

Amendment Proposal to the Regulations on the Administration of the WT International Kyorugi Referees (Effective as of 12 May 2024)

Article 4: International Poomsae Referee Seminar		
Original Article	Proposed Amendments	Reason for Change
4.1.1. Holder of Kukkiwon / WT Certificate 1 st Dan holder or higher	4.1.1. Holder of Kukkiwon /WT Certificate 1 st Dan holder or higher	
4.1.3. The one recommended by the pertinent National Association in the application form to attend the International Referee Seminar.	4.1.3. The one recommended by the pertinent National Association in the application form to attend the International Referee Seminar. The one recommended by the pertinent member national association <u>(MNA) to which the applicant belongs. (Pertinent MNA refers to the MNA of the current country of residence). In addition, the applicant's recommendation, national referee certificate, residence and GOL number should coincide with the pertinent MNA</u>	To define and clarify the term of pertinent MNA.
4.1.8. Applicants who have successfully completed prescribed online course eligible to attend International Kyorugi Referee Seminar	4.1.8. Applicants who have successfully completed prescribed online course eligible to attend International Kyorugi Referee Seminar <u>WT may organize a pre-requisite course as a mandatory requirement prior to the International Referee Course if considered necessary.</u>	WT can organize pre-requisite education course to cover general details ahead of official onsite seminar.
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<p>4.1.9 Newly added</p>	<p><u>4.1.9 Disqualification</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Upon discovery of any unqualified condition or false information provided in the application, the applicant can be disqualified at any time.</u> - <u>Any form of inappropriate behavior during the seminar such as cheating or misbehavior could lead to disqualification and the participant could be suspended from future international referee seminars.</u> 	<p>To prevent disqualified applicant and applicant misbehavior</p>
<p>4.2.3. Curriculum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - WT Status and other regulations including Code of Ethics - WT Competition Rules and WT Para Taekwondo Competition Rules - Basic concepts of Taekwondo competition and Para Taekwondo competition - Using Method of judge's electronic scoring equipment - Referee Hand Signal - Attitude of International Referee - Other Taekwondo theories - Safeguarding - Anti-Doping - Anti-Discrimination Policy 	<p>4.2.3. Curriculum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - WT Status and other regulations including Code of Ethics - WT Competition Rules and WT Para Taekwondo Competition Rules - Basic concepts of Taekwondo competition and Para Taekwondo competition Using Method of judge's electronic scoring equipment - Referee Hand Signal - Attitude of International Referee - Other Taekwondo theories - Safeguarding - <u>Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions</u> - Anti-Doping, <u>Medical Code & Emergency Cases</u> - Anti-Discrimination Policy - <u>Other subjects deemed necessary</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minor subjects can be classified under major categories - Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions will be added to the curriculum as it has direct relevance with referees.
<p>4.2.4. Total hours for education: 31 hours or more</p>	<p>4.2.4. Total hours for education: <u>Minimum 24</u> 34 hours or more</p>	

4.3. Screening	4.3. Screening Examination	
Article 5: Activation		
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<p>Those who passed the examination at the International Referee Seminar shall be automatically registered with the WT as International Referees and they shall not need to pay registration fee. They shall submit the Statement of Pledge to the WT for activation. Within one month of receipt of the Statement of Pledge, the WT shall dispatch IR certificates, membership cards, and information on IR uniform to International Referees.</p>	<p>Those who passed the examination at the International Referee Seminar shall be automatically registered with the WT as International Referees and they shall not need to pay registration fee. They shall submit the Statement of Pledge to the WT for activation. Within one month of receipt of the Statement of Pledge, the WT shall dispatch IR certificates, membership cards, and information on IR uniform to International Referees. <u>WT shall provide IR certificates and membership cards online through the International Referee Management System and information on IR uniform will be given to International Referees.</u></p>	<p>WT newly open IR Management System through Online platform. IR can download his/her online certificate or online IR card through the platform.</p>
Article 7: Class		
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<p>International Referees are classified into five categories of S, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and P Class.</p> <p>7.1. 3rd Class is granted to the one holding Kukkiwon 4th Dan or higher who has passed the examination at the International Referee Seminar.</p>	<p>International Referees are classified into five categories of S, 1st, 2nd and 3rd. and P Class.</p> <p>7.1. 3rd Class is granted to the one holding Kukkiwon 4th Dan or higher who has passed the examination at the International Referee Seminar. <u>3rd class is granted to applicants holding the Kukkiwon 1st Dan or higher who have passed the examination at the International Kyorugi Referee Seminar.</u></p>	<p>With reference to Article 4, there will be no further “P” class.</p>

7.2. P Class shall be granted to the one holding Kukkiwon 2 nd or 3 rd Dan who has passed the examination at the International Referee Seminar	7.2. P Class shall be granted to the one holding Kukkiwon 2nd or 3rd Dan who has passed the examination at the International Referee Seminar	
7.3 Other Classes are to be granted in accordance with the procedures described in Article 8.2.	<u>Article 7.3 -> to be moved to Article 7.2</u>	
Article 8: Class		
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8.2.4. Requirements for promotion to 3 rd Class - The one holding P Class qualification shall be promoted 3 rd Class at the right next screening for promotion after promoted to Kukkiwon (or WT) 4 th Dan regardless of payment for the prescribed annual fee of the year.	<u>Article 8.2.4. to be deleted</u>	With reference to Article 7, there is no further IR Class "P"
8.2.5. Any International Referee who has been submitted to a disciplinary measure will be excluded from the promotion to higher class until he/she is released from the disciplinary action	<u>Article 8.2.5-> to be moved to Article 8.2.4</u>	
Article 10: Class		
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10.1 International Referee Card shall be issued to the International Referees at the time of activation mentioned in Article 5 and re-issued at the time of promotion mentioned in Article 8.	10.1 International Referee Card shall be issued <u>online through the International Referee Management System</u> to the International Referees at the time of activation mentioned in Article 5 and re-issued at the time of promotion mentioned in Article 8.	IR Card will be provided only through online platform (WT IR Management System)

Article 12: International Referee Refresher Course

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<p>12.2. One-time International Referee credit shall be given to the following International Referees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The International Referee who has attended an International Referee Refresher Course conducted by the WT and received graduation diploma. - International Referees who worked as an instructor for an International Referee Seminar or International Referee Refresher Cours 	<p>12.2. One-time International Referee credit shall be given to the following International Referees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The International Referee who has attended an International Referee Refresher Course conducted by the WT and received graduation diploma. International Referees who worked as an instructor for an International Referee Seminar or International Referee Refresher Cours 	