



IFAF WOMEN’S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2013 QUALIFICATION & FINAL TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

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WOMEN's WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2013
Final Tournament REGULATIONS

§1 Definition of the competition

The Women's World Championship 2013 tournament will be restricted to Female National teams whose IFAF member Federation/Association are both in good standing with all IFAF statutes. All open payments to IFAF have to be settled prior to entering the tournament. This includes payments towards IFAF as well as to Local Organizing Committees.

All players whether playing in their home country or in any other IFAF or IFAF continental representative affiliated country shall be released by their club/team to play in games representing their National Federation/Association.



§2 General provisions and Financial requirements

The National Federation/Association shall enter its National team, according to the established procedures, and will also guarantee the participation of the strongest team possible and liabilities related to both the qualification and final tournament.

The entry fees of the qualification and final tournament is decided by IFAF and has to be paid to IFAF within the specific date. If these conditions are not observed, IFAF may declare the entry invalid, which precludes any participation, or accept the late entry and eventually impose a fine. Appeals may be lodged against such decisions, according to IFAF appeals regulations and statutes.

The organizers of the games must take necessary insurance, and in particular third party liability. If a stadium is not owned, or otherwise controlled by the local National Federation/Association, the realm of the responsibility must be clarified with the stadium owner and clearly defined.

Claims of damage against IFAF or its continental representatives shall be officially excluded.

A written document in English on the three aforementioned issues signed by the insurance company/companies shall be forwarded to the Tournament Committee no later than three months before the start of the final tournament.

The National Federations/ Associations and their teams participating in the competition shall undertake to fully observe the regulations as well as the decisions taken by the responsible IFAF authorities.

Entry fee for the tournament including qualification round is: 2.500 EURO

For final tournament there will be an officiating fee of maximum of 2.500 EURO

Deadlines:

- A) By 21.12.2012, the participating Federation/Association shall provide the following:
- signed contract/application form confirming their entry in the tournament
 - pay an entry fee of 2.500 Euro to IFAF
 - one page history of Women's National Team and/or history of program as Word-document file mailed to IFAF and to the LOC, including the National Federation or Association logo as .jpg, .tif or similar format
 - name and contact data (addresses, e-mail, phone number of federation office and of Chef-De-Mission. This main contact person has to be an English speaking person.
- B) By 15.02.2013, the participating Federation/Association shall provide the following:
- a bank guarantee or deposit in the amount of 5.000 Euros

The bank guarantee or deposit will be held in a separate escrow account and refunded to the federation upon confirmation that the team has satisfied all of the requirements in the



regulations to include: participation in all required games, as well as, satisfying all financial requirements to include damages or costs incurred by third parties as a result of participation. Upon receipt of satisfactory report, IFAF shall refund the deposit or bank guarantee latest 30 days after the team's final game in the tournament. Federations/Associations that have unfulfilled previous obligations to IFAF will not be permitted to enter the tournament. Bank guarantees shall be written in English and shall be first demand guarantees (meaning that the Bank shall pay it without asking the relevant Federation/Association or delay payment for whatever reason) or L/C; bank guarantee shall not expire until a 45 day delay after the final game.

C) By 30.4.2013 the participating Federation / Association qualified to participate in the final tournament must pay the fee of the game officials (maximum of 2,500 Euro).

D) By separate deadlines in 15.6.2013, pay the fee to LOC based on the reservations made for the team for accommodations and extra services.

E) Deadlines for separate roster and other similar requirements to the final tournament:

1) By 30.04.2013

Uniform colours (helmet, jersey, pants, socks / home and away) – subject to approval of IFAF Tournament Committee.

2) 30 days before the final tournament

A 75 player preliminary roster completed with – players Name, Date of birth, Jersey number, Position, Height, Weight, Current Club team – must be submitted to IFAF and to the LOC along with a name list of all executives, doctors, sideline personel (maximum of 25 other personel allowed in the sideline area). Players cannot be changed from this list and their information and photo will also be used for media purposes (website, program, etc)

3) 1 day prior to the tournament

Provide necessary forms for insurance, health and liability signed by team members (parents in case of a minor) for TC and LOC to allow for good medical treatment during the tournament.

