

**GENERAL REGULATIONS**  
**FIRST FISU AMERICA GAMES**  
**SAO PAULO – BRAZIL 2018**

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## **CHAPTER I**

### **GENERAL PRINCIPLES**

#### **Article 1.**

The Pan American University Sports Organization, hereinafter referred to as FISU AMERICA, is a non-profit entity, which is governed by the Statute of FISU AMERICA in accordance with the regulations of the International University Sports Federation (FISU).

The FISU AMERICA Organization will be integrated by all the regions that make up the American continent (North America, Central America, South America and the Caribbean).

#### **Article 2.**

The FISU America Games are held every two years. The period of realization of the games must not exceed ten (10) days, including the day of arrival and the day of departure of the participating delegations. It will be the power of each host country to propose the date of completion of the games.

#### **Article 3.**

To be eligible as a participant in the FISU America Games, each participating country must respect the Statutes and Regulations of FISU America, the FISU and the Regulations of the corresponding International Sports Federation and the Competition Rules that are issued for each sport that forms part of the official program of the Games; and be registered by the country it represents.

**Article 4.**

For the purposes of FISU AMERICA:

- a) Integrate and promote through physical activity, sports and recreation students-athletes, and university leaders of the American Continent.
- b) Promote and develop the Pan-American university sport
- c) To strengthen and to develop relations of union, friendship and solidarity among students, leaders and Institutions of Higher Education of the American Continent, without discrimination of gender, etnia, religion, language and political ideals.
- d) Contribute to the development of physical activity, sports and national, regional and continental recreation.
- e) To cooperate with the member countries in the realization of programs of permanent formation, that allows to improve the level of the directors, technicians and student-athletes in order to favor the research and the development in sport

**Article 5.**

Of the Composition

- a) FISU AMERICA is constituted by all the University Sports Federations or Associations of the American Continent that are legally recognized by FISU
- b) Only one representation per country affiliated with the organization will be accepted, and that corresponds to the NUSF recognized by FISU.

## Article 6.

From the Glossary.

- **FISU:** International Federation of University Sports
- **FISU AMERICA:** Continental Organization that governs University sports in the Americas.
- **FISU AMERICA Games:** University Sports Games of the American continent organized by a country that designates the Executive Committee of the FISU America
- **Organizing Committee of the GAMES:** Organ executor of the FISU America Games
- **Jury of Competition:** Organ that is designated in the Technical Congress of the Games, to attend situations of competition and discipline of the games.
- **Technical Congress:** Organ that is conformed with the participation of the delegates, coaches, referees and member of the Organizing Committee, to attend matters of the competition.
- **Sports Events Committee of FISU America:** Technical advisory body of the Executive Committee of FISU America and organizing committee, on issues related to the Games, this body is appointed by the Executive Committee of FISU America.
- **Participating country:** Country located in the American continent and which is duly accepted according to the FISU America statutes and which presents a formal intention to participate in the Games.
- **Coach:** Member of the coaching staff that coordinates the work of the sports team, participant in the Games.

- **National Sports Federation:** Sports Organization of national representation of each country.
- **Physician:** Professional responsible for the medical care of the participants of the Games.
- **Judge or referee:** Technical personnel responsible for teaching and complying with the competitive and disciplinary provisions of sports competitions, accredited by the National and International Sports Federation.
- **Student / Athlete:** Regular and active student duly registered by the Institution that represents the country in the Games.
- **Head of Mission:** Official- Officer appointed by the participating country to attend tasks of a political, protocol and administrative nature within the framework of the Games.
- **Head of Delegation:** Official- Officer responsible for the sports technical part of the total delegation of each country participating in the Games.
- **Delegate by sport discipline:** Official- Officer who will be in charge of administrative aspects of the sports disciplines in which he was registered.
- **Nominal registration:** Registration on the official sheet that the organization provides and that the participating country must fill out with the names of the members of each sport discipline.
- **Individual registration:** Registration of each delegation member: student / athlete, coaching staff, delegates, medical staff, others.

- **Attachment:** Support staff that the organizing committee makes available to the participating delegations.
- **Technical commissioner:** Person appointed by the organizing committee that oversees the good development of the competition and reports particular situations to the competition jury.
- **Identity Credentials:** Official document that the organizing committee provides to the participants of the Games.

