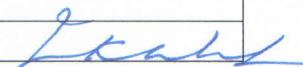


**MINUTES OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING OF PAKISTAN OLYMPIC ASSOCIATION HELD ON
31st MARCH, 2019 AT 11:00 AM AT LUXUS GRAND HOTEL, LAHORE**

1. The General Council Meeting of Pakistan Olympic Association (POA) was held on 31st March, 2019 at 11:00 AM under the chairmanship of its President Lt Gen (R) Syed Arif Hasan HI(M) at Luxus Grand Hotel Lahore. The following attended:-

Sr. #	Status / Federation / Association / Organization Representing	Name
1	President	Lt Gen (R) Syed Arif Hasan
2	Secretary General	Mr. Muhammad Khalid Mahmood
3	Archery	Mr. Wisal Muhammad
4		Ms. Sana Ali
5		Ms. Zainab Shaukat
6	Athletics	Maj Gen (R) Muhammad Akram Sahi
7		Mr. Muhammad Zafar
8		Ms. Shahida Khanum
9	Badminton	Mr. Wajid Ali Chaudhry
10		Mr. Tayyab Sohail
11		Ms. Zarina Waqar
12	Baseball	Mr. Shaukat Javed
13	Basketball	Brig (R) Iftikhar Mansoor
14		Mr. Khalid Bashir
15		Ms. Wajeeha Abid
16	Bodybuilding	Mr. Tariq Pervez
17	Boxing	Lt Col Muhammad Nasir Ijaz Tung
18		Mr. Muhammad Razzaq Gill
19		Ms. Shehnaz Kamal Khan
20	Golf	Brig (R) Ajaz Ahad Khan
21		Brig (R) Shahid Wahab Rao
22		Dr. Asma Afazal Shami
23	Gymnastics	Mr. Ahmad Ali Rajput
24		Prof. Paimda A. Malik
25		Ms. Uzma Asghar
26	Handball	Mr. Muhammad Shafiq
27		Mr. Javed Iqbal
28		Ms. Amna Tanwir
29	Kabaddi	Mr. Muhammad Sarwar
30		Ms. Saba Naz
31	Karate	Mr. Muhammad Jahangir
32		Mr. Khalid Noor
33		Ms. Ada Jaffery
34	Rowing	Mr. Rizwan Ul Haq Razi
35		Engr. Syed Mehfooz Ul Haq
36		Ms. Razia Ishaq



37	Sailing	Cdre Syed Ahmed Nadeem Bokhary
38		Cdr Muhammad Akram Tariq
39	Shooting	Cdre (R) Ghazanfar Abbas
40	Ski	Air Commodore Shahid Nadeem
41	Softball	Mr. Asif Azeem
42		Ms. Tehmina Asif
43	Squash	Mr. Sheraz Saleem
44	Swimming	Major (R) Majid Waseem
45		Ms. Nasreen Bhatti
46	Table Tennis	Mr. Ahmer Mallick
47		Ms. Asma Shahzadi
48	Taekwondo	Lt Col (R) Raja Wasim Ahmed
49		Mr. Murtaza Hassan Bangash
50		Ms. Shumaila Nazeer
51	Tennis	Col. Gul Rehman
52	Volleyball	Chaudhary Muhammad Yaqub
53		Mr. M. B. Javed
54		Ms. Fareeha Khan
55	Weightlifting	Hafiz Imran Butt
56		Mr. Amjid Amin Butt
57		Ms. Nuzhat Jabeen
58	Wrestling	Syed Aqil Shah
59		Mr. Muhammad Arshad Sattar
60		Ms. Humaira Latif
61	Wushu	Malik Iftikhar Ahmed Awan
62		Ms. Jannat Shahzad
63	Balochistan Olympic Association	Mr. Muhammad Afzal Awan
64	KP Olympic Association	Mr. Zulfiqar Ali Butt
65	Punjab Olympic Association	Mr. Idris Haider Khawaja
66	Sindh Olympic Association	Syed Waseem Hashmi
67	FATA Olympic Association	Mr. Shahid Khan Shinwari
68	Army	Brigadier Zaheer Akhtar
69	Navy	Captain Nasir Mahmood T Bt
70	WAPDA	Mr. Saqlain Zahur Raja
71	HEC	Mr. Muhammad Faisal Butt
72	Police	Mr. Mumtaz Hussain Shah
73	POA Athletes Commission	Mr. Muhammad Inam
74		Ms. Najia Rasool
75	Individual Member	Mr. Jahangir Khan
76	Individual Member	Mr. Islahuddin Siddiqui
77	Individual Member	Mr. Naveed Alam
78	Individual Member	Syed Muhammad Abid Qadri
79	Individual Member	Mr. Ihtesham Ul Haq
80	Individual Member	Ms. Andleeb Sandhu
81	Lady Member	Ms. Ambreen Iftikhar

