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## **COMPETITION INFORMATION**

### **1. Dates and Venues**

The 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Boxing Competition will be held from 28 November to 3 December 2005 at the La Salle Coliseum, Bacolod City. The training Venue for this competition will be at Negros Occidental Multi-Purpose Activity Center.

### **2. Events**

The 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Boxing Competition will be contested in the following events:

#### ***Men: 9 Events***

Pinweight	-	up to 45 kgs
Light Flyweight	-	up to 48 kgs
Flyweight	-	up to 51 kgs
Bantamweight	-	up to 54 kgs
Featherweight	-	up to 57 kgs
Lightweight	-	up to 60 kgs
Light Welterweight	-	up to 64 kgs
Welterweight	-	up to 69 kgs
Middleweight	-	up to 75 kgs

#### ***Women: 5 Events, weight limits TBA***

Pinweight	-	up to 46 kgs
Light Flyweight	-	up to 48 kgs
Flyweight	-	up to 50 kgs
Bantamweight	-	up to 54 kgs
Lightweight	-	up to 60 kgs

#### ***Competition Duration:***

##### *Men*

Four (4) Rounds of Two (2) minutes each, with a one (1) minute interval between rounds.

##### *Women*

Three (3) Rounds of Two (2) minutes each, with a one (1) minute interval between rounds

### **3. Competition Schedule**

#### **28 November (Monday)**

07:30 -10:00 AM	-	Medical check-up and general weigh-in
10:00 -11:00 AM	-	Managers Meeting
11:00 AM	-	Draw
05:00 PM	-	Elimination

#### **29 November (Tuesday)**

07:30 - 09:00 AM	-	Medical check up and weigh-in
09:00 - 10:00 AM	-	R/J Meeting
05:00 PM	-	Elimination / Quarter finals

30 November (Wednesday)  
07:30 - 09:00 AM - Medical check-up and weigh-in  
09:00 - 10:00 AM - R/J Meeting  
05:00 PM - Quarter finals

01 December (Thursday)  
07:30 - 09:00 AM - Medical check-up and weigh-in  
09:00 - 10:00 AM - R/J Meeting  
04:00 PM - Semi-finals

02 December (Friday)  
07:30 - 09:00 AM - Medical check-up and weigh-in  
09:00 - 10:00 AM - R/J Meeting  
05:00 PM - Semi-finals

03 December (Saturday)  
07:30 - 09:00 AM - Medical check-up and weigh-in  
09:00 - 10:00 AM - R/J Meeting  
04:00 PM - Finals

## **GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS**

### **1. Rules**

The 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Boxing Competition will be conducted in accordance with the Rules of the International Amateur Boxing Association (AIBA). In case of a disagreement in the interpretation of rules from versions in different languages, the English text will prevail. Any unforeseen incident not covered by the AIBA Rules shall be dealt with accordingly in the following manner:

- 1.1.** Technical questions shall be resolved in accordance with the AIBA Rules.
- 1.2.** Cases of general nature shall be resolved in accordance with the SEA Games Federation (SEAGF) Statutes and Rules (2005). Particularly, the following rules shall have precedence:

#### **SEAGF Rule 31 – Eligibility Code**

To be eligible for participation in the SEA Games, a competitor must comply with the SEA Games Federation Statutes and Rules as well as Rule 45 and the By-Laws to Rule 45 of the Olympic Charter.

#### **SEAGF Rule 32 – Nationality of Competitor**

Only nationals of the country of the NOC shall be qualified to represent the NOC in the Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country which competitor may represent in the SEA Games shall be resolved by the Executive Committee in accordance with the By-Laws to Rule 46 of the Olympic Charter.

#### **SEAGF Rule 34 – Medical Code:**

- a. Doping violation as defined by the WADA Code is forbidden.
- b. All competitors are liable to medical control and examination carried out in conformity with the rules of the International Olympic Committee Medical Commission, the WADA Anti-Doping Code and Explanatory documents.

- c. Competitors in sports restricted to women must comply with the prescribed tests for femininity, when needed.
- d. Any competitor refusing to submit for a medical control or examination or is found guilty of an Anti-doping violation shall be excluded from the SEA games. The principles of exclusion for teams and individuals shall be in accordance with the WADA Code.
- e. A medal may be withdrawn by order of the Executive Committee on the proposal of the Chairman of the Organizing Committee.
- f. A Medical Commission as approved by the Medical Committee of the SEAG Federation will be set up to implement these rules. Members of which be nominated by their respective NOC as approved by the Medical Commission of the SEAG Federation.
- g. The above regulations shall in no way affect further sanctions by the International Federation.

