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I. Introduction

1. Preface

The 17th Asian Games will be held in Incheon, Korea starting from September 19th to October 4th 2014.

The Asian Games is an exclusive property of the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) where the members of OCA come together to enhance the ability of Asian athletes and promote mutual understanding through fair competition. It is the multi-sport festivity within the Asian region held every 4 years.

This publication, both in English and Korean languages in the form of hard and soft copies, provides the general information about the Olympic Council of Asia, the Member countries, Incheon Asian Games Organizing Committee and overview of the 17th Asian Games Incheon 2014 as well as introduction of Korea, the Host Country and Incheon, the Host City. This publication also contains the technical information for Canoe/Kayak Sport in the 17th Asian Games Incheon 2014, which is the most important.

It is our honor to provide this Technical Handbook before the start of the 17th Asian Games Incheon 2014. This handbook will serve an important role to all the participating officials and athletes.

Thank you very much.

2. Organization Bodies

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2.3 OCA Members

No.	NOC	Code
1	Afghanistan	AFG
2	Bahrain	BRN
3	Bangladesh	BAN
4	Bhutan	BHU
5	Brunei Darussalam	BRU
6	Cambodia	CAM
7	People's Republic of China	CHN
8	Democratic People's Republic of Korea	PRK
9	Hong Kong, China	HKG
10	India	IND
11	Indonesia	INA
12	Islamic Republic of Iran	IRI
13	Iraq	IRQ
14	Japan	JPN
15	Jordan	JOR
16	Kazakhstan	KAZ
17	Republic of Korea	KOR
18	Kuwait	KUW
19	Kyrgyzstan	KGZ
20	Lao People's Democratic Republic	LAO
21	Lebanon	LIB
22	Macau, China	MAC

No.	NOC	Code
23	Malaysia	MAS
24	Maldives	MDV
25	Mongolia	MGL
26	Myanmar	MYA
27	Nepal	NEP
28	Oman	OMA
29	Pakistan	PAK
30	Palestine	PLE
31	Philippines	PHI
32	Qatar	QAT
33	Saudi Arabia	KSA
34	Singapore	SIN
35	Sri Lanka	SRI
36	Syrian Arab Republic	SYR
37	Chinese Taipei	TPE
38	Tajikistan	TJK
39	Thailand	THA
40	Timor-Leste	TLS
41	Turkmenistan	TKM
42	United Arab Emirates	UAE
43	Uzbekistan	UZB
44	Vietnam	VIE
45	Yemen	YEM

II. General Information

1. The 17th Asian Games Incheon 2014 in Brief

1.1 Games Overview

Duration	September 19 ~ October 4, 2014 (16 days)
Location	In and around Incheon Metropolitan City
Games Venue	48 venues in total (35 in Incheon, 13 in Co-Host Cities)
Sports Program	36 sports / 437 events
Patron	Olympic Council of Asia (OCA)
Host	The 2014 Incheon Asian Games Organizing Committee (IAGOC)

1.2 Objectives

- Bring forth mutual communication, reconciliation and peace in Asia
- Asian Games that share joy and glory
- Realize practical and economically efficient games

1.3 Slogan

평화의 숨결, 아시아의 미래
Diversity Shines Here

Letting the brilliant and diverse histories, cultures, traditions and religions of Asian countries shine together, striving for the peace of humankind through friendship and harmony, and building a shining future for Asia by uniting.



1.4 Emblem



- Embodied 'A (initial of Asia)' into a human form to dynamically illustrate Asians hand-in-hand and soaring with wings.
- The image of moving towards the bright sun (symbol of OCA and Asian Games) symbolizing constant movement towards a bright future.
- Implies a message of hope for Asians to build friendship and harmony through the 2014 Incheon Asian Games, and for people across the globe to participate in the festival.

1.5 Mascots



Personification of three harbor seal brothers and sister, very rare species, living in the Baekryong Isles, located on the western Korean peninsula. They call themselves, Vichuon (Light), Barame (Wind), and Chumuro (Dance). These seals roam freely between two Koreas beyond the ideology and conflicts, therefore carry the desire for unity, which Asia has longed for.

2. Accreditation and Validation

Asian Games Identification and Accreditation Cards (AGIAC) will act as an entry visa to Korea and ensure special access to the Games venues including the HQ Hotel and competition venues. IAGOC will distribute Accreditation Guide and Accreditation Application Forms to Accreditation Responsible Organizations by December 2013. The online Accreditation System will open on December 1, 2013. The deadline for the submission of the application forms is April 30, 2014. IAGOC will distribute the Pre-valid AGIAC to the confirmed participants from August 2014. Upon the arrival in Incheon, pre-valid AGIAC holders should visit one of the accreditation centers with their effective identification documents and validate their pre-valid AGIAC. Once validated, AGIAC becomes an official Games document.

3. Immigration and Visa

From August 20 to October 19, 2014, AD Card holders will be permitted multiple entries into Korea upon presentation of their valid passports or travel documents. AD Card holders will not need to apply for a Korean Entry Visa or Residence Permit in order to enter the country (Provided that the press are allowed to enter Korea without visa for 90 days, from July 22, 2014 to October 19, 2014, which can afford every facility for the press).

Any AD Card holder wishing to enter Korea before or after the valid period of the AD Card, or to remain in Korea after its expiry date, will need to make their own arrangements regarding visas according to Korean immigration law.

AD Card holders should ensure that the information on their valid passport when entering Korea is exactly the same with the information on the certified document used for application for AD Card, and that their passports remain valid at least until October 19, 2014.

