

China Hong Kong Paralympic Committee

Appeal Board of Athletes Selection

A. Terms of Reference

The Appeal Board of Athlete Selection aims to review the nominations declined upon receipt of the request initiated by the National Sports Association(s).

If there are any discrepancies between the Terms of Reference and the selection criteria of the athletes' selection, the latter shall prevail.

B. Roles & Functions

- 1. Determine any disputes on the formation of the delegation to the Major Multisports Games pursuant to the HKPC Articles of Association;
- 2. Uphold the principle of impartiality in the appeal process;
- 3. Ensure the core values of equal opportunities and fair competition in the selection of athletes;
- 4. Ensure a consistent and transparent approach for the dissemination of information;
- 5. Consider if a hearing is necessary, or the Board can consider the appeal based on the documents submitted; and
- 6. Dismiss the appeal and confirm the Athlete Selection Committee decision or uphold the appeal and remit the matter back to the Committee.

C. Terms of Office

An Appeal Board composed of a Chairperson and two (2) members will be formed if there is any appeal from NSA. The President of HKPC will be assigned a Chairman and two (2) Members from the shortlist. The term of office of the shortlist shall normally be four (4) years. Appointed members from the shortlist shall be eligible for re-appointment for one more term. The Sports Programme Team of HKPC will provide administrative and secretariat support to the Committee.

D. Composition

- Chairperson : To be assigned by The President of HKPC

- Appointed Members : To be assigned by The President of HKPC

Remarks : Members of the Appeal Board should not be members of the Athlete Selection Committee.