**SEAGF Rule 38 – Number of Entries:**

The maximum number of entries from each nation in each event is fixed by the Federation in consultation with the Host NOC. However, the following numbers cannot be exceeded:

- a. For individual events, including singles and doubles event, there shall only be two (2) entries from each NOC (excluding reserves). For the sports of Arnis, Bodybuilding, Boxing, Judo, Karate-do, Muay, Pencak Silat, Taekwondo, Weightlifting, Wrestling, and Wushu, there shall only be one (1) entry per weight category from each NOC, and for Sailing where there shall only be one (1) entry per event from each NOC. Any event with three (3) or more members to make up a team shall be deemed to be a team event, and there shall only be one team (entry) from each NOC.
- b. For team events, one (1) team per nation, the number of reserves shall not exceed the number of players allowed by the International Federation.
- c. For events where both team and individual competitions are conducted at the same time, the competitors for any one NOC cannot win more than two (2) medals in their respective individual events.

**SEAGF Rule 41 – International Federation:**

- a. The Organizing Committee shall write to the International Federation or the Asian Sports Federation concerned for their permission to hold their sport in the Games. The Organizing Committee may invite a representative who shall arrive at least three (3) days before the beginning of the first event of their sport in order to check the facilities and equipment and arrange the entries, which conform to its rules and the rules of the SEAGF.
- b. The Organizing Committee shall pay the accommodation, meals and local expenses of its representative at the established rate of the Organizing Committee until two (2) days after the closing of their competition.
- c. In exceptional cases, if for technical reasons the presence of additional delegates is necessary, the appropriate arrangements shall be made with the Organizing Committee; the Executive Committee must be previously informed. In case of disagreement, the Executive Committee shall decide.

**SEAGF Rule 42 – Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal:**

- a. The necessary Technical Officials (referees, judges, umpires, timekeepers, inspectors, etc.) and a Jury of Appeal for each sport shall be appointed by the appropriate National Federation of the Host Country, which shall direct their work in conjunction with the Organizing Committee.
- b. If technical officials are needed from the other Member Organizations, to be invited to the Games, the Organizing Committee shall seek approval from the Executive Committee. Should the Executive Committee approve the request, the Organizing Committee shall pay their expenses for accommodation, meals, and local transport for the whole period of the Games.
- c. The technical officials and the members of the Jury of Appeal must have never been professionals in sport.
- d. No official who has participated in a decision may serve in the Jury of Appeal that reviews it. The findings of the Jury shall be communicated as soon as possible to the Organizing Committee and the Executive Committee.
- e. Technical officials may not live in the Games Villages, but the Organizing Committee shall ensure and bear the cost of their living accommodation, including board and local transport facilities.
- f. The Jury of Appeal's decision on all technical questions concerning its respective disciplinary nature is final. They shall, however, be without prejudice to any further penalty, which may be imposed by the Executive Committee.
- g. The Jury of Appeal shall be composed of a Chairman/ woman, which position shall be filled up by the Host Country of the Games with a representative of each member country as members.
- h. The International Technical delegates to the Games may be appointed ex-officio members of the body and shall act only in an advisory capacity, unless their respective International Federation requires otherwise
- i. In the event of a dispute or protest relative to technical questions concerning its respective sporting event, representatives of countries in the Jury of Appeal whose countries are involved in the dispute or protest may be allowed to participate in the deliberations, but cannot vote in the resolution of the protest or dispute.

#### **SEAGF Rule 43 – Court of Appeal**

The Executive Committee on behalf of the Federation is the Court of Appeal, which will decide finally on all questions concerning the Games. NOCs or the Organizing Committee may submit questions to the Court of Appeal. In addition the Court of Appeal may intervene in all questions of non-technical nature outside the Jurisdiction of the Juries of Appeal set up for each sport in the programme.

#### **SEAGF Rule 44 – Claims and Protests**

- a. Claims and protests made to the judges on the grounds concerning matters of fact are decided by them without appeal. Appeals against other decisions of the Judges or with regard to any other matter must be addressed to the Chairman of the Jury of Appeal for the sport concerned by a representative of the NOC of the country making the appeal.
- b. For exceptional circumstances, any claim must be made within thirty (30) minutes of the decision giving rise to the claim. The Jury of Appeal after an investigation shall then give a decision and this decision shall be irrevocable, except for the case of a disqualification of a team or of a competitor for infraction of the Southeast Asian Games Federation, which shall be decided by the Court of Appeal. All claims and appeals must be made in writing.

### **SEAGF Rule 45 – Penalties in Case of Fraud:**

A competitor proved fraudulently to have transgressed the Rules and Regulations of the Southeast Asian Games Federation, shall be disqualified and lose any position he/she may have gained. If this competitor's NOC is proved to have been a party to the fraud, his/her country shall be disqualified in the sport involved.

