

2025 WORLD MASTERS ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS INDOOR AGREEMENT

This 2025 World Masters Athletic Championships Indoor Agreement (the "Agreement") is entered into on this 17th day of March, 2024 by and between WORLD MASTERS ATHLETICS, a Monaco registered association (hereinafter referred to as "WMA"), and ALACHUA COUNTY LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE in Florida (hereinafter referred to as "LOC") (hereinafter collective referred to as the "Parties") and endorsed by USA Track and Field, a non-profit corporation and CELEBRATION POINTE EVENT CENTER OPERATIONS, LLC, a Florida limited liability company (hereinafter referred to as "CPECO").

RECITALS:

The WMA council grants the rights to stage the 2025 World Masters Athletics Championships Indoor (the "Championships") to the LOC.

The LOC accepts the sanction to host the Championships in accordance with the conditions hereinafter agreed to and as required by the WMA Constitution and By-laws.

The LOC commits to manage this event in a way to ensure that athletes, officials, and support staff involved in these Championships, regardless of age, gender, sexual preference, race, religious, political or other orientation are not subject to a discriminatory environment.

AGREEMENT

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing Recitals and other good and valuable consideration passing between the Parties, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

1. **Structure of the Local Organizing Committee.** The LOC is duly registered as a non-profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida with the power to assume liability for the rights and duties set forth in this Agreement.

The LOC has appointed the following persons to manage the corporation:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>ORGANIZATION</u>
Stephen V. Rodriguez	Executive Director	ACLOC
Svein Dyrkolbotn	Chairman	ACLOC
Richard Blalock	Vice-Chairman	ACLOC

The LOC shall nominate counterpart officials to support the WMA management team, in the following fields of expertise: Media & Marketing, Communication, Non-Competition Organization, Stadia Competition, Non-stadia Competition, Information Technology and Liaison.

2. **WMA – Sanctioning Authority.** The LOC recognizes WMA as the final authority for the interpretation of all technical rules applicable to the events listed in Section 5. The LOC acknowledges that the Championships, despite being conducted by the LOC, belongs to WMA. In the event of any disputes related to the organization and production of the Championships, the decision of

WMA shall prevail. Any decisions regarding the facilities in which the events are being held, whether indoor or outdoor, shall be made by the LOC, after securing approval, in writing, by WMA.

3. **Date and Location of the Championships.** The Championships are to be held in the Alachua County Sports and Events Center (hereinafter "ACSEC") and surrounding facilities supplied by the LOC beginning on the 23rd day of March, 2025 and concluding on 30th day of March, 2025. The opening ceremony will take place in the evening of the day before the first day of competition of the Championships and the closing ceremony will take place following the conclusion of the final event on the last day of competition of the Championships. Parties agree to amend, in writing, any date and location changes which shall be signed by both WMA and the LOC.

4. **Venues.** In addition to the ACSEC main hall, the venues include: cross country, road race run, and road walks courses, throwing areas and practice facilities. The ACSEC track has been measured according to World Athletics (WA) standards and a copy of the WA Certification Certificates has been furnished to WMA. Certificates for the road race run and walks course distances will be furnished to WMA upon execution of this agreement, or as reasonably possible thereafter. As an operator of the ACSEC, CPECO hereby confirms that fifteen (15) days after the execution of this Agreement, that CPECO will deliver a written commitment to provide the exclusive use of the aforementioned facilities for the Championships.

5. **Events.** The program shall contain the following events for both men and women, all as Championships events (10km road race run will be both Championship and open), subject to mutual written changes by the Parties:

60 meters	high jump
200 meters	pole vault
400 meters	long jump
800 meters	triple jump
1500 meters	shot put
3000 meters	weight throw
60 meters hurdles	pentathlon
3000 meters race walk	relay 4x200 meters
10km road race walk	mixed relay 4x200 meters
10km road race run	8km and 6 km cross country
discus	hammer
javelin	

6. **Entries.** The WMA online registration system shall be opened by June 1, 2024. Closing date for entries is set as January 21, 2025. All entries shall be lodged electronically through the online entry system posted on the official Championships website. WMA shall provide the LOC with real time access to its electronic competitor registration data, necessary to conduct the Championships.

