

SUMMARY EXPLANATION OF KEY TERMS USED IN THE ATHLETICS NZ 2023 BUDAPEST WORLD ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS SELECTION POLICY

In the event there are any inconsistencies between this Summary Explanation of Key Terms and the Athletics NZ 2023 Budapest World Athletics Championships Selection Policy, the Athletics NZ 2023 Budapest World Athletics Championships Selection Policy shall prevail.

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| Selection Philosophy | <i>Clause 1.3 i - ii</i> | Athletes deemed capable of performing at a truly world class level and with distinction at the Championships. |
| Conditions of Selection | <i>Clause 3.1 a - i</i> | <p>Top Level Conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a Registered member of Athletics NZ when achieving a performance that counts towards selection; and • Achieve a WA Entry Standard; and/or • Achieve performances that rank you on the WA Road to Budapest Rankings site at the relevant level i.e., Top 38 for First time/Emerging athletes or Top 30 for Returning established athletes. |
| Conditional Selections | <i>Clause 4.0</i> | All athletes remain conditionally selected until the Final Selection Announcement. Athletes must be able to be entered in accordance with the 2023 WCs Qualification System and have met any other conditions imposed upon athletes that the Selectors may determine. |
| Qualification Periods | <i>Clause 4.1 a - c</i> | There are three different dates of qualification periods to pay attention to. The WA qualification periods, the Athletics NZ qualification periods and the Athletics NZ extension qualification period. |
| Initial Conditional Selection Triggers | <i>Clause 4.2 - 4.3</i> | <p><u>First time/Emerging athletes</u> – tracking positively to achieving a Top 16 placing at the WC or Olympics AND ranked in the Top 38 on the Road to Budapest by Wednesday 5 April 2023.</p> <p><u>Returning established athletes</u> – demonstrated they are capable of achieving a Top 16 placing at the WC AND ranked in the Top 30 on the Road to Budapest by Wednesday 5 April 2023.</p> |
| Final Selection Triggers | <i>Clause 4.5 - 4.6</i> | <p>Those athletes that have been conditionally selected and have met their conditions.</p> <p>Those athletes who have been granted an exceptional circumstances extension and have met the selection policy requirements.</p> |
| Oceania Area Champions | <i>Clause 4.7</i> | Having won the 2022 Oceania Area Championships does not make an athlete automatically eligible to be considered for selection for Budapest. |

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| Extenuating Circumstances Extension | <i>Clause 4.11</i> | <u>Extenuating Circumstances</u> are generally something that has directly impacted an athlete's performance at a meet. For example, this could be, injury, recent bereavement, etc. Choosing to be based overseas is not an Extenuating Circumstances. An athlete should notify the <u>Convenor</u> as soon as an Extenuating Circumstance is identified but no later than 7 days after. |
| Exceptional Circumstances Extension | <i>Clause 4.14</i> | An <u>Exceptional Circumstances Extension</u> is for an external factor that is generally outside the control of the athlete. This extension may be granted at the discretion of the <u>Convenor</u> . Due by 5pm Sunday 30 April 2023. |
| Top 16 Capability for Individual Events | <i>Clause 4.15 a - f</i> | An athlete's performance record during the 2023 WA Qualification Period needs to be of a sufficient quality and depth to demonstrate that the athlete will be competitive at the 2023 WCs and perform creditably in their event. Performance record against their key rival competitors, performance trajectory over the last 3 years, proven ability to perform in championship conditions. It is solely for the Selectors to agree how they interpret and determine Top 16 capability in implementing the Policy. |
| Seeking Permission to Start in an Additional Event | <i>Clause 4.16 - 4.17</i> | Send a request to the ANZ-HP Director <u>Scott Newman</u> no later than Friday 30 June 2023. |
| Additional Selection Considerations | <i>Clause 4.8 - 4.10</i> | In any decision regarding the selection of athletes for the 2023 WCs team, the Selectors may, in their sole discretion, also take into account any extenuating circumstances. |
| Entry requirements | <i>Clause 5.1 - 5.7</i> | World Athletics eligibility, nationality and participation requirements |
| Compulsory Selection Competitions | <i>Clause 6.1 - 6.7</i> | There are Compulsory Selection Competitions for all events aside from the Marathon, 10,000m and Race Walks. If an athlete cannot attend or have medical rationale for a sub-optimal performance(s) at the competition, they should contact the <u>Convenor</u> as soon as they become aware of such circumstance. |
| Initial Selection Announcement | <i>Clause 7</i> | Will be published by 5pm Friday 14 April 2023 |
| Final Selection Announcement | <i>Clause 7</i> | Will be published by 5pm Sunday 6 August 2023 |

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| Conditional Selection Queries and Appeals process | <i>Clause 8.1 - 8.3</i> | Contact the Convenor and seek understanding. Lodge a non selection appeal no later than 48-hour period (2 business days) after the announcement is published on the website, to the CEO of Athletics NZ Pete Pfitzinger . |
| Pre-Entry Proof of Fitness | <i>Clause 9.1 - 9.3</i> | Prior to the commencement of the 2023 Budapest World Athletics Championships a “Poof of Fitness” requirement will be agreed and confirmed with the 2023 WCs Team Leader in consultation with the athlete and their coach. |
| General Information | <i>Clause 10.1 - 10.8</i> | This Selection Policy may be amended at any time prior to the Final Selection Announcement. Any amendments will be published on the Athletics NZ website. |
| World Athletics Entry Standards | <i>Schedule 1</i> | These are the Entry Standards that World Athletics have set. Achieving an Entry Standard within the Athletics NZ Qualification Period makes an athlete eligible to be considered for selection. |

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