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Invitation to

Part of the HSBC BWF World Tour Super 1000

**09<sup>TH</sup> JAN – 14<sup>TH</sup> JAN 2024**

PRIZE MONEY: US\$ 1,300,000

**AXIATA ARENA**

KL SPORTS CITY, KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA





Dear Members,

The PETRONAS Malaysia Open provides the best possible curtain-raiser to the 2024 badminton season. The BWF Super 1000 event will be hotly contested as the world's best players aim to kick-start their year with a bang.

This year's Malaysia Open holds even more appeal for players as they race against the clock to secure precious qualifying points for the Paris Olympic Games. With the Games on the horizon and the qualifying period closing in April, competition will be intense as players vie for these crucial points.

While the Malaysia Open, among the most eagerly awaited events on the HSBC BWF World Tour, always brings out the best in players, this upcoming event will have that added incentive. For fans, the millions watching live on global TV networks, and those tuning in from home, expect action-packed battles throughout the tournament at the Axiata Arena.

As always, BAM has left no stone unturned and taken all necessary preparations to ensure a successful Malaysia Open. The Organising Committee and BAM officials have worked tirelessly round the clock for the past few months, collaborating with relevant authorities to ensure the event runs smoothly. All the requirements and needs of the teams and players have been meticulously managed, and we eagerly await their arrival on our shores in January 2024.

The support and assistance from various parties have been absolutely critical to organizing this tournament. On behalf of BAM, I wish to express my sincere thanks and gratitude to the Government of Malaysia, the Badminton World Federation (BWF), our main sponsor, PETRONAS, government agencies, local authorities, sponsors, media and all others who have lent their support.

In the spirit of celebration, BAM also extends its warmest congratulations to PETRONAS on their 50th anniversary. This milestone is a testament to their enduring commitment and contribution to our nation.

BAM is highly appreciative of the advice and guidance from the Minister of Youth and Sports, YB Hannah Yeoh, who, along with the officials from her ministry, has been enormously supportive of this tournament.

I want to record my heartfelt thanks to the BAM Council, the Organising Committee Chairman, and his members, as well as the BAM Secretariat for their unwavering commitment, dedication, and tireless work for this tournament.





BAM wishes all the participating players, from both abroad and Malaysia, the very best in the PETRONAS Malaysia Open. For the players aiming to qualify for the Olympics, go all out and keep your dreams of playing in Paris on track.

Thank you.

**TAN SRI DATO' SRI (DR.) MOHAMAD NORZA ZAKARIA**  
BAM & Olympic Council of Malaysia (OCM) President



## 1. General Details

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| <b>Organizer</b>         | <p>Badminton Association of Malaysia ( BAM )<br/>Jalan 1 / 70D, Bukit Kiara Sport Complex,<br/>60000 Bukit Kiara,<br/>Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.</p> <p>T: +603-2011 2655<br/>E: <a href="mailto:events@bam.org.my">events@bam.org.my</a> W: <a href="http://www.bam.org.my">www.bam.org.my</a></p>  |
| <b>Sanction</b>          | Badminton World Federation  |
| <b>Date</b>              | Tuesday, 09 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2024 to Sunday, 14 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2024   |
| <b>Competition Venue</b> | <p>AXIATA ARENA<br/>KL Sports City, Bukit Jalil,<br/>57000 Kuala Lumpur<br/>Malaysia</p>  |
| <b>Media Links</b>       | <p>  @Badminton Association of Malaysia- BAM            BA Malaysia<br/>  @BA_Malaysia            @BA_Malaysia         </p> |
| <b>Referee Team</b>      | <p><b>Referee:</b><br/>Nicos Vladimirov (CYP) /<br/>Email: nicosv@cytanet.com.cy</p> <p><b>Deputy Referees:</b><br/>Pencho Stoyanov (BUL) /<br/>Email: p.stoyanov63@gmail.com</p> <p>Jayashree S. Nair (BRN) /<br/>Email: jsrn2006@gmail.com</p> <p><b>Local Deputy Referee:</b><br/>Teo Kian Joo (MAS) /<br/>Email: teokj@yahoo.com</p>  |
| <b>Useful Contacts</b>   | <p>Organizer Support:<br/>E: <a href="mailto:events@bam.org.my">events@bam.org.my</a></p> <p>Accreditation Support:<br/>E: <a href="mailto:accreditation@bam.org.my">accreditation@bam.org.my</a></p> <p>Practice Requests:<br/>E: <a href="mailto:kaathik.s@bam.org.my">kaathik.s@bam.org.my</a></p> <p>Transport Requests:<br/>E: <a href="mailto:transportation@bam.org.my">transportation@bam.org.my</a></p>  |