7. **Data Protection.** WMA shall have the entrants agree to have their name, age, gender, events entered and event results posted on the WMA and the LOC websites. The LOC may use such data to any necessary extent in order to conduct the Championships in accordance with this Agreement. This may include disclosure of personal details to: a) the U.S. Department of State for the purpose of facilitating the processing of any visa application that is required by an entrant or b) a properly authorized law enforcement agency.

Technical Requirements

8. **WMA Site Visits.** A final technical preparation visit ("Technical Visit") will occur no later than December 2024 with a maximum of four (4) WMA delegates for three (3) working days. The WMA delegates will visit the venues and meeting rooms to confirm all facilities and equipment meet the standards required. The cost of the Technical Visit shall include travel costs, accommodation, and meal costs (breakfast and dinner) and shall be borne by the LOC. Should circumstances arise requiring an additional pre-Championships visit, the WMA President shall inform the LOC and both Parties shall agree, in writing, the reasons for additional site visit. The travel cost of such additional visit shall be paid by WMA, with accommodation and meal costs paid by the LOC.

9. Technical Rules and Regulations.

a. WMA shall be the final arbiter on the interpretation of the technical rules and regulations of the Championships.

b. WMA has the final authority for the Championships' event program, including the general and detailed schedule of competition events listed in Section 5. WMA shall provide a draft Championships schedule to the LOC and consult with the LOC in determining any changes by May 1, 2024.

c. The WMA President shall appoint the chair and members of a Jury of Appeal to hear challenges to referee decisions from participants.

d. The LOC shall supply the quality and quantity of implements required by WMA for the Championships. The WMA shall provide the LOC with a complete list of supplies needed for the events listed in Section 5 by May 1, 2024.

e. The LOC shall supply, free of cost, water for athletes and officials, during the road and cross country competitions.

f. Timing chips shall be used for road and cross-country competitions.

10. **Championships Computer Program.** The LOC shall supplement the WMA registration system with competition management software. WMA shall be given full access to the Championships computer software or any other database used by the LOC during the Championships to verify results and records, and shall be given a full backup database at the completion of the Championships to certify this information.

11. **WMA Appointed Championships Officials.** WMA shall bring to the Championships, the expertise of its executive members and WMA Managers as defined below.

Competition management support will be provided by, but not limited to, the specifically appointed International Officials (“IOs”) listed below.

- a. WMA Competition Director
- b. 3 International Technical Officials (“ITOs”)
- c. International Starter
- d. International Photo Finish Judge
- e. Competition Continuity Coordinator
- f. Combined Events Coordinator
- g. Call Room Director
- h. Safety Director
- i. Chief Race Walk Judge
- j. Non-Stadia Competition Director
- k. 2 Non-Stadia Competition Coordinators
- l. Medical Delegate
- m. Head of the Jury of Appeal
- n. Technical Information Manager

WMA is responsible for the travel expenses for the above International Officials. The LOC shall be responsible for providing accommodation during the event, single occupancy per room and one working meal per day.

WMA shall appoint a manager to support the WMA council members, WMA competition management team, and the LOC with conduct of the Championships in each of the following areas:

- a. Media & Marketing
- b. Communication
- c. Non-Competition Organization
- d. Information Technology
- e. Liaison
- f. Stadia and Non-Stadia Competition
(hereinafter collectively referred to as “WMA Managers”)

12. **LOC Appointed Officials.** The LOC shall appoint qualified competition officials and sufficient auxiliary field personnel as required for each venue and the number of competitors in each event, including but not limited to:

- a. LOC Competition Director
- b. Meeting Director
- c. Technical Director
- d. Event Presenter
- e. Track Referee
- f. Field Referee
- g. Combined Events Referee
- h. Non-stadia Referee
- i. Call Room Referee
- j. Start Coordinator