4. Transportation

4.1 Transport Services for Arrival and Departure

Shuttle Bus Services will be provided for arriving and departing athletes and team officials, depending on arrival and departure information and flight schedule. Before departure, Shuttle Bus Services require advance reservation.

4.2 Dedicated Vehicle Services

Dedicated Vehicle Services will be provided between Athletes' Village and the designated areas, depending on team events and on the size of NOC participants. Dedicated Vehicle Services require advance reservation and approval.

4.3 Transport Services for Competitions (for non-team events)

Shuttle Bus Services for athletes and team officials participating in non-team events will be provided between Athletes' Village and the competition venues as per the competition schedule.

4.4 Transport Services for Training (for non-team events)

Shuttle Bus Services for athletes and team officials participating in non-team events will be provided between Athletes' Village and the training venues as per the training schedule.



4.5 Transport Services for Spectating

The AV-to-venues shuttle will be provided to athletes and team officials wishing to watch other sport competition events. The service is also available to all athletes and team officials who are involved in the same events: priority, however, will be given to athletes and team officials participating in their own events.

※ Tickets are required for spectating.

4.6 Transport Services for Luggage

The luggage belonging to athletes and team officials should, in principal, be loaded onto the bus they take. If not possible due to insufficient storage space, another vehicle will be provided to the destinations.

5. Accommodation

During the Games time, over 13,000 athletes and team officials including extra officials will be accommodated at Incheon Guwol Asiad Athletes' Village located in Incheon. Pre-opening of Athletes' Village will be on September 5, 2014. The Athletes' Village will officially be open on September 12, 2014 and will close on October 7, 2014. A variety of amenities and recreational facilities will be offered for the Games family at Athletes' Village. For the sake of the safety, separate signage is required for entering the area.

6. Media

6.1 Mixed Zone

The Mixed zone is an area in which athletes may be interviewed as soon as they leave the field of play. The Mixed Zone is designed to permit the broadcasters and press to interview athletes in a designated area near the field of play. In accordance with OCA's rules, all athletes must pass through the Mixed Zone. Mixed Zone interviews are recommended within limited time each to let the broadcasters and press to have an equal opportunity to speak to the athletes.

The AFs and IAGOC Sports Operations Team will provide all necessary assistance to ensure the convenience of Mixed Zone.

6.2 Press Conference

After each event, the designated medalists will attend a press conference at the venue as well as coaches if circumstances dictate. They should accompany to the press conference room. Medalists press conference will be held right after the medal presentation ceremonies at the venue. Sports operational staff will bring athletes to the press conference room.

Translation services will be provided with English and Korean during the press conferences at the venues. If medalists do not speak English or Korean, NOCs are requested to assign an interpreter with the medalists attending the press conference.

7. Medical Service

Medical stations for athletes will be installed at all competition venues and training facilities.

On-site medical treatment and emergency transfer service will be provided during operating period. Polyclinic in the Athletes' Village will provide treatment and consultation by professional medical staff across the departments of internal medicine, general surgery (including orthopedics), ophthalmology, stomatology, medical imaging, physical therapy, pharmacy, etc.

It will also have an emergency room open 24 hours a day, with stand-by ambulances. Any patient who needs further diagnosis and treatment will be transferred to designated hospitals of the Games.

Where accredited persons including OCA Family VIP guests, NOC guests suffer from acute diseases, acute exacerbations of chronic diseases or acute injuries, they can receive treatment in Polyclinic or designated hospitals for free of charge. Services may include emergency treatment, in-patient service, special consultation and ambulance transfer, if required. However, free medical services will not include selective or unnecessary treatment.

8. Host Country/City Information

8.1 Korea in brief

General (2013)	Country Name	Republic of Korea
	Capital City	Seoul
	Location	Strategically located at the crossroads of Northeast Asia, Korea lies between Japan, the Russian far East, and China
	Territory	220,000km ²
	National Flag	Taegeukgi
	National Flower	Rose of Sharon
	Currency (November 16, 2013)	won (US \$1 = 1,063 won)
	Language	Korean (Writing system : Hangul)
Population (2013)	Total Population	51million
	Population Increase Rate	0.38%
Economy (2012)	Gross Domestic Product	US\$ 1,151 billion
	Exports	US\$ 552.6 billion
	Imports	US\$ 514.2 billion
	Major Industrial Products	Semiconductors, automobiles, ships, consumer electronics, mobile telecommunication devices, steel and chemicals.
Tourist Information	Weekend	Saturday and Sunday
	Working Hours	Monday ~ Friday (09:00 ~ 18:00)
	Local Time	Greenwich Mean Time +9 hours
	Electrical Voltage	220V

8.2 Incheon in brief

Introduction to Incheon

The name "Incheon" was first used in the late Goryeo Era. Before then, Incheon was called "Michuhol" in the Baekje Era. Incheon was the first city to experience civilization through trade, religion and education. The constant foreign invasions eventually made the people of Incheon realize the importance of modern education and search for international experiences. After the construction of Gyeongbu Expressway, Incheon's geographic importance in exchanges with China was realized and Incheon International Airport, one of the world's most advanced airports, was built on Yeongjong Island, making Incheon the hub of Northeast Asia. In addition, Incheon Free Economic Zone was designated in 2003 and now is an international city.

Transportation

The so-called Penta-port City, Incheon has a superb traffic infrastructure with unparalleled accessibility. It features the world's finest Incheon International Airport, Incheon Port, the 1st and 2nd Gyeongin Highways, the West Coast Highway, the Yeongdong Highway, and the Seoul Outer Beltway. Incheon is also geographically close to Seoul, and the two cities are well connected.