4) 1 day before the final tournament:

a. A 45 player final tournament roster completed with – players Name, Date of birth, Jersey number, Position, Height, Weight, Current Club team – must be submitted to IFAF and to the LOC plus name list of all executives, doctors, sideline personnel. (maximum of 25 other personel allowed in the sideline area). Players cannot be changed from this list and this list will make the final roster for the final tournament. The players at the 45 final tournament roster must have been included in the 75 player preliminary roster submitted 30 days before the final tournament.

The documents must be received at the official Headquarters of the WWC2013 and the IFAF TC Office in order to meet the deadlines.

Failure to comply any deadlines will be result in the following:



- 1) Failure to meet deadline date, fine of 500 Euros for each offence.
- 2) Failure to submit required information 7 days after deadline date: Possible expulsion from the tournament, plus a fine associated to refusal to play \$3 in accordance to non-payment of entry fee, bank guarantee

Failure to comply with the deadline - two weeks before the final tournament -, will result in the following:

- 1) Failure to meet deadline date, fine of 1.000 Euros for each offence.
- 2) Failure to submit required information within 1 hour after deadline date: Possible expulsion from the tournament, plus a fine associated to refusal to play \$3 in accordance to non-payment of entry fee, bank guarantee

If IFAF Office or IFAF tournament committee are sending out requests to the designated communication liaison officer of a participant and no answer is received on that request within 48 hours IFAF may fine the federation for 500 EUR.



§3 Refusal to play and similar cases

In other cases than described in §16, refusal to play automatically leads to disqualification and the team is fined as follows:

Refusal to play during:

- Qualification rounds: 30.000,00 EUROS
- Final tournament 60.000,00 EUROS

The fine shall be paid within one month from the receipt of the IFAF decision.

Any actions directly or indirectly caused by the team or its National Federations/ Association, with the result that a game can not take place or be played to its full extent will be dealt with as refusal to play.



§4 Qualification format

The final tournament will be played as an six or eight team tournament. IFAF will determine playing schedule and seedings after receiving entry forms from participating teams. If the number of entrees exceed or are not according the possible numbers (6 or 8) of teams in final tournament. IFAF will determine qualification games to be played for final tournament spots based on continental representation as well as previous tournament results in final tournament.



§5 Qualification provisions

The National Federations / Associations are responsible for their own travelling arrangements to and from the game. In individual qualification games the host is responsible for organizing and paying for 2 nights accommodation and 7 meals for the visiting team.

Visiting team must inform the host and Tournament Committee with its travel details latest 30 days prior to the game or seven days after receiving the detailed information of the qualification game (location, date, kick-off time). If there is no information sent, the host is no longer responsible to organize and pay for the accommodation to the visiting team. Meals must be supplied in all cases.

In qualification games players eligibility is same as in final tournament with the exception that the team must name its 75 player roster 30 days prior to the qualification game and 45-player game day roster one day prior (latest at 6pm local game venue time) for that qualification game.

Both teams are responsible for covering the travel costs of 3 game officials appointed by IFAF.

The host is responsible for head referee's and game supervisors travel costs.

The host is also responsible for the officials (7) accommodation (2 nights each) and food (7 meals) Accommodation must meet a minimum standard of 2 stars and meals must include also drinks.

The host is also responsible for organizing the game and fulfilling IFAF minimum requirements for qualification game.

If a qualification game is played in an IFAF accepted tournament, which is used for qualification, the above does not apply unless otherwise decided by the Tournament Director.



§6 Financial Provisions

The National Federations/Associations are responsible for their own travelling arrangements to and from the game venue and for all other payments due in connection with their travel and eventual extra accommodation and food. National Federations/Associations are also responsible for residence and lodging for their team and staff for the time of their stay in the hosting country starting.

Local Organizing Committee (LOC) will provide the following to the teams:

- 1) Bus transportation to and from next international airport to be determined by the TC, to the hosting city. Bus transportation to and from the hotel to game venues.
- 2) Organization of the stadium.
- 3) Practise field for 2 hours per day (check schedule for maximum number of days, not applicable in final game day)
- 4) Meeting room for 2 hours per day (check schedule for maximum number of days, not applicable in final game day)
- 5) Advertising and public relations.
- 6) Laundry for game uniforms: 24-hour service after each game, not including the last game of each participant.
- 7) VIP-hospitality.



§7 Technical meetings

LOC will host a technical meeting no earlier than two (2) months before and no later than one (1) month prior to the tournament. Each participant is responsible for their own travel and lodging costs for the technical meeting. Both Chef-De-Mission and Head Coach are required to participate at the technical meeting.

