



ISSF WORLD CUP FINAL
RIFLE/PISTOL/SHOTGUN
NEW DELHI, IND
13 - 18 OCT 2024

GENERAL INFORMATION

All information is available on the ISSF

websites: www.issf-sports.org / www.thenrai.in

1. Invitation

The invitation letter is attached to this General Information.

2. Dates and Schedule

Official Arrival	13 th OCTOBER 2024
Pre-Event Training	14 th OCTOBER 2024
Technical Meeting	14 th OCTOBER 2024
Competitions	15 th to 17 th OCTOBER 2024
Official Departure	18 th OCTOBER 2024

The Preliminary Competition Schedule is attached to this General Information. The Final Competition Schedule will be provided at the Technical Meeting.

3. Rules and Regulations

The ISSF World Cup Final will be conducted according to the actual ISSF Rules and Regulations – Detailed Information is available on the ISSF website www.issf-sports.org

NO ISSF World Ranking points will be distributed for the ISSF World Cup Final 2024.

ISSF Juries (Competition Jury, RTS Jury, Shotgun and Equipment Control Jury) will be designated by the ISSF to supervise the ISSF World Cup Final. Qualified Range Officials holding applicable ISSF licenses will conduct the competitions.

Rifle/Pistol Equipment

Equipment Control will be conducted according to ISSF Rules using approved, calibrated instruments. Pre-competition testing is not mandatory; however, athletes are responsible for competing with legal equipment and clothing. All athletes are urged to submit any doubtful equipment and clothing to Equipment Control for checking before the competition. subject to being selected for random post-competition testing and will be disqualified if their equipment or clothing is not legal according to ISSF Rules.

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Rifle Clothing

All rifle athletes must have ISSF seals with serial numbers on their jackets and trousers. Any rifle jackets or trousers that do not have ISSF seals must be submitted to Equipment Control for inspection and the affixing of a seal before the athlete's first competition. Jackets and trousers that were previously inspected and have an ISSF seal continue to be valid except that athletes with more than one jacket or trousers must report to Equipment Control before their first competition to confirm which jacket and which trousers they will use. All other seal numbers for that athlete will be cancelled. Athletes that wish to replace registered jacket or trousers with a new clothing item must bring that item to Equipment Control for inspection and a new seal. Previous seals will then be cancelled. Rifle athletes can have only one active jacket and trousers at any time.

Rifle Clothing Post-Competition Testing

If one panel of a rifle jacket or trousers tests 2.9 or lower, the stiffness device must be recalibrated, and the panel must be retested. If it fails again, but all other panels pass, the athlete will not be disqualified, but a written warning must be given to the athlete and the ISSF seal must be cut off. The athlete can continue wearing this clothing for that day of the event. If two or more panels fail, the athlete must be disqualified.

Air or CO2 Cylinders

It is the athlete's responsibility to ensure that any air or CO2 cylinder is still within its validity date. This may be checked by Equipment Control.

Shotgun Equipment

All skeet athletes must have ISSF seals with serial on their marker tapes. Any shooting vest that does not have ISSF seals on the marker tape must be submitted to Equipment Control for inspection and the affixing of a seal before the competition.

Equipment Control will be conducted according to ISSF Rules using approved, calibrated instruments. Pre-Competition testing is not mandatory; however, athletes are responsible for competing with legal equipment and clothing. All athletes are urged to submit any doubtful equipment and clothing to Equipment Control or the Shotgun Jury for checking before the competition. All athletes are subject to being selected for random testing during the competition. Athletes found to be in violation of the rules for guns or skeet marker tapes will be disqualified.

Cartridges Control

During Qualification, athletes whose cartridges are to be tested are selected by a computer draw. Two (2) plus four (4) cartridges will be selected from each athlete and placed in separate labeled envelopes. The two (2) cartridges must be tested. If both cartridges weigh 24.50 g and below, no further action will be taken. If one (1) or both cartridges weigh more than 24.50 g, then the four (4) cartridges in the second envelope must be tested. If the average of the six (6) cartridges weighs more than 24.50 g, then the athlete must be disqualified (DSQ).