Area and Location

The current administrative unit covers a total area of 1,032.41km², or 1% of South Korea between 36° 55' - 37° 58' N and 124° 36' - 126° 47' E.

Population

As of October 2013, the city has a total population of 2,923,456 with more than 1,115,516 households. Incheon is rapidly developing into the third largest city in Korea, following Seoul and Busan, the first and the second largest, respectively.

Touristic Resources

Incheon enjoys rich touristic resources and the famous Eight Top Scenic Spots of Incheon like Wolmi Culture Street, Chinatown, Memorial Hall for Incheon Landing Operation, Songdo Central Park, Incheon Grand Park, Sorae Port, Rodeo Street, Bupyeong Underground Shopping Center, etc. More detailed information on Incheon tour will be found at <http://tour.visitincheon.org> and provided with English, Chinese, Japanese and Korean.

9. Weather Condition

Korea is geographically situated in the Far East of Northern Hemisphere. It has a moderate climate and is characterized with distinctive four seasons such as spring, summer, autumn and winter.

Incheon is located in the mid-west of the Korean peninsula with an average sea level low, abutting the west sea. Incheon has a relatively dry climate and is also greatly affected by seasonal winds.

The average annual temperature is approximately 12.1°C, with an average rainfall of 1,234.4mm and relative humidity of 69% respectively.

It is said to have a pleasant climate condition, a small rainfall and long sunshine hours while approaching the end of September. It is an optimum weather for athletes to play and perform in its best weather condition.

The following is the climate distribution record of Incheon from September 16 to October 15 (1 month) over the past 10 years. (2003-2012)

Mean Temperature	18.8°C
Average Maximum Temperature	23.1°C
Maximum Temperature	30.1°C
Average Minimum Temperature	15.2°C
Minimum Temperature	7.4°C
Average Relative Humidity	68%
Average Hours of Sunshine	192.2hr
Mean Wind Speed	2.0m/s
Rainfall	97.7mm
Average Rainy Days	6.7 days
Average Atmospheric Pressure	1,016.3hpa

III -1. Technical Information | Sprint

1. Competition Date

The Canoe/Kayak Sprint competition will be held from September 27 to 30, 2014 at Misari Canoe/Kayak Center in Hanam city.

2. Venue

Category	Competition Venue	Training Venue
Name	Hanam Misari Canoe/Kayak Center	※ Training will take place at the competition venue
Distance from the Athletes ' Village	68km	
Size	1,500 x 140m	
Seating Capacity	250 seats	

3. Competition Management

3.1 Technical Delegate : Csaba Szanto (HUN)

- Sprint Technical Expert, International Canoe Federation (ICF)

3.2 Competition Manager : Kim Jeonghoan (KOR)

4. Competition Events

The Canoe/Kayak Sprint competition will consist of twelve (12) events including eight (8) men's and four (4) women's events.

Men ' s (8)	Women ' s (4)
K1 200m	K1 200m
K1 1,000m	K1 500m
K2 200m	K2 500m
K2 1,000m	K4 500m
K4 1,000m	
C1 200m	
C1 1,000m	
C2 1,000m	

5. Competition Schedule

Date	Session	Time	Gender	Event	Phase
27 Sep. (Sat)	CF01	10:00-13:00	M	K1 1,000m	Heats
			M	C1 1,000m	
			M	K2 1,000m	
			W	K4 500m	
			M	C2 1,000m	
			M	K4 1,000m	
	CF02	15:00-17:30	M	K1 1,000m	Semi-finals
			M	C1 1,000m	
			M	K2 1,000m	
			W	K4 500m	
			M	C2 1,000m	
			M	K4 1,000m	
28 Sep. (Sun)	CF03	10:00-12:00	W	K1 500m	Heats
			M	K1 200m	
			M	C1 200m	
			W	K2 500m	
			M	K2 200m	
			W	K1 200m	
	CF04	14:00-16:00	W	K1 500m	Semi-finals
			M	K1 200m	
			M	C1 200m	
			W	K2 500m	
			M	K2 200m	
			W	K1 200m	
29 Sep. (Mon)	CF05	10:00-11:30	M	K1 1,000m	Finals
			M	C1 1,000m	
			M	K2 1,000m	
			W	K4 500m	
			M	C2 1,000m	
			M	K4 1,000m	
30 Sep. (Tue)	CF06	10:00-12:30	W	K1 500m	Finals
			M	K1 200m	
			M	C1 200m	
			W	K2 500m	
			M	K2 200m	
			W	K1 200m	

※ Note : This competition schedule is subject to change depending on the number of final entries.

6. Competition Rules

The Canoe/Kayak Sprint competition of the 17th Asian Games shall be held in accordance with the International Canoe Federation (ICF) Canoe Sprint Competition Rules and relevant Rules and Regulations, in force during the Games time.

In case of any disagreement in the language interpretation of the rules and regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen cases not covered by the regulations and rules shall be resolved as follows :

- General issues : Resolved in accordance with the OCA Constitution and Rules
- Technical issues : Resolved in accordance with the ICF Rules and Regulations

7. Competition Format

The competition format of the Canoe/Kayak Sprint Competition of the 17th Asian Games shall be: Each event consists of heats, semifinal and final, and the maximum number of competition boats for each group is nine. The first boat whose bow crosses the finish line with all crew members in it will be the winner.

8. Sport Entries

8.1 Eligibility

- Only OCA member NOCs are entitled to send athletes to participate in the Canoe/Kayak Sprint competition of the 17th Asian Games.
- Only athletes who comply with the OCA Constitution and Rules and its Bye-law are entitled to participate in the Canoe/Kayak Sprint competition.