Failure to participate at technical meeting will lead to a fine of 2.000 Euros per missing person. The TC may allow team to participate with only one participant after receiving a written application for it.

During final tournament TC will host mandatory team meetings after each game day (not after final game day) and may do also for other times if necessary. These meetings are mandatory for all participants. TC will decide when both CDM and head coach are necessary. Only those invited by TC to these meeting, are allowed to participate in the meeting.



§8 Trophies and Medals

LOC will provide 46 medals (45 to players and 1 for national federation) to the Champion, runner – up and bronze game winner and IFAF will provide the trophies for the Champion, Runner- up, Bronze game winner and the MVP.

LOC will provide two (2) trophies / plaques for Team MVP’s for each game that is played.

LOC will provide trophies / plaques for members of the all-tournament team (23 in total) and also for the coach of the tournament.

The IFAF Competitions Committee will assign group to select the all-star team and coach of the tournament.



§9 Game system

The competition system is decided by IFAF. The games shall be executed according to IFAF rules. Please observe the IFAF minimum game requirements and exceptions for game rules specified in these regulations.

The head game official can interrupt a game before the expiration of the statutory playing time or during possible extra-time because of weather conditions or for other reasons beyond his control. The TC can, after game has been interrupted by head game official, decide to abandon the game or decide when the game will be continued. TC's decision is final and the game will end with the existing score or points.

Appeals versus the result of the abandoned match may be conducted to the IFAF appeals committee.



§10 Eligibility of Players

Overall requirements:

Only female players (according IFAF regulations on gender verification) are allowed to play in the tournament. Players need to turn minimum of 16 years of age during the competition year. Each player is only eligible to play for the National Federation/Association of her own nationality.

If a player has changed her nationality or holds two or more nationalities she is eligible to play for her new or chosen nationality. However, if a player has represented one National Federation/Association in any official IFAF or its continental representative tournament, including both senior and junior tournaments, the player is not eligible to play for any other National Federation/Association. Players' nationality must be proven on game day.

A player has to be citizen of the country she intends to play for by the time she has to be nominated on the 75 man preliminary roster.

Qualification Game day requirements:

In qualification games each team shall name its 75 player roster on the official IFAF team roster form 30 days prior to the qualification game and 45-player game day roster on the official IFAF team roster form one day prior (latest at 6pm local game venue time) for that qualification game. The IFAF supervisor will request presentation of a passport of each player. In case of no IFAF supervisor being present the head game official will carry the above identity check.

Identity documents must be a valid passport which includes photograph, date of birth and nationality. In case of a player/ team is not able to present passport the player will be ineligible to play.

Violation of players' eligibility regulations can lead to the team's or player's disqualification and/or of a fine of no more than 5.000,00 Euros.

Final tournament requirements:

Each team shall one day before the final tournament starts indicate, on the official IFAF team roster form, the names of the 45 players and their staff.

The IFAF supervisor will request presentation of a passport of each player prior to each game. In case of no IFAF supervisor being present the head game official will carry the above identity check. If picture accreditation for player by LOC, then passport check can be done on arrival and check prior to the game can be only accreditation check.

Identity documents must be a valid passport which includes photograph, date of birth and nationality. In case of a player/ team is not able to present passport the player will be ineligible to play.



Violation of players' eligibility regulations can lead to the team's or player's disqualification and/or of a fine of no more than 5.000,00 Euros.



§11 Qualification and final tournament format

The games of the Women's World Championship Qualifications shall be played on fixed dates, approved by IFAF.

Qualification games

The venues and kick-off times of all games shall be confirmed in writing to both IFAF and its continental representatives head quarters by the National Federations/Associations concerned 3 months prior of the date of the game/s.

The away Federation/Association shall arrange for their team to arrive at the country of the game the evening prior to game day.

All Qualification games must have been played by March 31st, 2013

Final tournament

Groupings and seeding are set by IFAF Board upon proposal of the TC.

There will be a ranking of all participants set by the tournament committee to determine the home rights of each game. This ranking is used to determine groupings/pairs and which team has to be placed in the stadiums on the team zone, which is normally used by the home team and for the right to choose the color of game uniform.



§12 Organisation – Responsibilities

IFAF shall appoint a tournament committee to serve as organizer and coordinator of the tournament.

