



BADMINTON WORLD FEDERATION

28 April 2022

To: Member Associations
Continental Confederations
Council (copy for information)

Subject: TotalEnergies BWF World Championships 2022

Badminton World Federation would like to inform you of the arrangements made for the hosting of the TotalEnergies BWF World Championships 2022 to be held at Tokyo Metropolitan Gymnasium, Tokyo from Monday 22 August – Sunday 28 August 2022.

We very much look forward to welcoming the qualified players to Tokyo in 2022

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Thomas Lund'.

Thomas Lund OLY
Secretary General



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TotalEnergies BWF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022

to be organised on behalf of BWF by the
NIPPON BADMINTON ASSOCIATION

Event	TotalEnergies BWF World Championships 2022
Venue	Tokyo Metropolitan Gymnasium
Dates of Championships	22nd - 28th August 2022 (Monday to Sunday)
Host Association & organisers	Nippon Badminton Association 4-2 Kasumigaokamachi, Shinjuku-ku, 160013 Tokyo, Japan <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ President: Yoshio Sekine○ General Secretary: Kinji Zeniya○ Contact Person: Yuko Nishi○ Tel: <u>0081 3 64345141</u>○ Fax: <u>0081 3 6434 7715</u>○ Email: <u>jpnbad@badminton.or.jp</u>
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Shuttlecocks	Yonex Tournament grade shuttlecock shall be used. Three speeds will be made available. PRACTICE: Each player will be given three shuttlecocks free for the practice session. Additional shuttlecocks can be purchased.

Key dates	Phase one	
	Tues 26 April 2022	World ranking date to determine those eligible to enter
	Wed 27 April 2022	BWF will advise Members of the players/pairs that are eligible to enter
	Thursday 05 May 2022	Nippon Badminton if eligible, will decide whether or not they wish to use wild cards
	Friday 06 May 2022	BWF to decide whether or not to use BWF wild cards
	Thursday 12 May 2022	Deadline for Members to confirm whether or not eligible players/pairs will enter (Phase 1) BWF to publish wild card(s) Host Member Association to inform players granted wild card(s)
	Phase 2	
	Thursday 19 May 2022	BWF to invite any further players/pairs due to players/pairs originally eligible, not entering (Phase II) BWF to publish Reserves list of players/pairs in order of preference in case of withdrawals/fill in vacancies in draw(s)
	Thursday 26 May 2022	Deadline for Members to confirm whether eligible players/pairs in phase II will enter and players/pairs in the reserves list will participate if a vacancy arises in a draw
	Monday 06 June 2022	Confirmation to the players from the Reserves List
	Tuesday 02 August 2022	World Ranking to determine seeds
	Monday 08 August 2022	Last date for withdrawal without penalty
	Friday 05 August 2022	Team Manager lists to be sent to BWF



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	Wednesday 10 August 2022	Draw Venue: BWF headquarters Time: 3.00pm (Kuala Lumpur time)
	Sunday, 21 August 2022	Team Managers' Meeting: Time: 14:00 hours (2:00pm) Venue: TBC
	Monday 22 – Sunday 28 August 2022	Competition Duration
	Sunday 28 August 2022	Finals

Qualification process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See BWF Statutes Section 5.2.1 Major Events Tournaments Regulations, Section 5.3.2 Timelines for Tournaments and Section 5.3.9 for Eligibility and Processing of Entries for World Championships <p>Note: The entries may be less than 64/48 if all the entries have not been fulfilled by the time of the final deadline.</p>
Entries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The BWF will conduct the entry process using the above key deadlines. There will be no entry form, but the BWF will highlight those who are eligible to take part using the World Ranking list of 26 April 2022. You must then advise us if your qualified players wish to enter by the deadlines stated above.
Withdrawals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any withdrawal after the Monday immediately preceding the draw, for any reason whatsoever, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an amount of USD 250.00 for the inconvenience caused by the withdrawal. Last date for withdrawal without penalty – Monday 08 August 2022 BWF Headquarters time 23.59 hour +GMT 08.00.
Clothing Regulations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General Competition Regulations 20 to 25 will be applicable along with World Championships Regulations.
Practice facilities	<p>PRACTICE HALL: Tokyo Metropolitan Gymnasium</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8 courts available from 9am to 8 pm daily from 20 Aug (Sat) to 21 Aug (Sun) 8 Courts available from 9am to 8pm daily from 22 Aug (Mon) to 27 Aug (Sat) Practice on 28 Aug (Sun)- Finals Day will be communicated later <p>THE MAIN VENUE: Tokyo Metropolitan Gymnasium</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Familiarisation on 4 competition courts from 13:00h to 22:00h on 20 Aug (Saturday) and 09:00 to 22:00h on 21 Aug



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	<p>(Sunday) before start of the championships.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practice will be made available on the competition courts from 22 Aug (Mon) to Wed 24 Aug (Wed) before the start of the competition each day from 07:30 to 08:30 Practice will be made available on the competition courts from 25 Aug (Thur) to Wed 26 Aug (Fri) before the start of the competition each day from 08:30 to 09:30 Practice will be made available on the competition courts on 27 Aug (Sat) before the start of the competition each day from 08:00 to 09:00 Practice will be made available on the competition courts on 28 Aug (Sun) before the start of the competition each day from 10:00 to 12:00 																																
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Bank Account No	To be updated
Video Recording	More information will be provided at the team managers meeting
Transport	Shuttle service will be provided from official hotels to practice and competition halls.
Airport	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shuttle service shall be provided from Narita International Airport or Haneda International Airport to the official hotels. • Transport form will be provided at a later date
Insurance	Participants must arrange their own insurance for health, travel, property and COVID-19. The organisers will not be responsible for any medical costs.
Covid 19 Safety Protocols	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BWF will provide the tournament Covid 19 safety protocol guidelines approximately one month before the Championships.
Grant	BWF do not offer any financial assistance to compete in this competition.
Doping Control	<p>Doping control in badminton, in accordance with BWF Anti-Doping Regulations, is conducted out-of-competition and in-competition with the collection of urine and/or blood samples.</p> <p>Athletes are responsible for any substance found in their body. Before an athlete takes any medication, they should check with their doctor, and if necessary, get a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE).</p> <p>For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</p>
Badminton Integrity	<p>Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of Conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match Results) relates to anti-corruption and anti-match manipulation, and this code applies to all participants at this tournament.</p> <p>To protect the integrity of BWF sanctioned tournaments, participants are not allowed to bet in any way on badminton matches, respect the principle of fair play, and shall not attempt to influence the course or result of a game or match.</p> <p>Every person has an obligation to report to the BWF any approaches by anyone to gather inside information or to change the outcome of a matches.</p> <p>For more information, please refer to BWF's website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</p>
Compliance with General Competition Regulations	GCR 7.9: <i>"In making or authorising entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF's regulations and Disciplinary processes."</i>



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Clause 7.9	
Accreditation	<p>Please submit your players' and officials' accreditation requests and passport size photos through prescribed Accreditation form before the date specified in the form.</p> <p>No of players from Association = No of accompanying Officials</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For 3 players or fewer = 1 official• For 4-7 players = 2 officials• For 8-15 players = 3 officials• For 16 or more players = 4 officials <p>NOTE: IF more officials accompany your team, you must purchase additional accreditations. Accreditation for all day = JPY15,000.</p> <p>Link to the form to be provided at a later date.</p>
Visa	Information to be updated.