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Before the Final, all six (6) finalists must be tested using the same procedure. The Finalist or their Coaches/Officials must bring, as early as possible, but not later than 30 minutes before the scheduled start of the Final (Reporting Time), all the cartridges that will be used during the Final and place them in separate Cartridges Control Boxes on the Finals field of play. The Finalists must report at least 30 minutes before the start of the Final. The Equipment Control Jury will take the necessary samples from the boxes. The boxes must be left and sealed under the supervision of a Shotgun Jury Member. Once ammunition is Placed in the box, only the Equipment Control Jury or the Finalist can remove ammunition from the box. If additional cartridges are brought to a Finalist during Finals, samples from those cartridges must also be selected for testing. All cartridges' controls must be completed before the start of the Presentation of the Finalists. Any disqualified (DSQ) athlete will not be allowed to participate in the Finals (there will be no elimination for 6th place; the first elimination will be for 5th place).

Colored Wads

Only transparent or translucent wads with no color may be used.

If an athlete uses ammunition that is not in accordance with Rule 9.4.3.1 a), then the athlete must be disqualified (DSQ).

4. Entry Process

Please complete the attached Registration Forms (Annex 1 –7) and return them by the established deadlines.

Please register your officials by using the ISSF Online Registration Service.

All other Registration Forms must be returned to the Organizing Committee (see also: “Summary of Deadlines”).

Entry Fee

No entry fees will be charged.

Unofficial Training Fees

The shooting range will be open for unofficial training with costs prior to the competition according to the competition schedule. The reservation for unofficial training should be made one (1) day before.

Range	Event	Fees	Unit
10m	Rifle/Pistol	EUR 10.00 per lane	1 hour
25m	Pistol	EUR 10.00 per lane	1 hour
25m	Rapid Fire Pistol	EUR 30.00 per group (5 targets)	1 hour
50m	Rifle/Pistol	EUR 10.00 per lane	1 hour
Shotgun	Trap/Skeet	EUR 10.00 per round	25 targets

Payments are to be made in EURO by cash at the Registration Office. Credit Cards are not accepted.

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5. Shooting Range

The ISSF World Cup will take place at the Dr. Karni Singh Shooting Ranges, Tughlakabad, New Delhi, India.

Address:

**Dr. Karni Singh Shooting Ranges
Surajkund Road, Tughlakabad
New Delhi, Delhi 110044,
India**

Rifle/Pistol

The shooting range is equipped as follows:

Range	Description
10m hall	80 firing points, electronic targets, SIUS AG
25m range	50 firing points (10 groups); electronic targets, SIUS AG
50m range	80 firing points, electronic targets, SIUS AG
Finals hall	10 firing points, electronic targets, SIUS AG

The firing direction of the 25m and 50m range is north.

Shotgun

The shooting range has five (5) combined ranges for Trap / Skeet and one (1) separate range for dry firing and gun testing.

The shooting range is equipped with Laporte machines and acoustic release system.

The Skeet ranges operate with acoustic release system.

All ranges are equipped with electronic scoreboards.

The firing direction of the shooting range is north.

The targets used for the ISSF World Cup Final are Euro target, standard orange for the Qualification and flash orange for the Final.

6. Immigration and Customs Requirements

VISA

THERE IS NO PROVISION OF “VISA ON ARRIVAL” IN INDIA!

VISA Support Form (Annex 5) will be provided by the Organizing Committee for the Championship. Participants who need VISA support letter are kindly requested to complete VISA Support Form and return it to the Organizing Committee not later than **12th September 2024**. Please submit the form fully completed, signed and stamped by the federation. Please do not change the forms and do not use other forms. Incomplete or incorrect forms will be returned, unprocessed.