13. **Appointment of Officials.** WMA shall supplement the quota of officials required with WMA International Volunteer Officials (“IVOs”). WMA and the LOC will agree on the final number of appointments, but shall be no more than 50 IVOs. Well qualified race-walking judges will be included within the WMA IVO appointments. The Parties agree that the appointed race-walking judges shall be appointed in accordance with World Athletics criteria. The LOC shall identify the positions to be held by local and national personnel and nominate the candidates no later than September 30, 2024. WMA may veto candidates for lack of qualification. Non-stadia officials shall be provided with dedicated transport to the non-stadia venue and with adequate on-site refreshments and catering while conducting the non-stadia events. The LOC shall provide WMA and competition officials with a printed handbook showing the timetable of the events and list the competitors and their number, by event and age group.

14. **Uniforms.** The LOC shall provide officials, volunteers, WMA council members and WMA Managers with dedicated Championships uniforms. The uniforms may show the logo of a sponsoring partner. The uniform package for officials should include two, preferably three, polo or long sleeve shirts, and outer wear for those officials who will be working outdoors. Advice on sizes for all WMA uniform requirements will be provided by the end of 2024.

Athlete Services

15. **Athlete Information.** The LOC shall create two digital documents as part of the LOC website – an *Entry Information Booklet* and a *Competition Manual*. WMA shall provide the LOC with drafts of each document from previous Championships. The LOC shall update the drafts and submit to WMA for approval.

The *Entry Information Booklet* shall be prepared by June 1, 2024, and shall include welcome messages by the WMA President, national and local dignitaries and LOC members, as well as:

- a. A presentation of the host county
- b. A presentation of the venue
- c. A map depicting the metropolitan area with the distances among major locations
- d. Details about the registration procedure
- e. The anti-doping regulations
- f. A waiver of liability and indemnity by the entrant, for the benefit of the LOC, WMA and their respective officers and officials
- g. The entrant’s confirmation of being in good health and acknowledging the risk of entering the respective event
- h. The entrant’s acceptance that the Championships are staged under the provision of the WMA Constitution and By-laws
- i. A website link to the U.S. Department of State for visa application information
- j. The range of travel covered by the free transportation system.
- k. Information regarding transportation options, and the various costs, from the nearest airports.

The *Competition Manual* shall be finalized by March 9, 2025, and shall be published with technical and organizational details for the conduct of the Championships, such as

- l. Competition timetable and venues
- m. Transportation route(s) and timetable(s)
- n. Athlete instructions for confirmation and accreditation processes
- o. Technical Information Center timetable and services
- p. Medal presentation information
- q. WMA variations to the WA competition rules
- r. Any other necessary information relating to the conduct of the WMA Championships.

16. **Technical Information Center.** The LOC shall operate a reception area for participants, traditionally called the “Technical Information Center” (“TIC”). The TIC will handle the accreditation and confirmation of participants and provide any general information required. The TIC will also issue forms for the Jury of Appeal, questions for team manager meetings, and relay teams.

17. **Venue Food Services.** The LOC shall provide for sale a balanced range of hot meals, refreshments and other general food items at each venue or within close proximity to each venue.

18. **Drug Testing.** The tests will be conducted by the National Anti-Doping Agency or an authorized WA Independent Body. The testing shall be conducted under the authority of the WMA medical panel and conducted in accordance with the WA/World Anti-Doping Agency (“WADA”) International Standard for Testing, and the WMA Anti-Doping Rules and Regulations as taken from the WA Rules and WADA Code.

The LOC shall pay for the cost of the testing team, including their transportation, meals and accommodation. The LOC shall provide that number of volunteers as is necessary to fulfill chaperone requirements throughout the Championships. WMA shall pay for the specific tests conducted. Testing shall be conducted only at ACSEC. The type and the final number of tests conducted shall be determined by WMA with the National Anti-Doping Organization. Other than the number of days required for the tests, the LOC will be given no information nor have any involvement in determining of the number of tests being undertaken.