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|   | <p>Team Liaison Officer (Airport Arrival)<br/>Mobile: +6012 – 298 9184 (Mr Razali)</p> <p>Media Enquiries:<br/>E: <a href="mailto:media@bam.org.my">media@bam.org.my</a></p> <p>Accommodation Support:<br/>E: <a href="mailto:suriatie.s@bam.org.my">suriatie.s@bam.org.my</a></p> <p>Visa Support:<br/>E: <a href="mailto:visa@bam.org.my">visa@bam.org.my</a></p>   |
| <p><b>Insurance coverage</b></p>                                      | <p>Players and all members of the national delegation shall hold valid insurance for damages of any nature caused to third parties. Such insurance shall cover bodily injury, including medical and hospitalisation expenses incurred in the host country, as well as all expenses and costs associated to repatriating the injured party to its country of residence.</p>  |
| <p><b>Indemnity</b></p>   | <p>To the extent permitted by applicable law, all players and members of the national delegation shall release the BWF, the Tournament Organiser, and their respective officers, officials, employees, agents and representatives, from any and all liability, damage, loss, cost or expense that such players and members of the national delegation may incur as a result or in connection with their participation to the Tournament.</p>  |
| <p><b>Participant Agreement for Use of Photographs and Videos</b></p> | <p>Players and all members of the national delegation shall agree to give the BWF and the Tournament Organiser full television and motion picture rights, including permission to film players and members of the national delegation during all matches and activities around the Tournament, for any commercial, news or other purpose together with the right to transfer such right, including without compensation.</p>  |
| <p><b>Deadlines</b></p>   | <p>Accommodation Request Form: <b>Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023</b><br/>         Accreditation Request Form: <b>Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec 2023</b><br/>         Media Accreditation Request Form: <b>Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023</b><br/>         Practice Request Form: <b>Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023</b><br/>         Transport Request Form: <b>Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024</b><br/>         Visa Invitation Letter Request Form: <b>Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec 2023</b></p> |

## 2. Entry Details

| <b>Regulations<br/>(Conditions of Play)</b>  | <p>This tournament will be run in accordance with, but not limited to, the Badminton World Federation (BWF) Statutes, General Competition Regulations (GCR), and BWF World Tour Regulations. In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final.</p> <p>This tournament will strictly enforce the Clothing, Equipment, and Advertising Regulations as outlined in the BWF GCR 20 – 24. This includes restrictions of certain colours for shirts, shorts, and skirts to avoid issues with virtual advertising on TV courts, as per GCR 21.7.</p>  |                       |                              |  |                           |  |                         |  |                           |  |                          |  |                          |                  |                           |
|--|---|-----------------------|------------------------------|--|---------------------------|--|-------------------------|--|---------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Scoring System</b>                        | <p>Best of three games to 21 points, as per the Laws of Badminton (BWF Statute 4.1)</p>   |                       |                              |  |                           |  |                         |  |                           |  |                          |  |                          |                  |                           |
| <b>Instant Review System</b>                 | <p>The Instant Review System (IRS) will be available on Courts 1 and 2, and is regulated as per BWF Statutes, Section 4.1.8</p>   |                       |                              |  |                           |  |                         |  |                           |  |                          |  |                          |                  |                           |
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| Men's Singles                                | 32  |                       |                              |  |                           |  |                         |  |                           |  |                          |  |                          |                  |                           |
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| Mixed Doubles                                | 32  |                       |                              |  |                           |  |                         |  |                           |  |                          |  |                          |                  |                           |
| <b>Online Entry – International Entries</b>  | <p>Entries for this tournament must be done by the Member using the BWF Online Group Entry system, using the following link:</p> <p><a href="https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/484B01E6-DDB2-498C-912E-7CC7BA241F43">https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/484B01E6-DDB2-498C-912E-7CC7BA241F43</a></p> <p>If the Member requires a username and password to access the system, please contact the BWF at the following email address:</p> <p><a href="mailto:s.ramachandran@bwf.sport">s.ramachandran@bwf.sport</a> or <a href="mailto:hj.yee@bwf.sport">hj.yee@bwf.sport</a></p> <p>The entry deadline is <b>Tuesday, 28<sup>th</sup> November 2023 at 23:59 hrs.</b>, BWF Headquarters time (+08:00)</p> |                       |                              |  |                           |  |                         |  |                           |  |                          |  |                          |                  |                           |

