

Modifications on the CISM Regulations – Version January 2023

**DF 01/SD/2022-3 (BoD extraordinary session June 21st)
Selection and election of new PCSCs**

Article 4.10. PRESIDENT of CISM SPORT COMMITTEE

Old text	New text
<p>B. All Presidents CSC are selected and appointed by the BoD for a mandate of four years. The term will begin and end in the frame of CISM General Assembly where the handover will take place. A president in function may stand for re-election.</p> <p>C. One year before the end of his/her mandate, the candidature to succeed him/her is officially announced by the CISM Secretary General during the CISM General Assembly, via the CISM Flash and on the CISM homepage.</p> <p>D. In recognition of outstanding achievements or in consideration of special sport perspectives, the Secretary General may request the extension of a PCSC mandate to the relevant Chief of Delegation. The announcement of the confirmation of the PCSC for the further mandate is given during the CISM General Assembly.</p> <p>E. Any interested Officer, meeting the listed criteria for selection, must send an application file to the CISM Secretary General, through his/her delegation.</p> <p>F. The Secretary General presents the candidature(s) to the BoD, which elects the most appropriate candidate. During their decision-making process, the Board may require the advisory support of the CISM Sports Department and the opinion of the CISM Sports Commission which will be based on candidate's curriculum vitae and/or PCSC performance assessment.</p>	<p>B. All Presidents CSC are selected and appointed by the BoD for a mandate of four years. The term will begin and end in the frame of CISM General Assembly where the handover will take place. A president in function may stand for re-election.</p> <p>C. On the 1st January of the One year before the end of his/her/her mandate, the candidature to succeed him/her is officially announced by the CISM Secretary General during the CISM General Assembly, via the CISM Flash and on the CISM homepage. After selection by a selection commission, the Secretary General will present the candidates for approval by the BoD. The new PCSCs will be announced during the CISM General Assembly, via the CISM Flash and on the CISM homepage.</p> <p>D. The selection commission is composed of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the CISM Secretary General (Chairman) - President of the CISM Sports Commission - BoD-member (when the President of the Sports Commission is not a BoD-member) - Current PCSC of the sport in question - CISM Sports Director - PCSC-manager (Secretary) <p>D. E. In recognition of outstanding achievements or in consideration of special sport perspectives, the Secretary General may request the extension of a PCSC mandate to the relevant Chief of Delegation. The announcement of the confirmation of the PCSC for the further mandate is given during the CISM General Assembly. selection commission and with approval of the relevant Chief of Delegation.</p> <p>E. F. Any interested Officer, meeting the listed criteria for selection, must send an application file to the CISM Secretary General, through his/her delegation.</p> <p>F. The Secretary General presents the candidature(s) to the BoD, which elects the most appropriate candidate. During their decision-making process, the Board may require the advisory support of the CISM Sports Department and the opinion of the CISM Sports Commission which will be based on candidate's curriculum vitae and/or PCSC performance assessment.</p>

**DF 004/SD/2022-3 (BoD 2022/3 Larnaca-Cyprus) –
Regulations change for mixed teams**

Article 7.8. WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

Old text	New text
<p>A...</p> <p>B. They comply with the following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Organization annually or biannually depending on the sport, 2. Invitation to participate extended in accordance with Art. 7.22., 3. Effective participation by at least eight (8) nations for men and/or four (4) for women from at least two (2) continents, 4. Organization of official ceremonies, 5. Designation of an Official CISM Representative, 6. Awarding of medals. 	<p>A...</p> <p>B. They comply with the following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Organization annually or biannually depending on the sport, 2. Invitation to participate extended in accordance with Art. 7.22., 3. Effective participation by at least eight (8) nations for men and/or four (4) for women from at least two (2) continents; For mixed teams, the effective participation of six (6) countries from two (2) continents is mandatory, 4. Organization of official ceremonies, 5. Designation of an Official CISM Representative, 6. Awarding of medals.

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Article 7.9. CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP

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<p>A...</p> <p>B. They comply with the following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Organization in conformity with the CISM Regulations, 2. Invitation to participate extended to all member nations of the continent, 3. Effective participation by at least six (6) nations for men and/or three (3) for women, 4. Organization of official ceremonies, 5. Designation of a continental representative, 6. Awarding of medals. 	<p>A...</p> <p>B. They comply with the following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Organization in conformity with the CISM Regulations, 2. Invitation to participate extended to all member nations of the continent, 3. Effective participation by at least six (6) nations for men, four (4) for mixed teams, and/or three (3) for women, 4. Organization of official ceremonies, 5. Designation of a continental representative, 6. Awarding of medals.

