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II. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Vietnam country profile

Geography
Vietnam is situated towards the eastern part of the Indochinese Peninsula. The geographic coordinates of Vietnam consist of latitude 102º 08' - 109º 28' east and longitude 8º 02' - 23º 23' north. Its borders are with China in the north, Laos and Cambodia in the west and Eastern Sea in the east.

Weather
Vietnam is located in the tropical and temperate zone with high temperature and humidity all year round. Vietnam's different regions have different climates and the climate changes by season and by region from lowlands to highlands, from North to South and from East to West.

There are two major climate regions in Vietnam. Northern Vietnam has a tropical monsoon climate with four distinguishable seasons (spring, summer, autumn and winter). Southern Vietnam has a rather moderate tropical climate given the weak influence of monsoons and is characterized by dry and rainy seasons and warm weather all year round.

Climate
The average temperature in Vietnam varies between 21°C and 27°C and increases from the North to the South. In summer, the average temperature is 25°C (Hà Nội 23°C, Đà Nẵng 25°C, Ho Chi Minh City 26°C). In winter, temperature in the North reaches the lowest in December and January.

Culture
The culture of Vietnam is agricultural civilization based on wet rice cultivating. The culture has been influenced by neighboring China due to long historical relations. One characteristic of Vietnamese culture is filial duty in the families. Education and self-betterment are highly valued. Vietnam has an age-long and special culture that is closely attached to the history of the formation and development of the nation.

Vietnam has 54 ethnicities living across the country and each ethnicity has its own cultural colour, thus, the Vietnamese culture is a diversified unification.

Population
The total population in Vietnam was last recorded at 90.7 million people in 2014. Vietnam is a multi-nationality country with 54 ethnic groups. The Viet (Kinh) people account for 87% of the country’s population.

Languages
The official spoken and written language of Vietnam is Vietnamese, various other languages are spoken by several minority groups in Vietnam. English, French, Russian and Chinese are widely spoken.

Monetary unit
The monetary unit of Vietnam is Dong (VND). The currency exchange is approximately 1 US dollar = 22,000 VND. Most foreign currencies are easily changed at airports, banks, hotels or money changers.
2. Danang

Danang in brief

Danang, the host city of the 5th Asian Beach Games is located in the central part of Vietnam with a coastline 30 kilometers long, famous for many beautiful beaches stretching from the North to the South.

Danang is one of the largest tourist destinations in the country, and located in the central point of three World Cultural Heritage Sites in Central Vietnam including My Son Holy Land, Hoi An Ancient Town and Hue Citadel.

Geography

Danang is situated in the centre of Vietnam, 764km from Ha Noi and 964km from Ho Chi Minh City. It lies on the north-south transport axis of land, rail, sea and air routes.

The city has a natural land area of 1,283.42km², comprising 241.51km² of urban districts and 1,041.91 km² of rural districts.

Climate

Danang is located in the zone of typical tropical monsoon, temperate and equable climate. There are two seasons: the wet from August to December and the dry season from January to July.

Average temperature is about 26°C, the highest is 28-30°C in June - August. The average humidity is 83.4%; highest in October - November the average of 85.67 to 87.67%.

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Danang is on the North-South axis of roads, railways, waterways and airlines.
* Road: National Highways 1A and 14B run through the city, providing road connections to Hanoi in the north and Ho Chi Minh City in the south, as well as the Central Highlands and Laos to the west.

* Railway: Danang station is located in the center of city. The trans-Vietnam railway from Lang Son to Ho Chi Minh City goes through Danang. Danang is a major station along the North-South Railway, also known as the Reunification Express.

* Waterway: Tien Sa is one of the largest deep-water ports in central Vietnam. This is an international seaport receiving big vessels and is an excellent harbour located in a wonderful position.

* Airline: Danang International Airport, located at the center of the city, is the third largest international airport in Vietnam. It is an important gateway to access central of Vietnam. The airport has domestic connections to Ha Noi, Ho Chi Minh City, Hai Phong, Da Lat, Nha Trang, Buon Ma Thuot, Vinh, Can Tho and Pleiku, as well as international connections to China (Guangzhou, Kunming, Chengdu, Xian...), Siem Reap (Cambodia), Singapore, Korea (Incheon, Busan), Kuala Lumpur (Malaysia), Macau, Hong Kong and Narita (Japan).