19. **Communications.** The following communications equipment shall be made available by the LOC: 1) Adequate public address systems at stadiums and throws fields, 2) A two-way radio system or other devices to ensure the efficient production of the Championships, 3) Free WiFi shall be available to the participants at Alachua County Sports and Events Center. The LOC will make a good faith effort to have free WiFi available at the secondary venue.

20. **Medical Services.** The LOC shall provide appropriate medical coverage at competition locations with first aid and emergency treatment. The LOC shall comply with all national, state, and local requirements regarding medical services. Prior to the Technical Visit, a medical plan shall be provided to the WMA medical delegate. The medical services should be available beginning one hour before the start of competition each day and shall continue until one hour after the last event

ends. Rooms or open spaces for no less than twelve (12) physio stations shall be offered to the teams from the host country and visiting countries.

Organizational Requirements

21. **Athlete Accommodation.** The LOC shall provide WMA with a list showing sufficient accommodation capacities with Seven Thousand (7,000) beds, within a radius of twenty (20) kilometers/twelve (12) miles from the main venues.

22. **Transportation.** The LOC shall provide transportation to and from the primary venue and select hotels for athletes and accredited individuals who have purchased a transportation pass through the online registration system ("Transportation Pass"). The Transportation Pass may be offered at a reasonable cost as determined by the LOC and approved by WMA in the transportation plan. The LOC shall provide free transportation between the primary venue and the secondary venue as reasonably necessary for athletes and accredited individuals. This transportation shall be available for the period commencing the day prior to the first day of competition and concluding at the end of the Championships. Transportation shall operate at sufficiently frequent intervals to ensure pick-up and drop-off connections, so as to enable the athletes to reach their competition venues at least one and one-half (1.5) hours prior to the starting time of their events. The risk of delays in starting and late finishing times for events shall be borne by the LOC insofar as the provision of transportation is concerned.

The LOC shall provide free transportation for all officials to and from their assigned hotels and their assigned venues.

The LOC shall provide WMA with a transportation plan no later than April 30, 2024 and shall indicate the range of travel covered by the free transportation system. Information regarding transportation options, and the various costs, from the nearest airports shall be included. Complimentary transportation to and from the nearest host city airports and the accommodation sites shall be provided for the WMA council members and other designated WMA appointed officials. The LOC shall provide such individuals with complimentary transport from the WMA Headquarters Hotel, as defined in Section 23, to and from the venues. This shall include four vehicles for use by WMA. If required, drivers should be arranged. The LOC shall also provide such individuals with transportation from the WMA Headquarters Hotel to and from any WMA meetings and social events.

23. **WMA Accommodation.** Except as specified below, at their cost, the LOC shall provide bed and breakfast accommodation for the WMA council members, their partners, the WMA Managers, and the WMA competition management team. The full range of WMA accommodation to be booked by the LOC and details of the joint financial obligations will be provided. A single hotel shall be designated the "WMA Headquarters Hotel". WMA accommodation required is:

- a. Eight (8) rooms (single or double as required) including one suite for the WMA President
- b. A maximum of six (6) rooms for the WMA Managers
- c. A maximum of twenty (20) single or double rooms for the WMA competition management team.

The LOC is responsible for the cost of providing accommodation for three WMA Managers. WMA shall pay for three other WMA Managers. Designated WMA council members and ITOs may require accommodation for a maximum of three (3) days before and one day after the competition. Exact dates will be provided by the WMA Secretary.

The LOC is also responsible for providing one working meal per day during competition at the primary venue for all WMA council members and WMA Managers. To avoid hotel cancellation costs, the exact requirements including arrival and departure dates before and after the event will be provided by WMA to the LOC at an agreed time ahead of the Championships. Moreover, the LOC shall make a provisional booking of 10-15 rooms for the accommodation for future hosts of WMA Championships and other WMA guests. WMA shall indicate the final number at an agreed time ahead of the Championships. This reservation is at no cost for the LOC. The LOC shall also accommodate the WMA appointed IVOs in shared (twin bed) rooms. IVOs may request a single room, and if available, shall pay a supplemental fee. Exact rooming requirements will be provided by WMA.

