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ALL AFFILIATED STATE UNITS – AFI

Sub: 15th National Youth Athletics Championships

Dear Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that the 15th National Youth Athletics Championships (Under-18 years) will be held at Vadodara (Gujarat) from July 21-23, 2018.

Reckoning of Age/Eligibility: An athlete should be below 18 years as on 23rd July 2018 i.e. he/she should have born between 24th July 2000 & 23rd July 2002. It may also be noted that an athlete below 16 years as on 23rd July 2018 are not eligible to participate. In other words, those born after 23rd July 2002 cannot be entered.

Age Verification: AFI Age Verification Committee and a team of Doctors will be present to verify the age of Athletes.

Proof of Age: The athletes are required to bring with them the following original certificates for verification:

- (a) X Standard Certificate from recognized Central / State Education Board Board.
- (b) Birth Certificate from Municipality / Corporation and School Leaving Certificate, if an athlete has not passed X Standard **OR** is a drop out.
- (c) Birth Certificate from Municipality / Corporation, in case of athletes, who have not gone to School at all.

Events to be Conducted- The list of events to be conducted is at Annexure I.

Last date of Entry: The last date of receipt of **Entries is 6th July 2018**. In no case, entries received after the due date, will be accepted. Link for Online Entry will open on 15th June 2018 on AFI Website.

Procedure for Sending Entries

Please note that Entry of Athletes is to be sent “On Line” by the respective Secretary of the State Athletics Association and **NOT** by the individual athletes. The ID & Password for State Unit has already been sent by E-mail. In case, of any difficulty, you may kindly contact Mr. Divesh Bhal at his E-mail Id diveshbhal@gmail.com

It may also be ensured that athletes who meet the entry standard fixed by the Federation, are only included in the Entry List. The entry standard for 2018 is available on AFI Website.

Entries

It is mandatory to fill all columns in “On-Line” Entry Form.

No.of Entries: Each State Unit can enter three athletes in each event.

No.of Event, an athlete can participate: An Athlete can participate in two individual events and one Relay.

March Past: The March Past by all the participating athletes is mandatory. The Managers/Coaches should therefore, ensure that their athletes participate in March Past. The defaulting athletes will not be allowed to participate in the Championships.

Flag: Each participating Unit is required to send its Flag with the Manager of the team.

Dope Test: Dope tests will be conducted by NADA during the Championships.

Participation Certificates: It is the duty of the Managers/Coaches to collect the Participation Certificate from AFI officials at the venue of Championships. Participation Certificates will be issued to only those athletes, who qualify the Entry Standard.

Selection of Athletes by State Units. You are also requested to send the following documents to AFI :-

- (a) Basis of selection.
- (b) Criteria adopted for selection.
- (c) Minutes of the Selection Committee.

Your kind cooperation for the successful conduct of the Championships is solicited.

Thanking you.

Yours sincerely,



(C.K. VALSON)
SECRETARY, AFI

CC: - President, AFI
Chairman, AFI Technical Committee , ,
Chief Coach (Juniors)

Encl: As above.

Annexure –I

**EVENTS TO BE CONDUCTED IN 15th NATIONAL YOUTH ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS TO BE HELD AT
VADODARA (GUJARAT) FROM July 21-23, 2018**

<u>MALE</u>		<u>FEMALE</u>	
1.	100m	1.	100m
2.	200m	2.	200m
3.	400m	3.	400m
4.	800m	4.	800m
5.	1500m	5.	1500m
6.	3000m	6.	3000m
7.	2000m Steeplechase	7.	2000m Steeplechase
8.	110m hurdles(91.4cm)	8.	100m Hurdles(76.2cm)
9.	400m Hurdles (84.0cm)	9.	400m Hurdles (76.2cm)
10.	High Jump	10.	High Jumps
11.	Pole Vault	11.	Pole Vault
12.	Long Jump	12.	Long Jump
13.	Triple Jump	13.	Triple Jump
14.	Shot Put (5 Kg.)	14.	Shot Put (3 Kg.)
15.	Discus Throw(1.5Kg.)	15.	Discus Throw(1 Kg.)
16.	Hammer Throw (5 Kg.)	16.	Hammer Throw (3 Kg.)
17.	Javelin Throw (700gm)	17.	Javelin Throw (500gm)
18.	Decathlon	18.	Heptathlon
19.	10000m Race Walk	19.	5,000m Race Walk
20.	Medley Relay	20.	Medley Relay