**DF 004/SD/2022-3 (BoD 2022/3 Larnaca-Cyprus) –
Regulations change for mixed teams**

Article 7.10. REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP	
Old text	New text
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B. They comply with the following conditions: 1. Organization in conformity with the CISM Regulations, 2. Invitation to participate extended to member nations of the regional Liaison Office and, if desired, to any member nation outside the region, 3. Effective participation by at least four (4) nations for men and/or two (2) for women, 4. Official ceremonies and awarding of medals shall be organized.	B. They comply with the following conditions: 1. Organization in conformity with the CISM Regulations, 2. Invitation to participate extended to member nations of the regional Liaison Office and, if desired, to any member nation outside the region, 3. Effective participation by at least four (4) nations for men, three (3) for mixed teams , and/or two (2) for women, 4. Official ceremonies and awarding of medals shall be organized.

**DF 004/SD/2022-3 (BoD 2022/3 Larnaca-Cyprus) –
Regulations change for mixed teams**

Article 7.11. TOURNAMENT	
Old text	New text
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B. They comply with the following conditions: 1. Organization in conformity with the CISM Regulations, 2. Invitation to participate extended to at least two (2) other nations, 3. Effective participation by at least three (3) nations for men and/or two (2) for women, 4. Medals may be awarded.	B. They comply with the following conditions: 1. Organization in conformity with the CISM Regulations, 2. Invitation to participate extended to at least two (2) other nations, 3. Effective participation by at least three (3) nations for men and/or two (2) for women and mixed teams , 4. Medals may be awarded.

**DF 002/SD/2022-3 (BoD 2022/3 Larnaca-Cyprus)
Regulations change on criteria for Para sport athletes**

Article 7.23. PARTICIPATION - MILITARY STATUS	
Old text	New text
A. Only military personnel on active duty in Armed Forces may take part in competitions organized by CISM.	A. Only military personnel on active duty in Armed Forces may take part in competitions organized by CISM except for Para sport (See below Art. 7.23. C.) .
B. No one may be recalled to active duty in the Armed Forces for the purpose of participating in a CISM competition. In the case of an intermittent military service, the athletes regularly recalled may not take part in CISM competitions, under any circumstances, if more than 18 months have elapsed between this recall and the end of their last call to arms.	B. No one may be recalled to active duty in the Armed Forces for the purpose of participating in a CISM competition. In the case of an intermittent military service, the athletes regularly recalled may not take part in CISM competitions, under any circumstances, if more than 18 months have elapsed between this recall

- C. Exceptions to the above may be authorized by the General Assembly, upon recommendation of the Board of Directors.
- D. All military participants in a CISM event shall be in possession of proper documentation which signifies active military service of the member nation he represents. The documentation can be:
 1. a valid military identity card for those athletes who are authorized to present their military identity cards abroad,
 2. a form of verification (in English and/or French) of military status accompanied by a passport.
- E. By signing the final entry, the Chief of Delegation confirms the military status of the participating athletes. If there are last minute changes in the participation of the athletes, the verification file may be signed by the Chief of Mission, but shall be confirmed by the Chief of Delegation by official letter.
- F. If one of these documents is not available, participation is refused.
- G. An athlete who has represented one country in CISM competitions (World Military Championship, World Games, World Winter Games, continental and regional championship), in the Olympic Games, or in any competition at world, continental or regional level recognized by the relevant IF, and who has changed his/her nationality or acquired a new nationality, may participate in CISM competitions representing his/her new country provided that at least two years have passed since the competitor last represented his/her former country.

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- C. Veteran soldiers wounded or injured while on active duty may be included as part of a nation's mission and participate in CISM Para sport competition/event.
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- ~~D~~ E. All military participants in a CISM event shall be in possession of proper documentation which signifies active military service of the member nation he represents. The documentation can be:
 1. a valid military identity card for those athletes who are authorized to present their military identity cards abroad,
 2. a form of verification (in English and/or French) of military status accompanied by a passport.
 3. **For the Veteran para-athletes, the Chief of Delegation concerned must certify in writing that the veteran soldier was wounded or injured on active duty.**
- ~~E~~ F. By signing the final entry, the Chief of Delegation confirms the military status of the participating athletes. If there are last minute changes in the participation of the athletes, the verification file may be signed by the Chief of Mission, but shall be confirmed by the Chief of Delegation by official letter.
- ~~F~~ G. If one of these documents is not available, participation is refused.
- ~~G~~ H. An athlete who has represented one country in CISM competitions (World Military Championship, World Games, World Winter Games, continental and regional championship), in the Olympic Games, or in any competition at world, continental or regional level recognized by the relevant IF, and who has changed his/her nationality or acquired a new nationality, may participate in CISM competitions representing his/her new country provided that at least two years have passed since the competitor last represented his/her former country.