8.2 Entry Timeline

- Entry by Sport - Deadline: 24:00 October 31, 2013 (Seoul Time, GMT +9)
- Entry by Number - Deadline: 24:00 June 20, 2014 (Seoul Time, GMT +9)
- Entry by Name - Deadline: 24:00 August 15, 2014 (Seoul Time, GMT +9)

8.3 Entry Policies

- Sprint : Each NOC may enter one (1) boat per event
- Total : Each NOC may enter a maximum of fourteen (14) men and eight (8) women athletes in Sprint.
- ※ **NOCs that withdraw their athletes or teams after the submission of the final entries by name and Team Sport Draw will be faced with disciplinary action by the OCA EB.**



9. Technical Officials

9.1 Technical Officials and the Jury of Appeal

Technical Officials will be appointed or recommended by ACC.

Jury committee members will be appointed by ACC.

- ※ **Any Athlete/NOC can appeal to CAS, in case he feels that there is violation of IF/AF Technical Rules or OCA Constitution which is not related to reversing the decision of the referee or result.**

10. Technical Meeting

- Date : September 26, 2014 / Time and Place : 10:00 at the venue

11. Protests and Appeals

The protest and appeals will be handled with the ICF rules in force during the 17th Asian Games.

All appeals related to the technical sides will be the responsibilities of the International and Asia Federations.

- ※ **AF/IF has the right to appoint the Technical Delegate and ITOs in coordination and approval of OCA. In case of violation of the IF/AF Rules and Games Rules and Regulations by any participant, the OCA has the right to revoke the AD Card and propose change of the person to the concerned party.**

12. Equipment and Clothing

Equipment used and clothing worn by athletes and other relevant participants in competition must comply with the rules and regulations of the OCA and ICF in force. Neither athletes nor technical officials can attach any form of commercial advertising to his or her competition uniform without prior agreement with OCA and IAGOC.

13. Doping Control

Doping Control during the 17th Asian Games will be conducted in accordance with OCA Anti-Doping Rules applicable to the Asian Games and will follow the standards and procedures under the World Anti - Doping programme. IAGOC, in collaboration with the medical committee of the OCA will have in place the resources to assist in the investigation of any cases of disorders of sexual termination, should the need arise. The need for such tests and the processes to be followed will be as per the rules/procedures laid down by the OCA.

14. Victory Ceremony

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the athletes/ teams ranked top three of each event respectively. Fifteen minutes before the Victory Ceremony starts, the medalists shall be escorted to the Waiting Area to get ready for the ceremony. Medalists must wear their NOC official uniforms.

15. Media Interview

All athletes should pass through the Mixed Zone. Athletes and/or coaches should attend press conferences and interviews when there are interview requests for them.

16. Sport Information Center (SIC)

All sport-specific information for Canoe/Kayak Sprint Competition will be available at the sport information desks. They are located at the competition venue and at the Sport Information Center (SIC) in the Athletes' Village.



III -2. Technical Information | **Obstacle Slalom**

1. Competition Date

The Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom competition will be held from October 1 to 3, 2014 at Misari Canoe/Kayak Center in Hanam city.

2. Venue

Category	Competition Venue	Training Venue
Name	Hanam Misari Canoe/Kayak Center	※ Training will take place at the competition venue.
Distance from the Athletes ' Village	68km	
Size	1,500 x 140m	
Seating Capacity	250 seats	

3. Competition Management

3.1 Technical Delegate : Jean Michel Prono (FRA)

- Chairman of Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom Committee, International Canoe Federation (ICF)

3.2 Competition Manager : Kim Jeonghoan (KOR)

4. Competition Events

The Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom competition will consist of four (4) events including two (2) men's and two (2) women's events as follows:

Men's (2)	Women's (2)
K1	K1
C1	C1

5. Competition Schedule

Date	Session	Time	Gender	Event	Phase
1 Oct. (Wed)	CS01	13:00-17:00	W	K1	Time trial all events
			M	C1	
			M	K1	
			W	C1	
2 Oct. (Thu)	CS02	09:00-12:00	W	K1	Elimination rounds & Finals
			M	C1	
	CS03	14:00-17:00	W	K1	
			M	C1	
3 Oct. (Fri)	CS04	09:00-12:00	M	K1	Elimination rounds & Finals
			W	C1	
	CS05	14:00-17:00	M	K1	
			W	C1	

※ Note : This competition schedule is subject to change depending on the number of final entries.

6. Competition Rules

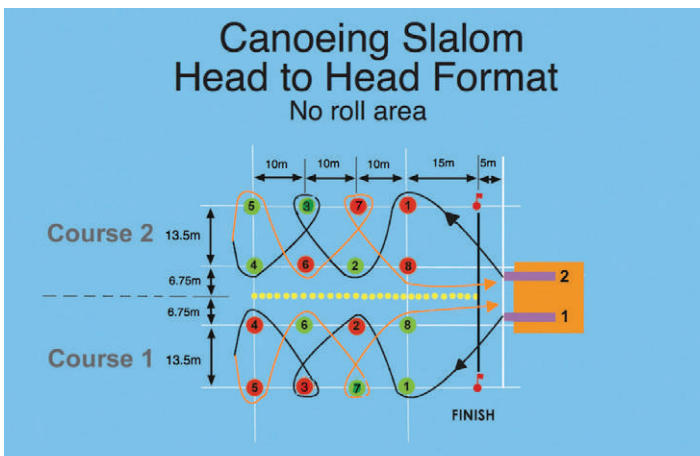
The Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom competition of the 17th Asian Games shall be held in accordance with the International Canoe Federation (ICF) Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom Competition Rules in force during the Games time.