## **2. Participants**

- 2.1. The 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Boxing Competition is reserved for teams representing National Federations affiliated to the SEA Games Federation.
- 2.2. Only competitors who comply with the conditions laid down in the SEAGF Statutes and Rules (2005) and the AIBA Rules are entitled to participate.
- 2.3. Each country may enter one (1) boxer per weight category.
- 2.4. No Boxer under the age of seventeen (17) years or over the age of thirty four (34) years on the first day of the boxing competition is permitted to participate.
- 2.5. No substitutes are permitted after the draw.
- 2.6. Each boxer must have in his/her possession a medical book signed by an authorized medical doctor indicating that prior to leaving his country s/he was in good physical condition and not suffering from any injury, infection or disability which will affect his/her capacity to box in the competition. The certificate must be produced at the medical examination before the general weigh-in.

## **3. Entries**

- 3.1. Entries in each participating country must be submitted in accordance with the regulation laid down by the Organizing Committee of the 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games.
- 3.2. Preliminary Deadline for "Entry by Number"  
Preliminary entry forms by number from each participating country, forwarded through the respective National Olympic Committee (NOC), must be completed and should be received by PhilSOC not later than 27 May 2005 at 2400 hours Philippine time (GMT +8).
- 3.3. Final Deadline for "Entry by Name"  
The entry forms by name must be received by PhilSOC not later than 27 October 2005 at 2400 hours Philippine time (GMT +8).
- 3.4. Both entries by number and name may be sent by fax or e-mail, but must subsequently be confirmed with the original documents, by mailing them to the following address:

PhilSOC Secretariat Office  
3<sup>rd</sup> floor Room 358  
Philippine International Convention Center  
CCP Complex, Roxas Blvd., Pasay City  
Tel no.: (632) 8342432/36  
Fax: +63 2 834-2434  
Website: [www.2005seagames.com.ph](http://www.2005seagames.com.ph)

## **4. Technical Meeting**

The Technical Meeting will be held one (1) day before the commencement of the competition. The time and venue of the meeting will be announced later.

## **COMPETITION GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS**

### **1. Technical Organization**

The Amateur Boxing Association of the Philippines is responsible for and has full weigh-in for the technical organization of the boxing competition, in consultation with the International Technical Delegate when necessary.

### **2. Draw**

The draw shall take place under the direction of the Tournament Committee after the General medical examination and weigh-in and in the presence of the official representatives of the participating countries mentioned.

### **3. Medical Examination and Weigh-In**

The medical examination and general weigh-in of all pugilists will be held one (1) day before the competition day for participants in all weight categories at the appointed time between 0800 and 1000 hours, and in the morning of each subsequent day between 0800 and 0900 hours in which they are drawn to box.

A pugilist must be certified fit to compete by the appointed qualified doctor before being weighed in.

The weigh-in will be conducted by the Referees/Judge authorized by the Jury.

A pugilist will be allowed to present himself at the official scales only once at the weigh-in each day. The weight recorded on that presentation is final.

If a boxer does not make the weight at the General Weigh-In, he may enter in the higher (or lower) weight category at the request of his delegate, provided there is no boxer of that country in that weight category and that the official weigh in has not yet closed.

### **4. Referees, Judges and Medical Officers**

Each participating country shall provide two (2) AIBA- or FAAB-qualified Referees/Judges, with the approval of AIBA/FAAB and one (1) Medical Officer (if possible) for the competition. The host country may enter three (3) AIBA/FAAB qualified Referees/Judges for the competition and three (3) Medical Officers.

Up to a maximum of seven (7) AIBA/FAAB Referees/Judges may be invited from neutral countries upon the recommendation of FAAB for the competition. All expense regarding travel to and from their home cities as well as accommodation and food during the period of the 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games will be borne by the Organizing Committee.

### **5. Jury**

The host country shall invite at least five (5) Jury Members to be nominated by the Federation of Asian Amateur Boxing (FAAB). These five (5) working Jury Members will be assigned by the Chairman of the Jury in accordance with the rules of AIBA. All expense regarding travel to and from their home cities as well as accommodation and food during the period of the 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games will be borne by the Organizing Committee.

## **6. Equipment**

All equipment and technical installations will comply with the AIBA Rules and Regulations. The Rings will be installed according to AIBA Rule 1. Gloves, protectors, bandages and head guards will be supplied by the Tournament Committee and will conform to the AIBA Rules.

## ***PRIZES AND COMMENDATION***

### **1. Victory Ceremonies**

The Victory Ceremonies shall normally be held after the completion of each event. Participants receiving awards must wear official NOC uniform.

### **2. Prizes**

- First Prize: Gold Medal and Diploma to each member of the winning team in each event.
- Second Prize: Silver Medal and Diploma to each member of the team placed second in each event.
- Third Prize: Bronze Medal and Diploma to each member of the team placed third in each event.