to them on both the right and left are clear (one (1) pair lane courtesy).
- 9.7.2 All athletes must observe one (1) pair lane courtesy at all times. Athletes on the same pair may not bowl consecutive deliveries without allowing one (1) athlete from the pair to the right and one (1) athlete from the pair to the left to make their delivery, unless those athletes are not ready to bowl or they give way.
- 9.7.3 If the athlete does not observe the procedures mentioned in the above two (2) paragraphs, it may be construed as slow bowling. An athlete failing to observe these procedures shall be warned by an authorised competition official as follows:
- A White Card for the 1st offence (No Penalty).

- A Yellow Card for the 2nd offence (No Penalty).
- A Red Card for the 3rd offence and each succeeding offence in the any block of games (six (6) games for Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles; Three (3) games for Trios or Team of Five; and all games of match play in a block). The penalty shall be zero (0)-pin fall for the frame.

9.7.4 For interpretation of the enforcement of this rule, the Referees shall specifically monitor any athlete or team that gets more than four (4) frames behind the leader in a Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles or Masters Event; or more than two (2) frames behind in a Trios or Team of Five event, not counting the end pair of lanes.

9.7.5 Whenever there is any question concerning the enforcement of this rule or lack thereof, in the Masters Finals, the final, the ABF president or his designee, notwithstanding the reference to the Referees, shall make the final decision.

9.8 Submission of Line-ups

9.8.1 All final line-ups must be submitted to the Competition Manager at the latest one (1)

hour after the end of each event. For a line-up change during the Team events, the change of line-up must be submitted within thirty (30) minutes after the completion of the first block.

- 9.8.2 An athlete who has already started competing in an event shall not be replaced. A pacer will be used in the event of any walkover in any of the events.

9.9 Interruption of match

The Competition Manager may authorise the competition of a game and series to be played on another pair of lanes, when equipment failure on the starting lanes, delays the normal progress of the game or series. An interrupted game and series that cannot be completed on the same day must resume from the point of interruption.

9.10 Prohibited Items

- 9.10 Athletes must not use tobacco products, consume alcohol or be under the influence of alcohol while in competition, that is, during those athletes' blocks of games. In those instances where it is established that an athlete has violated this rule, the Competition Manager or his/her assistants may refer him/her to the Technical Delegate

for suspension from the competition for the series of games being played. Non-alcoholic beverages and snacks are allowed provided they are not consumed in the bowlers' area.

- 9.11 Athletes must not wear any headgear during the competition, with the exception of hair bands and head scarf (tudung) for women.

9.11 Official Draw

The Official Draw for the bowling lanes will be conducted at the Team Managers' Meeting.

9.12 Delays, postponements or cancellations

The Technical Delegate must consult the MASOC Secretariat if there is any delay, postponement or cancellation of any competition that affects the scheduled times for "live broadcast" or victory ceremonies.

10 Sports equipment and Competition attire

10.1 Sports equipment

- 10.1.1 All sports equipment used by athletes in competition must comply with the SEAGF Charter and Rules and the WB Rules and Regulations.

- 10.1.2 Only Bowling balls manufactured on or after 1 January 1995 that are on the USBC approved ball list are permitted for use in the competitions. The online list may be found at the WTBA website:
www.worldbowling.org
- 10.1.3 Acceptance of balls manufactured prior to the inception of the USBC approved ball list for use at the competition is at the discretion of the Technical Delegate. A complete hard copy of the USBC approved ball list will be made available at the ball registration desk.
- 10.1.4 All balls used during the competition shall be inspected and documented. The inspection shall be limited to the eligibility of the ball, serial number, weight and balance, and number of balls.
- 10.1.5 Each athlete may register a maximum of six (6) bowling balls.

10.2 Competition attire

- 10.2.1 All attire worn by athletes in competition must comply with the SEAGF Charter and Rules and the WB Rules and Regulations.
- 10.2.2 All athletes in the competition must wear a standard uniform with the name of their

respective countries printed on the back of the shirt. Individual variations to the uniform are not permitted.

10.2.3 Each member of a team must be in exact team uniform during an event and not in a combination of colours and designs.

11 Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal

The appointments of Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal members will be in accordance with Article 41 of the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

11.1 International Technical Officials (ITOs)

Asian Bowling Federation (ABF), as duly authorised by World Bowling (WB), shall appoint one (1) Technical Delegate and such number of International Technical Officials (ITOs) as may be approved by MASOC.

MASOC will pay for the costs of international transportation based on an economy direct-route fare, local transport and accommodation for these ITOs.

11.2 National Technical Officials (NTOs)

Malaysian Tenpin Bowling Congress (MTBC) will appoint such number of National Technical

Officials as may be approved by MASOC to assist the International Technical Officials.

