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TECHNICAL MANUAL

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DATE AND PLACE OF COMPETITION

The Fencing competition at the XXII Central American and Caribbean Games, Veracruz 2014 will take place Saturday, November 22nd to Thursday, November 27th, 2014 at the USBI in Xalapa, Ver.

EVENTS AND MEDALS

The events announced for the Fencing competition at the XXII Central American and Caribbean Games, Veracruz 2014 are:

WOMEN'S

Events	Medals		
	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Individual Épée	1	1	1
Team Épée	1	1	1
Individual Foil	1	1	1
Team Foil	1	1	1
Individual Sabre	1	1	1
Team Sabre	1	1	1
Total Women's	6	6	6



MEN'S

Events	Medals		
	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Individual Épée	1	1	1
Team Épée	1	1	1
Individual Foil	1	1	1
Team Foil	1	1	1
Individual Sabre	1	1	1
Team Sabre	1	1	1
Total Men's	6	6	6
Total Medals Fencing	12	12	12

COMPETITION FORMAT

The current format stated by the FIE Regulations will be used.



COMPETITION SCHEDULE

November 21st

Time	Event	Gender
	Delegation Arrival	
16:00	Technical meeting	

November 22nd

Time	Event	Gender
9:00	Individual Épée	Men's
12:00	Individual Sabre	Women's

November 23rd

Time	Event	Gender
9:00	Individual Foil	Men's
12:00	Individual Épée	Women's

November 24th

Time	Event	Gender
9:00	Individual Foil	Women's
12:00	Individual Sabre	Men's

November 25th

Time	Event	Gender
9:00	Team Épée	Men's
11:30	Team Sabre	Women's



November 26th

Time	Event	Gender
9:00	Team Foil	Men's
11:30	Team Épée	Women's

November 27th

Time	Event	Gender
9:00	Team Foil	Men's
11:30	Team Sabre	Women's

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF COMPETITORS

According to the CACSO established quota, the Fencing competition will have a maximum of **180** athletes in both genders.

Each NOC may enter a maximum of 2 competitors per individual event per gender and a maximum of 1 team per team event per gender, as long as the qualification criteria set by CCCE for the XXII Central American and Caribbean Games, Veracruz 2014.



VERACRUZ 2014 QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

a) Teams:

Each team will be made up of 3 athletes. There will be a maximum of 8 teams per category and gender:

1. Team per event and gender from the host country (Mexico).
2. The following 7 countries will be able to enter 1 team in each team event per gender automatically: Cuba, Puerto Rico, Venezuela, El Salvador, Dominican Republic, Guatemala and Panama.

Gender	Event	Pre-qualified countries	Host country	Total teams	Total athletes
Women's	Épée	7	1	8	24
	Foil	7	1	8	24
	Sabre	7	1	8	24
Men's	Épée	7	1	8	24
	Foil	7	1	8	24
	Sabre	7	1	8	24
Total athletes					144

b) Individual

There will be a maximum of 22 fencers per event and gender:



1. 2 fencers per event and gender from the host country (Mexico), that will also be entered in the team events.

2. 14 fencers from the 7 pre-qualified countries, Cuba, Puerto Rico, Venezuela, El Salvador, Dominican Republic, Guatemala and Panama (2 competitors per country that are also entered in team events).

3. 6 fencers that do not come from the pre-qualified countries in the team events.

Gender	Event	Athletes			Total
		Pre-qualified countries	Host country	Other countries	
Women's	Épée	14	2	6	22
	Foil	14	2	6	22
	Sabre	14	2	6	22
Men's	Épée	14	2	6	22
	Foil	14	2	6	22
	Sabre	14	2	6	22
Total athletes				36	

OUTLINE

Criteria	Athletes
Athletes from the host country	18
Athletes from pre-qualified countries	126
Athletes from non pre-qualified countries	36
Total	180



National Fencing federations must confirm their participation in the XXII Central American and Caribbean Games, Veracruz 2014 to the CCCE no later than **July 10th, 2014**. In the event of vacancies, substitutes (either athletes or countries) will be announced by CCCE no later than **July 15th, 2014** so the affected NOCs may be able to comply with the CACSO stipulated deadlines for entry by name and number.

Qualification system approval

This qualification system was approved by CCCE on December 22nd, 2012.

TECHNICAL MEETING

- The Technical Meeting will take place **Friday, November 21st, 2014** at the Central American and Caribbean Village in Xalapa at a time to be confirmed.
- Up to two representatives from each NOC will be able to assist this Technical Meeting.
- The invitation card for the Technical Meeting will be available to the Heads of Team at the Sports Information Center at the Central American and Caribbean Village in Xalapa upon their arrival.
- The Technical Delegate and the Organizing Committee's Competition Manager for Fencing will preside the meeting, which shall take place in Spanish and English.



TECHNICAL OFFICIALS

Technical personnel will be designated by the Central American and Caribbean federation along with the Pan American federation; in collaboration with technical support from the Mexican federation.

PROTESTS AND APPEALS

Will take place as per the current FIE regulations.

SEED

Seed will take place according to current FIE ranking at the moment of competition, for both individual and team events.



MEDAL CEREMONIES

Awards ceremonies will take place according to CACSO's General Regulations, Chapter XIII.

Individual Events:

- First place: Gold medal and diploma
- Second place: Silver medal and diploma
- Third place: Bronze medal and diploma

Team Events:

- First place: A diploma for the team and a gold medal and diploma for each athlete
- Second place: A diploma for the team and a silver medal and diploma for each athlete
- Third place: A diploma for the team and a bronze medal and diploma for each athlete



COMPETITION VENUE

The Fencing competition will take place at the USBI which can be found on Av. de las Culturas Veracruzanas num. 1 Zona Universitaria Col. Zapata, Xalapa, Veracruz.



