



## **Guideline on Refugee Athlete For Continental Qualification Tournament Paris 2024 Olympic Games**

1. The eligible refugee athlete must have official refugee status before the entry deadline of the pertinent continental qualification tournament, meaning that an athlete whose status is in process of examination will not be accepted to compete.
  2. The refugee certificate issued by either governmental authorities of current residing country or the UNHCR will only be accepted.
  3. In addition to the certificate, official endorsement letter from MNA of current residing country must be presented.
  4. The refugee athletes must have either qualified to international standards in the recent past or have the potential to reach Olympic standard which shall be determine by one of following criteria:
    - Be a medal winner (1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> places) at any of the G ranked senior kyorugi competitions enlisted on the WT event calendar between June 1, 2022 and May 1, 2024.
    - Be ranked within 20<sup>th</sup> place at least once in the WT World Ranking between June 1, 2022 and May 1, 2024.
    - Have advanced to round of 16 or higher at WT World Taekwondo Championships between June 1, 2022 and May 1, 2024.
    - Have advanced to quarter-finals or higher at two-year cycle Continental Taekwondo Championships held between June 1, 2022 and May 1, 2024.
    - Be the 1<sup>st</sup> place of national taekwondo championships held between June 1, 2022 and May 1, 2024.
- \*\* In case the athlete currently resides in a refugee camp, he/she can be exempted from article 3 & 4.**
5. To register the refugee athlete, the abovementioned required documents shall be submitted to the WT Sport & Event Management Department (sport@worldtaekwondo.org)

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