EUROPEAN WATER POLO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2028 MEN AND WOMEN

QUALIFICATION TOURNAMENT for EWPC DIVISION 1

KEY REQUIREMENTS

AREA	DETAILS
GENERAL	EVENT PLACE: EVENT DATES: 19 – 21 FEBRUARY 2027
FACILITIES	COMPETITION Competition pool according to World Aquatics minimum standards – FR 4.1/ FR 4.2. Warm-Up / Cool down indoor pool according to WA minimum standards – FR 4.1 Gym: free weights, cross training & weight equipment. Located within a 30-minute drive from the team hotels (including rush hour times). Competition venues minimum seating capacity must be 800. Team seating capacity must be provided. Light intensity over the pools shall not be less than 1500 Lux. TRAINING Training pool according to World Aquatics minimum standards; FR 4.1 Gym: free weights, cross training & weight equipment. Located within a 30-minute drive from the team hotels (including rush hour times). MEDIA & TV /STREAMING Covered seating written press minimum 20 people Media Centre and stands; provide positions for at least 80% of registered media, with high-speed Wi-Fi and power plugs. Mixed Zone: following EA Media and Marketing demands. TV & radio commentary positions (according to needs). Dedicated Media Manager to liaise with EA Media. Photo Manager, Photographer and Videographer for official coverage. Official Press Conference prior to the event. LOC to create a media plan for pre-event PR and event coverage, for all stakeholders. VIP - Seating capacity for approximately 30 guests. Adequate hospitality area (quality & size) next to VIP Tribune to accommodate EA & LOC guests.

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ACCOMMODATION & LOGISTICS	GENERAL Accommodation units (nights) will be granted by LOC to EA. In principle, the accommodation units will be used by EA as indicated below (see Team Hotels, Technical Committee, Technical Partners and EA hotels). EA can distribute them differently and according to its needs. TEAMS Number of accommodation units (nights) for team members in twin & single occupancy (federations' contribution) depends on the total number of teams. 3-star/4-star/5-star hotel standards. Accommodation and price range to be coordinated with EA. Full Board (breakfast, lunch, dinner) meals in buffet service, suitable for elite athletes, including dietary and vegan/vegetarian options. Extended meal timing schedule, according to the competition needs. Lunch boxes available upon request. Located within 30 minutes from the competition venue (including rush hour times). Free wi-fi service. Accommodation costs are covered by the National federations. DELEGATES AND REFEREES The total number of accommodation units (up to 30 nights) in a 4/5-star hotel standards depends on the number of days and the competition system. Extended meal schedule, according to the needs of the competition. Accommodation costs are covered by LOC. EUROPEAN AQUATICS The total number of accommodation units (up to 20 nights) in 4/5-star hotel standards depends on the number of days and the competition system for EA Bureau, EA WP department Staff, EA Media staff, Technical Committee members (TWPC, RDC, Technical Partners or any other event staff to be provided by EA in single occupancy. Mealtimes to be aligned with operations / competitions times. Office space and / or rooms for meetings, according to relevant requests. Accommodation costs are covered by LOC. AIR & GROUND TRANSPORTATION Airport with international connections; maximum 100km from the event venue. Shuttle service & dedicated cars according to EA needs.

OPERATIONS	TIMING & DATA HANDLING Provided by EA official supplier / partner. Additional cost to be covered by LOC. SPORTS PRESENTATION To be presented to EA for approval. Cost to be covered by LOC. BROADCAST / STREAMING Detailed broadcast/streaming guidelines / requirements will be provided to the LOC by EA in due course. LOC and the Host Broadcaster to ensure TV Production (number and types of cameras will be specified in the EA Broadcast / Streaming guidelines). TV Graphics to be provided by EA official supplier / partner (included in the cost for Timing & Data Handling). The cost to be covered by LOC. EA can offer to take over the broacast production responsibilities from the LOC against the covering of the production costs. EA will present a quote based on best possible market value of the service ahead of the event.
RIGHTS	REVENUE PRODUCING RIGHTS EA is the owner of all Revenue Producing Rights, such as ticketing rights, media rights, data rights, sponsorship/marketing rights, catering rights, merchandising rights, or any other rights to activities that can generate revenue in association with the event. EA will share select rights with the LOC. - As standard, the sponsor visibility associated with the event (Marketing Rights) such as LED space around the pool, branding on interview backdrops, etc. are shared 50/50 between the LOC and EA sponsors. - EA will reserve certain sponsorship categories on an exclusive basis - The LOC can utilise 100% of the ticketing rights. If EA appoints a ticketing supplier, the LOC will be obligated to cooperate with the appointed supplier, 100% of the profits from ticket sales will be forwarded to the LOC. - The LOC can utilise 100% of the catering rights, i.e. sales of food and beverages. - EA remains the owner of all Merchandising rights associated with the event. - EA retains exclusive Media Rights to the event, with the exception for the domestic market where the rights are co-exclusive with the LOC
MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS	According to the European Aquatics Medical Standards (Guidelines). Lifeguard on deck (during training and games). Physician (preferably Sports medicine) during the game at/near the jury table. Ambulance.

ASR	LOC to present their ASR implementation plan to EA, according to EA ASR guidelines for review and approval. Those guidelines will be provided to the LOC in due course.
ADMIN	COMMITMENTS Visas: LOC to ensure visa support for participants, team staff and officials. LOC to report regularly to EA on all aspects of the Event, according to the timeline set by EA.
FINANCIAL	FINANCIAL Daily allowance for EA Bureau members and EA Staff, TWPC and Medical Delegates, and Referees (up to 8 people). Travel costs for EA Bureau members and EA Staff, TWPC and Medical Delegates, and Referees (up to 8 people). Accommodation costs with full board treatment for EA Bureau members and EA Staff, TWPC and Medical Delegates, and Referees (up to 8 people).
LEGAL	AGREEMENT To be signed between EA, Member Federation and designated local authority (if applicable) for the specifics on the delivery of the Event.

By signing this document, our Federation [_____] officially submits an intent to host the Event, by accepting to meet the above-mentioned requirements. We also understand, accept and will follow the timeline set forth by European Aquatics.

Date _____

Name _____

Signature _____

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