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A. General Information



1. Sports on the Program of the XIX Mediterranean Games Oran2022:

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6		CYCLING	18		TENNIS
7		FENCING	19		TABLE TENNIS
8		FOOTBALL	20		SHOOTING
9		GYMNASTICS	21		ARCHERY
10		WEIGHTLIFTING	22		SAILING
11		HANDBALL	23		VOLLEYBALL
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3. Abbreviation Table:

Acronym	Definition
ICMG	International Committee of the Mediterranean Games
IOC	International Olympic Committee
IF	International Federation
OCMG	Organizing Committee of the Mediterranean Games
NOC	National Olympic Committee
WADA	World Anti-Doping Agency
NF	National Federation
MG	XIX Mediterranean Games Oran 2022
DRM	Delegation Registration Meeting
MV	Mediterranean Village
TIC	Technical Information Center
SIC	Sports Information Center
M	Men
W	Women
M/W	Men/ Women
QR	Qualification Round
F	Final
QR/F	Qualification Round / Final
FIE	INTERNATIONAL FENCING FEDERATION
FAE	ALGERIAN FENCING FEDERATION

B. Technical Information



1. International Federation:

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4.Events and Dates**4.1 Sports Program:**

The fencing competition of the XIX Mediterranean Games Oran 2022 will include the following events:

Men	Women
INDIVIDUAL SABRE	INDIVIDUAL SABRE
INDIVIDUAL FOIL	INDIVIDUAL FOIL
INDIVIDUAL EPEE	INDIVIDUAL EPEE

4.2 Dates and venue:

The Fencing competition will take place at the **Mohammed Ben Ahmed CCO Hall 01 and 02** from **Sunday, 03 of July to Tuesday 05 of July 2022**.

5. Conditions for the conduct of the competition:

The fencing competition will take place if a minimum of eight (8) countries for the men's events and six (6) countries for the women's events have registered before 23:59 (Algerian time) on **Friday March 25, 2022**.

Depending on the number of entries, the president of the Technical Commission of the ICMG, assisted by one (1) or two (2) members of this commission appointed by the president of the ICMG, and in the presence of the president of the Commission of the sports organization of the OCMG 2022, will decide **on Monday May 30, 2022**, the list of canceled events.

Once the progress of a competition has been confirmed, it will take place and the corresponding medals and diplomas will be distributed, regardless of the number of participants.

5.1 Cancellation of events:

The OCMG Oran 2022 will immediately inform each National Olympic Committee of the list of events that have been canceled because they do not meet the required number of participants.

6. Competition Rules:

The fencing competition will take place in accordance with the FIE regulations in force on **January 1, 2022**, with special exceptions authorized by the ICMG.

Questions not addressed in this technical manual will be resolved as follows:

- For general questions, the ICMG rules will apply.
- For technical questions, the FIE rules will be applied.

7. Technical Organization:

The FIE Technical Delegate is responsible for the technical organization and the running of the Fencing competition during the Mediterranean Games Oran 2022.

7.1 Special provisions regarding the conduct of the competition:

Any problems that may arise before or during the events will be resolved by the Competition management, in accordance with the regulations of the ICMG and the FIE in force on January 1, 2022, except for specific exceptions authorized by the ICMG;

Precise arrangements for the organization of the fencing competition will be made according to the number of participants.

7.2 Drawing of the lots:

The drawing of lots to determine the order of the bouts will take place at the technical meeting on **Saturday 2nd July 2022**, after each delegation has confirmed the entries of their fencers.

7.3 Competition System:

The competition system, determined by FIE standards, will include eliminations of all participants and direct elimination matches without repechage, until the final.

7.4 Technical Directory:

The technical directory of the fencing competition will be composed of three (3) members appointed by the FIE; two (2) of them will be from the host country.

7.5 Weapons Control:

An area will be set up in the venue of competition for the control of weapons by the judges. It will be possible to store weapons there during competition and official training. This area must comply with the standards established by the FIE.