24. **Office and Meeting Spaces.** The LOC shall arrange dedicated office and meeting facilities for WMA. All costs of said meeting spaces shall be borne by the LOC. Details of WMA office and meeting requirements in the main stadium will be provided. The details of the rooms are attached in Appendix "A".

25. **Awards and Medals.** The LOC shall award gold, silver, and bronze Championships medals, together with an optional certificate, to the first, second, and third place finishers in each age-group, both men and women, for individual and team events. WMA shall approve the design of the medals to be awarded at the Championships. The LOC may not sell or distribute a Championships medal, nor any other medallions in their likeness. The LOC may give a commemorative medal or pin to all competitors who enter the Championships. The LOC should make available certificates to competitors who place outside of the medal rankings at a maximum cost of \$5 USD. The LOC shall provide WMA with four medals of each color for use when required by a change of results, lost medals, or anti-doping matters.

26. **Presentation of Awards.** The LOC, in consultation with WMA, shall determine the venue for the presentation of awards and choose the presenter. The presentation of awards during the ceremonies shall be organized according to the WMA *Ceremonial Guidelines*, to be provided to the LOC.

27. **Opening and Closing Ceremonies.** The arrangements for opening and closing ceremonies shall be approved by the WMA. The opening ceremony shall include the marching in of athletes in their respective country's uniform, with their respective country flag and a notice board designating their respective country's name. The LOC shall assist WMA in organizing a farewell dinner to be held in the evening following close of the Championships.

28. **WMA Logos.** The LOC shall adapt the WMA corporate logo to design a specific Championships version. The LOC shall coordinate with WMA to ensure that both logos are prominently and appropriately displayed in all Championships printed material, on all official merchandising, and at all official Championships events, functions, and activities. In addition to the

LOC Championships logo, the WMA logo shall be printed on the competitors' bibs, in the top right corner above the athlete number.

The LOC shall ensure that the WMA logo is displayed prominently on the front cover of all official publications and prominently on all other official printed material. The LOC shall use its best efforts to ensure that WMA receives appropriate recognition and acknowledgement through public announcement. The WMA logo and the LOC Championships logo must also be visible at the start and finish of all road events. Furthermore, the WMA flag and banner, provided by WMA, must be displayed prominently at each of the Championships venues.

29. **LOC Website.** The LOC shall establish an internet website dedicated to the Championships, operating at least twelve (12) months before the Championships. The LOC agrees to post on its website entry information, competition information, results and events conducted during the Championships. A link to the WMA website is to be provided by the LOC with the same information.

30. **Image Rights.** WMA works on setting up an image bank solution where the photos and videos produced by accredited authors will be stored and will be offered for download and sale to the general public and professional users. The WMA shall create a photography licenses agreement executed by the accredited authors and entrants; wherein all rights and waivers are provided. The LOC will comply with the solution and license agreement created by WMA.

31. **Merchandising.** The LOC is free to sell any goods having the Championships' logo without compensation to WMA. The LOC reserves the right to revenues derived from the use of the Championships logo, including merchandise.

32. **Entertainment.** The LOC shall provide live announcing via a sound system in the arena, which shall include a professional presenter, but may also include music or other sound amplification, provided such additional music or sound does not interfere with the competition and is within the music rights as established by the LOC.

33. **Results Distribution.** Prior to their publication, the Championships results shall be certified by WMA. The results shall be published daily on the event website and shall also include start sheets and event times.

34. **Championships Studies.** WMA has entered into a partnership for research on masters athletes in areas such as health and fitness to compete. Accreditation and space, as indicated in Appendix "A", is to be provided for the appointed members of the research team.

Financial Issues

35. **Registration Fees and Accompanying Person Fees.**

a. LOC Registration fee	\$42.00
b. WMA fee	\$38.00
c. Each individual event	\$40.00

d. Combined event	\$40.00
e. Accompanying Person	\$30.00
f. Accompanying Person under age 14	\$15.00

All fees set forth in this section are in U.S. Dollars.