#### **Article 7.**

From the Hierarchy of Standards.

The competitions of the FISU America Games will be governed by the standards regulations in force:

1. Statutes, regulations and agreements of FISU America
2. General Regulations of the FISU America Games and the corresponding Official Call.
3. Specific competition rules approved by the Executive Committee of FISU America
4. The General Competition and Disciplinary Regulations of the respective International Federation for all technical and administrative aspects of the competition itself.
5. Agreements by consensus in the Technical *Congress*.

**Article 8.**

Of the Bodies of the FISU America Games

In addition to the Executive Committee of FISU America, the following bodies are considered within the organizational structure:

- a. Sports Technical Commission of the Games: The make up of the organizing committee and the events committee of FISU America.
- b. Organizing Committee of the Games: It will be formed by the host country, taking into account fundamental commissions such as: sports technical coordination commission, transportation, food, lodging, press, protocol, health, infrastructure, among others.
- c. Competition jury: It will be formed by three titular delegates and two alternates from different countries, one of them from the host country.
- d. Court of Honor: It will be formed by the members of the Executive Committee, a Representative of the Organizing Committee of the Games and a Representative of the Head of Delegation.
- e. International Control Commission: Will be responsible for controlling the eligibility of the athletes and the accreditation of delegations, officials and competitors in the FISU America Games.

**Article 9.**

Of the functions of the organs of the Games.

**Article 9.1.- EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF FISU AMERICA**

1. Designate the host country for the organization of the Games.
2. Call for Games
3. Approve the General Rules of the Games.

4. Supervise and support the smooth running of the organization of the games
5. Guarantee the proper functioning of the Games.
6. Interpret the regulations of FISU America.
7. Resolve any dispute that does not concern any other committee or jury.
8. Examine and treat any complaint or protest of a non-technical nature.
9. Take sanctions against teams or individuals that violate the regulations of the FISU America Games.
10. Decide on any other matter not covered in this regulation.

**Article 9.2.- TECHNICAL COMMITTEE OF SPORTS OF THE GAMES**

1. Review and recommend modifications to the regulations and specific rules of the sports disciplines subject to competition.
2. Verify that the sports facilities comply with the required technical specifications and make the necessary recommendations for adjustments before the Organizing Committee.
3. Prepare a historical record of sporting results of the Games competitions, to be considered in future editions.
4. Prepare a historical record of the sanctions incurred by athletes, technical bodies, delegates and participating institutions before, during and after each edition of the games, to be considered in future editions.
5. Present reports to the Executive Committee of FISU América of the actions it carries out related to its functions within the framework of the Games.
6. Keep a historical record of the participants sanctioned in each of the editions.

7. Once the games have begun and due to major force, they are suspended, the sports technical committee of the Games must support the organizing committee in finalizing the results of the event.

### **Article 9.3.- ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

1. Fulfill and enforce the Statutes, Regulations and Regulations: FISU, America and the Games. As well as the general regulations of Competition and Disciplinary of the respective International Federation.
2. Appoint the Executive Director and General Technical Commissioner at least six (6) months before the Games.
3. Create, plan, organize, direct and supervise administrative commissions and work techniques, as deemed necessary for the development of the organization of the games.
4. Receive and process the registrations of participating institutions within the period of time defined for that purpose.
5. To look for the economic resources both internally and externally of your institution, for the financing of the Games, offering the participants the best conditions for competition (Infrastructure, arbitration, sports equipment, among others).
6. Ensure the discipline and fair play of the participants.
7. Solve the contingencies arising from the organization before, during and after the games.
8. Promote the achievement of logistical support within and outside the university community.

9. Prepare and submit for consideration to the Executive Committee of FISU America and the Committee of Sports Events, the general program of competition of Games, at least three months from the date of the realization of the games.
10. Hold a press conference at least one week in advance of the Games, to provide information related to sports jousting.
11. Schedule and direct the awards of sporting events, ensuring that these are carried out by members of the Executive Committee of FISU America, its Committees and sports authorities of the host country.
12. Organize the appropriate lodging, food and internal transport to the official delegations from one day before, until one day after competition. You can request the collection of a daily fee per person to subsidize the services proposed.
13. Provide and facilitate the media duly accredited to the organization with everything necessary for the fulfillment of its functions.
14. To take into consideration the opinion of the national sports federations in everything concerning the technical aspects of the games, in accordance with the technical regulations of the international sports federations and to facilitate the technical meetings and congresses.
15. Submit to the Executive Committee of FISU America the final report and memory of the Games maximum 60 calendar days after the end of the games.
16. Coordinate the technical congress prior to the Games (visit of Heads of Mission of the countries) and technical congresses of the competition.