3. The 5th Asian Beach Games in brief

The Asian Beach Games is a multi-sport event held every two years among athletes representing 45 National Olympic Committees from Asia. The Games is regulated by the Olympic Council of Asia. The Asian Beach Games celebrates cooperation and unity despite differences. Athletes from a wide variety of nations are able to travel, meet new people, and bring back memories about the rest of the world to their home nations. The Asian Beach Games forge unity and friendship between their member nations by joining athletes, trainers, and officials together. The 5th Asian Beach Games is to be held in Vietnam by 2016. The Olympic Council of Asia (OCA), the highest governing body of sports in Asia, has awarded the right to Vietnam to host the 5th Asian Beach Games during the 16th Guangzhou Asian Games in November, 2010.

The 5th Asian Beach Games is being pegged as the biggest ever in terms of the number of sports and participants that will revel in the pristine beaches of Danang - coming into mind the sea, sun and sand - these attributes make Danang a complete sporting destination that offers a lot beyond its beauty. Visitors to Danang will be welcome with the warm and beautiful smiles of its people, and will definitely be smitten by the distinct charm of the City.

Games Emblem

- The 5th Asian Beach Games emblem is designed to simulate waves and sand in the shape of young, healthy and dynamic athletes performing sports (volleyball, handball) with the symbol of the Olympic Council of Asia inside.

- With the power and strength of sports, all parts of the logo rise up to form a big V shape (which means “Vietnam”, “Victory”, “V”- the fifth in Greek symbol...) that affirm the role of the host country, highlight the competition spirit as well as the athletes’ aspirations of winning.
The combination between the sea and the sand waving together reflects the strength and strong will of Vietnam Sports as well as carries the message of friendliness and welcome to all sport delegations; represents the solidarity and friendship of the Asian family with the expectation of a successful 5th Asian Beach Games.

**Games Mascots:**

- The 5th Asian Beach Games Mascot is swiftlet, a special characteristic of the coastal Central South of Vietnam which is famous for bird nests - a high economic value product in general and a specialty of Danang in particular.

- The mascot is a stylized boy with funny hair on top of the head, small V-shaped tail (a characteristic of swiftlet), holding a lighted torch which represents solidarity, peace and vitality of mankind. The sun of the Olympic Council of Asia and the traditional waves on the outfit of the Mascot symbolize the Asian Beach Games.

The colors used for the Mascot are blue, red, black and yellow which represent blue sea, yellow sand and the bird’s feathers. The Mascot with childish, lovely and innocent facial expression, simple shape and various colors is expected to touch people’s hearts and easily to become a popular souvenir.

**Slogan of the Games**

**SHINING SEA, BRIGHT FUTURE**

“Shining” means the glory that gathers and spreads from the sea. It also looks like the sunshine, with gentle and intense moments, representing an exciting beach sports event taking place in the Asia. It highlights a dynamic and strong growing Asia with the power to inspire the world in not only sport but also the socio-economy of the continent for the development in the future.

The slogan conveys a message from Vietnam to the world about a beautiful Vietnam with glorious sunshine, blue sea, white sand, friendly and hospitable people that always express their solidarity and integration together in a peaceful world for a bright future.
## 4. Competition Program for the 5th Asian Beach Games 2016

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IV. COMPETITION TECHNICAL INFORMATION

1. Dates

Kurash competition for the 5th Asian Beach Games 2016 will be held in Danang, Vietnam from September 25th to 27th, 2016.

2. Competition Venue

The 5th Asian Beach Games will be held along Vo Nguyen Giap and Truong Sa coastline Road, Danang city, which is divided into 4 main competition sections.

Kurash competition venues are located in the Section 1 at Bien Dong Park beach, Danang city.

3. Events

Kurash competition will consist of 10 individual category men & women

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Each participating NOC may enter maximum two (2) athletes per category.
Maximum number of athletes for each National Olympic Committee: 10 men and 10 women

4. Competition Management

4.1 Technical Delegate: Mr. Mohammad Reza (ray) Nassiri Nejad
Email: rnassiri2000@yahoo.com

4.2 Competition Manager: Mr. Nguyen Huu An
Email: vietnamkurash@gmail.com

5. Competition Schedule

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6. **General Rules and Regulations**

Kurash competition of the 5th Asian Beach Games will be conducted in accordance with the latest version of International Kurash Association (IKA) rules.

