

## **BADMINTON**

#### **Medal Events**

Male	Female	Mixed	Total
7	6	1	14
Men's Singles WH1	Women's Singles WH1	Mixed Doubles SL3-SU5	
Men's Singles WH2	Women's Singles WH2		
Men's Singles SL3	Women's Singles SL4		
Men's Singles SL4	Women's Singles SU5		
Men's Singles SU5	Women's Doubles WH1-2		
Men's Singles SS6	Women'sDoubles SL3-SU5		
Men's Doubles WH1-2			

# **Athlete Quota**

Male	Female	Gender Free	Total
46	44	0	90

#### **Allocation of Qualification Slots**

The qualification slot is allocated to the individual athlete or Doubles pair, not to the NPC.

## Maximum Quota Allocation per NPC

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of eleven (11) male and ten (10) female qualification slots for a maximum total of twenty-one (21) slots. Exceptions may be granted via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

## **Athlete Eligibility**

To be eligible for selection by an NPC, athletes must:

- Be internationally classified with either a 'Confirmed' sport class status or a 'Review' sport class status with a fixed review date after 31 December 2020; and
- have participated in a minimum of three (3) designated qualifying tournaments counting towards the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Ranking List published on 2 April 2020; and
- be ranked on the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Ranking List published on 2 April 2020.



# Maximum Entry per NPC

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per Singles medal event except in the Men's Singles SS6 where an NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) athlete and in the Women's Singles SL4 where an NPC can enter a maximum of three (3) athletes if all are qualified via Paralympic Doubles Ranking List allocation. Exceptions may be granted via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) Doubles pair comprised of two (2) athletes per Doubles event which must have qualified via the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Doubles Ranking List.

An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) Mixed Doubles pair comprised of two (2) athletes in the Mixed Doubles event. Exceptions may be granted via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.

The following entry requirements apply for Doubles pairs:

Event	Sport Class	Points	Combinations permitted	Combinations NOT permitted
Men's Doubles Women's Doubles	WH1 & WH2	A maximum of 3 points	WH1 + WH2 WH1 + WH1	WH2 + WH2
Women's Doubles	SL3 – SU5	A minimum of 7 points and a maximum of 8 points	SL3 + SL4 SL3 + SU5 SL4 + SL4	SL3 + SL3 SL4 + SU5 SU5 + SU5
Mixed Doubles	SL3 – SU5	A maximum of 8 points	SL3 + SL3 SL3 + SL4 SL3 + SU5 SL4 + SL4	SL4 + SU5 SU5 + SU5

## The following entry numbers will be observed:

Men		Women		Mixed	
MS WH1	8*	WS WH1	8*	XDSL3-SU5	6 pairs*
MS WH2	8*	WS WH2	8*		
MS SL3	6*	WS SL4	6*		
MS SL4	6*	WS SU5	6*		
MS SU5	6*	WD WH1-WH2	6 pairs		
MS SS6	6	WD SL3-SU5	6 pairs		
MD WH1-WH2	6 pairs				

<sup>\*</sup>Minimum entry number



# **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
Paralympic Doubles Ranking List Allocation	oubles Ranking Doubles pairs on the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Ranking List	
	Women's Doubles WH1-WH2: The six (6) highest ranked Doubles pairs on the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Ranking List published on 2 April 2020 each obtain two (2) qualification slots for their NPC.	athletes
	Women's Doubles SL3-SU5: The six (6) highest ranked Doubles pairs on the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Ranking List published on 2 April 2020 each obtain two (2) qualification slots for their NPC.	
	Mixed Doubles SL3-SU5: The four (4) highest ranked Mixed Doubles pairs on the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Ranking List published on 2 April 2020 each obtain two (2) qualification slots for their NPC. In case the female athlete in a Mixed Doubles pair has already obtained a slot via the Women's Doubles SL3-SU5 allocation (above) the available slot will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.	
Paralympic Singles Ranking List Allocation	Following the Doubles Ranking allocation, further slots will be allocated to the highest ranked athletes (not yet qualified) on the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Singles Ranking List published on 2 April 2020 according to the following matrix. Slots will only be allocated via this method to a maximum of one slot per athlete per NPC and event. If two or more slots have already been allocated to an NPC for a relevant gender and sport class via Doubles Ranking List allocation, no further slot will be allocated to the NPC via the Singles	17 male athletes 7 female athletes