**Article 9.4.- INTERNATIONAL CONTROL COMMISSION (ICC)**

1. To control the eligibility of the athletes and the accreditation of delegations, officials and competitors in the FISU America Games.

2. Verify and validate the documents presented by the delegations to justify, in particular: authenticity of national entries, academic status of each competitor, nationality and age.
3. Examine the competitors' files at the time prescribed by the FISU Americas Executive Committee and, if satisfied, validate the official accreditation cards.
4. Inform the CTI and the Organizing Committee about the names of the accredited competitors and the number of their accreditation cards. The ICC must communicate within twenty-four (24) hours to the Executive Committee of FISU America the names of the persons who have been denied accreditation.
5. The ICC may investigate at any time, even after the end of the FISU America Games, the academic status and eligibility of any competitor in the Games.
6. Prepare before the end of the Games a report of the mission entrusted to them and to formulate recommendations for future events.

## **CHAPTER II**

### **HEADQUARTERS AND OFFICIAL CALL**

#### **Article 10.**

Of Assignment of the Headquarters of the FISU America Games

In order for a member country of FISU America to be assigned to host the next Games Edition, it must submit the official application in writing to the Executive Committee of FISU America at least fifteen (15) days before the opening of the Games.

#### **Article 11.**

Of the Official Call.

For each edition of the Games, the Executive Committee of FISU America in

coordination with the host country will issue an official announcement six (6) months before, inviting member countries of the FISU America to participate in the Games, through the Executive Committee of FISU America, who will disclose the call.

- This call will contain at least the pertinent information about the registration procedures, the sports program, the technical and administrative regulations that will be applied, the calendar of activities, sports venues and other matters that are pertinent.

### **CHAPTER III**

#### **PARTICIPATION AND REGISTRATION**

##### **Article 12.**

All member countries of the affiliated FISU America will have the right to express their intention to participate and comply with the registration requirements in the sports disciplines of their choice, within the terms established in the official call and regulations in force.

##### **Article 13.**

Every country must process or present its registration documentation before the organizing committee or through another procedure that the official announcement indicates.

##### **Article 14.**

Any country that enrolls in a joint sport must register the minimum number of athletes required, according to the established rules and compulsorily at least one coach as a member of the coaching staff, the country may complete the maximum payroll the closing date of registrations that is established by the organizing committee.

**Article 15.**

The letter of intent to participate must be submitted six months prior at the beginning of the games signed by the president of the University Sports Federation of each country.

**Article 16.**

Three months before the Games must submit the numerical registration by sport and thirty (30) days before the nominal registration according to the official call.

**Article 17.**

The inscriptions of the athletes of the participating countries will be sent by the way that the organizing committee of the games defines (registration platform, email), the original documents of the same will be delivered to the ICC.

**Article 18.**

The International Control Commission may reject entries that contain incomplete information, errors of fact or materials, submitted extemporaneously or any other event contrary to the regulations and the official announcement.

**Article 19.**

Only the following can participate as competitors in the Games:

- a. Students who are currently officially registered as candidates for a degree or diploma at a similar university or institute whose status is recognized by the corresponding national academic authority of their country.
- b. Former students of the institutions mentioned in a) who have obtained their academic degree or diploma in the year prior to the event.
- c. Be of the nationality of the country it represents.

- d. Be at least 17 years old and under 25 years old on January 1 of the year of the event.

