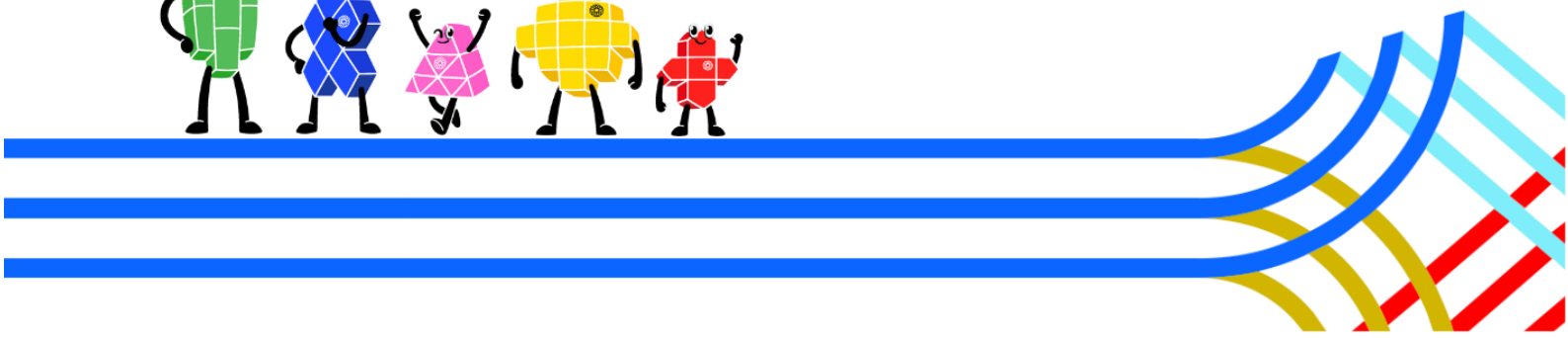
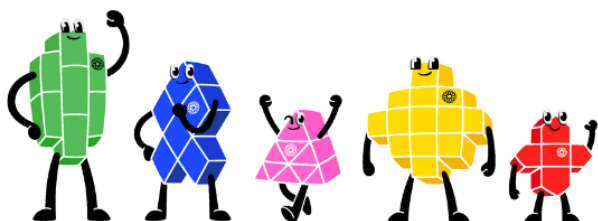
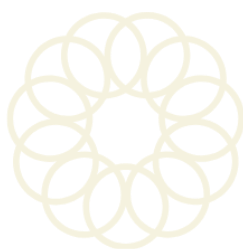


Technical Handbook

The 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025



VOLLEYBALL



General Information



Technical Part



Sport Information

I. Sports Federation

A. Federation Internationale de Volleyball (FIVB)

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1. Dates

The **Volleyball (VOL)** competition for the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 will be held from **10 to 19 December 2025**.

Competition Dates: 10 to 19 December 2025

Training Date: From 7 or 8 December 2025 (07:00 to 20:00 hours)

2. Venues

The **Volleyball competition** will be held at Indoor Stadium Huamark which serves two (2) purposes:

- The competition field-of-play (FOP)
- The training – warm up field

3. Event

The **Volleyball** competition will consist of **two (2) events** consist of

- **One (1) men's event**
- **One (1) women's event**

| Two (2) Events | | | |
|----------------|----------|----------|-------|
| Events | MEN | WOMEN | MIXED |
| 1. Team | √ | √ | |
| Total | 1 | 1 | |

Note: 1. Each NOC may enter a maximum of fourteen (14) male athletes and fourteen (14) female athletes for the Volleyball Competition.

2. Each NOC may enter a maximum of one (1) team in each event.

3. Each NOC may enter a maximum of fourteen (14) athletes (including six (6) athletes in competition and eight (8) substitute) per team.

