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To: All WKF NF Members

Madrid, 22nd March 2018

**Subject - Youth Olympic Games Buenos Aires 2018 (YOG 2018):
Accreditation System Registration Reminder**

Dear Sirs,

Following our communication last 20th December 2017, we would like to remind you about an important fact for your athletes meeting the eligibility criteria to participate in the Youth Olympic Games of Buenos Aires 2018 (YOG 2018):

**ALL ATHLETES THAT INTEND TO COMPETE IN THE YOG 2018
MUST BE REGISTERED IN THE ACCREDITATION SYSTEM OF BUENOS AIRES
BY THEIR CORRESPONDING NATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE (NOC)
BEFORE 24TH OF MAY 2018**

This requirement applies to **ALL POTENTIAL ATHLETES** that may qualify for the YOG, regardless on the phase of the Qualification System (Olympic Standing, Qualification Tournament, etc.)
https://wkf.net/pdf/olympic/ba2018_qualificationsystem_final.pdf

The Organising Committee of Buenos Aires has sent very specific guidelines to each National Olympic Committee indicating them how to properly register each potential participating athlete who may represent them. Once the NOC completes the registration on the Buenos Aires Accreditation System, each athlete will obtain a unique **7 digits Accreditation number (Accreditation ID)**, which will be **mandatory** to register for the Qualification Tournament next 29th and 30th June in Umag (Croatia).

Athletes NOT registered in the Buenos Aires Accreditation System by 24th May:

- **Will be removed from the Olympic Standing that will be published on 01.06.2018**
- **Will NOT be accepted to register in the YOG Qualification Tournament in Umag**

If your NF has not received any related information from your corresponding National Olympic Committee on this regard, please do not hesitate to contact them as soon as possible and in any case **well before the 4th of May 2018**, opening date for the registration in the Qualification Tournament in Umag, to ensure that every athlete is in possession of their Accreditation ID.

Best regards,

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WKF President