hrs  
GMT). Late entries will not be accepted.

After the entry deadline, the BWF Online Group Entry System will send notification to all participating Member confirming receipt of final entries.

Receipt of this notification is the conclusive evidence of receipt of entries before the deadline.

Members should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by Wednesday, **29<sup>th</sup> November 2023 at 12:00 hrs** BWF Headquarters time.

If no objection is received by BWF by **Thursday, 30<sup>th</sup> November 2023 at 23:59 hrs** BWF Headquarters time, the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints/objections will be entertained after this point.

#### Online Entry – Hosting Member Association Entries

Eligible player wishing to enter through the hosting Member must follow a different process to international entries.

State/independent Malaysian players must submit entry through respective State BA and State BA to email their entries to BAM at [entry@bam.org.my](mailto:entry@bam.org.my) BAM to receive the entry not later than **7 days, 21<sup>st</sup> November 2023** from the dateline of online entry. Late entries will not be accepted. The entries from Malaysian national players will be arranged accordingly by the BAM staff-in charge.

#### Withdrawals

The management of withdrawals will be run in accordance with BWF GCR 13 and 14. Members can withdraw their entries through the BWF Online Group Entry system until the last date of withdrawal without penalty (see Key Dates Section).

Withdrawals made after this date will incur a penalty in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).

Please ensure that the Tournament Referee and Host Organizer are notified immediately in writing, clearly stating the reason for the withdrawal.

If a Member needs to withdraw any entries once players have arrived in the host city, notification of withdrawal must be made by the Team Manager in person to the Tournament Referee, or Deputy Referee(s), and must also be confirmed in writing to:

**Referee:** Nicos Vladimirov (CYP) / Email: [nicosv@cytanet.com.cy](mailto:nicosv@cytanet.com.cy)

**Deputy Referees:**

Pencho Stoyanov (BUL) / Email: [p.stoyanov63@gmail.com](mailto:p.stoyanov63@gmail.com)

Jayashree S. Nair (BRN) / Email: [jsrn2006@gmail.com](mailto:jsrn2006@gmail.com)

**Also CC to**

Host Organiser Contact: [events@bam.org.my](mailto:events@bam.org.my)