**Article 20.**

The payment of total registration must be made 30 days before the opening of the Games, the registration cost per participant is fifty US dollars (\$ 50.00) per day per person that covers the costs of food, lodging and internal transportation and ten US dollars (US \$ 10.00) per participant of the FISU América share. One hundred and twenty (120) days before the opening of the Games, each country will make a guarantee deposit to participate in the Games for the amount of \$ 2,500.00 (two thousand five hundred dollars) for collective sports, which must be deposited in the bank account of the FISU America, as indicated below: Beneficiary: ODUPA, Account number: 2005100150 IBAN: 400 878 506 501 / EUR /, BIC / SWIFT code: GLMTMNUB Bank: GOLOMT BANK, Address: Brasilia. This security deposit will be taken as part of the registration and the country that does not participate in the end will not be refunded the guarantee.

Enrollment in group sports is a minimum of four (4) countries and a maximum of eight (8) countries and by gender. In case of exceeding the limit of countries registered in a sport, the selection criteria contemplated in the specific rules for sport will be applied

**Article 21.**

Of the substitution of athletes for greater cause

Once final registration of athletes who will attend the games, may be replaced up to five days before the start of the games, by communication sent to the ICC where the cause of the substitution is justified, which must be accompanied by the supporting documents.

**CHAPTER IV**

**TEAM OFFICIALS**

**Article 22.**

Only members of the official delegation duly registered will be recognized by the organizing committee to provide them with the corresponding facilities. At the same time, the number of people that make up the delegations will be established in the specific rules by sport discipline.

**CHAPTER V**

**HEAD OF DELEGATIONS**

**Article 23.**

During the period of the Games, each participating delegation will be under the responsibility of the head of delegation, the assistant head of delegation, and the delegates for sport, designated by the participating country.

**Article 24.**

Number of participants and officials, when the delegations have:

The maximum number of officials in a delegation participating in the FISU America Games will be:

Up to 10 competitors -----	5 officers
11-20-----	9
21-30 -----	13
31-40-----	17
41-50-----	21
51-60 -----	25
61-70-----	29
71-80 -----	33
81-90 -----	37

91-100 -----41

101 and more ----- 5 officers for every 10 competitors

Medical officers, heads of delegation and representatives of the media will not be included in the number of officers.

If a delegation wishes to enter more accredited officials than allowed, a special request must be submitted to FISU America at the time of the registration deadline.

**Article 25.**

The chief of delegation and the assistant chiefs of delegation will have access to all the facilities of the Games.

**Article 26.**

The participating country may register a delegate in each of the sports disciplines registered.

**CHAPTER VI**

**OF THE COMPETITION**

**Article 27.**

Of the official competitions.

They will be considered as official competitions of the Games, those in which four (4) countries are nominally registered, at least, in sports in which the registration is by teams and those in which four (4) competitors of different names are registered. nationalities in individual tests. If for any reason the nominally registered athlete does not show up for the Games, the registration fee will always be paid, and the event will be official.

**Article 28.**

Of the official Program.

The official program of the Games will consist of ten (10) sports (F, M) which are: Athletics, Basketball, Football, Futsal, Judo, Swimming, Taekwondo, Tennis, Table Tennis and Volleyball.

**Because the Football (F, M) tournaments are qualifying competitions for the FISU Football World Cup, the students of the same team must be registered in the same university.**

**Article 29.**

From the Sports Program of the Para-FISU America Games

The official program of the Para-FISU Games, must have the following three (3) sports: Athletics, Swimming and Table Tennis.

**Article 30.**

The sports that are part of the official program of the games may have the technical support of the respective National Sports Federation of their country. The specific rules of each sport discipline of the official competition program of the Games must be drawn up.

**Article 31.**

The competition systems of each sport discipline will be determined in the specific rules of each sport.

**Article 32.**

Development of competences.

**32.1** To validate the participation of athletes in the competitions they must identify themselves with the credential authorized by the organizing committee.

**32.2** The organizing committee of the Games in coordination with the national federations, in accordance with the report of the technical and administrative managers of each competition will proceed to confirm the results and the incidents that arise in the competitions.

**32.3** Loss or misleading of credentials will be reimbursed prior to the payment of \$ 10 and submit documentation.

**Article 33.**

The position of the general table of the games will be established according to the medals or Olympic medals table (Gold, Silver, Bronze)

**Article 34.**

Of the Technical Congresses (Pre-Games).

There will be at least one technical conference (Pre-Games) and will be held in the places designated by the organizing committee of the games.

In them they will participate:

- One and / or more designated by member country of FISU America.