11.3 Jury of Appeal

The Jury of Appeal shall comprise of the three (3) members appointed by Asian Bowling Federation (ABF).

12 Protests and Appeals

- 12.1 Any written protest must be first be made and submitted by the Chef de Mission or Team Manager to the Technical Delegate within thirty (30) minutes after the end of the event in which the protest is generated with the payment of a Protest Fee of USD200.00 per protest payable to MASOC. If conditions causing a potential protest are noted prior to the start of the event, a written protest must be lodged before the signal to start the event is given.
- 12.2 All protests must be considered by the Technical Delegate concerned who must make a decision as soon as possible. He/She must state the reason(s) for his/her upholding/rejecting the protest.
- 12.3 Any Chef de Mission or Team Manager dissatisfied with the decision of the Technical Delegate, may appeal to the Jury of Appeal by submitting the written appeal to the TD within sixty (60) minutes

of receipt of the TD's written decision. The appeal must be heard and decided by the Jury of Appeal for the sport within two (2) hours after receipt of the written protest.

- 12.4 Any NOC dissatisfied with any decision by the Jury of Appeal may make any appeal in accordance with Articles 42 and 43 of the SEAGF Charter and Rules.
- 12.5 The protest fee shall be refunded if the protest is upheld; it will be forfeited if the protest is rejected.

13 Doping Control

- 13.1 MASOC, under the guidance of the SEAGF, will be responsible for the Anti-Doping Programme during the 29th SEA Games, Kuala Lumpur 2017. The Anti-Doping Programme will be implemented in accordance with SEAGF Anti-Doping Rules and the World Anti-Doping Code and its relevant International Standards.
- 13.2 Doping Control stations will be set up at the competition venue, where in-competition testing will be conducted. The Test Distribution Plan and criteria for athlete selection for each sport will comply with the Doping Control protocol established by the SEAGF and MASOC.
- 13.3 Doping Control procedures will be implemented

according to WADA's International Standards for Testing and Investigations. Sample analysis will be performed at a WADA-accredited laboratory.

- 13.4 An athlete identified for doping testing should be accompanied by a team official for the entire testing process.

14 Victory Ceremony

- 14.1 Victory Ceremonies will be held in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules to honour the individual and team achievements of the winning athletes.
- 14.2 The athletes who have been judged first, second and third shall take their places, in their sport attire or NOC designated attire, on a stand facing the Tribune of Honour, with the winner slightly above the second who is on his/her right, and the third who is on his/her left.
- 14.3 The flag of the country of the winner shall be hoisted on the central flagpole and those of the second and third on adjoining flagpoles on the right and left respectively as they face the arena. Meanwhile, the National Anthem of the country of the winner is played and the athletes and spectators shall face the flags.

15 Media Interview

15.1 All athletes should pass through the Mixed Zone.

15.2 Athletes and/or coaches should attend press conference and interview requests for them.

16 General Rules and Regulations (SEAGF Charter and Rules)

The 29th SEA Games Bowling (Tenpin) Competition will also be conducted in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules which shall have precedence, including the following provisions:

16.1 SEAGF Article 30 - General Rules of the South East Asian Games

To be eligible for participation in the SEA Games, a competitor must comply with the SEA Games Federation Charter and Rules as well as Rule 40 and the By-law to Rule 40 of the Olympic Charter (Participation in the Games).

16.2 SEAGF Article 31 – Nationality of Competitor

Only nationals of the country of the NOC shall be qualified to represent the NOC in the Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country, which a competitor may represent in the Sea Games, shall be resolved by the Executive

Committee in accordance with the By-law to Rule 41 of the Olympic Charter (Nationality of Competitors).

16.3 SEAGF Article 42 – Arbitration Panel

The Council shall appoint an Arbitration Panel comprising such number as the Council may decide, of independent persons of good standing from amongst the South East Asian countries to deliberate and decide finally on all questions concerning the Games or any claims, protests or appeals (including on any violation of anti-doping code, rules or regulations) from any sport under Sections 41 and 43 or any disputes arising from or related to the Games. NOCs or the Organising Committee may submit questions to the Arbitration Panel. In addition, the Arbitration Panel may intervene in all questions of non-technical nature outside the Jurisdiction of the Jury of Appeal set up for each sport in the programme of the Games.

16.4 SEAGF Rule 43 – Claims, Protests and Appeals

- (a) Decisions made by the judges, referees and umpires on the competition field of play concerning matters of fact or judgement calls are final and no appeals are allowed. Appeals against other decisions of the judges, referees or umpires or regarding any other matter must be addressed to the Chairman of the

Jury of Appeal for the sport concerned by a representative of the NOC of the country making the claim, protest or appeal.