### 3. Tournament Details

| <b>Prize Money</b>                | <p>A prize fund of USD\$ 1,300,000 will be distributed in accordance with BWF Statute 5.3.5, and awarded as per the table below.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="432 533 1477 882"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Winner</th> <th>Runner Up</th> <th>Semi Finalist</th> <th>Quarter Finalist</th> <th>Last 16</th> <th>Last 32</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Men's Singles</td> <td>\$91,000</td> <td>\$44,200</td> <td>\$18,200</td> <td>\$7,150</td> <td>\$3,900</td> <td>\$1,300</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Singles</td> <td>\$91,000</td> <td>\$44,200</td> <td>\$18,200</td> <td>\$7,150</td> <td>\$3,900</td> <td>\$1,300</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Doubles</td> <td>\$96,200*</td> <td>\$45,500*</td> <td>\$18,200*</td> <td>\$8,125.00*</td> <td>\$4,225.00*</td> <td>\$1,300*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Doubles</td> <td>\$96,200*</td> <td>\$45,500*</td> <td>\$18,200*</td> <td>\$8,125.00*</td> <td>\$4,225.00*</td> <td>\$1,300*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mixed Doubles</td> <td>\$96,200*</td> <td>\$45,500*</td> <td>\$18,200*</td> <td>\$8,125.00*</td> <td>\$4,225.00*</td> <td>\$1,300*</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>* – per pair</p>  |   | Winner        | Runner Up        | Semi Finalist | Quarter Finalist | Last 16 | Last 32 | Men's Singles                  | \$91,000       | \$44,200                             | \$18,200 | \$7,150 | \$3,900 | \$1,300 | Women's Singles                   | \$91,000       | \$44,200                                | \$18,200 | \$7,150 | \$3,900 | \$1,300 | Men's Doubles                    | \$96,200*      | \$45,500* | \$18,200* | \$8,125.00* | \$4,225.00* | \$1,300* | Women's Doubles                | \$96,200*      | \$45,500*      | \$18,200* | \$8,125.00* | \$4,225.00* | \$1,300* | Mixed Doubles | \$96,200* | \$45,500*                        | \$18,200*      | \$8,125.00* | \$4,225.00* | \$1,300* |       |       |                                |                |        |   |       |       |       |
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| THURSDAY<br>11 <sup>TH</sup> JAN  | MS/WS/MD/WD/XD   | R16                                     | 3             | 08:00            | 09:00         | 22:30            |         |         |                                |                |                                      |          |         |         |         |                                   |                |   |          |         |         |         |                                  |                |           |           |             |             |          |                                |                |                |           |             |             |          |               |           |                                  |                |             |             |          |       |       |                                |                |        |   |       |       |       |
| FRIDAY<br>12 <sup>TH</sup> JAN    | MS/WS/MD/WD/XD   | Quarter-Finals                          | 2             | 08:00            | 09:00         | 13:00            |         |         |                                |                |                                      |          |         |         |         |                                   |                |   |          |         |         |         |                                  |                |           |           |             |             |          |                                |                |                |           |             |             |          |               |           |                                  |                |             |             |          |       |       |                                |                |        |   |       |       |       |
|                                   |  |   |               |                  | 15:00         | 22:30            |         |         |                                |                |                                      |          |         |         |         |                                   |                |   |          |         |         |         |                                  |                |           |           |             |             |          |                                |                |                |           |             |             |          |               |           |                                  |                |             |             |          |       |       |                                |                |        |   |       |       |       |
| SATURDAY<br>13 <sup>TH</sup> JAN  | MS/WS/MD/WD/XD   | Semi-Finals                             | 1             | 11:00            | 12:00         | 23:00            |         |         |                                |                |                                      |          |         |         |         |                                   |                |   |          |         |         |         |                                  |                |           |           |             |             |          |                                |                |                |           |             |             |          |               |           |                                  |                |             |             |          |       |       |                                |                |        |   |       |       |       |
| SUNDAY<br>14 <sup>TH</sup> JAN    | MS/WS/MD/WD/XD   | Finals                                  | 1             | 12:00            | 13:00         | 19:00            |         |         |                                |                |                                      |          |         |         |         |                                   |                |   |          |         |         |         |                                  |                |           |           |             |             |          |                                |                |                |           |             |             |          |               |           |                                  |                |             |             |          |       |       |                                |                |        |   |       |       |       |
| <b>Official Shuttle</b>           | <p>YONEX Aerosensa 50</p>  |   |               |                  |               |                  |         |         |                                |                |                                      |          |         |         |         |                                   |                |   |          |         |         |         |                                  |                |           |           |             |             |          |                                |                |                |           |             |             |          |               |           |                                  |                |             |             |          |       |       |                                |                |        |   |       |       |       |
| <b>Practice Facilities</b>        | <p><b>Practice Facility Information:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Location: DEWAN SERI PUTRA (SRI PUTRA HALL)</li> <li>• Number of Courts: 6 COURTS</li> <li>• Schedule: 0800hrs – 2100hrs (from Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> Jan until Monday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024)</li> </ul>  |   |               |                  |               |                  |         |         |                                |                |                                      |          |         |         |         |                                   |                |   |          |         |         |         |                                  |                |           |           |             |             |          |                                |                |                |           |             |             |          |               |           |                                  |                |             |             |          |       |       |                                |                |        |   |       |       |       |