One (1) or two (2) members of the SEMI commission will be responsible for weapons control. These representatives are appointed by the executive committee of the FIE.

8. Competition venue:

The Fencing competition of the XIX Mediterranean Games Oran 2022 will take place at the Mohammed ben Ahmed CCO **Hall 01 and 02**, 6,7 kilometers from the Mediterranean Village. The hall has a capacity of 1500 spectators.

Competition Venue	Distance from the Village	Capacity	Municipality
Mohammed ben Ahmed CCO Hall 01 and 02	6,7 Km	1500	Oran

8.1 Competition area:

The competition area will be made up of Six (5) competition tracks, one of which, the central track, will be used for the finals. The tracks will respect the specifications of the FIE regulations.

8.2 Warm-up area:

Attached to the competition site, the athletes will have a warm-up area with six (5) tracks similar to that of the competition.

8.3 Changing rooms:

Participants will have at their disposal men and women's changing rooms equipped with showers and toilets.

8.4 Rest room for athletes:

Athletes will have a rest room with water, energy drinks and fruits.

8.5 Press tribune:

The accredited media will have at their disposal a tribune and a working room.

8.6 Sports equipment:

All sports equipment and technical equipment used during competitions and fencing training must comply with the standards established in the FIE regulations, in force on **January 1, 2022**, except for specific exceptions authorized by the ICMG

9.Training:**9.1 Training venues:**

Fencing training for the XIX Mediterranean Games Oran 2022 will take place in the following venues:

Training venues	Distance from the Village	Municipalities	Observations
Mohammed Ben Ahmed CCO Hall 01 and 02	6,7 Km	Oran	Competition venue
Tunis MV Hall (Barcelona district)	////	Bir El Djir	

9.1.1 Training calendar and schedule:

Athletes will have the following venues at their disposal, according to the times indicated below:

Dates	Venues	Hours
July 01,02 2022	Mohammed Ben Ahmed CCO Hall 01 and 02	From 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
July 03,04 2022	Mohammed Ben Ahmed CCO Hall 01 and 02	According to competition program
From 30 June to 04 July 2022	Tunis MV Hall (Barcelona district)	From 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

9.2 Services in venues for training

9.2.1 Changing rooms and room for sports equipment:

Participants will have at their disposal men and women's changing rooms equipped with showers and toilets.

9.3 Media during training:

The training sessions will be open to the media but not to the public. The Competition Director will be the person empowered to modify this standard whenever necessary.

9.4 Procedure for assignments of training sessions:

NOCs will receive the program of training sessions at the latest Ten (10) Days before the DRM.

They will need to confirm that they will use the sessions assigned to them during the DRM.

9.4.1 Pre-competition:

In general, the Competition management will make available to athletes, for a daily training session, the venues designated for this purpose, Three (3) days before the start of the competition, that is to say on **Thursday, June 30, 2022**.

If they have requested them during the DRM, following the established procedure, the delegations will be able to use the venues for training five (5) days before the start of the competition, that is to say, from **Tuesday June 28, 2022. Depending on the availability of infrastructures and in accordance with the criteria mentioned in the Manual of Heads of Mission.**

The training sessions will last 1h30.

9.4.2 During the Competition:

The competition management will assign a daily training session of on 1h30 in the venue provided for this purpose.

During the technical meeting on **Saturday July 2nd 2022**, the Organizing Committee will present the competition program as well as the start lists. During the technical meeting, each NOC can then present its specific training needs, which will be assessed for inclusion in the training program for the competition phase.

All NOCs will have to confirm that they will use their training session, before 5:00 pm the day before training; otherwise, the said session will be made available to the other NOCs. They may also request additional training which may be allocated to them, from 8:00p.m. on the same day, depending on the availability of the venues.

The teams will receive information about the training sessions upon arrival at the Mediterranean Village Sports Information Center (SIC) and the Technical Fencing Information Center (TIC).

10. Participation:

All NOCs Members of the ICMG, of which the national fencing federation is a member of the FIE, will be able to participate in the fencing competition of the XIX Mediterranean Games Oran 2022.

