

# Amendment Proposal to the WT Statutes

(Effective as of December 15, 2023)

Before	After
<b>Article 2 Objectives, Principles, ...</b>  [New sub-article]	<b>Article 2 Objectives, Principles, ...</b>  ...  <u>2.2.7 Athlete-centered Approach: Recognizing athletes as the heart of our sport, WT is committed to an athlete-centered approach that prioritizes the well-being, development, and empowerment of athletes at every level, and ensuring their voices are heard and respected. See WT's Athlete Declaration.</u>
Original Article	Proposed Amendments
<b>Article 2 Objectives, Principles, ...</b>  <u>2.4.1</u> WT integrates best practices in its governing documents and other documents such as: Anti-Doping Rules, Anti-Discrimination Policy, Conflict of Interest Policy, Disciplinary Actions and Appeals Code, Code of Ethics, Election Bylaws, Finance Rules, Integrity Code, Medical Code and Safety Rules, Code on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions,	<b>Article 2 Objectives, Principles, ...</b>  ...  <u>2.4.1</u> WT integrates best practices in its governing documents and other documents such as: <u>Anti-Corruption Policy</u> , Anti-Doping Rules, Anti-Discrimination Policy, <del>Conflict of Interest Policy</del> , Disciplinary Actions and Appeals Code, <del>Code of Ethics</del> , Election Bylaws, Finance Rules, Integrity Code, Medical Code and Safety Rules, Code on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions, Safeguarding Policy, and Sustainability Policy,

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<b>Article 4.3 Commissions and Committees</b>  [New sub-article]	<b>Article 4.3 Commissions and Committees</b>  ...  <u>4.3.3 The policies and procedures for remunerating the Commission and Committee members for their official duties are listed in the Finance Rules.</u>
Original Article	Proposed Amendments
<b>Article 6 Council</b>  6.1.1 Only those people who demonstrate a high degree of ethics and integrity and pledge to observe the provisions of WT's Integrity Code without reservations are eligible to serve as Officials. Anyone with a criminal record in his/her country of residence or subjected to a disciplinary measure by a WT Sanctions Committee is not eligible if the offence is found by the Integrity Committee to be incompatible with their ability to fulfill their task. [Note: from the Ethics Code Art. 7]	<b>Article 6 Council</b>  ...  6.1.1 Only those people who demonstrate a high degree of ethics and integrity and pledge to observe the provisions of WT's Integrity Code without reservations are eligible to serve as Officials. Anyone with a criminal record in his/her country of residence or subjected to a disciplinary measure by a WT Sanctions Committee is not eligible if the offence is found by the Integrity Committee to be incompatible with their ability to fulfill their task. <del>[Note: from the Ethics Code Art. 7]</del>

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<b>Article 6 Council</b>  [New sub-article]	<b>Article 6 Council</b>  ...  <u>6.1.4 The policies and procedures for remunerating the Council members for their official duties are listed in the Finance Rules.</u>
Original Article	Proposed Amendments
<b>Article 6 Council</b>  [New sub-article]	<b>Article 6 Council</b>  ...  <u>6.17 Council Terms of Reference: For more information see the WT Council Terms of Reference (TOR).</u>
Original Article	Proposed Amendments
<b>Article 7 Management</b>  [New sub-article]	<b>Article 7 Management</b>  ...  <u>7.4.5 For more information see the Company Regulations of World Taekwondo.</u>
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<b>ADDENDUM I: Permanent Commission</b>	<b>ADDENDUM I: Permanent Commission and</b>

<p><b>and Committees</b></p> <p>(3) Athletes</p> <p>The Athletes Committee represents athletes within the Taekwondo Movement and upholds the rights and obligations of the athletes and conducts educational training for and on behalf of athletes. The Committee shall be elected or appointed in accordance with a procedure determined by the Ad-hoc Election Committee established under Article 5.8.8 of the Statutes. Elected members shall have a four-year term. The Committee members shall elect from among themselves two Co-Chairs (one male and one female).</p>	<p><b>Committees</b></p> <p>...</p> <p>(3) Athletes</p> <p>The Athletes Committee represents athletes within the Taekwondo Movement and upholds the rights and <del>obligations</del> responsibilities of the athletes <del>and conducts educational training for and on behalf of athletes</del> <u>in accordance with the WT Athletes' Declaration. The Committee shall engage with WT's Commissions, Committees, and Member National Associations, to help develop athlete-centered programs, and conduct educational training for and on behalf of athletes.</u> The Committee shall be elected or appointed in accordance with a procedure determined by the Ad-hoc Election Committee established under Article 5.8.8 of the Statutes. Elected members shall have a four-year term. The Committee members shall elect from among themselves two Co-Chairs (one male and one female).</p> <p>...</p>
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