82	Lady Member	Ms. Fatima Lakhani
83	Lady Member	Ms. Veena Salman Masud
84	Lady Member	Ms. Sumera Sattar
85	Lady Member	Ms. Shamim Akhtar
BY INVITATION		
1	Secretary Sports Govt. of Balochistan	Mr. Ahmed Raza
2	Director General (Sports) Balochistan Sports Board	Mr. Durra Baloch
3	Honorary Director NOA	Mr. Tariq Wahid Khan
4	Observer, BOA	Mr. Sher Muhammad Tareen

2. PROCEEDINGS:

The meeting started with recitation from the Holy Quran by Syed Muhammad Abid Qadri, Vice President POA.

Mr. Muhammad Khalid Mahmood Secretary General POA reported to the President that the house was in order. The President POA welcomed the participants and thanked them for attending the meeting. Thereafter the President asked the Secretary General POA to initiate the proceedings:-

3. CONDOLENCES:

Before taking up the agenda points the Secretary General with the permission of Chair shared condolences to the house regarding the departed souls of the following leaders of the Olympic Movement in Pakistan:-

- Mr. John Permal
Sprinter Pakistan's fastest man
- Ch. Muhammad Yousaf
Former legendary Athletics Coach
- Major General (R) Hussain Mehdi HI(M)
Ex DG Rangers

4. CONGRATULATIONS:

After the Condolences the Secretary General informed the house that the new office bearers of National Sports Federations/Associations/Departments/Services had been elected / appointed and individuals of Olympic family have secured distinctions at the International and National Levels during the last three months. The house offered congratulations to them as following:-

- Lt. Gen (R) Syed Arif Hasan HI(M), President Pakistan Olympic Association (PAO) has been unanimously re-elected for fourth term as the Vice President of Olympic Council of Asia which is indeed a great recognition of his services for the protection and promotion of Olympic Movement in Pakistan.
- Syed Fakhar Ali Shah, President Pakistan Federation Baseball elected as Member of Baseball Federation of Asia.
- Mr. Muhammad Aamir Jan elected as President, Punjab Olympic Association (Pb.OA)
- Lt. Col (R) Nasir Tung has been conferred upon the Tamgha-i-Imtiaz (Military)

The house welcomed/congratulated the above mentioned individuals for joining the Olympic Family and attaining distinctions at National and International levels. President POA advised all to work together for the promotion of Sports and the noble cause of Olympic Movement in Pakistan.

5. ITEM NO. 1 – CONFIRMATION OF LAST GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING OF POA DATED 12-01-2019

The house was informed that the Minutes of the last General Council meeting of Pakistan Olympic Association held on January 12, 2019 were circulated to all concerned on February 01, 2019, with a request to share corrections / observations in recording of the minutes, if any.