The athletes who will participate in the competitions must have the nationality of the country they represent, respect the conditions and regulations of the ICMG and the FIE.

Each NOC can participate in the Fencing competition with a maximum of Three (03) fencers per weapon.

11. Entries:

11.1 General Principles:

The XIX Mediterranean Games Oran 2022 is open to all athletes from NOCs of Mediterranean member countries of the ICMG, according to the standards of the ICMG Charter and the IOC.

All athletes participating in the Games must be citizens of the country they represent, in accordance with the IOC rules.

Prior to the Games, all participating athletes must complete and sign the "consent form" as defined by the World Anti-Doping Agency.

11.2 Procedures:

The delegation registration process is linked to the general accreditation system. The registration system set up by the OCMG Oran 2022 consists of an online computer application, accessible through the official Games' website: <https://entriesoran2022.dz>

Each delegation will have a user name and a password of their own which will allow them to access the online application in Two Languages: English and French. The online application will allow to print a list of sports entries which, once signed, must be sent, before the deadlines indicated hereafter, to the OCMG Oran 2022: sportsinscription@oran2022.com

11.2.1 Entry by Number:

The list of entries with the number of participants per sport and per event must be submitted, through the online application, before **23:59 (Algerian time), on Friday March 25, 2022.**

11.2.2 Preliminary entries by name (Long list):

The list of preliminary entries of participants by name, by sport and by event must be submitted, through the online application, before **23:59 (Algerian time) on Friday, April 15, 2022.**

11.2.3 Final entries by name (Short list):

The NOCs of all participating countries must send to the OCMG Oran 2022, no later than **Thursday May 26, 2022 (23:59 Algerian time)**, the form of the nominative and final entries of their participants, through the online application.

11.3 Confirmation of entries:

Confirmation of entries will take place during the DRM and any subsequent eligible changes will be presented to the SIC and confirmed, at the latest, during the technical meeting.

The specific forms for the confirmation of entries will be given to the head of mission of each NOC.

12. Technical meeting:

The meeting will take place on **Saturday July 2nd at 6:00 p.m.** at the venue of the competition (Mohamed Ben Ahmed CCO Hall).

The meeting will take place in accordance with the FIE regulations, under the direction of the FIE Technical Delegate. The following people should be present at this meeting:

- The Technical Delegate of the FIE,
- A member of the CIJM Technical Commission,
- Heads of delegations,
- Coaches (one per weapon),
- The Director of the Fencing competition of the OCMG 2022.
- Venues manager.

13. Health services:

13.1 Health services available in the Village and at the competition venues:

During the XIX Mediterranean Games Oran 2022, health assistance will be available for any athlete or accredited official who needs it, both in the Mediterranean Village and at all competition venues.

13.1.1 In the Mediterranean Village:

The Mediterranean Village polyclinic will provide residents with the following health services:

- Sports medicine,
- Physiotherapy,
- First aid,
- 24 hour emergency services.

Ambulance teams will act as a link between the polyclinic and the main hospitals, in the event that additional care is required.

13.1.2 On the competition venues:

During the course of the events, all competition venues have the following services available to athletes:

- Medical services
- Medical transport service

Coolers filled with ice cubes will be made available to delegations in all sports venues.

13.2 Doping control:

Doping controls will be carried out during competition or out of competition, under the responsibility of the ICMG Medical and Anti-Doping Commission and with the collaboration of the anti-doping services of OCMG Oran 2022, in accordance with the rules of the ICMG, the FIE and the World Anti-Doping Code.

Each participant subject to a test will receive a written notification of the moment from which the procedure for collecting the control sample will begin, and this, within the times and in the manner established by law.

The athlete who refuses to undergo a doping control procedure, or who has a positive analysis of his sample, will be excluded from the competition and he / she will be sanctioned in accordance with the rules of the ICMG and by FIE.