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As per immigration laws in India, visa for participants from (1) Afghanistan, (2) Iraq, (3) Pakistan, (4) Sudan, (5) Foreigners of Pakistan origin and (6) Stateless persons can be issued only after Ministry of Home (MHA) clearance. Therefore, online application for Visa must be made at least 60 days in advance by the participants of these countries. **Further, ISSF Member Federations from these countries should send information about participants in the following format at least 60 days in advance to facilitate visa process:**

S. NO	NAME	FATHER/HUSBAND'S NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	NATIONALITY & PASSPORT NUMBER	DATE OF ISSUE	PLACE OF ISSUE	DATE OF EXPIRY	ONLINE VISA APPLICATION NUMBER	ADDRESS IN COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE

Note: All fields are mandatory

If the number of participants from/above mentioned countries is more than 15, the information should be provided in soft copy (in excel) (.xls format) also.

Applications/list of participants from the above-mentioned countries not submitted in time are liable to be summarily rejected.

Gun Permits

All athletes must declare the firearms and ammunition to be brought into India and return to the Organizing Committee the Firearm and Ammunition Form (Annex 6) no later than **12th September 2024**. Please submit the form fully completed, signed and stamped by the federation.

Please do not change the forms and do not use other forms. Incomplete or incorrect forms will be returned, unprocessed.

On arrival at airport, the participants must produce Annex 6 (in triplicate) to the Custom authorities for verification of firearms and ammunition.

All participating federations are advised to book their flight directly to Indira Gandhi International Airport, New Delhi. Reception and clearance of guns and ammunition will **ONLY** be arranged at the Indira Gandhi International Airport, New Delhi.

7. Accommodation

Official Hotel

The Organizing Committee will offer free accommodation and food to all participating athletes and one (1) coach or official of each participating ISSF Member Federation, on the official days of the ISSF World Cup Final (maximum 5 nights). The cost of any additional nights must be covered by the respective ISSF Member Federation.

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Athletes and Officials together (according to gender distribution) will be accommodated in double rooms, except in cases of odd number of participants where single room(s) will be allocated.

If guests – allocated in a double room – request two single rooms, then they will have to cover the difference of the price between the double and the 2 single rooms which is **EURO 130 for Bed & Breakfast / Euro 145 for Half Board** per night to be paid to the Organizing Committee.

The Hotel accommodation for any **additional** Team Official or Media person is not covered by the Organizing Committee. Additional rooms at the **TAJ Hotel** can be booked through the Organizing Committee at the following rates:

Single room with breakfast	Euro 160
Double room with breakfast	Euro 180
Single room half board	Euro 175
Double room half board	Euro 210

Please, use the relevant forms and make reservation not later than **12th September 2024**.

Payments for accommodation for extra nights and/or extra Officials must be made to the Organizing Committee that will provide a pro-forma invoice upon reception of the Final Hotel Reservation Form.

100% advanced payment for accommodation must be made to the Organizing Committee.

All bank fees are at the participants' expense.

PAYMENT TERMS

50% ADVANCE BEFORE 12th September 2024

BALANCE 50% BEFORE 22nd September 2024

Payment should be paid by wire transfer to:

Beneficiary Name : National Rifle Association of India
Beneficiary Bank : AXIS BANK LTD.
Branch : DEFENCE COLONY NEW DELHI - 110024
Account No. : 918010052524164
Swift Code : AXISINBB357
IFSC Code : UTIB0000357

Food Service at the Shooting Range

Lunch for all participating athletes and one (1) coach or official of each participating ISSF Member

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Federation, on the official days of the ISSF World Cup Final, will be provided free of charge, at the shooting range from 14th to 17th October 2024

Dinner for all participating athletes and one (1) coach or official of each participating ISSF Member Federation, on the official days of the ISSF World Cup Final, will be provided free of charge, at the official hotel.

Medical Services

During the competition a medical service will be provided.

8. Travel and Transportation

Travel-Arrival and Departure

Participating federations will be met and facilitated on arrival at Indira Gandhi International Airport, New Delhi. Teams will then clear immigration and security controls.