4. Competition and Training Schedule

| Date | Time | Match No. | Code | Events | Pool | Team vs Team | Note |
|-------------------------|-------|-----------|------|--------|------|--------------|------|
| 10 December 2025 | 10:00 | 1 | 1-4 | W | B | | |
| | 12:30 | 2 | 2-3 | W | B | | |
| | 15:00 | 3 | 1-4 | W | A | | |
| | 17:30 | 4 | 2-3 | W | A | | |
| 11 December 2025 | 10:00 | 5 | 4-3 | W | B | | |
| | 12:30 | 6 | 1-2 | W | B | | |
| | 15:00 | 7 | 4-3 | W | A | | |
| | 17:30 | 8 | 1-2 | W | A | | |

| Date | Time | Match No. | Code | Events | Pool | Team vs Team | Note | |
|------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|--------|-------|--------------|------|--|
| 12 December 2025 | 10:00 | 9 | 2-4 | W | B | | | |
| | 12:30 | 10 | 3-1 | W | B | | | |
| | 15:00 | 11 | 2-4 | W | A | | | |
| | 17:30 | 12 | 3-1 | W | A | | | |
| 13 December 2025 | REST DAY FOR WOMEN | | | | | | | |
| | 10:00 | 1 | 1-4 | M | B | | | |
| | 12:30 | 2 | 2-3 | M | B | | | |
| | 15:00 | 3 | 1-4 | M | A | | | |
| | 17:30 | 4 | 2-3 | M | A | | | |
| 14 December 2025 | 10:00 | 13 | 1B-2A | W | SF | | | |
| | 12:30 | 14 | 1A-2B | W | SF | | | |
| | 15:00 | 5 | 4-3 | M | B | | | |
| | 17:30 | 6 | 4-3 | M | A | | | |
| 15 December 2025 | 10:00 | 7 | 1-2 | M | B | | | |
| | 12:30 | 8 | 1-2 | M | A | | | |
| | 15:00 | 15 | LM 13- LM 14 | W | F 3-4 | | | |
| | 17:30 | 16 | WM 13- WM 14 | W | F 1-2 | | | |
| | Awarding Ceremony For Women | | | | | | | |
| 16 December 2025 | 10:00 | 9 | 2-4 | M | B | | | |
| | 12:30 | 10 | 3-1 | M | B | | | |
| | 15:00 | 11 | 2-4 | M | A | | | |
| | 17:30 | 12 | 3-1 | M | A | | | |
| 17 December 2025 | Rest Day for Men | | | | | | | |
| 18 December 2025 | 14:30 | 13 | 1B-2A | M | SF | | | |
| | 17:00 | 14 | 1A-2B | M | SF | | | |
| 19 December 2025 | 14:30 | 15 | LM 13- LM 14 | M | F 3-4 | | | |
| | 17:00 | 16 | WM 13- WM 14 | M | F 1-2 | | | |
| | Awarding Ceremony For Men | | | | | | | |

Note: The competition schedule may be subject to change after the competition of the entries.

4.2 Training Schedule

- The women's competition begins on 10 December 2025, so training allowed to start training from 7 or 8 December 2025 (07:00 to 20:00 hours). The actual date will be announced later.
- The men's competition begins on 13 December 2025, so training allowed to start training from 10 or 11 December 2025 (07:00 to 20:00 hours). The actual date will be announced later.

5. Entries

5.1 Eligibility

- 5.1.1 Only SEAGF member NOCs are entitled to send athletes to participate in the Volleyball competition of the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025
- 5.1.2 Only nationals of the country of the National Olympic Committee (NOC) shall be qualified to represent the NOC in the Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country, which an athlete may represent in the SEA Games shall be resolved in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules as well as Rule 41 and By-law to Rule 41 of the Olympic Charter (Nationality of competitors).
- 5.1.3 A competitor who is a national of two (2) or more countries at the same time may represent either one (1) of them, as he may elect. However, after having represented one country in the Olympic, Asian continental and South East Asian continental regional or world championships recognized by the relevant IF, the competitor may not represent another country unless he or she meets the conditions set forth in sub section 4 below that apply to the persons who has changed his nationality or acquired a new nationality.

5.2 Entry Policies

- 5.2.1 Each NOC may enter a maximum of fourteen (14) male athletes and fourteen (14) female athletes for the Volleyball Competition.
- 5.2.2 Each NOC may enter a maximum of one (1) team in each event.