The Secretary General informed the house that in reply there was no observation / correction received by POA Secretariat. However Athletics Federation of Pakistan sent a letter acknowledging that the draft minutes have been recorded fairly well. However AFP made certain observations and suggestions beyond the scope of the minutes and which were not related to the recording of these minutes. This was accepted by the representatives of AFP and Maj Gen (R) Muhammad Akram Sahi informed the house that the purpose of the letter was to share their views in order to strengthen the institution. However, he stated that the minutes have been recorded correctly. The other members of the house requested the chair to let them share their views on the AFP's letter. The chair requested the house to first consider approval of the minutes and immediately after which the house will be open for any discussion regarding the letter of AFP.

DECISION:

The Minutes of the General Council meeting of Pakistan Olympic Association held on January 12, 2019 were approved unanimously.

Few members raised serious concerns over the letter of the Athletics Federation of Pakistan. It was pointed out that the AFP has alleged POA of parallelism in federations and further had twisted facts of the litigation claiming these were not against Olympic Movement and this litigation was not in violation of the Olympic Charter. It was also opined that the situation of Olympic Movement and national sports deteriorated due to illegal actions of few individuals who should be identified.

It was also pointed out that AFP is not compliant with the Constitution of POA and therefore the house was requested to take appropriate measures in accordance with the Constitution of POA. It was also said that Maj Gen (R) Muhammad Akram Sahi, during an on air interview, passed derogatory remarks against the members of the House. He labeled the members of the house as a rubber stamp. Another member pointed out that the President AFP had also stated in this interview that Chairman WAPDA had promised him nine votes from the office bearers of Federations that belonged to Pakistan WAPDA and the Chairman would direct such voters to vote for Mr. Sahi for the post of President in the 2012 elections.

Mr. Idris Haider Khawaja spoke on the issue of parallelism raised by Mr. Sahi. It was pointed out that Mr. Syed Shahid Ali, IOC Member in Pakistan was provided with unverified, unsubstantiated and falsified material by Mr. Sahi against some of the Federations which Mr. Shahid Ali forwarded to the relevant IFs without consulting the officials of the National Federations and this jeopardized sports in Pakistan.

On the point of Mr. Sahi that his group never initiated any cases which harmed the Olympic Movement, Chaudhary Muhammad Yaqub rebutted the statement of President AFP, and stated that the litigation against the genuine NOC or the genuine National Federations were not against any individual but against the individuals who were duly recognised and elected office bearers of these entities and litigations were mainly insinuated by people who have lost the elections. He opined that what Mr. Sahi has suggested is his personal opinion and he (Mr. Yaqub) does not agree to this stance of his.

Syed Aqil Shah opined that AFP is not compliant with the Constitution of POA as it has not a single provincial association affiliated with Provincial Olympic Association as is stipulated in the NOC's statutes.

Maj Gen (R) Muhammad Akram Sahi replied by stating that those who are seniors of the house should work to establish a legacy and he was therefore setting a precedent for youngsters as a legacy by telling the truth. It has already been decided that the matter related to the affiliation of AFP's provincial associations will be resolved by the Committee constituted for the purpose. He remarked that there was never any election held of one of provincial association during the last regime of AFP. He expressed that the house is not following its

own decision and stated that he will not let anyone exclude the AFP from the POA (membership) and informed that AFP will accept the decision of the Constitution & Affiliation Committee of POA that is chaired by Mr. Chaudhary Muhammad Yaqub. He further stated that he agrees with the explanation given by Chaudhary Muhammad Yaqub and he respects his version regarding the litigation. He further stated that he always made efforts for the promotion of sports at national and international forums. He informed the house that what he has done for the Olympic Movement very few have been able to do so. He said that he never interfered in the affairs of any other federation and moreover he does not want to disclose the federation in which people have interfered. He stated that he has never asked from this worthy house that why those people are part of this house (POA General Assembly) who have been banned by the AFP. He told the house that he had asked President OCA to save the national sports of Pakistan during the meeting with him in Lausanne. He recalled that he requested the President OCA to listen to the parties and decide about the legitimacy of the federations, that he (Mr. Sahi) will accept. He stressed that he is working for the promotion of the sports in Pakistan and he will continue his efforts and in this context he informed the house that he was recently asked by a journalist whether he wants to officially publish his statement regarding no support for the sports of Pakistan by the Government of Pakistan to which he (Mr. Sahi) replied in positive as he believes the government has ruined the national sports by doing nothing for the federations. He inquired from the house what is the source of statement regarding Chairman WAPDA as he has never made such statement and even otherwise this discussion is not related to the agenda of the meeting. Maj Gen (R) Muhammad Akram Sahi was of the opinion that IOC Member is very important position, however he (Mr. Sahi) is not satisfied with the performance of IOC Member in Pakistan who failed to play the due role and convey the factual position to the IOC that could have stopped the conflicts within after 2012 elections.