0800hrs – 1800hrs (from Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> Jan until Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024)

0800hrs – 1200hrs (Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024)

- Booking/Reservation information: Please complete and return the **Practice Request Form** to [kaathik.s@bam.org.my](mailto:kaathik.s@bam.org.my) not later than **19<sup>th</sup> December 2023**. All practice requests are subjected to the discretion and approval by Tournament Referee.

**Warmup Courts Information: Starting Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024**

- Location: Dewan Seri Putra (Sri Putra Hall)
- Number of Courts: 2

**Competition Courts Information:**

- Location: KL Sports City, Bukit Jalil,
- Number of courts: 3
- Schedule: Tuesday 09<sup>TH</sup> Jan 2024 to Sunday 14<sup>TH</sup> Jan 2024
- Booking/Reservation Information is under discretion of Tournament Referee based on the number of Active Players of the teams.
- Court Mat Color: Green

**Practice Shuttles Information:** 2 Complimentary Shuttlecocks Per Player

**Player Facilities**

**Player Lounge Information:**

- Location: Dewan Seri Putra (Sri Putra Hall)
- Schedule: 1 hour prior to each session
- Facilities Description: Internet, Mineral Water and Snacks.

**Stringing Services:**

- Location: Axiata Arena, Level 1
- Schedule: 1 hour prior to each session
- Cost: Free of charge for players sponsored by YONEX. USD 25 will be charged for non-YONEX sponsored players.

**Team Managers' Meeting**

The **Team Managers' Meeting** will be held at the following:

- Date: Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024
- Time: 16:00 hrs
- Location: Axiata Arena, Level 2, Team Managers' Room

It is mandatory for all participating Members (represented by designated Team Manager) to attend the Team Managers' Meeting. Members will be penalised for failing to attend, in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).

Members are allowed to request representation by another Member, provided that the



|                                | Tournament Referee is notified in advance and approves.  |                          |   |               |   |               |   |             |   |            |   |
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| <b>Umpire Briefing</b>         | <p>The <b>Umpire Briefing</b> will be held at the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024</li> <li>• Time: 18:00 hrs</li> <li>• Location: Axiata Arena, Level 2, Team Managers’ Rooms</li> </ul>   |                          |   |               |   |               |   |             |   |            |   |
| <b>Presentation Ceremonies</b> | <p>All prize ceremonies will take place on <b>Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024</b>, immediately after the conclusion of each final. Medals/trophies/other will be presented to all champions and finalists.</p> <p>In accordance with Player Commitment Regulations (BWF Statue 5.3.6), all players participating in the finals of a tournament must attend the final ceremonies directly after the match or must follow the instructions given by the organisers regarding ceremony protocol.</p> <p>No equipment, including rackets and flags, is allowed to be brought onto the podium. Clothing worn during the ceremony must be in accordance with the BWF GCR.</p>   |                          |   |               |   |               |   |             |   |            |   |
| <b>Accreditation</b>           | <p>Access to Tournament venues and other services is provided through personalized and photographic accreditation.</p> <p>Please submit the Player and Team Official Accreditation Form by <b>Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec 2023</b> to <a href="mailto:accreditation@bam.org.my">accreditation@bam.org.my</a></p> <p>The number of complimentary accreditations passes available for Team Officials is dependent on the number of competing players from the same Member:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="432 1335 1118 1615"> <thead> <tr> <th>Number of Member Players</th> <th>Number of Team Officials Accreditations</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Three or less</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Four to Seven</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Eight to 15</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>16 or more</td> <td>4</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>A limited number of additional accreditations passes for approved Team Officials will be available for purchase at a fee of USD\$200 by <b>CASH ONLY</b>, charged to the respective Member, and payable at the tournament’s SECRETARIAT OFFICE, AXIATA ARENA, LEVEL 2.</p> <p>The fee to replace any lost or damaged accreditation passes will be USD\$100 by <b>CASH ONLY</b> on each occasion, charged to the respective Member.</p> <p>The tournament reserves the right to refuse entry into any accredited venue or area or service (e.g. transportation) as a result of damaged or missing accreditation.</p> | Number of Member Players | Number of Team Officials Accreditations | Three or less | 1 | Four to Seven | 2 | Eight to 15 | 3 | 16 or more | 4 |
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| Three or less                  | 1  |                          |   |               |   |               |   |             |   |            |   |
| Four to Seven                  | 2  |                          |   |               |   |               |   |             |   |            |   |
| Eight to 15                    | 3  |                          |   |               |   |               |   |             |   |            |   |
| 16 or more                     | 4  |                          |   |               |   |               |   |             |   |            |   |

