



**International Military Sports Council**

**DPRK Delegation**



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**15<sup>th</sup> CISM World Military Championship Football (for women)**



**15-30 October 2024**

**Pyongyang**

**Democratic People's Republic of Korea**

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## DPRK Delegation to CISM

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Subject: 15<sup>TH</sup> CISM WORLD MILITARY CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL (FOR WOMEN)  
2024

Date: 5 April 2024

### Dear Chiefs of Delegation

The Ministry of National Defense of the DPRK has been entrusted by the International Military Sports Council (CISM) with the organization of the World Military Championship Football (for women).

On behalf of the Ministry of National Defense of the DPRK I have the honor to invite a mission representing your country to participate in this event.

Pyongyang. 22 March 2024

Ri Jong Mu

Lieutenant General

Chief of the DPRK Delegation to CISM /

Chairman of the DPRK Ministry of National Defense Sports Guidance Commission



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## **Distribution List**

- 1. *President of CISM***
- 2. *Official CISM Representative***
- 3. *All Continental Vice-President***
- 4. *CISM Secretary General***
- 5. *All Chief(s) of Liaison Office(s)***
- 6. *President and Members of CISM Sport Committee***
- 7. *Representatives of the CISM Partners and Sponsors***
- 8. *The Chiefs of Delegation of the CISM Member Countries***

## **A. Right to participate in the 15<sup>th</sup> CISM World Military Championship Football (for women)**

Only CISM active member nations have the right to participate in the 15<sup>th</sup> CISM World Military Championship Football (for women). An inactive nation, intending to take part in the event must pay its annual fee before the deadline established by the Organizing Committee (OC) of the world military championship for sending the final entry. If it is not done, the delegation will not be able to take part in the event.



## B. General Program of the Championship

DATE	ACTIVITY
D – 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Arrival of Participants</li></ul>
D – 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Preliminary Meeting</li><li>• Training</li></ul>
D – 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Opening Ceremony and Competitions</li></ul>
D – 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Competitions</li></ul>
D – 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Competitions</li></ul>
D – 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Competitions</li></ul>
D – 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Competitions</li></ul>
D – 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Competitions</li></ul>
D – 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Relaxation</li></ul>
D – 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Semi-Finals</li></ul>
D – 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Relaxation</li></ul>
D – 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Finals and Closing Ceremony</li></ul>
D – 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Cultural day and Banquet</li></ul>
D – 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Departures of all participants</li></ul>

This program is not final. The detailed program will be delivered to all participants upon arrival.

## c. Composition of the mission

Chief of mission	1
Team captain	1
Coach	1 or 2
Physician	1 or 2



Female athletes	20
Total	26 (maximum)

CSC members	1
Referees	1
Assistant Referee	1

-According to the CISM Regulation, Article 7.23, item A, only military personnel in active duty may participate in the competitions.

-Each delegation is requested to observe the rule of composition of the mission.

-The OC does not bear the financial cost for additional visitors.

-Additional visitors will not be accepted without official written permission of the OC.

The costs for board and lodging are at their own expenses.

-All other people, such as spectators, relatives, friends, etc. are welcome to the Competition and can obtain entrance ticket to the ceremonies and to the sport events. They have to afford for their board, lodging and local transportation.

#### **D. Access to the Location of the Competition**

-The Championship will take place in Pyongyang, the Capital City of the DPR Korea approximately 30-minute drive from Pyongyang International Airport. Competitions will be held in «**Kim Il Sung Stadium**» and «**May Day Stadium**» located near Moran Hill in the central part of Pyongyang.

#### **E. Conditions of stay**

-Travelling expenses, to and from DPRK, will be the responsibility of the participating countries.

-The OC will commit itself to provide all the local transportation in DPRK during the competition.



-During their stay in DPRK, from 15 to 28 Oct 2024, all the participants who are officially registered will be guests of the Ministry of National Defense of DPRK.

-Board and lodging will be provided by the OC and is free of charge. (Additional food and beverage and special requirements such as telephone, laundry, etc. are not included.)

-Nations are requested to previously inform the dates of arrival.

-Missions arriving before Oct 15 2024 and departing after Oct 28 2024 will be responsible for all expenses incurred during the period outside competition dates.

-Additional visitors will not be accepted with official written permission of the OC.

-Medical support (first aid) during the competition will be provided by the host nation, which will cover the cost for basic emergency treatment only.

-In case of additional treatment, hospitalization and routine medical care, participating nations will be responsible for the payment thereof.

## **F. Regulations**

-The championship will be governed by the CISM Regulations (Edition December 2023) and CISM Anti-Doping Regulation.

-Athletes should be in possession of proper documentation which signifies active military service of the member nation he represents.

-The Competition will be played with the ball ADIDAS (DY 2560)-2023, on artificial grass.

## **G. Anti-doping**

-Anti-Doping tests will be conducted in accordance with the CISM Regulations, CISM Anti-Doping Rules, the concerned CISM Sports Regulations, the concerned International Federation Rules, and all WADA rules, mainly the World Anti-Doping Code, and the International Standard for Testing.

