

To: Secretary/ Presidents – SAWF Wrestling Associations
SAWF Executive Management

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The SAWF are in the process of finalising the sport specific criteria for the 2020 Olympic Games in Tokyo with SASCO. We are confident of a positive outcome and the matter that we should be finalised in the next couple of weeks. The General Eligibility and Selection Criteria for Multi-Coded Games (2017 – 2024) policy together with the UWW Qualification system for the 2020 Olympic Games have been distributed on a number of occasions and we want to take this opportunity to once again confirm these requirements.

At the same time, we would like to confirm the weight categories for the Olympic Games 2020 as stipulated in the invitation for the SAWF Cadet, Junior & Senior Team Trials Freestyle, Greco Roman & Women and UWW Qualification system document. The weight categories for the 2020 Olympic Games in Tokyo will be as follows:

Men's Events (12)		Women's Events (6)
Freestyle	Greco-Roman	Freestyle
57 kg	60 kg	50 kg
65 kg	67 kg	53 kg
74 kg	77 kg	57 kg
86 kg	87 kg	62 kg
97 kg	97 kg	68 kg
125 kg	130 kg	76 kg

Wrestlers attempting to qualify for the 2020 Olympic Games must enter in a specific weight category as set out above, for participation at the SAWF National trials in September 2019, being the weight category in which they want to qualify for the Olympic Games. Wrestlers must participate in the same weight category through-out the qualification process which will include the **2019 SAWF National Trials, 2020 African Championships, 2020 Continental Qualification Tournaments and 2020 World Qualification Tournament** if accepted as part of the sport specific criteria by SASCO.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any queries regarding this matter.

Kind Regards

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