



PKF TC Regulations

1. **General Provisions**

1. The Technical Committee is the advisory body of the PKF for technical matters.
- 1.2. The committee supervises the technical activities under the auspices of the PKF.
- 1.3. The Technical Committee shall consist of the President and a maximum of two (2) members, all appointed by the Executive Committee.
- 1.4. The areas of North, Central and South America and the Caribbean, will be represented in the TC.
- 1.5. The members of the Technical Committee cannot act during his or her term as coaches or referees at the Pan American Championships and / or official events of the PKF. Any member doing this will be automatically excluded from the TC membership.

2. **Powers and Authorities TC PKF**

- 2.1. Advise the PKF EC on all kinds of technical issues regarding Sport Karate.
- 2.2. Develop and submit for approval by the Executive Committee, all the norms - in tune to WKF rules - related to the better development of karate competition.
- 2.3. The Technical Commission may, with the agreement of the Executive Board, convene meetings of its members to discuss issues related to the technical development of Karate worldwide and propose activities that can contribute to the development of the continental Karate in respect to the international level.
- 2.4. The Technical Commission may propose meetings with the RC, in order to guarantee a better development of the competitions.
- 2.5. The meetings and activities of the TC will be coordinated internally and registered by the President of the TC. The minutes of their meetings must be sent to the Executive Committee of the PKF.
- 2.6. Supervise technically all the Pan American Championships and all official events of the PKF.
- 2.7. Organize prior to the Pan American Championships a meeting or Technical Congress with the coaches of the National Federations.

3. **Powers of PKF TC and Authority of the Chairman of the PKF TC.**

- 3.1. Represent the PKF TC.
- 3.2. Convene and preside over the meetings of the Technical Committee.
- 3.3. Draft meeting agendas including items proposed by other members of the Technical Committee.
- 3.4. Take all measures and arrangements necessary for the proper running of the meetings.
- 3.5. Propose to the PKF-EC, all

measures which, in the opinion of the Technical Commission, can lead to improvement of sport Karate in America.

4. Operation of the TC PKF

4.1. The Technical Committee of the PKF will meet in ordinary session at least once a year, during the Pan American Championships Seniors. The meetings shall be convened by the President, enclosing the order of the day proposed. 4.2. The resolutions of the Technical Commission shall be by majority vote. In case of a tie, the Chairman shall have the decisive vote. 4.3. The members of the Technical Committee will cease its functions in the following cases; resignation, failure to attend two (2) consecutive meetings, or reappointment of the TC by the Executive Committee of the PKF.

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