*** NOCs that withdraw their athletes after the submission of the final entries by name, will be faced with disciplinary action by the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

6. Submission of Entries

- Entry Form by Sport: Deadline 2 May 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)
- Entry Form by Number: Deadline 8 May 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)
- Entry Form by Name: Deadline 1 September 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)

All Entry Form by Sport, Entry Form by Number and Entry by Name may be sent via Game Management System (GMS) and subsequently confirmed with stamped original, then upload to the system.

If you need any assistant, please contact us:

The 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 Organizing Committee

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7. Pre-Competition: Team Managers and Officials Meetings

7.1 For Women Event

7.1.1 Preliminary Inquiry

Date: 8 December 2025

Time: From 18:00

Venue: Volleyball Team Official's Hotel

7.1.2 General Technical Meeting

Date: 9 December 2025

Time: 9:00

Venue: Volleyball Team Official's Hotel

7.2 For Men Event

7.2.1 Preliminary Inquiry

Date: 11 December 2025

Time: From 18:00

Venue: Volleyball Team Official's Hotel

7.2.2 General Technical Meeting

Date: 12 December 2025

Time: 19:00

Venue: Volleyball Team Official's Hotel

8. General Rules and Regulations

8.1 Rules

8.1.1 Eligibility Code (SEAGF 30)

To be eligible for participation in the SEA Games, a competitor must comply with the Federation's rules, regulations and by-laws, including this Charter and Rules, in particular in relation to eligibility and nationality, as well as the related provisions in the Olympic Charter, and the rules, regulations and by-laws for participation in the Olympic Games."

8.1.2 Nationality of Competitor (SEAGF 31)

Only nationals of the country of the NOC who are holding current valid national passports of the country of that Member-NOC shall be qualified and eligible to represent the Member-NOC in the SEA Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country which a competitor may represent in the SEA Games shall be decided by the Arbitration Panel established under this Charter and Rules, in accordance with the Federation's rules, regulations and by-laws, including this Charter and Rules, relating to eligibility and nationality.”

8.1.3 Number of Entries (SEAGF 34.3, 37)

- a) A minimum of four (4) NOCs must register to participate by the respective closing date of both the Entry by Number and the Entry by Name registration in a sport or discipline or team event and in the case of an individual event, a minimum of three (3) NOCs must register to participate by the closing date of both the Entry by Number and Entry by Name registration, for it to be included in the SEA Games programme. For the avoidance of doubt:
 - A doubles event shall be considered an individual event.
 - There shall be no waiver of this Rule on minimum entry.”
- b) The maximum number of entries from each nation in each event is fixed by the Federation in consultation with the Host NOC. However, the following numbers cannot be exceeded:
 - For individual events, including singles and doubles events, there shall only be two (2) entries from each NOC (without reserves) EXCEPT for the sports with weight category, such as all martial arts and combat sports, Body-building, Weightlifting, etc., where there shall only be one (1) entry per weight category or per event from each NOC; and for the sport of Sailing, where there shall only be one (1) entry per event from each NOC.
 - For team events, there shall be one (1) team per NOC, and the number of reserves shall not exceed the number of players allowed by the International Federation.
 - For all events where individual competitions are conducted, the competitors for any one (1) NOC cannot win more than two (2) medals in the respective individual events.
 - No Federation Member-NOC, including the Host NOC or the Organizing Committee of any SEA Games, is allowed to limit the participation of any other Federation Member-NOC or any athlete from participating in any sport, discipline or event solely on the ground or for any reason of limitation of participation.”

