



**International Military Sports Council  
(Iran Delegation)**



**INVITATION FILE**

**38<sup>th</sup> CISM World Military Volleyball Championship**



**38<sup>th</sup> World Military Men's Volleyball championship**

**Tehran - IRAN**

**September 2024**

**Sep, 18-25. 2024 TEHRAN-IRAN**

**CISM**

**“Friendship through Sport”**



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Subject: 38<sup>TH</sup> CISM WORLD MILITARY VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIP  
2024

Date: 29/01/2024

*I have the honor to invite a Mission representing the Armed Forces of  
your country at the 38<sup>th</sup> CISM World Military volleyball championship*

FRIENDSHIP THROUGH SPORT

Sincerely,

*Brig. General Jamshid Fooladi  
Chief of Iranian Delegation to CISM*





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- Distribution List;
- Program;
- General Information;
- Annex 1 - Preliminary Agreement;
- Annex 2a - Final Entry – Composition of the Mission;
- Annex 2b – Final Entry – Commitment by the Chief of Mission;
- Annex 3 – Final Entry – Travel data.

**Distribution List**

**All CISM member nations are warmly invited and strongly encouraged to participate in this World Championship.**

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. *To the Chiefs of Delegation of the CISM Member Countries*

**A. Right to participate in the 38<sup>th</sup> CISM World Military Sport Championship**

Only CISM active member nations have the right to participate in the 38<sup>th</sup> CISM World Military Sport Championship  
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.

**B. General Program of the Championship**

DATE	ACTIVITY
Sep.18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Arrival of Participants</li> </ul>
Sep.19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preliminary Meeting</li> <li>• Training</li> <li>• Opening Ceremony</li> </ul>
Sep.20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Start of the Competitions</li> </ul>
Sep.21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Competitions</li> </ul>
Sep.22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last day of Competitions</li> <li>• Closing Ceremony and Banquet</li> </ul>
Sep.23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cultural day</li> </ul>
Sep.24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Departures of all participants.</li> </ul>

### C. Composition of the Mission

- ✚ A Mission of a nation taking part in a CISM Military Championship can have a maximum of 18 members
  - a. Chief of Mission (1)
  - b. Team Captain (1)
  - c. Coach (1)
  - d. Assistant Coach (1)
  - e. Doctor, Trainer or Physiotherapist (1)
  - f. referee (1)
  - g. Players (12)Total: 18
- ✚ Only military personnel in active duty may participate in the competitions (CISM Regulations, Art. 7.23, item A.)
- ✚ No additional member(s) may be included in the mission without prior approval of the Organizers.
- ✚ Referee Requirements: International level.

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

- ✚ The competition will take place in Tehran, Iran, which is an hour and half away from the Imam Khomeini International Airport.
- ✚ The travel cost to the host country and respective return will occur under the responsibility of the participating country.
- ✚ Teams shall arrive to the Imam Khomeini International Airport. Delegations will be received by the host coordinators and transported by the bus to the site of the competition and accommodations.
- ✚ Competitions will take place in the Azadi Indoor Stadium. See the link. [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Azadi\\_Indoor\\_Stadium#/map/0](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Azadi_Indoor_Stadium#/map/0)
- ✚ All delegation will be accommodated in the Tehran Olympic Hotel nearby competition venue. See the link [olympichotel.ir](http://olympichotel.ir)

### E. Conditions of Stay

- Board and lodging will be at the expenses of the organizers.
- Participants who ask for services not covered by the Organizers, such as telephone calls, drinks, laundry etc. must pay the respective extra expenses.
- Participants must cover any costs before and/or after the dates they have previously informed the Organizer.
- Additional people will not be accepted without official written permission of the Organizers.
- The organizer will provide the medical assistance.

### F. Regulations of the Championship.

- ✚ The CISM Regulations (Edition July 2023)
- ✚ Cism Volleyball Regulations (Edition 2021-2024).
- ✚ The last edition of FIVB Regulations.

## G. Anti-doping

- ✚ Anti-Doping tests will be conducted in accordance with the CISM Regulations – Chapter IX, 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 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): Iran NADO/. Iran NADO General Secretary Head of Anti Doping Control Committee.
  - Accredited Laboratory: Manfred Donike Institute fur Doping analytik, Cologne.