Lt. Gen (R) Syed Arif Hasan HI(M), President POA concluding the discussion, requested the house to recall the instructions of the IOC that NOC Pakistan headed by Lt. Gen (R) Syed Arif Hasan was the one that was recognised by IOC and that he should respect the decision of IOC. Even the IAAF had asked Mr. Sahi not to form a parallel NOC. Flouting these very instructions a parallel body was formed to POA and so-called President and Secretary were elected to this illegal body. The house concurred these occurrences and noted that the creation of parallel POA was violation of Olympic Charter and Movement. The President POA next referred to the aspects related to the autonomy of sports movement, which were being distorted by Mr. Sahi for obvious reasons. Even the President OCA had asked him to desist and gave the instructions to vacate the Olympic House. He stated that we have made efforts for the autonomy of POA and sports movement and this fact can also be understood from the order of the Apex Court of Pakistan which has ruled that every affiliate is bound to abide by the rules of the entity it is affiliated with.

He strongly repudiated the statement made by AFP that POA was involved in any form of parallelism. It was Mr. Sahi who had insinuated that nearly twelve Federations were illegal, as they were formed illegally. He submitted the names of his so called Federations to the IOC claiming them to be the recognised Federations. The IOC asked for the verification from respective IFs. Not a single Federation as per the list of Mr. Sahi turned out to be genuine and the complete list (of the genuine Federations) as submitted by us (genuine POA) was validated. The President stated that once the issue has been settled by the IOC on the basic principle of IF's recognition then does not quoting an IF recognised body "parallel" constitutes violation of the directions of IOC? The house again concurred with the point of President POA. President POA further pointed out that the Constitution of POA has been approved by this competent house by overwhelming majority as well as the IOC and thus is binding upon all. However some individuals are still debating this instead of complying with the IOC and house's approved statutes and decisions. President POA further stressed that compliance to the Constitution of POA and adherence to the decisions of the house is the only way to move forward and that we should now move on. President POA informed the house that all the litigation against POA or its office bearers was against the elected officials of POA and the cases have been defended befittingly on behalf of the POA and in the interests of the Olympic Movement. He informed that constitutional compliance is mandatory upon all the affiliates and does not show any intent to remove someone from the house but to resolve the pending issues. The house approved resolution of disputes

pertaining to the affiliation of provincial association by the Constitution & Affiliation Committee of POA. Lt. Gen (R) Syed Arif Hasan while concluding his remarks, said certain statement that can cause misunderstandings, should be avoided as it could create a lot of embarrassment like one related to Chairman WAPDA of promising votes in favor of a certain candidate, when Maj Gen (R) Akram Sahi intervened alleging the authenticity of statement and demanded proof that he has given this statement. He alleged that this statement has been concocted by someone and then linked to him without any evidence therefore this should not be discussed in this house. Lt. Gen (R) Syed Arif Hasan assured that we would inquire to share the truth with all.

The members of the house endorsing the assertions shared by President POA wanted to add their point of views regarding the contentions raised by Mr. Sahi and in the AFP's letter but on the request of the chair, the matter was deferred till the conclusion of the agenda points to which house agreed. However, later as Mr. Sahi left the meeting on his own, the matter was not taken any further due to Mr. Sahi's absence.