In the agenda to be developed, the following aspects will be taken into account:

- The specific rules of competition by sports discipline.
- The competition and training calendar.

- Aspects on arbitrations.
- Verification of the proposal of sports facilities.
- The mechanism of registration and documentation required.
- The administrative mechanisms of the event.
- The guidelines for the ceremonies of the opening and closing ceremonies.

**Article 35.**

The technical congresses of the competitions will be spaces solely for the delivery of information and materials related to the organization of the Games, indicated in art. 35 of the present regulation. They will be held one day before the start of each sports competition and will take place at the places designated by the Organizing Committee.

In them they will participate:

- A technical commissioner appointed by the Organizing Committee of the Games, who will coordinate the congress.
- The delegates and coaches by sport of each country.
- Coordinator of Judges or arbitrators.

**Diary:**

- Delivery of information from the competition.
- Appointment of the competition jury.

**Article 36.**

Of the Prosecutors of competences.

The organizing committee and / or Executive Committee of FISU America may appoint prosecutors in the competitions they deem appropriate. Its function will be

as an observer of the development of the competition and report the incidents that it considers infringes the rules. They do not have decision-making power over the development of the event.

**Article 37.**

Of the Judges and arbitrators.

The accompanying referees of the delegations in the corresponding sports, once integrated to the Games, pass under the responsibility of the organizing committee of the Games. The referees must be certified by the International Sports Federation.

The countries will coordinate the possible participation of the judges and referees of each, depending on the needs of the organization. The costs of lodging, food and internal transport will be divided among the participating teams in each discipline and will be recognized the same diet as the host arbitration body. The country of origin will be responsible for covering the costs of transportation from the country of origin to the host country of the games and return to their country of origin.

No accredited delegate and/or trainer may exercise the function of referee in the event.

**CHAPTER VII**

**ACCREDITATIONS**

**Article 38.**

The organizing committee will issue identity credentials corresponding to the participants with official character in these games, specifying the names and surnames, the date and place of birth, gender, country, photography and function in the Games. The credentials must be signed by the President of the Organizing Committee.

**Article 39.**

The organizing committee will make arrangements with the government of your country, to facilitate the mobilization and entry of delegations to the Games.

**CHAPTER VIII**  
**RECOGNITIONS**

**Article 40.**

Of the Awards, diplomas and distinctions

The organizing committee will award individual prizes and winning teams, in accordance with these regulations.

**40.1.- Individual Sports:**

- a) First place: gold medal
- b) Second place: silver medal
- c) Third place: bronze medal
- d) Diploma to the first eight places

(According to international regulations in some sports, two third places will be awarded).

Note: in individual sports trophies will be awarded to the first three places of every event of each gender

**40.2.- Sport by Team: For the athletes, technical bodies and delegates:**

- a) First place: Gold Medals and trophy for each team
- b) Second place: Silver Medals and trophy for each team
- c) Third place: Bronze medals and trophy for each team

**Article 41.**

All participants in the Games will receive a diploma or certificate of participation.

**Article 42.**

The host country of the Games will receive official recognition from the Executive Committee of the FISU America.

**CHAPTER IX**

**APPEALS**

**Article 43.**

Of the competent bodies where to present the appeal.

The instances to present the appeals will be the following:

- The competition jury is the court of first instance.
- Organizing committee.
- The technical commission of sports Games.
- The court of honor is the third and last instance.

**Article 44.**

Of the requirements of the appeal

Appeals must be submitted to the jury of each sport at the end of each event subject to appeal. For such purposes, the delegate by discipline and/or the head of

delegation, will be the only ones authorized to sign the appeal in writing, within a period not exceeding one hour.

The appeal must be submitted in writing in the corresponding formula, provided by the organizing committee and the following information must be clearly indicated:

- a. The and/or the tests (individual sports) or the contending teams (in case of collective sports), place, date and time in which the competition was carried out.
- b. The type of fault committed to the regulation or specific rules, mentioning the articles and subsections infringed.
- c. The petition.

In order for the appeals to be accepted, an amount of US **\$ 50.00** (fifty dollars) must be paid, for which the respective receipt of money must be drawn up, in case of losing the protest or claim, the money is available to the organizing committee.