8.1.4 International Sport Federation

Federation Internationale de Volleyball (FIVB)

8.1.5 Asia Continental Sport Federation

Asian Volleyball Confederation (AVC)

8.1.6 Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal (SEAGF 41)

- a) The necessary technical officials, referees, judges, umpires, timekeepers, inspectors and other technical officials (collectively “International Technical Officials” or ITOs”) and a Jury of Appeal for each sport in such number as shall be determined by the Host NOC or the Organizing Committee, shall be appointed by the Host NOC or Organizing Committee in consultation with the appropriate IF/AF and in cooperation with the respective National Federation of the Host NOC or local sport official/representative. All such ITOs and Jury of Appeal officials approved and appointed by the Host NOC or Organizing Committee shall be referred collectively as “IF/AF International Technical Officials” or IF/AF ITOs” and “Jury of Appeal” accordingly.
- b) The Organizing Committee shall pay for the air or international travel (based on best economy fare to the host city), accommodation (equivalent to a hotel of at least a 3-star internationally accepted rating, based on twin-share basis except for single rooms for Technical Delegates, Chief Umpires and Chief Scorer), meals, official local transport expenses and a per diem only of the IF/AF ITOs and Jury of Appeal officials at the established rates of the Organizing Committee starting from within than two (2) days before the start of the first event of the sport or discipline concerned until one (1) day after the end of the competition of the last event of that sport or discipline.
- c) In approving and appointments of ITOs and Jury of Appeal members, all IF and or AF concerned must give priority, first to the appointment of qualified ITOs and Jury of Appeal members who reside within the South East Asian (SEA) region, and second, to those who reside within the Asian continent, before appointing any ITOs or Jury of Appeal members from outside the SEA region or Asia continent.
- d) No official who has participated in a decision may serve in the Jury of Appeal that reviews it. The findings of the Jury of Appeal shall be communicated as soon as possible to the Federation Office, Host NOC, Organizing Committee and Executive Committee.
- e) Technical officials and members of the Jury of Appeal may not live in the Games Villages, but the Organizing Committee shall ensure and bear the cost of their accommodation, including board and local transport facilities at such established rates of the Organizing Committee.

- f) The Jury of Appeal's decision(s) on all technical questions concerning its respective sport or of disciplinary nature is/are final. Such decision shall, however, be without prejudice to any further penalty and or sanction, which may be imposed by the Executive Committee.
- g) The Jury of Appeal shall be composed of a Chairperson (who shall be the Technical Delegate) and not more than two (2) other representatives as Jury of Appeal members, who shall be appointed by the IF/AF from amongst the IF/AF ITOS and or IF/AF representative(s) present at the Games.
- h) In the event of a dispute or protest relating to technical questions concerning its respective sport, discipline and or event, or competition or any matter that is disciplinary in nature, that is referred to a relevant Jury of Appeal, representatives of countries in the Jury of Appeal whose countries are involved in the dispute or protest must NOT participate in the deliberations and or decision making and cannot vote in the resolution of the dispute or protest.
- i) Any NOC dissatisfied with any decision of any Jury of Appeal (except decisions concerning matters of fact and judgment calls where no appeal is allowed) may refer his/her appeal to the Panel of Arbitrators

8.1.7 Arbitration Panel (SEAGF 42)

The Arbitration Panel shall deliberate and decide finally on all questions concerning the SEA Games or s, protests or appeals (including on any violation of anti-doping code, rules or regulations) from any sport, discipline or event or any disputes arising from or related to the SEA Games. NOCs or the Organizing Committee may also submit question or any matter related to the SEA Games to the Arbitration Panel for determination. Further, the Arbitration Panel may intervene in and determine all questions of non-technical nature outside the jurisdiction of the Jury of Appeal set up for each sport, discipline or event in the Games programme.

8.1.8 Penalty in case of Fraud (SEAGF 44)

A competitor proved to have fraudulently transgressed or breached any provisions of the Charter, Rules, Regulations or By-laws of the Federation shall be disqualified and lose any position or medal he/she may have gained. If this competitor's NOC is proved to have been a party to the fraud, his/her country shall be disqualified in the sport concerned.

9. Competition Rules and Regulations

9.1 Technical Organization

Thailand Volleyball Association under the guidance of the Technical Delegate, shall be responsible for the technical organization of the 33rd SEA Games Volleyball

competition. The 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 Volleyball competition will be conducted by the AVC Control Committee under the leadership of the AVC President or his representative. FIVB and AVC International or International Candidate Referees accompanying the teams and from Vietnam will officiate in the competition. The competition shall be played in accordance with the FIVB rules of the Games in force. All necessary interpretations will be made before the competition during the Refereeing Clinic and the General Technical Meeting.