Women's World Championships 2013 tournament committee:

Chairman: Chairman of IFAF competitions committee

Deputy chairman: TBA

TC member: TBA

The chairman of the WWC TC is the Executive Tournament Director. In case of his absence the deputy chairman is named to be Executive Tournament Director.

IFAF tournament committee will have the responsibility to control player identifications and eligibility, the field / arena and the security measures

IFAF shall appoint and assign and be responsible for all matters concerning the officiating of the competition. (Further information in §15)

IFAF tournament committee will be the official representative of IFAF and have the responsibility to control player identifications and eligibility, the field/arena and the security measures (further information in §13) Infractions of the Competition regulations shall be reported to the TC who will take all necessary action at the game site and forward a game report to IFAF. In qualification games Game supervisors will be appointed by IFAF tournament committee. The supervisor will be the official representative of IFAF and have the same responsibility and authority as TC in each game assigned to.

The National Federations/Associations are responsible for the behaviour of their players, officials, members or of any other person fulfilling a position or function on behalf of the team.

All venue changes must be sanctioned by IFAF tournament committee.

LOC shall be responsible for order and security before, during and after the game.



§13 Laws of the game

The games played in tournament shall be played in conformity with the 2012 IFAF rules with the following specified exceptions:

Player ejections: Any player ejected from the game will not be eligible to play in her team's next game in this competition.

Equipment, Uniforms and Colours of the Teams:

- a) All players must wear all mandatory equipment.
- b) Team players uniforms (socks, pants, jerseys, facemasks and helmets) shall be identical and in good condition;
- c) Player socks need to be high socks and worn high throughout the game.
- d) Teams shall have two complete set of players jerseys. Its home colour and white/light-coloured jerseys for away games and
- e) Advertisement on the game uniform is forbidden (further information §22).



§14 IFAF minimum game requirements

Game Balls:

Only approved game balls are to be used. TC will decide on game balls used both in qualification games and in final tournament.

Home team or LOC will provide minimum of 3 game balls, pump, pressure gauge and towels to the game officials at least 60 minutes before kick-off; in wet weather, please have as many game balls as possible. In wet weather the home team or LOC is asked to provide additional game balls.

Field Markings:

Full markings with end zones 10yds deep. Goalposts must be on the end line and padded. In fields not able to fit a full 120yd field, TC may approve a use of a field of 120 IFAF yds shortening each yard in the field.

Equipment and personal:

Down marker and chain set (10 yards only) to be of good condition. Home team has to supply 3 persons 18 years or older and who have officiating licence at least 20 minutes before the kick-off.

Ball persons:

LOC has to supply 2 persons 18 years or older at least 20 minutes before the kick-off.

Uniform colours:

Teams have to wear completely contrasting coloured shirts. Visiting team changes if necessary.

Changing rooms:

Teams and game officials are to have separated changing rooms.

Game officials changing room to be adequate in size for at least 7 officials.

Team changing rooms to be adequate for 45 players.

Game management to assist game officials at the game:

-Medical requirements to meet minimum requirements at least 30 minutes before kick-off:

- a) A qualified medical Doctor must be present at the game all times;
- b) An ambulance crew must not be the sole medical personnel present; if ambulance should leave it should be replaced within the shortest time possible;
- c) A first aid kit including a suitable (preferably inflatable) set of limb splints must be available and
- d) Medical doctor to be named on the roster form.

If the above mentioned requirements are not reached, then the game will be suspended.



Statistics

Full statistics is required in all qualification and final tournament games including Scoring Summary, Participation report, Box Score, Game Summary, Team Statistics, Individual Statistics, Drive Chart, Defensive Statistics and play-by play as according IFAF statistics guidelines.

Statistics must be made available to media and the head coach of each team participating in the game no later than 30 minutes following the conclusion of the game. Stats should be distributed to the media in the press area at the end of each quarter.

Head coaches report form:

This is to be given to the IFAF Director of Officiating within 2 hours of the game.

Video:

In qualification games

Game video is to be sent to IFAF Director of Officiating within 7 days of the game, this video is for assessment of the officials only.

Final tournament

Game video is to be given to the IFAF director of Officiating with the same deadlines as for the teams. This video is for assessment of the officials only.