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|  | <p>The fraudulent use of accreditation is strictly prohibited, and will result in access rights being removed, and penalties being applied.</p>  |
| <p><b>Medical Services</b></p>   | <p>A medical officer and physiotherapist service will be available during the tournament, free of charge to players.</p>   |
| <p><b>Anti-Doping</b></p>  | <p>Doping control in badminton, in accordance with BWF Anti-Doping Regulations, is conducted out-of-competition and in-competition with the collection of urine and/or blood samples.</p> <p>Athletes are responsible for any substance found in their body. Before an athlete takes any medication, they should check with their doctor, and if necessary, get a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE).</p> <p>For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website:</p> <p><a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</a></p>   |
| <p><b>Badminton Integrity</b></p>  | <p>Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code on The Prevention of The Manipulation of Competitions) relates to anti-corruption and anti-match manipulation, and this code applies to all participants at this tournament.</p> <p>To protect the integrity of BWF sanctioned tournaments, participants are not allowed to bet in any way on badminton matches, shall respect the principle of fair play, and shall not attempt to influence the course or result of a game or match.</p> <p>Every person has an obligation to report to the BWF any approaches by anyone to gather inside information or to change the outcome of a match(es).</p> <p>For more information, please refer to BWF’s website:</p> <p><a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</a></p> |
| <p><b>Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9</b></p> | <p>GCR 7.9:</p> <p><i>“In making or authorising entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF’s regulations and Disciplinary processes.”</i></p>   |

## 4. Travel & Visa Details

### Transport

Complimentary transportation will be provided by the tournament between the official venues: competition venue, official hotel(s), practice venue (if separate from the competition venue), and the following transportation hubs:

Airports pick-up will be available starting from **Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024** at the following airports to the official hotel **ONLY**

- KUALA LUMPUR INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT 1 (KLIA TERMINAL 1)
- KUALA LUMPUR INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT 2 (KLIA TERMINAL 2)

To request transportation, please complete and return the Transportation Request Form by Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 to [transportation@bam.org.my](mailto:transportation@bam.org.my)

**Kindly take note, Transportation requests after the deadline or with insufficient information received by the host will not be guaranteed for any arrangements.**

**Note: Please take into account that transportation from the official hotel to the stadium and back is only available to Participants who book through Badminton Association of Malaysia (BAM) ONLY for the Official Hotel.**

**Participants who do not book official hotels through BAM are not entitled for BAM transportation. The team participant must make the necessary arrangements to be at the site and return to the hotel.**

### Visas

If a visa is required to enter MALAYSIA, we can provide a letter of invitation to assist with your application.

Please complete and return the **Visa Support Request Form** by **Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2023** to [visa@bam.org.my](mailto:visa@bam.org.my)

The tournament host and hosting Member will only communicate with a Member, and the hosting Member will only provide a visa support letter if the form is completed accurately and comprehensively, and supporting documentation is provided, where requested.