9.2 Competition Rules

The Volleyball of the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 will be held in accordance with the current Fédération Internationale De Volleyball (FIVB) Rules and Regulations under the guidance of the Referee Delegate (RD), appointed by the Asian Volleyball Confederation (AVC) as authorized by FIVB, in force during the Games time.

In case of any disagreement in language interpretation of the FIVB Rules and Regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen cases not covered by the rules and regulations shall be resolved as follows:

9.1.1 General Issues: To be resolved in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

9.1.2 Technical Issues: To be resolved in accordance with FIVB Rules and Regulations and FIVB Norms.

9.3 Competitional Format

All Volleyball matches shall be played by two (2) teams of six (6) players. The competition system is subject to the exact number of participating teams.

9.3.1 If there are five (5) or fewer participating teams, the competition shall be conducted in a single group round-robin format. The teams ranked first and second will play for the Gold medal. Teams ranked 3rd and 4th will play for the Bronze medal.

9.3.2 If there are six to seven (6 to 7) participating teams, all teams shall be divided into two (2) groups in the Preliminary Round in a single-round robin format. Each team shall play against every other team in its group once. The top two (2) teams from each group shall qualify for the Semi-Final, where teams shall be matched up in the following manner:

*Semi-Final 1 (SF1): Group A Winners vs Group B 2nd Place

*Semi-Final 2 (SF2): Group B Winners vs Group A 2nd Place

The winners of SF1 and SF2 qualify for the Final; the losers of SF1 and SF2 will get Bronze Medals.

9.3.3 If there are eight (8) or more participating teams, all teams shall be divided into two (2) pools in the Preliminary Round in a single round-robin format. Each team shall play against every other team in its group once. The top four (4) teams

from each group shall qualify for the Quarter Finals, where teams shall be matched up in the following manner:

- Quarter-Final 1 (QF1): Group A 1st Place vs Group B 4th Place
- Quarter-Final 2 (QF2): Group B 1st Place vs Group A 4th Place
- Quarter-Final 3 (QF3): Group A 2nd Place vs Group B 3rd Place
- Quarter-Final 4 (QF4): Group B 2nd Place vs Group A 3rd Place

The winner and losers of QF1, QF2, QF3 and QF4 will qualify for the Semi-Finals, matched up in the following manner:

- Semi-Final 1 (SF1): Winner of QF1 vs Winner of QF4
- Semi-Final 2 (SF2): Winner of QF2 vs Winner of QF3

The winner of SF1 and SF2 will play for Gold and the Losers will play for Bronze

Bronze Medal: Loser of SF1 vs Loser of SF2

Gold Medal: Winner of SF1 vs Winner of SF2

9.3.4 If a team declares its forfeit during a match, it will be excluded from the competition and all the results of the matches it already played during the respective rounds will be nullified. The respective opponent teams will be declared winners of the respective matches.

9.4 Classification of Teams' Ranking

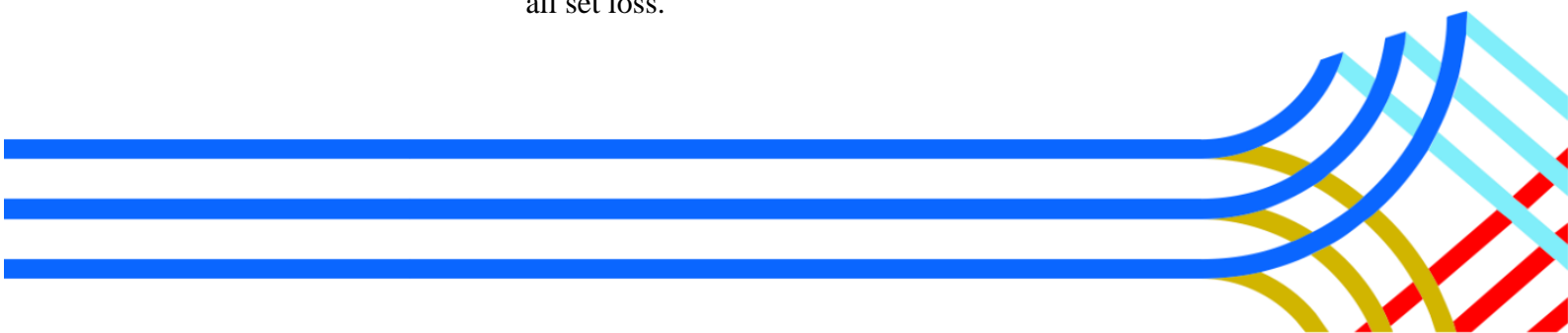
9.4.1. In order to establish the ranking of teams after the round-robin competition, the following criteria shall be implemented for all competitions.

