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2024 Senior World Championships – May 19-23, 2024, Abu Dhabi (UAE)

I - INTRODUCTION

This selection procedure applies to the following weight classes:

Men (7)	Women (7)
Under 60 kg	Under 48 kg
Over 60 kg and under 66 kg	Over 48 kg and under 52 kg
Over 66 kg and under 73 kg	Over 52 kg and under 57 kg
Over 73 kg and under 81 kg	Over 57 kg and under 63 kg
Over 81 kg and under 90 kg	Over 63 kg and under 70 kg
Over 90 kg and under 100 kg	Over 70 kg and under 78 kg
Over 100 kg	Over 78 kg

The IJF allows each country a maximum quota of nine male and nine female athletes, with a maximum of two athletes per weight category.

II - ELIGIBILITY

- 1. Athletes must have Canadian citizenship and be a member in good standing with Judo Canada to be eligible for selection.
- 2. The eligibility standards (as defined in Policies 3, 4 and 5 of the National Team Handbook 2024 edition) must be achieved in the same weight class in which the athlete is selected to compete in the World Championships.
- 3. Athletes will need to meet the IJF quota of Top 100 in the Senior World Ranking list or Top 16 in the Junior World Ranking list in the weight category in which they are selected.

III - SELECTION PROCEDURE

SELECTION DATE: Accumulation of IJF ranking points and National Team standards for the selection concludes on April 1, 2024.

Athletes who have met one of the standards below (and whose standard is valid in a specific weight category as of the date of the 2024 World Championships), will be eligible for selection:

- 1. A standard;
- 2. B standard;
- 3. C standard with world ranking with a realistic chance to meet Olympic Qualification Quota.

All athletes who have met the eligibility criteria above will be ranked according to IJF world ranking list as of April 1, 2024. The athletes selected will be the highest-ranked athletes, as permitted by the IJF quotas for the men's and women's events.

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IV - FUNDING

Judo Canada provides funding only to those athletes who have achieved their National "A" Team standard at the time of the selection, in the order of priority defined in Policy 9.

V - TRAINING COMMITMENT

Judo Canada's High-Performance Director and Senior National Coach will design and lead the preparation program (competitions, camps, testing, and training requirements) for the 2024 World Championships. Meeting the requirements of the preparation program is a condition of selection and funding; failure to live up to the preparation program, as determined by the High-Performance Director, will result in withdrawal of selection. Such a recommendation must be supported by the High-Performance Committee.

VI - APPEALS TO SELECTION

Appeals to selection are limited to incorrect application of policy or procedures. In the case of an appeal, the <u>Appeal</u> <u>Policy of Judo Canada</u> applies.

VII - INJURY OF A TEAM MEMBER DURING PREPARATION PHASE

Athletes are required to report all performance-limiting injuries or medical operations that occur after their selection. An injured athlete that is unable to undergo full training, including regular scrimmage during the two-week period prior to departure, may be withdrawn from the team.

VIII - ALTERNATES

Judo Canada is under no obligation to select an alternate. Only athletes who meet standards, as described in the selections process above, may be named as an alternate.

IX - UNFORESEEN CIRCUMSTANCES

In the case of any unforeseen circumstances arising during the selection process, the High-Performance Committee of Judo Canada will rule on the course of action.

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