7. **Eligibility**

7.1 Only OCA member NOCs are entitled to send athletes to participate in the 5th Asian Beach Games.

7.2 The 5th Asian Beach Games competition is reserved only for those athletes affiliated international sports federations.

7.3 All athletes participating in the 5th Asian Beach Games should be in conformity with OCA Constitution eligibility rules.

7.4 Each athlete must possess an International Competitor’s Medical License; valid through 2016. The medical examinations should be carried out in the competitor’s home country before taking part in the 5th Asian Beach Games.

8. **Entries**

8.1 Entries of each participating NOC must be submitted in accordance with the regulations laid-out by DABGOC.

8.2 Deadline for Entry by number (Preliminary): Each participating OCA member NOC must submit Entry by number to DABGOC by 24:00hrs Vietnam local time (GMT +7) by 30 April, 2016.

8.3 Deadline for Entry by name (final): The Entry by name must be received by DABGOC no later than 30 June, 2016 at 24:00hrs Vietnam local time (GMT +7). The completed Entry by name must be submitted for each athlete and include all necessary information. Original form must be presented during the Delegation Registration Meeting (DRM).

NOC may make changes or submit amended Entry by name up to and including the day of deadline, but no such amendments will be permitted after the deadline.

8.4 Both Entry by number and Entry by name may be sent by fax and subsequently confirmed with stamped original by posting to the following address:

5th Asian Beach Games Organizing Committee
Technical & Sports Sub Committee
8.5 Any late entries will be decided by OCA for acceptance or rejection.

NOCs that withdraw their athletes after the submission of the final entries by name will be faced with disciplinary action by the OCA.

9. Technical Meeting

Technical Delegate and Technical Officials Meeting will be held at on 24th September 2016.

General Technical Meeting of Team Managers/Coaches will be held on 24th September 2016.

10. International Technical Officials

10.1 All International Technical Officials including the technical delegates will be proposed by the ISF or ASF and approved by OCA. OCA reserves the right to propose to the ASF or ISF to change any international technical official with justified reason.

10.2 All the international technical officials should have international recognition.

10.3 All National technical official and competition officials will be proposed by the NSF and approved by DABGOC.

11. Protests and Appeals

11.1 All technical protests should be carried out according to ISF or ASF procedures. A jury will be established by the ISF or ASF including representatives of OCA and the organizing committee.

11.2 Appeal against the Jury's decision can be brought to CAS

12. Equipment and Clothing

12.1 The equipment used in the competition and clothes worn by the athletes and officials must comply with the rules and regulations of the OCA first then with ISF regulations.

12.2 Each team must possess two different color sets of playing jerseys;

13. Penalties in Case of Fraud

A competitor proven to have fraudulently transgressed the Rules and Regulations of the Games shall be disqualified and lose any position he/she may have gained. If this competitor's member organization is proven to have been a party to the fraud, his/her NOC may be disqualified in the sport involved, by decision of OCA.

14. Doping Control/Gender Verification

14.1 Doping Control during the 5th Asian Beach Games will be conducted in accordance with OCA Anti- Doping Rules.

14.2 Gender Verification tests may be carried out in accordance with the OCA Constitution and Rules.
15. Victory Ceremony

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the athletes ranked top three of each event respectively.

Fifteen minutes before the Victory Ceremony starts, the medalists shall be escorted to the Waiting Area to get ready for the ceremony. Medalists must wear their NOC official uniforms.

16. Media Interview

All athletes should pass through the Mixed Zone. Athletes and/or coaches should attend press conferences and interviews when requested.

17. Sport Information Center (SIC)

All sports information will be available at the sport information desks at the competition venue.

18. Approval of the Technical Handbook

This Technical Handbook was approved by Kurash Confederation of Asian.

19. General Clause

Changes or revisions may be made after publication of this Technical Handbook. For reference and guidance, appropriate updates will be disseminated through the NOC.

V. VENUES MAP