§15 Arena and field

IFAF may refuse to permit games to be played in arenas which do not measure up to international standards, by which it means that the ground must be in good condition as to both the playing surface and the facilities. The stadium must conform to the security prescriptions of the competent civil authorities. The National Federations/Associations taking part in the IFAF competition must ensure that the stadium they use undergoes a periodic safety check. The games can be played in daytime or evening but then, only on grounds equipped with appropriate floodlights.

In order to guarantee the safety of the players and the game officials, the hosting team shall provide for an access to the field ensuring safe entry and exit.

IFAF official representatives and at least four representatives of the visiting team and its National Federation/Association shall be seated in the best category seats. An adequate number of complimentary and paying seats, to be fixed by mutual agreement, shall be reserved for the visiting team.



§16 Unfitness of grounds

If the National Federations/Associations/ home team concerned considers the ground unfit for play, they are responsible to have the ground inspected by IFAF TC , if the ground is deemed unfit the TC shall inform concerned participants and LOC immediately.

If the ground is subsequently deemed unfit, LOC is responsible for securing a suitable alternative venue for the game or the game shall be played on the following day unless reasons beyond control impede such game taking place.

In the event that the game does not take place it shall be rescheduled in accordance with the qualification schedule or the result shall be decided by the flip of a coin. The same provisions apply if the game is abandoned for the same reasons.

The TC can abandon a game before the expiration of the statutory playing time or during overtime due to Force Majeure. His decision is final and the game will end with the existing score of points.



§17 Game officials and Supervisors

All game officials and supervisors will be appointed by IFAF.

Official uniforms

Official uniforms have to be in good condition and shall only have the IFAF logo attached to them. All other logos/advertisement will be removed before the game/tournament.

In qualification games

The IFAF director of Officiating shall designate a head referee and game observer from a neutral country. Additionally, three officials from each country shall be appointed. One shall be appointed as a substitute head referee.

Both the Home and the Away Federation/ Association have to provide and cover the costs of 3 officials. Neutral officials' and supervisors travel, accommodation for one night as well as meals for 2 days (total 6) are to be paid by the home Federation/Association.

If the IFAF appointed game officials have not arrived at the venue of the game on the evening of the day before the game, the TC shall nominate officials whose names are included in the official list as substitutes. In this case the home and visiting team shall be informed immediately.

If the game officials have not arrived in good time before the kick-off time of the game, the substitute(s) shall take charge of the game. Games played under these circumstances shall be valid, and no protests shall be accepted.

If the head-referee, before or during the game, becomes unfit and is unable to continue to officiate, he shall be replaced by the substitute head referee.

All game officials and supervisors shall arrive at the venue the day before the game.

In Final tournament

Each IFAF member has right to nominate officials to IFAF. IFAF will appoint officials to the final tournament from pool of officials nominated both by the members and IFAF officiating department.

For final tournament participants must pay 2.500,00 Euro officiating fee.

Officials travel will be covered by IFAF and accommodation and food by LOC.

The game officials report form shall be signed by the head coaches and the game management in charge of the teams. After the game the Head Referee shall complete the official game report form, sign it and hand it to the TC maximum 1 hour after the end of the game.

The report shall include as much information as possible about all occurrences before, during and after the game, such as:



- a) misconduct of the players, leading to reprimands or expulsion;
- b) Unsportsmanlike behaviour of officials, members, supporters and of any person fulfilling a duty on behalf of a team or organizer and
- c) Any other noticed incidents.



§18 Anti-doping regulations

IFAF anti-doping regulations are in effect from the time teams enter the tournament

§19 Disciplinary measures

IFAF Tournament Committee is given the right to fine participants according these regulations without a separate hearing. Such decisions may be appealed as per IFAF regulations.

In other matters IFAF disciplinary regulations are in effect during final tournament and IFAF will appoint a disciplinary committee to handle procedures these issues.

§20 Protests and Appeals

IFAF protest and appeal regulations are in effect during final tournament.



§21 Media regulations

The commitments and responsibility of national Federation/Associations towards the media are to provide information, news and access to players and coaches, while protecting the game and the players.

If rules relating to the media are not observed, the matter may be submitted to the TC for a possible fine.

Each participating CDM will act as press officer to coordinate media matters in cooperation with his team, IFAF press officer and other CDMs.