The Organizing Committee will arrange an airport pick-up/transfer service free of charge during the days of the World Cup Final **from 13th to 18th October 2024** and participants are requested to submit the arrival and departure details on time (completed official Final Travel Form –**Annex 2**). **In case of early arrival, the pick-up service can be arranged at a charge. Kindly note that assistance at the airport for the firearms will be granted free of charge regardless of the arrival date.**

Storage of Firearms and Ammunition

While in India, all guns and ammunition must be stored in the armory at the shooting range. Delegations are advised that all teams and individuals/groups arriving separately should carry a signed and stamped copy of the Firearm and Ammunition Form (Annex 6) while both entering and departing India. The storage of guns and ammunition in hotel and outside the shooting range is strictly prohibited. Armory will be open to facilitate the arrival of official teams until departure.

Ammunition

The following ammunition will be available at the Shooting Ranges:

.22 Eley Tenex Rifle	–	24.00 EURO for a box of 50 cartridges
.22 Eley Tenex Pistol	–	24.00 EURO for a box of 50 cartridges
RWS R10 Air Pellets	–	15.00 EURO for one tin of 500 pellets
RC4 Trap/Skeet	–	20.00 EURO for a box of 25 cartridges
Fiocchi Trap/Skeet	–	20.00 EURO for a box of 25 cartridges

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9. Ceremonies

The Opening Ceremony will be held at Hotel TAJ on 14th October 2024, from 6 PM onwards.

There will be no Closing Ceremony.

Victory Ceremony

The Victory Ceremonies will take place at the shooting range / Finals Hall immediately after the end of each Final. (see also: Final Competition Schedule).

During the ceremonies the athletes are required to present themselves in their official national uniform or national tracksuits (tops and bottoms).

Flags and Anthems

All teams must bring one (1) copy of their national anthem (Pen Drive) and three (3) national flags (1x2m) and deposit them with the Organizing Committee during the team registration process

10. Technical Meeting

The Technical Meeting will take place on 14th September 2024, at the Finals Hall.

Each participating ISSF Member Federation is kindly requested to have at least one representative present at the Technical Meeting to receive updated information regarding Final Competition and Training Schedules, draw procedures and other important issues related to the ISSF World Cup Final. The time of the meeting will be confirmed after the Final Entry Deadline.

11. Doping Control Tests

The Organizing Committee will conduct Doping Controls Tests according to the ISSF Anti-Doping Rules under the supervision of the ISSF Technical Delegate.

12. Weather Information

Temperatures during the period range from 24°C to 33°C. Average sunlight is 12 hours/day.

13. Media Relations

All Media representatives must register for the ISSF World Cup Final by using the Media Accreditation Form (Annex 7). Media Room and Press Conference rooms will be provided separately for the media persons. Mr. Somit Biswas will be liaison officer. The email of Mr. Somit Biswas is somit.biswas@gmail.com

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All Finals will be covered by ISSF TV and will be displayed on the ISSF website www.issf-sports.org.

14. Industry Service

Adequate arrangements will be available for firearm and equipment repair services.

15. Annexes

All necessary Registration Forms are attached to this General Information.

16. Summary of Deadlines

The Summary of Deadlines is as under:

Forms	Description	Deadline	Send to
Annex 1	Final Entry Form - Officials	12 SEP 2024	http://entry.issf-sports.info
Annex 3	Final Hotel Reservation – Athletes and Officials		wcfnewdelhi2024@gmail.com
Annex 3	Final Hotel Reservation – Additional Official/Media		wcfnewdelhi2024@gmail.com
Annex 2	Final Travel Form		wcfnewdelhi2024@gmail.com
Annex 4	Final Rooming List		wcfnewdelhi2024@gmail.com
Annex 5	Visa Support Form		wcfnewdelhi2024@gmail.com
Annex 6	Firearm and Ammunition Form		wcfnewdelhi2024@gmail.com
Annex 7	Media Accreditation Form		wcfnewdelhi2024@gmail.com

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