Only regulations and disciplinary rulings may be appealed, but not judgments of arbitration. The rules and procedures established for protests contained in the general rules of the Games will be observed.

**Article 45.**

Of the resolutions of the appeal.

The appeals will be resolved at the most before the next competition of the team or athlete involved. In special cases it is the duty of the competition jury, to resolve in a shorter time.

**Article 46.**

Once the term has expired (Article 45), no new appeals or claims may be filed or refer to any other fact than those already included in the arbitration report or in the appeal that was previously filed.

**Article 47.**

Only those that may be appealed during the competitions and / or those acts raised in them, those that correspond to situations pre and post Games will be resolved by the technical commission of the sports of the Games.

**Article 48.**

**48.1.** Protests of a non-technical nature must be presented to the President or Secretary General of the FISU America/Executive Director, by the Head of Delegation or his deputy in writing no later than six (6) hours after the incident, and no protest received after this time will be considered. Each protest will be accompanied by a deposit of fifty US dollars (\$ 50.00), which will be returned only if the protest is considered justified.

**48.2** If the officers of a delegation deliberately misinform the ICC regarding the eligibility of a competitor (s), the involved sports team will be excluded from further participation in the current FISU Americas Games; Such fraud could be grounds for the suspension of the membership of that country to FISU America.

**48.3** To challenge the eligibility of a participant from another country, the Head of a Delegation must present the protest in writing accompanied by a deposit of fifty US dollars (\$ 50.00) before the Executive Committee of FISU America. The ICC will be authorized to investigate the eligibility of the participant in question. Only the Head of Delegation, or his Deputy, will be authorized to make such a protest.

**48.4** The ICC can investigate at any time, even after the end of the FISU America Games, the academic status and eligibility of any competitor in the Games.

## **CHAPTER X**

### **DISCIPLINARY FAULTS AND SANCTIONS**

Of the applicable regulations

#### **Article 49.**

The jury of competence in first instance and the court of honor in second instance, will have in the present regulation the instrument to establish the sanctions to the faults to the regulation or of disciplinary nature made during the official activities of competitions on the part of any athlete, body technical, sports group or collaborator duly registered and presented complaint.

The disciplinary bodies may in the event that the regulations of the sports federations do not contemplate the lack and penalty that may occur, may resort to this regulation to impose the sanction.

#### **Article 50.**

On the Validity of sanctions:

- a. Previous editions of the Games.
- b. Other sports programs

Any athlete, coaching staff, sports group and collaborator who has been sanctioned by their respective National Sports Federations with a suspension of all participation for a period greater than one year, may not register or continue participating in the Games, until they have complied with their sanction.

In case of having registered an athlete suspended by another sports program, it will lead to the immediate disqualification of the athlete and the team.

**Article 51.**

Of the Types of sanctions.

To sanction the participants in the Games, the types of sanctions detailed below are considered:

One to three games, events or competition will be sanctioned, any person that is part of the official delegation participating according to the fault that is incurred, namely:

- 51.1.** Insulting words and/or gestures to other athletes, technical bodies, sports groups, collaborators, referees, officials, organizers, accredited personnel, members of the organs of the Games; as well as the general public before, during or after the competition or outside it.
- 51.2.** They withdraw from the competition as a protest to the ruling issued by the judges of this.
- 51.3.** Members of the coaching staff who insult or actually mistreat their athletes during competitions and be reported by the technical authorities of the competition.
- 51.4.** To sports groups that do not cancel fines, compensation and others imposed by the competent bodies.
- 51.5.** In case of incurring in fault there will be suppression of medals and loss of points if the case warrants it.

**Article 52.**

Of the Sanctions up to two editions.

An athlete, coaching staff, sports group and other members of delegations will be sanctioned with suspension for the rest of the edition and up to two editions plus the one that will incur in any of the following faults:

- 52.1.** Alignment and / or participation of an athlete in a competition without being duly registered, suspension of the athlete and coach.
- 52.2.** Do not identify positively and irrefutably with official documents in response to a request made by the technical and administrative authorities.
- 52.3.** Causing material damage to the local competition, administrative offices-and others related to the development of the competitions and the Games.
- 52.4.** Provoke or participate in a fight before, during or after the competition or outside it.
- 52.5.** Set bets ostensibly in favor or against before and during the competition, even being within the public
- 52.6.** The athlete and the team to which he belongs, which immediately after having been warned by order or resolution of the competent bodies, do not return the medal awarded.
- 52.7.** In case of incurring in this fault there will be suppression of medals and loss of points if the case warrants it.