6. ITEM NO. 2-ELECTION OF INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS AS CONTAINED IN ARTICLE VI 6 (vi) OF THE CONSTITUTION OF POA

In pursuance of Article VI 6 (vi) of the Constitution of POA, considering the nominations of Executive Committee of POA following Individual Members were unanimously elected by the house:-

- 1 Mr. Jahangir Khan
- 2 Mr. Islahuddin Siddiqui
- 3 Mr. Naveed Alam
- 4 Mr. Iftikhar Ahmad Tabassum
- 5 Mr. Syed Muhammad Abid Qadri
- 6 Mr. Hafiz Salman Butt
- 7 Begum Ishrat Ashraf
- 8 Mr. Ehtasham Ul Haq
- 9 Ms. Andleeb Sandhu
- 10 Mrs. Ambreen Malik
- 11 Mrs. Fatima Lakhani
- 12 Mrs. Veena Salman Masud
- 13 Mrs. Nargis Rahimtoola
- 14 Ms. Sumera Sattar
- 15 Ms. Saba Shamim
- 16 Ms. Shagufta Malik

7. ITEM NO. 3-RENEWAL OF ELECTION COMMISSION OF POA

The house was informed that the Election Commission of Pakistan Olympic Association and the Election Appellate Tribunal have to be renewed in accordance with the Election Rules - 2016 and Constitution of the POA. The Secretary General informed the house that following names have been proposed by the President POA and also endorsed by the Executive Committee of POA:-

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| 1. Justice (R) Qazi Ehsaan Ullah Qureshi | - | Chairman |
| 2. Mr. Manzoor Ul Hasan, Senior | - | Member |
| 3. Lt. Col (R) Khalid Hussain, TI(M) | - | Member |
| 4. Mr. Saeed Iqbal Khan | - | Member |
| 5. Mr. Parvaiz Ahmad | - | Secretary |

The composition of Election Appellate Tribunal proposed by the President POA, recommended by the Executive Committee of POA as under was also placed before the house.



- Mr. Muhammad Hanif Khatana
Former Advocate General Punjab - Chairman
- Col (R) Mudassar Asghar
Former Olympian / Ex-secretary PHF - Member
- Mr. Ali Raza, Senior Legal Advisor POA - Member/Secretary

DECISION:

- a. The house unanimously ratified the composition of Election Commission of POA till March 30th, 2023 as under:-

- 1. Justice (R) Qazi Ehsaan Ullah Qureshi - Chairman
- 2. Mr. Manzoor Ul Hasan, Senior - Member
- 3. Lt. Col (R) Khalid Hussain, TI(M) - Member
- 4. Mr. Saeed Iqbal Khan - Member
- 5. Mr. Parvaiz Ahmad - Secretary

- b. The house also unanimously ratified the composition of Election Appellate Tribunal as under:-

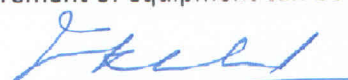
- Mr. Muhammad Hanif Khatana
Former Advocate General Punjab - Chairman
- Col (R) Mudassar Asghar
Former Olympian / Ex-secretary PHF - Member
- Mr. Ali Raza, Senior Legal Advisor POA - Member/Secretary

8. ITEM NO. 4-33RD NATIONAL GAMES 2019

The organization of 33rd National Games, allotted to Balochistan Olympic Association in 2012, has been considered / deliberated by the house in detail. The meeting was also attended by Mr. Ahmad Raza, Secretary – Environment, Sports & Youth Affairs, Government of Balochistan, Mr. Durra Baloch, Director General, Balochistan Sports Board, and Mr. Sher Muhammad Tareen, Secretary General, Balochistan Olympic Association.

