iF3 Participation Rules for Individual Neutral Athletes

Annex A

This Document represents the current iF3 Participation Rules for Individual Neutral Athletes with Russian or Belarussian Passports and may be updated if relevant international guidance or world circumstances change.

The iF3 has adopted the following recommendations of the International Olympic Committee:

a) Sanctions against the Russian and Belarussian government must remain in place

i. no international sports events may be organized in Russia;

ii. This restriction does not apply to Belarus, and international sports events may be organized in Belarus;
iii. no Russian or Belarussian flag, anthems or other national symbols should be displayed at any international sports events except as outlined in b) below; and
iv. no Russian or Belarussian government or state officials should be accredited for or invited to any international sports events.

b) Junior Athletes with a Russian or Belarusian passport may compete in iF3 individual and team competitions without restrictions.

i. Junior athletes may compete under their nation's flag, wear their country's uniform and display other national symbols.

ii. Junior athletes who finish first in iF3 competition may have their country's anthem played during the medal ceremony.

iii. Junior athletes from Russian and Belarus are eligible to win the Top Nation award at Junior Worlds.

c) Senior Athletes with a Russian or Belarusian passport may compete in iF3 competitions only as Individual Neutral Athletes.

i. Athletes with a Russian or Belarussian passport will not be eligible to compete in iF3 Teams or Pairs Competition. Nor will Russia or Belarus be eligible for any Top Nation awards during competition.

ii. Athletes who actively support the war cannot compete in iF3 events. Support personnel, including but not limited to coaches, volunteers, and Technical Officials who actively support the war cannot participate in iF3 events.

iiii. Athletes who are contracted to the Russian or Belarussian military or national security agencies cannot compete in iF3 events. Support personnel, including coaches, volunteers, and Technical Officials, who are contracted to the Russian and Belarussian military or national security agencies cannot participate in iF3 events.

iv. Any such Individual Neutral Athlete, like all the other participating athletes, must meet all relevant iF3 and WADA anti-doping requirements.