The tournament host and hosting Member accepts no responsibility for withdrawals made due to late or refused visa applications.

It is the responsibility of the Member to apply for the necessary visas in sufficient time, and all matters should be directed to the Embassy in charge.

Any visa support letter issued by the tournament host does not guarantee entry into MALAYSIA; the final decision is made the Government of MALAYSIA.

## 5. Accommodation Details

| Accommodation   | Official Hotel(s)   | Rates   | Remarks   |
|---|---|---|---|
|   | <p><b>PARKROYAL COLLECTION</b></p> <p>Jln Sultan Ismaill Bukit Bintang 50250<br/>Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan Kuala Lumpur</p> | <p>Single Room: USD 200<br/>Twin Room: USD 210</p> <p>The room rates are quoted per room per night inclusive of breakfast</p> | <p>Check In: 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024</p> <p>Terms &amp; Conditions:</p> <p>1. Early check-in or any late check-out may be requested and is subject to room availability.</p> <p>2. Airport transfer, and daily shuttle service (to &amp; from tournament venue) will <b>ONLY</b> be made available from official hotel.</p> |
| <p><b>Note: Please take into account that transportation from the official hotel to the stadium and back is only available to Participants who book through Badminton Association of Malaysia (BAM) ONLY . Participants who do not book official hotel through BAM are not entitled for BAM transportation. The team participants must make the necessary arrangements to be at the site and return to the hotel.</b></p>   |   |   |   |
| <p>Contact Person: Suriatie<br/>Email: <a href="mailto:suriatie.s@bam.org.my">suriatie.s@bam.org.my</a></p>   |   |   |   |
| <p><b>Kindly note the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hotel reservations and payments have to made ONLY through the Organizer via email <a href="mailto:suriatie.s@bam.org.my">suriatie.s@bam.org.my</a></li> <li>We will be able to provide accommodation only to those persons registered with the organizer on the requisite form. The Organizer strongly recommends all participants to make room reservation via the organizer to avoid any inconvenience.</li> </ul>  |   |   |   |
| <p><b>Full Advance Payment to be made:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On receipt of your hotel booking request, we will raise official invoice for processing the hotel booking payment.</li> <li>Full payment must be made upon reservation to Persatuan Badminton Malaysia (<b>see below for payment information</b>)</li> <li>Possible reservations of extra rooms at the time of check-in will also be surcharged 10%.</li> <li>Payment received in our bank should be net of bank charges. If any bank charges apply, the equivalent shall be reimbursed to the organizing committee at the time of check-in.</li> <li>NO exceptions will be made.</li> <li>Please send us a copy of the Remittance advice for easy tracking of remittance.</li> </ul> |   |   |   |

### Cancelation Fees

- Cancelation fees shall be charged for any cancellation, part or full, made 30 days prior to the date of arrival. The cancellation fees as per the percentages shown below shall be charged as a percentage of the entire tariff charged by the hotel for the rooms cancelled.

| Time Limit  | Cancelation Fees (%) |
|---|----------------------|
| Up to 30 days before the date of arrival              | NIL                  |
| From 30 days up to 10 days before the date of arrival | 50 %                 |
| From 10 days before the date of arrival or no show    | 100%                 |

- Cancelation of the rooms cannot be made at the check-in. Injuries, visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for cancellation of rooms.
- All damages to property of hotel or venues resulting from the stay of a national (regional) delegation shall be charged to the National Federation and paid in full.
- An early departure/amendment of dates after check-in shall be subjected to the 100% cancelation fees.
- No payment is received before reservation, the organizer cannot guarantee availability of room in the official hotel.