All aspects of the holding of 33rd National Games allotted to Balochistan Olympic Association were discussed in depth. You will recall that these Games were postponed a number of times for the last many years. However due to certain logistical and administrative constraints of Balochistan, it was felt by the house that the Games could not be conducted in Quetta this year. Holding of these Games this year is absolutely imperative to enable the Federations to be able to select their teams for 13th South Asian Games to be held in Kathmandu, Nepal in December, 2019. It was therefore decided by the house that the National Games would be shifted to KP in the month of October, 2019. However in order to ensure that Balochistan does not lose its chance to hold the National Games they have been told to inform POA the moment they are ready in all aspects and 34th National Games will automatically be held by them next year. The decision of the house was kindly agreed upon by Balochistan Olympic Association and Mr. Ahmed Raza, Secretary Sports, Government of Balochistan.

It has been acknowledged that the Government of Balochistan is in the final phase of the preparations and shall initiate the procedure of the procurement of equipment and installation of tartan track during the coming months and a final confirmation of completion of tartan track and procurement of equipment can be communicated in few months.



The General Council unanimously agreed that holding of National Games in 2019 is as necessary as conduct of these National Games in October, 2019. The Government of Balochistan was requested that considering 13th South Asian Games which are scheduled in December 2019, it is imperative for selection of teams to feature in the National Games therefore the house unanimously proposed that the 33rd National Games may be allocated to the KP Olympic Association and the very next Chapter i.e. 34th National Games may be held in 2020 at Quetta.

DECISION:

The house unanimously approved to allocate the 33rd National Games to the KP Olympic Association to be held at Peshawar in October / November 2019 and further that the 34th National Games are re-allocated to the Balochistan Olympic Association and the 34th National Games will be organised in next year once the venues and other arrangements have been duly completed.

9. ITEM NO. 5 – MEASURES & ACTIONS TO STRENGTHEN THE AUTONOMY OF OLYMPIC MOVEMENT

The matter was discussed during the meeting and federations were requested to bring their Constitution in line with the Olympic Charter and Olympic Agenda 2020 for the good governance initiatives. In this context, transparency, gender equality and democratic strength pertaining to the governance of NFs may please be ensured is in line with Olympic Agenda 2020 and Olympic Charter. The House was requested to instill in their governing structures counter measures for the Competition Manipulation and to protect Harassment and Abuse in the Sports to provide the athletes with a good environment for sports.

DECISION:

The house unanimously agreed to adopt the principles of Olympic Charter and Olympic Agenda 2020.

10. ITEM NO. 6 – ANY OTHER MATTER WITH PERMISSION OF THE CHAIR

a. MERGER OF FATA OLYMPIC ASSOCIATION INTO THE KP OLYMPIC ASSOCIATION

The house was informed that the 25th Amendment to the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan has merged the Federally Administered Tribal Area into the province of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, therefore it is now imperative for the Pakistan Olympic Association to consider whether the FATA Olympic Association can continue as a separate entity as is defined in the Constitution of Pakistan Olympic Association. A notification was also placed before the house wherein it was notified by the Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa that the FATA Secretariat shall be shifted under the supervision of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Government. Mr. Shahid Shinwari opined that the FATA Olympic Association has been doing a lot for the promotion of sports and athletes of FATA therefore house may consider continuation of the FATA Olympic Association. The President Pakistan Olympic Association explained the house that in accordance with the Constitution of Pakistan Olympic Association (relevant clauses as placed before the house) the FATA Olympic Association has been granted the affiliation as it was eligible in accordance with the role the "Other Associations" that are stipulated in following clauses of Constitution of Pakistan Olympic Association:

Article II - "The jurisdiction of the Pakistan Olympic Association shall extend throughout Pakistan, the acceding States and the Territories under the control of Pakistan"



Article III (6) – “Other Association – Means Olympic Association of a Territory or the acceding State recognized as independent Administrative Unit under the control of Pakistan, other than the Province and duly created and recognized by National Olympic Committee”

Article VI “The Sports Associations of each of the Areas / Territories / Acceding States of Other Associations shall be duly affiliated with their respective National Federations recognized by POA. The minimum number of such Sports Associations shall be more than 50% of the total number of POA affiliated National Federations of Olympic Sports affiliated with POA

It was further explained the house that since the former status of agencies in former FATA have now been converted into the Districts and the administrative control of former FATA secretariat has been shifted under the KP government therefore the former FATA territory has become part of the KP and lapsed its territorial jurisdiction as the governmental control has been transferred to the KP province by the Government of Pakistan.