There will be no fees charged for relay events. The LOC acknowledges that the WMA on-line registration system will show one overall registration fee which is a combination of the WMA fee and the LOC registration fee. All entry fees shall be paid into the WMA bank account, WMA shall retain the amounts collected with respect to the WMA fee. The amount deposited in the WMA account for LOC entry fees will be released from the WMA account to the LOC account by monthly payments.

There will be no fees charged to view the competition and ceremonies. Accompanying persons who have paid the accompanying person fee described above shall be entitled to the same rights as registered athletes, excluding the right to compete.

36. **WMA Sanction Fee.** In consideration for the sanction of the Championships by WMA, the LOC agrees to pay to WMA a fee of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000) USD. The LOC shall pay the sanction fee in three (3) equal installments on the following agreed dates:

- a. An initial installment due one (1) month following signing of this Agreement
- b. A second installment due six (6) months prior to commencement of competition
- c. A third and final installment due one (1) month before the first day of competition.

37. **Performance Bond.** To cover the contractual requirements entered into by the LOC, the Parties agree to set a performance bond of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) USD ("Performance Bond"). This bond fee will be taken from the first entry fees collected by WMA through its registration system. In the event WMA determines the LOC is not in compliance with this Agreement, WMA shall give the LOC a reasonable amount of time to remedy such non-compliance. Should there be no sufficient remedy to non-compliance, the Parties shall agree upon a reasonable solution, including an agreed upon reduction to the Performance Bond. Following completion of the Championships and subject to compliance by the LOC with the provisions of this Agreement, the Performance Bond will then be transferred to the LOC bank account within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the Final Report as defined in Section 40.

38. **LOC Financial Budget.** The LOC has submitted a preliminary budget for the conduct of the Championships setting forth its anticipated income and expenditures. It is acknowledged that this preliminary budget may be modified as a result of changing conditions. Notification of any major amendment to the budget as well as reasons therefore must be given to the WMA Treasurer as soon as reasonably known to the LOC. The LOC shall provide sound management of all financial obligations to ensure that all debts due to WMA or to any other person, entity or authority are paid in a timely manner.

The LOC represents that the County of Alachua has agreed to fund the Championships with a grant of up to One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) USD, payable to the LOC and will provide WMA with documentation confirming such grant.

The LOC is only responsible for WMA related expenditures set forth in this Agreement. Any additional expenditures shall be agreed to by both Parties, in writing.

39. **Profit and Losses.** WMA shall have no claim to any profits accruing to the LOC from the conduct of the Championships. WMA shall have no liability for any debts incurred by the LOC. The LOC and WMA shall hold each other harmless from any liability for debts or other liabilities in connection with these Championships, including attorney fees and costs that the LOC and WMA may incur before, during or after the Championships. The LOC shall have no liability for any debts incurred by WMA in connection with these Championships unless such debts are specifically identified and approved in writing by the LOC.

40. **Sponsorship.** The LOC shall have the right to seek any sponsorship agreement from corporations. The LOC shall compensate WMA, as the brand owner, with ten (10%) percent of cash sponsorships secured and paid, minus the cost associated with securing and fulfilling the sponsorships.

41. **Final Report.** Within six (6) months following the Championships, the LOC shall submit a detailed digital report, which includes:

- a. Any challenges faced in the run-up of the Championships and during the event and how such challenges were addressed or remain unsolved.
- b. Any major incidents occurring during the event
- c. A financial report including the major income and expense items
- d. A listing of the media coverage and the press clippings
- e. Suggestions for future Championships.

WMA agrees to provide the LOC with copies of the Final Report from the past WMA Indoor Championships for review and consideration.