### Check-in / Check – outs, Deposits:

- The check-in and check-out time will be as specified in the above table respectively.
- Early check-in / late check-out will be charged as per the rules of the hotel.
- The security deposit at the time of check-in to cover extras during stay shall be paid directly to the hotel as per the Hotel Rules.
- It is forbidden to cook in the hotel. Any misconduct will lead automatically into costs which will have to billed / charged the concerned National Federation

### PAYMENT INFORMATION

**Beneficiary Name** : PERSATUAN BADMINTON MALAYSIA  
**Beneficiary Address** : AKADEMI BADMINTON MALAYSIA, KOMPLEKS SUKIAN BUKIT KIARA, JALAN 1/70D, BUKIT KIARA, 60000 KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA.  
**Bank Name** : RHB BANK BERHAD  
**Bank Address** : NO.75, JALAN TUN H S LEE, 50000 KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA.  
**Currency** : USD  
**Account Number** : 6141-8300-0019-91  
**Swift Code** : RHBBMYKL  
**Branch** : 098 KUALA LUMPUR MAIN 2

We will send you an invoice as confirmation of your room booking.

A receipt will be issued after having received the full payment from you.

The deadline to submit accommodation request is not later than **09<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023**. Please complete and return the Accommodation Booking Form to [suriatie.s@bam.org.my](mailto:suriatie.s@bam.org.my)

## 6. Media Details

| <b>Player Media Obligations</b>        | <p>It is a condition of entry into BWF sanctioned tournaments that each player, if requested by the BWF, host organiser, or other tournament official, is required to undertake a range of media activities. Please refer to the BWF Player Commitment Regulations for more information (BWF Statute 5.3.6).</p> <p>Members should be prepared to facilitate the attendance of their player(s), if requested.</p>   |                            |                |                            |         |  |                |      |                |      |             |    |             |  |  |             |    |             |   |             |             |    |             |   |             |             |        |                            |        |                            |             |    |             |  |  |             |   |             |  |  |
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| <b>Media Accreditation</b>             | <p>Media wishing to attend this tournament must complete and submit the Media Accreditation Request Form, by <b>11<sup>th</sup> December 2023</b> to <a href="mailto:media@bam.org.my">media@bam.org.my</a></p>   |                            |                |                            |         |  |                |      |                |      |             |    |             |  |  |             |    |             |   |             |             |    |             |   |             |             |        |                            |        |                            |             |    |             |  |  |             |   |             |  |  |
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| TUE, 09 JAN                            | 10  | 09:00-22:30                |                |                            |         |  |                |      |                |      |             |    |             |  |  |             |    |             |   |             |             |    |             |   |             |             |        |                            |        |                            |             |    |             |  |  |             |   |             |  |  |
| WED, 10 JAN                            | 10  | 09:00-22:30                | 8              | 09:00-18:00                |         |  |                |      |                |      |             |    |             |  |  |             |    |             |   |             |             |    |             |   |             |             |        |                            |        |                            |             |    |             |  |  |             |   |             |  |  |
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| SUN, 14 JAN                            | 5   | 13:00-19:00                |                |                            |         |  |                |      |                |      |             |    |             |  |  |             |    |             |   |             |             |    |             |   |             |             |        |                            |        |                            |             |    |             |  |  |             |   |             |  |  |
| <b>Video Recording and Photography</b> | <p>Photography is not permitted within the competition venue at any time, and the tournament reserves the right to remove any items of equipment breaching this policy.</p> <p>Video recording within the competition venue is only permitted by accredited players and team officials of participating Members, from clearly defined positions using video accreditation passes. There a limited number of these positions and passes available, and prior authorization must be obtained in advance from the tournament (Video recording within the competition venue is permitted but must be conducted from the designated location in the Green Zone Area). Accreditation must be clearly displayed on the cameras.</p> <p>The tournament reserves the right to remove any non-accredited items of equipment.</p>  |                            |                |                            |         |  |                |      |                |      |             |    |             |  |  |             |    |             |   |             |             |    |             |   |             |             |        |                            |        |                            |             |    |             |  |  |             |   |             |  |  |



Video footage captured must be used solely for training purposes by the Member and its coaching staff. Members may be liable to any costs incurred by BWF if video footage is used for any other purpose.