In case of any disagreement in the language interpretation of the rules and regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen cases not covered by the regulations and rules shall be resolved as follows :

- General issues : Resolved in accordance with the OCA Constitution and Rules.
- Technical issues : Resolved in accordance with the ICF Rules and Regulations.

7. Competition Format

The Obstacle Canoe Slalom Course



| The Canoe Slalom Course |

Two courses will be built in parallel with an identical layout. Four pairs of buoys will be placed on the 50m long course. The full course length including turns is approximately 180m long. The start and finish line will be the same for all competitors.

A lap is divided into three different stages:

<First stage> start to buoy 4

- The athlete drops from the ramp and paddles forward negotiating the buoys 1 to 4 in the required direction.

<Second stage> rolling area

- The athlete enters the Eskimo-roll area. Athletes must complete a full roll in either direction when requested depending on the phase of the competition (Quarter of final, semi final and final)

<Third stage> exit of rolling area to finish line

- The athlete exits from the rolling area and returns to the finish line by negotiating buoy 5 to 8.

The distances between each set of buoys is 10m while the width between the two same colored buoys is 13.5 m.

Two buoys with the same colors are in one row at each turn. The red buoys shall indicate a right to left hand maneuver whilst the green buoys indicate a left to right hand maneuver.

Two buoys on each course will have yellow colored flags. This means the athlete need to turn around these buoys 360 degrees.

The athletes paddle from the start until the last buoy zigzagging in the required direction then execute an Eskimo roll (if it's required) then returning back to the finish line negotiating the buoys. A sliding platform will be used for the start.

| Course building |

- The course (buoys) must be built within the existing Canoe Sprint Racing course.
- The Start/ Finish line must be the same as for the Sprint course and located in front of the VIP area.
- The distance from the start to the last pair of buoys is 50m.
- The entire course shall be marked with the required colored buoys.
- The start position requires two platforms on the pontoon for the boats to slide down to the water.
- A automata timing system must be made available.

| The race |

The events will be K1 men, C1 men, K1 women and C1 women. All qualified athletes regardless of discipline must compete in Canoe Sprint Head to Head and Canoe Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom Obstacle event in the same category (K1 or C1) or risk disqualification.

Two athletes compete against each other at the same time, head to head. The participating athletes of each class will be divided into pairs regarding the achieved race time or winning, described in the Progression System

Paddling direction will be forward around the buoys until the 4th buoy then when requested the athletes will complete an Eskimo roll(Quarter of final, semi final and final) and then turn and paddle towards the start line renegotiating the buoys. The race will be one full lap of the course.

The competition continues until the last pair will compete for the gold medal.

| The distance |

All athlete needs to complete one lap in each round. The straight distance of a course is 2x50m. The athletes will require approximately 70-90 seconds completing the course.

| The start |

The two athletes will start the race by being released simultaneously from the slide on the platforms for the 2 courses in separate lanes.

Athletes on "Course 1" will turn to the left and turn around the 1st green buoys from left to right. The athletes on "Course 2" will turn to right and negotiate the 1st red buoys from right to left. The interval between races will be 2.5 or 3 minutes.

| Negotiation of the buoys |

The following conditions must be satisfied for a buoy to be considered to have been correctly negotiated:

- a) The complete body of the competitor and boat must pass the buoy on the correct side of the buoy and in accordance with the course plan.
- b) During any buoy negotiation no part of the body or boat is allowed to break the buoy line on the wrong side.
- c) All buoys must be negotiated in accordance with the direction established by the colour of the buoy:
 - Red buoys: to be passed on the right hand side
 - Green buoys: to be passed on the left hand side
 - Green yellow-circled buoy: perform a complete turn around the buoy from the left hand side
 - Red yellow-circled buoy: perform a complete turn around the buoy from the right hand side.

| Negotiation of the course |

1. All buoys must be negotiated in their numerical order (1 to 8).
2. All buoys may be negotiated in any manner from the correct side of the buoy.
3. If a paddle or boat or a part of the boat is broken, the race will not be repeated. Spare paddles cannot be given by another competitor or supporter.

| The Finish |

The finish line is located 5m from the bottom of the starting ramps. It is identified by two red buoys with flags on top. Athletes finish the race when the bow of the boat crosses the finish line.

| Progression System |

The Canoe/Kayak competition is composed of two phases as Qualification Heats and Final Phases. The Qualification phase is made-up of Qualification Heat and Repechage depending on the number of entries in a particular Event. The Final phase is up to four rounds depending on the number of entries in a particular Event. The Final phase consists of Last 16, Quarterfinals, Semi finals, Bronze Medal Final and Gold Medal Final.

For the Qualification Heats athletes are drawn randomly into pairs and are ranked by overall time. For the Repechage and the Last 16 races athletes will be paired by times achieved in the previous phase. The fastest half ranked athletes will be paired with the lowest half ranked athletes. From the quarterfinals onwards the winner of each pair progresses to the next phase by knock out. After each phase a ranking list will be established by time.

Special progressing rule that only one athlete per NOC allowed competing for a medal! In the case there two athletes in that position then the athlete with faster time will progress to the medal event and the next athlete by time from other NOC will replace him/her for the medal race.