Legal Framework

42. **Liability.** The LOC and WMA hereby agree to indemnify and hold each other harmless, and its appointees, from and against all liabilities of any kind, arising from any breach or enforcement of the terms of this agreement, with the exception of incidents willfully intentional or negligent. The LOC shall purchase an insurance policy naming the LOC as a primary insured and the WMA as an additional insured party. A certificate evidencing such insurance shall be provided by the LOC to the WMA by an agreed date. Furthermore, the insurance policy mentioned above shall have a limit of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) USD. The WMA carries a liability policy which shall be renewed prior to the Championships with identical claims limits as the policy that is currently in place and shall provide a copy of such renewed policy to the LOC as soon as reasonable after renewal.

43. **Force Majeure.** Should the Championships be cancelled or delayed from its scheduled time and dates due to force majeure, all Parties in this Agreement shall, in good faith, determine the availability of an alternative date.

44. **Cancellation.** The LOC undertakes, in the unlikely event of any possible cancellation of the Championships for any reason, to refund all fees of registered individuals. Such refunds will only be in the amount that the LOC has at its disposal once all obligations have been fulfilled. Should

participation for the Championships drop below the seventy-five percent (75%) of the projected 4,000 entrants, both Parties agree to work together to amend this Agreement and its requirements therein to balance the budget and mitigate losses of the LOC.

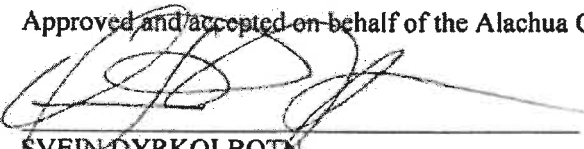
45. **Arbitration of Disputes.** This agreement is made pursuant to the laws of the Principality of Monaco where WMA is registered. Any disputes will be resolved through arbitration, through the Court of Arbitration for Sport in Switzerland, in which the LOC will appoint one arbitrator and WMA one arbitrator. These two arbitrators will then select a third arbitrator. The successful party will be entitled to be reimbursed for its share of the costs of arbitration, if awarded in its favor. The arbitrators shall be entitled to be reimbursed for their fees of the arbitration and their out-of-pocket expenses, including their costs of travel, food and accommodation in accordance with whatever award they may make. The venue for the arbitration shall be determined by the arbitrators by mutual agreement. The decision of the arbitrators shall be final.

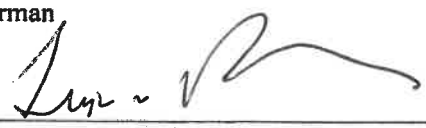
46. **Amendments.** This Agreement is subject to written change by amendment of the Parties, incorporating any changes into an *Addendum* attached to the agreement. In order to deal with any matter under this Agreement, each party designates the following mandate holders to act on its behalf:

- a. The WMA designates Margit Jungmann, WMA President
- b. The LOC designates Stephen Rodriguez

IN WITNESS WHEREOF WORLD MASTERS ATHLETICS, a Monaco registered association, and ALACHUA COUNTY LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE, a non-profit corporation have caused this Agreement to be executed and delivered in their names and on their behalf by their duly authorized representatives as indicated below on the day and year first above written.

Approved and accepted on behalf of the Alachua County Local Organizing Committee (LOC):

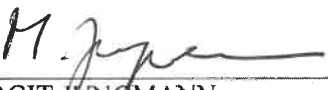

SVEIN DYRKOLBOTN
Chairman


STEPHEN V. RODRIGUEZ
Executive Director

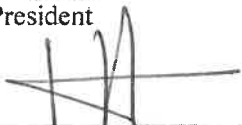
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Approved and accepted on behalf of World Masters Athletics (WMA):




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WMA President



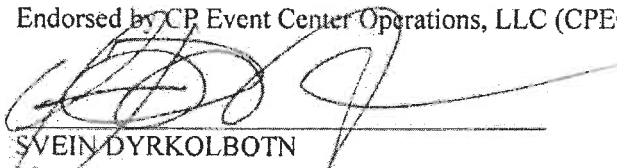
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LYNNE SCHICKERT
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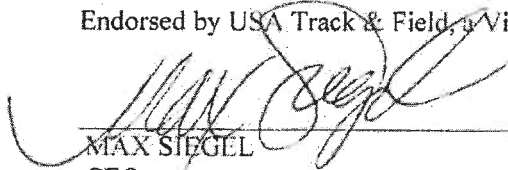
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WMA Vice-President Competition.