**Article 53.**

Of the Sanctions up to three or more editions.

An athlete, coaching staff, sports group and other members of delegations will be sanctioned for the rest of the edition and the following three editions which will incur in any of the following faults:

- 53.1.** Alteration of documents with false data.
- 53.2.** Forgery of public and authentic documents.
- 53.3.** Falsification of private documents.
- 53.4.** Suppression, concealment and destruction of documents.
- 53.5.** Consign and / or adulterate with false data personally or through third parties in both official and unofficial documents.
- 53.6** False use of documents.
- 53.7.** Physical impersonation of athletes posing as someone else.
- 53.8.** Physical and material aggression against other athletes, technical bodies, sports groups, collaborators, referees, officials, accredited personnel, before, during or after the competition and even outside it.
- 53.9.** In case of incurring in this fault there will be suppression of medals and loss of points if the case warrants it.

**Article 54.**

The communication of sanctions must be made in writing to the participant with a copy to his superior authority.

**CHAPTER XI**

**ATTENTION TO DELEGATIONS**

**Article 55.**

Of the Lodging, Feeding and Transport.

**55.1.-**The organizing committee of the Games, should provide the competitors and the official staff of the delegations the billboard of hosting services with conditions of safety and comfort.

**55.2.-** The feeding will be provided in accordance with adequate nutritional standards.

**55.3.-** The organizing committee will facilitate internal transport to all delegations for their mobilization in sports areas.

**Article 56.**

The host country of the Games must charge a fee of fifty US dollars (\$ 50.00) of maximum daily participation fee (includes lodging, food and internal transport) which must be canceled one month before the start of the competitions by electronic transfer of funds to the official bank of the games.

**Article 57.**

Of medical attention.

In the event that an athlete, referee, official or manager, suffers an accident during the Games, originated in the performance of its function, the organizing committee will deal with their primary care in the competition areas, at the same time they must have accident insurance Basic medical services should be offered at sports facilities and lodging facilities.

**Article 58.**

Of insurance policies.

Each participating country must have an international life insurance policy for each member of the officially registered delegation, which must be presented at the time of accreditation.

**Article 59.**

The Organizing Committee of the Games, will assign, at least one Attachment for each of the participating delegations, in order to facilitate the relations between these bodies and the heads of delegation, in turn and depending on the number of members of the delegation is assigned the Attachments by sport discipline.

**CHAPTER XII**

**PREVENTION TO AVOID DOPING**

**Article 60**

The Organizing Committee and the participating countries will carry out actions of education, training and prevention of the use of substances that may harm the health of the athletes and their normal athletic performance.

### **CHAPTER XIII**

#### **PROTOCOL**

##### **Article 61.**

The call or invitation to participate in the game must be delivered or sent by the host country, (1) one year before the start of the games.

##### **Article 62.**

The protocol for the Opening, Closing and Award Ceremonies must be strictly complied with by the Organizing Committee and in coordination with the Executive Committee of the FISU America.

### **CHAPTER XIV**

#### **GENERAL DISPOSITION**

##### **Article 63.**

The organizing committee of the Games will deliver the memory of the Games to the participating countries, no later than three months after the Games are over.

##### **Article 64.**

Participation by country will be in accordance with the specific rules of each sport discipline, based on international regulations and according to the possibilities of each country.

##### **Article 65.**

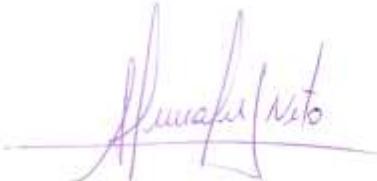
The member countries of FISU America, which have been honored when chosen to host the Games, are obliged to comply with everything stipulated in these general regulations and the specific rules of each sport.

**Article 66.**

The aspects that are not contemplated in the present regulation will be solved of the following way:

- a. Of a technical nature: by the organizing committee and the technical commission of the Games.
- b. Of another nature: by the Executive Committee of FISU America and their respective bodies.

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