<Diagram of the Progression System>

Entries	Qualification Heat	Repechage	Last 16	Quarterfinal	Semi-final	Final
Up to 10 athletes	Pairing: random To: the 8 fastest to Quarterfinals Rest out	Not applicable	Not applicable	From: the fastest 8 from Qualification Pairing: by time (the fastest half to be paired with slowest half e.g. 1 st -5 th ; 2 nd -6 th , ...) To: winners of each pair to Semi-finals Rest out	From: the winners from Quarterfinals Pairing by time: 1 st -3 rd ; 2 nd -4 th To: winners to Gold Medal Final The losers to Bronze Medal Final	Bronze Medal Final: The losers from Semi-finals Gold Medal Final: The winners from the Semi-finals
11-15 athletes	Pairing: random To: the best 4 by time to Quarterfinals The rest to the Repechage	Pairing by time (the fastest half to be paired with slowest half. e.g.: 5 th -10 th) From: the Qualification Heat from the 5 th place by time To: the best 4 by time to Quarterfinals Rest out	Not applicable	From: the 4 fastest by time from the Qualification Heat and the 4 fastest by time from the Repechage. Pairing: by time (the fastest half to be paired with slowest half: 1 st -5 th ; 2 nd -6 th ; 3 rd -7 th ; 4 th -8 th ; To: winners of each pair to Semi-finals Rest out	From: the winners from Quarterfinals Pairing by time: 1 st -3 rd ; 2 nd -4 th To: winners to Gold Medal Final The losers to Bronze Medal Final	Bronze Medal Final: The losers from Semi-finals Gold Medal Final: The winners from the Semi-finals
16 athletes	Pairing: random To: all to Last 16 ranked by time	Not applicable	From: all from Qualification Pairing: by time (the fastest half to be paired with slowest half e.g. 1 st -9 th ; 2 nd -10 th , ...) To: the 1 st to 8 th by time to Quarterfinals Rest out	From: the 1 st to 8 th by time from Last 16 Pairing: by time (the fastest half to be paired with slowest half e.g. 1 st -5 th ; 2 nd -6 th ; 3 rd -7 th ; 4 th -8 th ; To: winners to Semi-final Rest out	From: the winners from Quarterfinals Pairing by time: 1 st -3 rd ; 2 nd -4 th To: winners to Gold Medal Final The losers to Bronze Medal Final	Bronze Medal Final: The losers from Semi-finals Gold Medal Final: The winners from the Semi-finals
17-24 and more athletes	Pairing: random To: the fastest 8 to Last 16 The rest to Repechage If there is more entry than 24 the rest out	From: 9 th to xth by time (up to 16 in total from Qualification Heat Pairing: by time (the fastest half to be paired with slowest half e.g. 9 th -13 th ; 10 th -14 th , ...) To: the fastest 8 to Last 16	From: the 1 st to 8 th by time from Qualification heat + 8 best by time from Repechage Pairing: by time (the fastest half to be paired with slowest half e.g. 1 st -9 th ; 2 nd -18 th , ...) To: the 1 st to 8 th by time to Quarterfinals Rest out	From: the 1 st to 8 th by time from Last 16 Pairing: by time (the fastest half to be paired with slowest half e.g. 1 st -5 th ; 2 nd -6 th , ...) To: winners to Semi-final Rest out	From: the winners from Quarterfinals Pairing by time: 1 st -3 rd ; 2 nd -4 th To: winners to Gold Medal Final The losers to Bronze Medal Final	Bronze Medal Final: The losers from Semi-finals Gold Medal Final: The winners from the Semi-finals

8. Sport Entries

8.1 Eligibility

- Only OCA member NOCs are entitled to send athletes to participate in the Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom competition of the 17th Asian Games.
- Only athletes who comply with the OCA Constitution and Rules and its Bye-law are entitled to participate in the Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom competition.

8.2 Entry Timeline

- Entry by Sport - Deadline: 24:00 October 31, 2013 (Seoul Time, GMT +9)
- Entry by Number - Deadline: 24:00 June 20, 2014 (Seoul Time, GMT +9)
- Entry by Name - Deadline: 24:00 August 15, 2014 (Seoul Time, GMT +9)

8.3 Entry Policies

- Men's Events : NOCs may enter two (2) boats in each K1 and C1 events (total of four athletes).
- Women's Events : NOCs may enter two (2) boats in each K1 and C1 events (total of four athletes).
- Total : Each NOC may enter a maximum of four (4) men and four (4) women athletes in Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom.

※ **NOCs that withdraw their athletes or teams after the submission of the final entries by name and Team Sport Draw will be faced with disciplinary action by the OCA EB.**

9. Technical Officials

9.1 Technical Officials & Jury of Appeal

Technical Officials will be appointed or recommended by ACC.

Jury committee members will be appointed by ACC.

※ **AF/IF has the right to appoint the Technical Delegate and ITOs in coordination and approval of OCA. In case of violation of the IF/AF Rules and Games Rules and Regulations by any participant, the OCA has the right to revoke the AD Card and propose change of the person to the concerned party.**



10. Technical Meeting

- Date : September 29, 2014 / Time and Place : 10:00 at the venue

11. Protests and Appeals

The Team Manager must submit the protest in writing using the appropriate form. It must be submitted no more than 20 minutes after the unofficial results are posted and signed by the Chief Judge. The Chief Judge or Protest Desk will accept a protest from a Team Manager upon receipt of a deposit of 75€ or the equivalent in the currency of the country organizing the competition. The detailed procedures will be made according to the ICF rules. All appeals related to the technical sides will be the responsibilities of the International and Asia Federations.