-The number and type of tests, as well as the athletes to be tested shall be determined by the CISM Anti-Doping Commission. These procedures will follow the concerned CISM Test Distribution Plain (TDP).

- In case an athlete has a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE), the Chief of Delegation should send this TUE to the CISM GS until 30 days before the Opening Ceremony. This TUE will be submitted to the TUE Commission to analysis and further approval.



- Below are the Organizations Accredited by WADA to carry out the tests during the Championship:
  - Sample Collection Authority (SCA): xxxxxxxxx  
(<https://www.wada-ama.org/en/code-signatories>)
  - Accredited Laboratory: xxxxxxxxx  
<https://www.wada-ama.org/en/what-we-do/science-medical/laboratories/accredited-laboratories>

## H. Uniforms

-Official uniform (Summer Dress) is mandatory for all the official events such as opening and closing ceremony, awarding.

-For Chiefs of Mission, Class A Uniform is desirable.

-Sports Uniforms with the name of country may be worn except during ceremonies.

-Chiefs of Mission are kindly requested to send the following items to **the Korean**

**People's Army Sports Liaison Office in Beijing.** (E-mail: [dprk425pud@outlook.com](mailto:dprk425pud@outlook.com), Telephone: 0086-1369-130-2097) by 15 August.

1) One CD or USB with National anthem

2) One national flag (1m x 2m)

## I. Customs and VISA Application Procedures

-For information regarding passport and visas for entry into the DPR Korea, please contact the DPRK embassy in your country or the respective embassy serving your country in the DPRK.

-In case of absence of the DPRK embassy, contact the Korean People's Army Sports Liaison Office in Beijing (Member of the 15<sup>th</sup> World Military Championship Football for women OC) for visa application.

-Delegations of countries that require a visa to enter the DPRK should complete «Final Entry - Personal data for accreditation and visas support to visit DPRK» and send to the OC with color scanned copies of the first page of the valid passports of all members of the delegation in full size and in good quality before 15 August 2024.

## J. Weather Conditions

The temperature in October is between 8°C – 20°C. It is warm and dry with little rain. Please note the great difference in temperature between morning and evening.



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## **K. Registration Forms Deadline**

- Preliminary Agreement; 15 July 2024
- Final Entry: 15 August; 2024

## **L. Correspondence**

### **OC of the 15<sup>th</sup> CISM World Military Championship Football (for women)**

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### **Korean Peoples' Army Sports Liaison Office in Beijing**

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**ANNEX 1**

**PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT**

To be returned before 15/July/2024:

Address + contacts of the Organizing Committee

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NATION:

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS:

	Officials	Athletes	CSC members	Referees	Total
Men					
Women					
Total					

● Does your delegation need a visa to travel?  YES  NO

If the answer is YES, start the process immediately.

● Do your athletes need TUE?  YES  NO

If the answer is YES, you can already start the process.

MEANS OF TRANSPORT: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Contact	Rank/Name	
	Phone	
	E-Mail	



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**ANNEX 2a**

**FINAL ENTRY – COMPOSITION OF THE MISSION**

To be returned before 15/August/2024:

Address + contacts of the Organizing Committee

<p><b>Delegation to CISM:</b></p> <p>Chief of delegation name:          Chief of Country Delegation to CISM: Ri Jong Mu          Tel: 0085-02-381-4325          Mobile :          E-mail: <a href="mailto:dprk425sports@outlook.com">dprk425sports@outlook.com</a></p>	<p><b>CISM Headquarters:</b></p> <p>CISM HQ          LtCol Jan Van den Dool          CISM Sports Director          Mobile: +31 630861878          E-mail: <a href="mailto:cismsportsdepartment@milsport.one">cismsportsdepartment@milsport.one</a></p>
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NATION :

#	Function	Rank	Name and Surname
1.	Chief of Mission		
2.	Team Captain		
3.	Trainer		
4.	Referee		
5.	Female athlete		
6.			
7.			
8.			
9.			
10.			
11.			
12.			
13.	CSC Member		
14.	Ad Libitum		

In strict compliance with applicable **CISM Regulations – Chapter VII, Art. 7.23, I**, the undersigned Chief of Delegation, hereby officially confirm that all athletes representing my nation in the CISM event are on active duty in my nation's Armed Forces. I understand that sanctions may be imposed against my nation, my mission, my team, individual athletes, or myself for violation of this provision (**CISM Regulations Chapter I, Art. 1.12**).



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- Does your delegation need a visa to travel?  YES  NO

If the answer is YES, start the process immediately.

- Do your athletes need TUE?  YES  NO

If the answer is YES, you can already start the process.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: \_\_\_\_\_



**FINAL ENTRY-COMMITMENT BY THE CHIEF MISSION**

NATION :

The undersigned, Chief of Mission declare that he has read the **CISM Regulations** and moreover understood the following prescriptions:

**Article 1.10. RIGHTS OF MEMBER NATIONS**

A. Active member nations have the right to:

Be invited to all CISM Championships.

