



# ATHLETICS FEDERATION OF INDIA

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## **ALL THE AFFILIATED STATE UNITS – AFI**

### **Subject :- 57<sup>th</sup> National Inter State Senior Athletics Championships 2017**

Dear Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that 57<sup>th</sup> National Inter State Senior Athletics Championships will be organized by Andhra Pradesh Athletics Association at Guntur from 15-18 July 2017. This Championships will also provide an opportunity to Indian athletes to qualify for participation in IAAF World Championships in Athletics to be held at London from 4-13 August 2017.

#### **No. of Entries**

Each State Units can send maximum of three entries in each Event. No reserve entry is permitted.

#### **Entry of Campers**

It is the responsibility of the State Units to include the names of their athletes who are attending the National Athletics Coaching Camp, in their Entry list.

#### **No. of Events an athlete can participate**

An athlete can participate in two individual events and both relays.

#### **Entry**

The entry must be sent on the enclosed Entry Form. Entry not made on the entry form will not be accepted. Entry Form must be filled in Capital Letters and all its columns must be completed. In no circumstances, hand written entry will be accepted.

The latest performance of athletes must be mentioned in the Entry Form, failing which such athletes may not be allowed to participate.

#### **Entry Rules**

The entry standard already circulated to you vide this office letter No. 10-20/AFI/16 dt. 6<sup>th</sup> March 2017 should be kept in mind, while sending the entry.

The State which has no athlete meeting the entry standard may enter one unqualified Male and one Female athlete. However, the Host State can enter one athlete per event or one relay team regardless the entry standard. **Change in entries will not be permitted.**

Athletes will not be allowed to participate if his/her confirmation is not given by the Manager/Coach.

If an athlete fails to participate in an event after giving the confirmation, he/she will not be allowed to participate in the Championships.

### **March Past**

It is mandatory for all athletes to participate in March Past. Defaulting athletes will not be allowed to participate in the Championships.

Managers/Coaches must bring the State Flag for March Past. Managers should attend the Managers' Meeting at the venue and time as intimated by the organizers.

### **Dope Test**

Dope Tests will be conducted by NADA during the Championships . **It may be ensured that the athletes who stand debarred due to dope are not included in the Entry List.**

### **Call Room**

Athletes are required to report in the Call Room. Any athlete reporting directly at the Competition Area will not be allowed to participate.

### **Victory Ceremony**

Managers/Coaches should ensure that their athletes report for Victory Ceremony immediately after the announcement is made in this regard. Medals may not be given to athletes, who do not report for Victory Ceremony.

**Equipment** – IAAF/ AFI approved equipment will only be used during the Championships.

**Best Athlete** – Best athlete will be selected on 'Points Basis' referring to IAAF/AFI- All Events Scoring Table.

### **Team Championships**

The Championships will be worked out on 'Points Basis' for 1-6 positions i.e. 7,5,4,3,2,1.

### **Participation Certificates**

Participation Certificates will be issued to only those athletes, who actually participate and meet the entry standard. You are, therefore, requested to send entry of only those athletes, who meet the entry standard.

It is the duty of the Managers/Coaches to collect the Participation certificates from AFI Officials at the Venue of Championships. Participation Certificates will not be issued after the Championships.

**Variation in Entries**

If there is a variation of more than 20% between the entries sent and actual participation, the concerned State will have to pay a fine of Rs. 10,000/- to the Federation.

**Last Date of Entry**

The last date for receipt of entries is 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017. Entries received after due date may not be accepted. However, any addition/deletion/change of entry may be made up to 7<sup>th</sup> July 2017.

**Basis of Selection of Athletes**

A copy of the Minutes of the Selection Committee clearly mentioning the basis and criteria adopted for Selection of Athletes may also be forwarded alongwith entry form failing which the entry may not be accepted.


**Entries to be sent**

Entries must be sent to **AFI Office through E-mail only**. A copy of entry should also be sent to the Organizers at the following address :-

Sh. A.V. Raghuvendra  
Secretary, AP Athletics Association  
H.No. 18-9-1, Uma Mohan Nilayam  
3<sup>rd</sup> Lane, Kedareshwara Pet  
Vijayawada – 520003  
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Your kind cooperation for the successful conduct of the Championships is solicited.

Thanking You  
Yours Sincerely

  
(C.K. VALSON)  
Secretary, AFI

**Encls** :- As above