Access to practise

In practise sessions, they must be open to media representatives (TV, radio, written press, website journalists and photographers) for at least 15 minutes. LOC, together with the teams CDM or, if appointed, the IFAF Media Officer, is responsible for ensuring that the stadium is clear of media after 15 minutes and that all cameras are turned off.

Press conferences

Post-game press conference at game venue must start no later than 20 minutes after the final whistle. LOC is responsible for providing interpreter and any technical facilities necessary for press. Both teams are obliged to make their team head coach, as well as two (2) players available for this press conference. Press conference will start with the losing team head coach and players.



§22 Advertisement

- a) Advertisement on the player uniforms is in general forbidden. Federations are allowed to fix the logo of the manufacture of player uniforms on the clothing. A federation wishing to fix advertisement of a sponsor on the player uniforms (including helmets) has to submit the request three months in advance to LOC and TC. Permission will be granted if there is no conflict with tournament main sponsors and the advertisement is suitable for IFAF Women's World Championships. A tournament main sponsor is a sponsor who pays a significant amount of money to LOC. Non suitable advertisers for WWC include but are not limited to alcohol and tobacco products as well as sexist material. The definition of a significant amount of money is subject to circumstances.
- b) IFAF has an exclusive right to 10 meters of arena signs in each end zone and one free page in the official game program in all the games in the tournament. IFAF has to notify the organizer of the game or hosting team not later than the two months prior to the start of qualification and final tournaments its decision to use this right.
- c) At all games of final tournament the logo of IFAF and continental representative shall be visible to the spectators in the stadium.

If in any country there are more restrictive advertisement regulations, or a complete prohibition of publicity, these shall supersede these regulations.

Violations of this regulation may lead to an imposition of a fine of max of 5.000 euros. and possible denial to play with the forbidden sponsors on the uniforms. IFAF hereby waives and disclaims all responsibilities arising from disputes between organizer and third party.



§23 Television and publishing issues

a) IFAF is the exclusive holder of television and radio broadcast rights, irrespective, as well as any other use and distribution by whatever audio-visual and sound broadcasting media.

b) Provided that the principle laid down mentioned in §1 is observed and that the bodies mentioned above give their consent, IFAF agrees to the transmission of the games by television (closed circuit & cassettes included), sound broadcast and the cinema for the qualification tournament games.

All games, which shall be transmitted by television, closed circuit, broadcast by radio stations or shot by film producers, shall be covered by a written contract. IFAF is entitled to be informed in advance and in writing of the contents of such contract.

c) If the said broadcasting transmission or reproduction are intended for another country, the holder of the rights as defined above may grant authorization only under the condition that it has obtained the prior consent of the National Federation/Association of the receiving country.

d) Since the original television broadcast and relays of the games of this tournament should not compete with other football games being played in the country of origin of the game and in the countries where the broadcast is relayed respectively, teams, national federations/associations and their affiliated organizations are obliged to include in all their contract for the ceding and use of TV rights the wording of §23 in these regulations. The National Federations/Associations concerned are responsible for the observation of these provisions.

e) IFAF recommends the participating National Federations/Associations to exchange videotapes from the tournament games.

a. Each participating country has to provide a video tape of the last national team competition game of the federation to IFAF at the technical conference (six samples/ copies – 1. for IFAF, 2. for IFAF officiating department, 3.. for each participant). If the last national team competition game was more than two years ago the federation has to provide additional video material from friendship games or domestic league games.

b. IFAF will hand out to all countries participating in the final tournament one copy of the videos mentioned above at the technical meeting. If any team will not provide its video tape to IFAF then IFAF will not provide video tapes from the other participants to such team until its video tapes are received to IFAF office.

c. If a federation does not provide the video Documentation at the technical meeting the team could be eliminated from competition.

f) Each home team shall record the qualification game and forward a copy to IFAF director of officiating within two weeks of the game.

Violation of §23 leads to a fine up to 10.000 euros. (Section f) leads to a fine of 500 euros)



§24 Tournament Manual

The IFAF Tournament Manual with procedures, interpretations, standards and other information is an integral part of these regulations. Failure to comply with the Manual is considered to be a failure to comply with the tournament regulations.

§25 Force Majeure

IFAF has the right to make decisions in all matters concerned the tournament. Unless if the circumstances are unforeseen and has not been provided in these regulations. Such decisions shall not be subject to appeal.

§26 Sanctions

These qualification and final tournament regulations were sanctioned by the Executive Board on December 4, 2012