※ **Any Athlete/NOC can appeal to CAS, in case he feels that there is violation of IF/AF Technical Rules or OCA Constitution which is not related to reversing the decision of the referee or result.**

12. Equipment and Clothing

Equipment used and clothing worn by athletes and other relevant participants in competition must comply with the rules and regulations of the OCA and ICF in force.

Participating athletes are required to bring their equipment and should use a boat approved by ICF. If not bringing a boat from each NOC, IAGOC will rent a boat in cost of US 300\$.

Neither athletes nor technical officials can attach any form of commercial advertising to his or her competition uniform without prior agreement with OCA and IAGOC.

13. Doping Control

Doping Control during the 17th Asian Games will be conducted in accordance with OCA Anti-Doping Rules applicable to the Asian Games and will follow the standards and procedures under the World Anti - Doping programme.

IAGOC, in collaboration with the medical committee of the OCA will have in place the resources to assist in the investigation of any cases of disorders of sexual determination, should the need rise. The need for such tests and the processes to be followed will be as per the rules/procedures laid down by the OCA.

14. Victory Ceremony

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the athletes/ teams ranked top three of each event respectively. Fifteen minutes before the Victory Ceremony starts, the medalists shall be escorted to the Waiting Area to get ready for the ceremony. Medalists must wear their NOC official uniforms.

15. Media Interview

All athletes should pass through the Mixed Zone. Athletes and/or coaches should attend press conferences and interviews when there are interview requests for them.

16. Sports Information Center (SIC)

All sport-specific information for Canoe/Kayak Obstacle Slalom Competition will be available at the sport information desks. They are located at the competition venue and at the Sport Information Center (SIC) in the Athletes' Village.

17. Approval of the Technical Handbook

The Technical Handbook for Canoe/Kayak Competition has been approved by the Asian Canoe Confederation (ACC) on October 31, 2013.



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V. General Competition Schedule

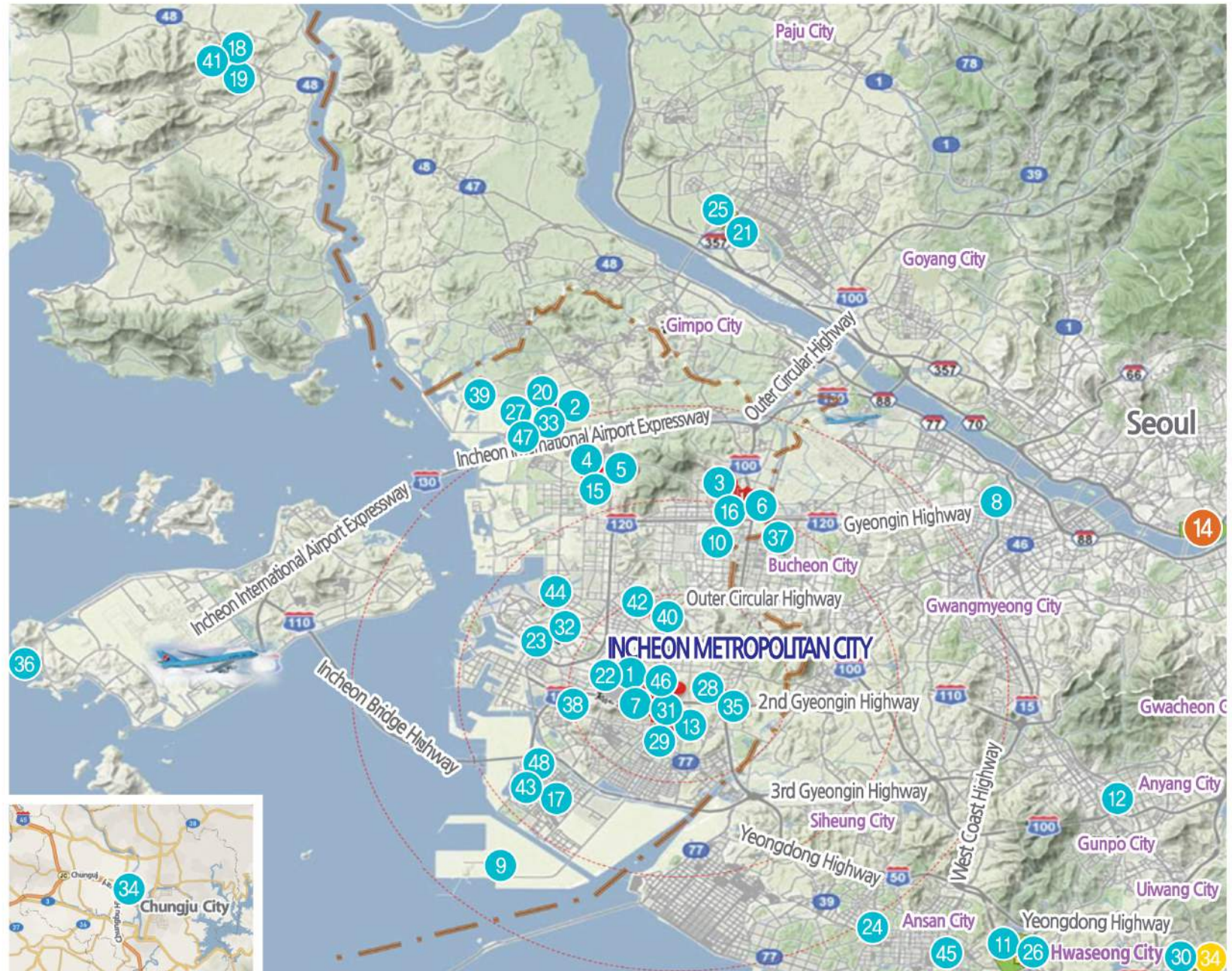
Sep/Oct. 2014	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	Gold Medals	
	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S		
Competition Day	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		
Opening Ceremony																							
Aquatics-Swimming								6	6	7	7	6	6										38
Aquatics-Diving																2	2	2	2	2			10
Aquatics-Synchronised Swimming							1		1	1													3
Aquatics - Water Polo										1								1					2
Archery														4	4								8
Athletics														7	6	7	4	11	11	1			47
Badminton									1	1				1	2	2							7
Baseball-Baseball															1								1
Baseball-Softball																			1				1
Basketball																			1	1			2
Bowling										1	1	1	1		2		4		2				12
Boxing																		3		10			13
Canoe/Kayak-Sprint																	6	6					12
Canoe/Kayak-Obstacle Slalom																			2	2			4
Cricket													1								1		2
Cycling-Track							2	2	1	1	1	3											10
Cycling-Road														2	1	1							4
Cycling-MTB																	2						2
Cycling-BMX																		2					2
Equestrian								1			1		2		1		1						6
Fencing							2	2	2	2	2	2											12
Football																		1	1				2
Golf														4									4
Gymnastics-Artistic								1	1	2	5	5											14