	Class	Men	Women	Remarks	
	WH1	0-2	0-2	Exact number of slots	
	WH2	1-3	1-3	per event allocated via this method depends on the number of slots already allocated via the Doubles Ranking List Allocation	
	SL3	3	0		
	SL4	3	2		
	SU5	3	2		
	SS6	5	0		
Mixed Doubles Quota Allocation	The two (2) highest ranked SL3-SU5 Mixed Doubles pairs on the Road to Tokyo Paralympic Ranking List published on 2 April 2020 (not yet qualified) of which the male athletes have already obtained a slot via the Singles Ranking List allocation method (above) each obtain one female qualification slot. If one or both of these slots cannot be filled, the available slot(s) will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation method.				
Bipartite Commission	7				13 male athletes
Invitation Allocation	Class	Men	Women		7 female
Allocation	WH1 WH2	. 3	3		athletes
	SL3 SL4 SU5	9	4		
	SS6	1			
One (1) male and one (1) female Bipartite slot are reserved for the host country. In case the host country obtains any slot(s) via the allocation methods above, the Bipartite slot reservation for the respective gender automatically expires.				any slot	



		44 female athletes
Total		46 male athletes
	To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs (including host country) must submit an official application in writing to BWF by 25 May 2020.	
	Any Bipartite slots offered to the host country or to an NPC as a reserved slot for that NPC's continent which are not accepted will no longer be reserved for the host country or the respective continent.	
	One (1) male and one (1) female Bipartite slot are reserved for each continent. If a continent obtains any slot(s) via the allocation methods above, the Bipartite slot reservation for the respective gender automatically expires.	

# **TIMELINE**

1 January 2019	Start of the period for athletes to gain points towards the Paralympic Ranking List
29 March 2020	End of the period for athletes to gain points towards the Paralympic Ranking List
2 April 2020	BWF publishes the Paralympic Ranking List
2 April 2020	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots under the Doubles Ranking List Allocation method
9 April 2020	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of allocated Doubles slots including the sport class for each slot
10 April 2020	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of any unused Doubles slots
17 April 2020	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of reallocated Doubles slots including the sport class for each slot
20 April 2020	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots under the Singles Ranking method



27 April 2020	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of all allocated slots under the Singles Ranking method
28 April 2020	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of any unused Singles qualification slots
5 May 2020	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of reallocated Singles slots
7 May 2020	Start of Bipartite Commission Invitation application process (including reserved host country and continental slots)
7 May 2020	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots under the Mixed Doubles Quota method
8 May 2020	Deadline for Tokyo 2020 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs ("Accreditation Long List")
15 May 2020	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of allocated Mixed Doubles Quota slots
18 May 2020	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of any unused Mixed Doubles Quota slots
25 May 2020	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of reallocated Mixed Doubles Quota slots
25 May 2020	Deadline to submit Bipartite Commission Invitation applications to BWF
8 June 2020	BWF notifies in writing to the NPCs the awarding of Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
15 June 2020	NPCs confirm in writing to BWF the use of Bipartite slots
3 August 2020	Deadline for Tokyo 2020 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

## **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 9 April 2020 each NPC must confirm to BWF in writing (only emails are accepted) the Doubles Ranking List qualification slots they will use. By 27 April 2020 each NPC must confirm to BWF in writing (only emails are accepted) the Singles Ranking List qualification slots they will use. By 15 May 2020 each NPC must confirm to BWF in writing (only emails are accepted) the



Mixed Doubles Ranking List qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not replied by these dates will have lost their slots and BWF may reallocate them by the relevant dates in the above timeline. <u>Important note:</u> Doubles slots are allocated to the individual Doubles pair. In case one athlete is unable to accept his or her slot, the Doubles partner automatically loses their slot, so that BWF can reallocate the two slots to another eligible Doubles pair.

By 25 May 2020 BWF will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 15 June 2020 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and BWF.

#### REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS

Any qualification slot that is not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next highest eligible athlete or Doubles pair on the respective Road to Tokyo Paralympic Ranking List.

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