The house took cognizance of the applicable rules and was of the view that in light of the Constitution of Pakistan Olympic Association, the decision in this context is not be taken by the house and it is implementation of the (aforementioned) relevant clauses. Mr. Shahid Shinwari opined that there should be a mechanism for merging the former FATA Associations into their respective provincial associations. Chaudhry Muhammad Yaqub, Chairman Constitution and Affiliation Committee informed the house that since the former agencies have been converted into the districts therefore the districts sports associations shall become part of the KP sports associations and thus they shall be eligible to participate in the routine meetings and electoral processes as and when due.

DECISION:

The house formally accorded approval to notify the FATA Olympic Association as non-existent entity within the Olympic Movement following the 25th Amendment to the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan and Constitution of NOC Pakistan.

b. 13TH SOUTH ASIAN GAMES, 2019 KATHMANDU, NEPAL

The meeting of the SAOC was held in Bangkok at the sidelines OCA General Assembly. The NOC Nepal has informed that 13th South Asian Games, 2019 Kathmandu shall be held from December 01st to 10th, 2019.

This matter was discussed in depth by the house. The house was informed that the Executive Committee of POA in its meeting on 30th march, 2019 has proposed the following resolution to take up the matter with Government of Pakistan for the best preparations and trainings

“We, members of the Pakistan Olympic Association and representatives of the National Sports Federation, acknowledge the importance of the regional Games and events to promote the Olympic Movement, Sports, Peace and Peace through Sports and that the South Asian Games can be very instrumental in fostering friendship and accepting the diversity.

We, members of the Pakistan Olympic Association and representatives of the National Sports Federation, recognizes that sports plays a very effective role to engage and instill in youth the highest moral values and the regional Games are instrumental in bringing together the youth of South Asian Countries .

We, members of the Pakistan Olympic Association and representatives of the National Sports Federation, understand the importance of the participation in the event is necessary to elevate the national sports and



promote physical activity in Pakistan resulting in the betterment of wellbeing and welfare of the society, sports personnel and people related to sports in Pakistan.

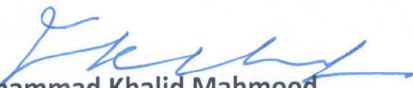
We, members of the Pakistan Olympic Association and representatives of the National Sports Federation, urge the Government of Pakistan, taking cognizance of the importance and urgency, as the South Asian Games are being organized from 01st to 10th December, 2019 and participation with full strength and preparations is necessary requiring immediate support of the Government of Pakistan in terms of arranging the foreign and local trainings within Pakistan and abroad.

We, members of the Pakistan Olympic Association and representatives of the National Sports Federation, urge the Government of Pakistan to cooperate and fund the training, both local and international, accommodation and participation of the Pakistani contingent in 13th Chapter of South Asian Games at Nepal”.

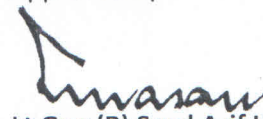
DECISION:

The house unanimously approved the resolution proposed by the Executive Committee of POA and further authorized the President POA to take necessary measures including meetings with Government of Pakistan and other stakeholders for the preparation and training of the contingent.

There being no other agenda point, the Chair concluded the meeting with vote of thanks to and from Chair.


Muhammad Khalid Mahmood
 Secretary General
 Pakistan Olympic Association

Approved by:


Lt Gen (R) Syed Arif Hasan HI(M)
 President
 Pakistan Olympic Association