Sep/Oct. 2014	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	Gold Medals	
	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S		
Competition Day	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		
Gymnastics-Rhythmic																			1	1		2	
Gymnastics-Trampoline												2										2	
Handball																			1	1		2	
Hockey																			1	1		2	
Judo							4	5	5	2												16	
Kabaddi																					2	2	
Karate																				5	5	3	13
Modern Pentathlon																				2	2	4	
Rowing											7	7										14	
Rugby																					2	2	
Sailing																			14			14	
Sepaktakraw												2					2				2	6	
Shooting							6	6	4	4	10	6	4	4								44	
Squash										2				2								4	
Table Tennis										2			3	2								7	
Taekwondo																		4	4	4	4	16	
Tennis-Tennis									2							3	2					7	
Tennis-Soft Tennis																	2	1	2		2	7	
Triathlon											2	1										3	
Volleyball-Volleyball																				1	1	2	
Volleyball-Beach Volleyball														1	1							2	
Weightlifting							2	2	2	2	2	2	3									15	
Wrestling													3	4	4	4	3					18	
Wushu																	2	2	2	2	7	15	
Closing Ceremony																							
Total							17	25	23	30	36	36	24	28	25	29	33	45	41	40	5	437	

※ The competition schedule is subject to change in accordance with the final entries.

VI. Map of Competition Venue

No	Competition Venue	Event
1	Munhak Park Tae-hwan Aquatics Center	Aquatics (Swimming, Diving, Synchronised Swimming)
2	Dream Park Aquatics Center	Aquatics (Water Polo), Modern Pentathlon (Swimming)
3	Gyeyang Asiad Archery Field	Archery
4	Incheon Asiad Main Stadium	Athletics (Track, Field, Combined)
5	Marathon Course and Race Walking Course	Athletics (Road Race)
6	Gyeyang Gymnasium	Badminton, Karate
7	Munhak Baseball Stadium	Baseball
8	Mokdong Baseball Stadium	Baseball
9	Songdo LNG Baseball Stadium	Softball
10	Samsan World Gymnasium	Basketball
11	Hwaseong Sports Complex Gymnasium	Basketball
12	Anyang Hoge Gymnasium	Bowling
13	Seonhak Gymnasium	Boxing
14	Hanam Misari Canoe/Kayak Center	Canoe/Kayak
15	Yeonhui Cricket Ground	Cricket
16	Incheon International Velodrome	Cycling (Track)
17	Songdo Road Cycling Course	Cycling (Road)
18	Ganghwa MTB Course	Cycling (MTB)
19	Ganghwa Asiad BMX Track	Cycling (BMX)
20	Dream Park Equestrian Venue	Equestrian, Modern Pentathlon (Riding)
21	Goyang Gymnasium	Fencing, Wushu
22	Incheon Worldcup Stadium	Football
23	Incheon Football Stadium	Football
24	Ansan Wa Stadium	Football
25	Goyang Stadium	Football
26	Hwaseong Sports Complex Main Stadium	Football
27	Dream Park Country Club	Golf
28	Namdong Gymnasium	Gymnastics
29	Seonhak International Ice Rink	Handball
30	Suwon Gymnasium	Handball, Kabaddi
31	Seonhak Hockey Stadium	Hockey
32	Dowon Gymnasium	Judo, Wrestling
33	Dream Park Complex Course	Modern Pentathlon (Shooting, Running)
34	Chungju Tangeum Lake Rowing Center	Rowing
35	Namdong Asiad Rugby Field	Football, Rugby
36	Wangsan Sailing Marina	Sailing
37	Bucheon Gymnasium	Sepaktakraw
38	Ongnyeon International Shooting Range	Shooting (Rifle, Pistol, Running Target)
39	Gyeonggido Shooting Range	Shooting (Shotgun)
40	Yeorumul Squash Courts	Squash
41	Ganghwa Dolmens Gymnasium	Table Tennis, Taekwondo
42	Yeorumul Tennis Courts	Tennis, Soft Tennis
43	Songdo Central Park	Triathlon
44	Songnim Gymnasium	Volleyball
45	Ansan Sangnoksu Gymnasium	Volleyball
46	Munhak Beach Volleyball Venue	Volleyball (Beach Volleyball)
47	Dream Park Fencing Venue	Modern Pentathlon (Fencing)
48	Songdo 23rd Neighborhood Park	Weightlifting



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