14. Judges-referees

14.1 Officials:

The FIE will appoint the three (3) members of the technical directory, two of them will be from the organizing country. The FIE will also appoint a delegate of the refereeing commission and a delegate of the SEMI commission who will be responsible for ensuring the control of the equipment.

14.2 Judges and referees:

Each NOC participating in the Oran 2022 Mediterranean Games fencing competition with a minimum of five (5) fencers must register, with its delegation, one (01) international referee.

For a lower participation, the NOC may propose, with its delegation, an international referee to officiate during the competitions. The names of the referees must appear in the nominative entry form.

The FIE Executive Committee, and on the proposal of the Refereeing Commission, will appoint two (2) international referees who are not nationals of Mediterranean countries.

The AFF Refereeing Commission may appoint five (5) additional referees to officiate during the competition.

14.3 Appointment of referees:

The delegate of the FIE Arbitration Commission will designate the referees for the assaults and will control their refereeing.

15. Claims:

All claims must comply with the procedures of the FIE. Claims must be presented, by the NOC in question, in writing, in English, Arabic or French, within the required time limits, accompanied by a deposit in cash fixed by the FIE regulations.

16. Sports clothing:

16.1. Athletes clothing:

Participants in the fencing competition of the XIX Mediterranean Games Oran 2022 must wear sports clothing in accordance with the regulations of the FIE and the ICMG.

No advertising marks are permitted on sportswear, accessories or, as a general rule, on any part of the clothing or equipment worn or used by athletes. Only the name of the manufacturer of the corresponding garment or equipment will be authorized, provided that it does not appear exaggeratedly for advertising purposes, in accordance with the rules defined by the ICMG and the FIE.

The official Medal Ceremony will be subject to the same regulations as regards sports attire and publicity. Athletes will have to stand on the podium with the official clothing of their NOC.

16.2 Judges clothing:

During the competition, the judges must wear clothing in accordance with the FIE regulations.

17. Medal ceremonies:

Medal ceremonies will take place at the end of each competition.

17.1 Medals and diplomas:

The following prizes will be awarded, in accordance with the CIJM regulations.

17.1.1 First place:

Gold medal and diploma for the participant ranked first in each event.

17.1.2 Second place :

Silver medal and diploma for the participant ranked second in each event.

17.1.3 Third places (2) :

Bronze medals and diplomas to two participants ranked third in each event men and women.

17.1.4 fifth to eighth places:

Diploma to participants ranked from fifth to eighth places in each event.

18. Calendar and times:

The fencing competition will take place from **Sunday 03 July to Tuesday 05 July 2022** according to the following schedules:

Sabre		
Days	Hours	Gender
Sunday, July 3 rd 2022	10:30 a.m.	Call for Fencers
	10:45 a.m.	Scratch
	11 a.m.	Team
	3 p.m.	T 16
	3:30 p.m.	T 8
	4 p.m.	T 4
	5 p.m.	Finals
Epee		
Monday, July 4 th 2022	10:30 a.m.	Call for Fencers
	10:45 a.m.	Scratch
	11 a.m.	Team
	3 p.m.	T16
	3:30 p.m.	T 8
	4 p.m.	T 4
	5 p.m.	Finals
Foil		
Tuesday, July 5 th 2022	10:30 a.m.	Call for Fencers
	10:45 a.m.	Scratch
	11 a.m.	Team
	3 p.m.	T16
	3:30 p.m.	T 8
	4 p.m.	T 4
	5 p.m.	Finals

(Times are provisional and may change depending on the final number of entries).

The organizers, for justified reasons, will have the right to modify the competition schedules, with the agreement of the Technical Delegate.

Each team or athlete concerned would then be informed at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance.

19. Technical offices:

Two offices will provide information specific to the fencing competition:

- Fencing TIC, located at the competition site.
- SIC of the Mediterranean Village.

These offices will provide information on competition schedules, training sessions, transport, participant lists and results.

20. Approval of regulations:

In the event of disagreement on the interpretation of the text of this manual with any other related version, the French text shall prevail.

This Technical Manual was approved by the ICMG on March 12, 2022.