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SVEIN DYRKOLBOTN
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MAX SIEGEL
CEO

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WMA President

JEAN THOMAS
WMA Treasurer

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WMA Executive Vice-President

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APPENDIX “A”

All rooms are to be properly furnished with tables and chairs, power outlets and WiFi connection. All must have access to a photocopier and a printer. All rooms are to be set up with refreshments on a daily basis.

- a. A meeting room for twenty (20) persons
- b. A meeting room for ten (10) persons
- c. A working room for three (3) persons
- d. A meeting room for fifty (50) persons
- e. One VIP lounge overlooking the track
- f. Suitable venues and facilities for the conduct of doping control
- g. Suitable rooms and facilities for research studies testing (around 100m²)
- h. Four (4) locations of approximately 3m² with electricity connections, suitable for advertising purposes for the future WMA Championship hosts. Any equipment required shall be at the cost of the users.

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Room Name	Description/Dates Needed	Proposed Room	Equipment/Service Needs
Officials/volunteer Hospitality Room	Room for a maximum of 100 persons at any given time. March 22 – 30, 2025.	Temporary structure (tent) will be erected for this purpose just outside the ACSEC.	Food service for breakfast and lunch. Refreshments and snacks throughout the day. Appropriate furnishings for hospitality area. Internet access.
WMA Council Meeting Room	Room for 10-15 persons. March 20 – 30, 2025	Conference Room	Board table and chair. Access to TV. Access to copier/printer (will be accessible in adjacent headquarters area). Internet access. Refreshments and snacks serviced in office kitchen.

WMA Management Workspace	Workspace for 3 persons. March 20 – 30, 2025.	RADD Sports offices, workstations in copy room and outside of Stephen's office.	Workspace furnishings and electricity. Internet Access. Refreshments and snacks serviced in office kitchen.
VIP Area	VIP area for 20-30. March 23-30, 2025.	VIP Balcony and sitting area	Refreshments and snacks serviced daily. Internet access.
Team Managers Meeting Room	Meeting Room for 50 which will host a meeting once per day and remain open for team managers workspace. March 22 – 30, 2025.	Hotel Indigo – Celebration B&C	Classroom set-up with workstation tables and chairs set-up on exterior walls. Access to power. Internet access. Water and light snacks provided daily. Projector/screen or monitor. Copier/printer access.
Anti-Doping Room	Private and secure room with access to two private restrooms. March 23-30, 2025. Room must be able to be locked/secured.	ACSEC Meeting Room A	4 tables and 20 chairs. Access to power and Internet access. Need sealed bottled water and replenishment drinks. Hospitality serviced by hospitality area.
Jury Review Room	Private room to review video replay for 2-6 individuals used on an as needed basis March 23-30, 2025.	RADD Sports offices / Scott Peters office	Computer with monitor and access to re-play video.
Bag Check	Secure and monitored room with enough space to hold bags for 50	ACSEC Meeting Room B	Shelving for bags and sitting area for personnel. Hospitality serviced

	competitors. March 23-30, 2025.		by hospitality area. Internet access.
Technical Information Center	Room to accommodate approximately 4 booths and hold 100 people at any given time. March 21-30, 2025.	ACSEC West Lobby	8 tables and 16 chairs. 4 Copier/printer, electricity, monitors, internet access. Drinks and snacks on-site. Hospitality serviced by hospitality room.
Accreditation	Room to accommodate accreditation of 4,000+ individuals over a period of 9 days. March 22-30, 2025.	100ft. enclosed structure will be located outside of the ACSEC in median of Celebration Pointe Avenue.	20 tables, 40 chairs, 4 copier/printer, electricity, monitors, internet access. Drinks and snacks on-site. Hospitality serviced by hospitality room.