- (b) Except in exceptional circumstances, any claim, protest or appeal must be made in writing within sixty (60) minutes of the decision giving rise to the claim, protest or appeal. The Jury of Appeal, after an investigation, shall then give a decision within two (2) hours of such claim, protest or appeal.
- (c) Any NOC dissatisfied with the decision of any Jury of Appeal may, within twenty-four (24) hours of the notice of the decision of the Jury of Appeal, appeal in writing to the Arbitration Panel under Clause 42 which shall decide on the matter. All decisions of the Arbitration Panel shall be final.

16.5 SEAGF Rule 44 – Penalties in Case of Fraud

A competitor proved to have fraudulently transgressed or breached any provisions of the Charter, Rules, Regulations or By-laws of the Federation shall be disqualified and lose any position or medal he/she may have gained. If this competitor's NOC is proved to have been a party to the fraud, his/her country shall be disqualified in the sport concerned.

17 Directory

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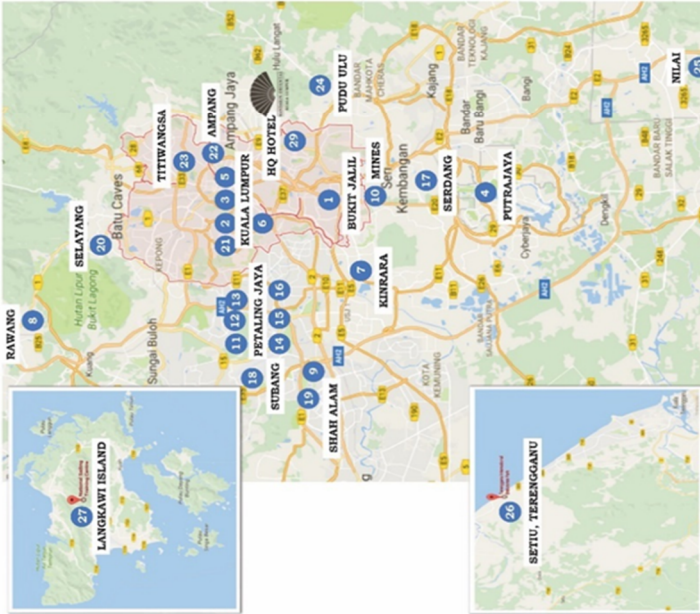
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19 Map of Competition Venues

No	Competition Venue	Sport & Event
1	Bukit Jalil	Aquatics (Swimming, Diving, Water Polo), Athletics, Badminton, Football, Hockey, Squash
2	MITEC	Rowing, Fencing, Gymnastics, Judo, Karate, Taekwondo, Table Tennis, Volleyball, Weightlifting
3	KLCC	Billiards & Snooker, Judo, Karate-Do, Pencak Silat, Taekwondo, Wushu, Squash
4	Putrajaya	Athletics (Marathon), Aquatics (Swimming, Water Polo), Equestrian (Polo), Table Tennis, Water Ski
5	Merdeka Square	Archery
6	Kuala Lumpur	Basketball
7	Kuala Lumpur	Cycling
8	300 Equatrain	Cricket
9	300 Equatrain	Equestrian
10	Panasonic Stadium, Shah Alam	Futsal
11	Empire City, Meliana Damansara	Golf
12	Nasional Lawn Bowls Centre Bukit Kiara	Ice Hockey, Ice Skating (Figure Skating, Short Track Speed Skating)
13	Jaya Stadium, Bukit Kiara	Netball
14	MIPU Stadium, Sunway Pyramid	Rugby 7s
15	Petaling Jaya	Rowling (Triple)
16	Arena TM Stadium	Football (W)
17	Nasional Shooting Range Centre, Subang	Football (W)
18	Nasional Shooting Range Centre, Subang	Shooting
19	UTM Shah Alam	Football (W)
20	Stadium Selayang	Football (M)
21	Nasional Tennis Centre	Tennis
22	Jalan Dua	Squash (Jumbo)
23	Indira Club Ampang	Sepak Takraw
24	Pudu Ulu Recreational Centre Cheras	Petangue
25	Nasional Velodrome	Cycling (BMX, Track, Road)
26	Leboh Rindang, Setia	Equestrian (Endurance)
27	Nasional Sailing Centre, Langkawi	Sailing
28	Kuala Lumpur Stadium	Football (M)
29	Meridien Oriental Hotel	HQ Hotel



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20 Sport Information Desk

All sports specific information will be available at the Sport Information Desk located at the competition venue and at the official hotels.

21 Approval of Technical Handbook

This Technical Handbook was approved by the **Asian Bowling Federation (ABF)** on 20 March 2017.

Any further amendments to the Technical Handbook shall be circulated via e-mail to the NOCs and uploaded to the NOC Relation page (<http://www.kualalumpur2017.com.my/noc-relation>).

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