### CISM Anti-Doping Symbol



## H. Uniforms.

- ✚ a. Uniforms are mandatory. All participants will be required to wear summer military dress uniform for Opening and Closing Ceremonies. Civilians will wear appropriate summer business attire during the ceremonies and also combat dress for completion.
- ✚ Participating Missions are required to bring your nations flag and their respective national anthem in a CD version and also the Chief of delegation have to check if their respective national anthem, available on the CISM Extranet is up to date and can be used in sports competitions.  
(<http://members.milспорт.one/officialdocuments/protocol-events-guidelines>)

## I. Customs and Visa Procedures.

- ✚ It is highly recommended that each participating nation contacts the embassy of I.R Iran in their respective country for specific information regarding to entry procedures and VISA information into the Iran. Failure to do so may cause refused entry into I.R Iran.
- ✚ Delegations of countries that require a visa to enter the I.R of Iran must complete Annexes - Final Entry – send copy each of passport and personal photos. For more detailed information and how the quality of the submitted documents should be, it is necessary to refer to the relevant website address.
- ✚ ([https://evisatraveller.mfa.ir/en/request/digital\\_image\\_requirement/?title\\_name=photo](https://evisatraveller.mfa.ir/en/request/digital_image_requirement/?title_name=photo)) It is emphasized that the mentioned documents must be sent to the Iranian delegation at least a month before the start of the event, so that, in coordination with the consular department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the permission to issue visas can be taken at Iranian embassies or possibly at the airport.
- ✚ In order to avoid problems with deadlines for granting Visas adopted by different countries and embassies, we recommend that participants contact the Embassy of the host country in their own country and schedule an appointment soon after sending the Preliminary Agreement.



## J. Weather Conditions

- ✚ The anticipated weather for September in Tehran is hot.
- ✚ Highest daily temperature + 30C Normal daily temperature +25C .Lowest daily temperature 21C.

## K. Registration Forms Deadlines.

Please note and comply with the following deadlines:

- ✚ Preliminary agreement of participation. Annex 1 a to be submitted before 1st May 2024.
- ✚ Final Entry of participation. Annex 2a, b, c, to be submitted not later than 1st August 2024. Late submissions may result in denied participation.
- ✚ Any nation withdrawing from participation after submitting Annex 2a and Annex b, c and fails to notify the Organizing Committee accordingly will be held responsible for all related costs incurred by the Organizers.
- ✚ d. For the creation of ID teams kindly request to send athletes pictures by email to the Iranian delegation to CISM not late than 1st August 2024 ([major.iraj.iran.cism@gmail.com](mailto:major.iraj.iran.cism@gmail.com)). Pictures size >500 Kb.

## L. Correspondence.

All official correspondence and mail concerning the competition should be sent to:  
Iranian Delegation to CISM

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Iranian Armed Forces Physical Education- Joint Staff of the Armed Forces of Iran-  
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**PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT**

To be returned before: 1<sup>st</sup> May 2024

Address + contacts of the Organizing Committee

<p><b>Delegation to CISM:</b>                  Chief of delegation name                  Chief of Country Delegation to CISM Tel: +98 21 88415140                  Mobile: WHATS-app – Telegram : +989211237585                  Fax : +98 21 88407376                  E-mail: <a href="mailto:major.iraj.iran.cism@gmail.com">major.iraj.iran.cism@gmail.com</a>                  Email CoD: <a href="mailto:fooladijam@gmail.com">fooladijam@gmail.com</a></p>	<p><b>CISM Headquarters:</b>                  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:

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS:

	Officials	Athletes	CSC members	Referees	Total
Men					
Total					

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

If the answer is **YES**, start the process immediately.

- Do your athletes need Therapeutic Use Exemption (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: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Your Contact</b>	<b>Rank/Name</b>	
	<b>Phone</b>	
	<b>Fax</b>	
	<b>E-Mail</b>	



**ANNEX 2a**

**FINAL ENTRY - COMPOSITION OF THE MISSION**

To be returned before: 1<sup>st</sup> August 2024

**Address + contacts of the Organizing Committee**

**Delegation to CISM:**

Chief of delegation name  
Chief of Country Delegation to CISM Tel: +98 21 88415140  
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NATION :

	Function	Rank	Name and Surname
1.	Chief of Mission		
2.	Team Captain		
3.	Coach		
4.	Assistant Coach		
5.	Referee		
6.	Doctor		
7.	Athletes		
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19.	CSC Member		

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**).

- Does your delegation need a visa to travel?  YES  NO.  
If the answer is **YES**, continue the process you already started when sending the Preliminary Agreement.
- Do your athletes need Therapeutic Use Exemption (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 OF 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: \_\_\_\_\_



**FINAL ENTRY – TRAVEL DATA**

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NATION :

	PLACE	DATE	FLIGHT Nr TRAIN Nr BUS Nr	TIME
ARRIVAL				
DEPARTURE				

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

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

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

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

<b>Your Contact</b>	<b>Rank/Name</b>	
	<b>Phone</b>	
	<b>Fax</b>	
	<b>E-Mail</b>	