B. Inactive member nations have the same rights as active member nations except that:

They do not participate in any CISM event until they have met their financial obligations.

An inactive nation, intending to take part in the event must pay its annual fee before the deadline established by the Organizing Committee of the world military championship for sending the final entry. If it is not done, the delegation will not be able to take part in the event.

**Article 7.23. PARTICIPATION - MILITARY STATUS**

A. Only military personnel on active duty in Armed Forces may take part in competitions organized by CISM.

B. No one may be recalled to active duty in the Armed Forces for the purpose of participating in a CISM competition. In the case of an intermittent military service, the athletes regularly recalled may not take part in CISM competitions, under any circumstances, if more than 18 months have elapsed between this recall and the end of their last call to arms.

C. Exceptions to the above may be authorized by the General Assembly, upon recommendation of the Board of Directors.

D. All military participants in a CISM event shall be in possession of proper documentation which signifies active military service of the member nation he represents. The documentation can be:



1. a valid military identity card for those athletes who are authorized to present their military identity cards abroad,

2. a form of verification (in English and/or French) of military status accompanied by a passport.

E. By signing the final entry, the Chief of Delegation confirms the military status of the participating athletes. If there are last minute changes in the participation of the athletes, the verification file may be signed by the Chief of Mission, but shall be confirmed by the Chief of Delegation by official letter.

F. If one of these documents is not available, participation is refused.

### **Article 7.32. CHIEF OF MISSION**

#### **A. Chief of Mission**

1. Chiefs of Mission shall be familiar with CISM regulations.

2. Missions must not only participate or be present at sports events, they are also required to participate in information conferences on CISM, study days, commemorative and cultural events and ceremonies organized by the host nation.

#### **B. Conduct of a mission**

1. The Chief of Mission is responsible for the behavior of his team in sports and general discipline. He shall ensure that members of his mission respect the rules and directives prescribed by CISM and organizers of the championship. The respect of schedules is particularly important as they form the basis for the effective conduct of competitions and ceremonies.

2. The Chief of Mission shall also enforce the rules concerning behavior and dress during the ceremonies. He plays an important role in promoting the CISM spirit among his mission, a spirit represented by friendly attitude towards other missions, courtesy towards organizers and fair-play in competition.

### **Article 8.6. ABSENCE OF A MISSION WITHOUT NOTIFICATION**

If a mission which submits a preliminary agreement and/or final entry is absent without notifying the host nation in time, a sanction will be imposed (CISM Regulations, Art. 1.12).

### **Article 8.17. RULES OF STAY**

#### **A. General**

1. The Chiefs of Mission are responsible for the discipline of their mission. The missions fall under the jurisdiction of the organizing nation. During events, all athletes present on the playing



fields are equal before the jury, the referees and to themselves. No one may use his rank to impose his views on sports matters.

2. Civilian members of the missions shall conform to the discipline accepted by all other participants.

**B. Military uniforms**

1. Unless otherwise approved by the Official CISM Representative, all participants shall wear military uniform during official ceremonies such as the opening and closing ceremonies and medal-awarding ceremonies. Individuals without proper uniform will not be allowed to participate in the championship.

2. The presentation of medals takes place, in principle, during the closing ceremony. The presentation of medals may be done in sports uniform, if for organizational reasons it is not possible to wear military uniforms. This is the case e.g. when the presentation immediately follows a championship sports event. Sports uniforms shall respect the corresponding national criteria (training suit, sports shoes, etc.) Displaying the national flag on the podium by the recipient (athlete or team) at a medal awarding ceremony is forbidden. Individuals failing to respect these prescriptions shall not receive their medal(s) during the official ceremonies.

**C. Forbidden actions**

1. In conformity with the statutes and traditions of CISM, any political or religious propaganda during a CISM event, in particular the dissemination of documents, pictures, brochures, reviews, etc. is strictly forbidden.

2. Any contravention shall result in the exclusion of the mission from further competition and may result in additional sanctions (Regulations Art. 1.12).

**Article 8.19. ACCOMODATIONS**

E. All missions, including those of the host nation, shall be accommodated under the same conditions. If the conditions are in accordance with the CISM norms and standards, the missions are expected to accept the accommodation provided by the organizing nation.

G. (...) Any mission that does not accept the accommodations provided by the organizing nation and judged as adequate by the Official CISM Representative will not be allowed to participate in the championship.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF MISSION

RANK/NAME: \_\_\_\_\_



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**ANNEX 3**

**FINAL ENTRY-TRAVEL DATA**

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**Address + contacts of the Organizing Committee**

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NATION :

	PLACE	DATE	FLIGHT Nr TRAIN Nr	TIME
ARRIVAL				
DEPARTURE				

MEANS OF TRANSPORT: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Contact	Rank/Name	
	Phone	
	Fax	
	E-Mail	