- (i) By the number of victories (matches won, matches lost) among teams of the same group. Teams that won more matches will get better ranking.
- (ii) If there is an equal number of victories, then the following criteria shall be applied:
- (iii) Number of points gained: If two (2) or more teams have the same number of victories (matches won, matches lost), they shall be classified in descending order by the points gained by each team per match as follows:

| | |
|---------------------|----------------------------|
| Match won 3-0; 3-1 | 3 points |
| Match won 3-2 | 2 points |
| Match lost 2-3 | 1 point |
| Match lost 0-3; 1-3 | 0 point |
| Match forfeited | 0 point (25-0, 25-0, 25-0) |

- (iv) If the teams are still tied after the number of victories and points gained, then the following criteria shall be applied:

Set quotient: If two (2) or more teams are tied on the number of points gained, they will be classified in descending order by the quotient resulting from the division of number of all sets won by the number of all set loss.



Point quotient: If there is still a tie based on the set quotient, the teams shall be classified in descending order by the quotient resulting from the division of number of all points scored by the total of points lost during all sets.

- (v) If there is a tie based on the point quotient, the priority will be given to the team which won the last match between them.
- (vii) If the tie in point quotient is among three (3) or more teams, a new classification of these teams under the terms stated in item 9.4.1 (i), (ii) and (iii) above shall be made taking into consideration only the matches involving the teams in question.

9.5 Medal Distribution: (Up to the decision of OC on Article 9.3, Bronze may be 1 or 2)

| Events | Gold | Silver | Bronze |
|--------|------|--------|--------|
| Men | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Women | 1 | 1 | 1 |

9.6 Video Challenge System

Video Challenge System will be used during the Volleyball competition from the Preliminary Round up to the Finals. The VC System rules will be in accordance with AVC Video Challenge System Rules.

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|---|---------------|--|
| 1 | Ball in/out | For side and end lines |
| 2 | Block Touch | Contact with the ball by the player (i.e. the blocker) |
| 3 | Net Fault | Contact with the net between the antennae by the player in the action of playing the ball |
| 4 | Antenna Touch | Contact with the antenna by the player or by the ball |
| 5 | Foot Fault | a) Contact of the server with the playing court (end line included) or the lateral free zone outside the service zone, b) Faulty contact of a player with the 3-meter attack line, The complete crossing of the center line by the player's foot or feet. |
| 6 | Floor Touch | Ball touches the court surface - "pancake" – to determine if the ball contacts the court or did not touch the court during the play (mid-rally). |

9.7 Seeding

If there are two (2) groups to be formed under para 9.3 above, the participating teams shall be seeded based on the results of the respective team's final ranking at the 32nd SEA Games Cambodia 2023 as follows:

- 9.4.1 The host team will be in Group A
- 9.4.2 The Winner will be in Group B
- 9.4.3 The 2nd Placing in Group B

9.4.4 The 33rd Placing in Group A

(According to Sports Regulations, in serpentine system)

9.4.5 The placing of all the other teams shall be determined by an Official Draw conducted by THASOC.

9.8 Official Draw

The Official Draw for the Volleyball competition shall be conducted by THASOC not later than one (1) month before the start of the Volleyball competition.

9.9 Protests and Appeals

9.9.1 Any written protest must be first be made and submitted by the Chef de Mission or Team Manager to the Technical Delegate within thirty (30) minutes after the end of the event in which the protest is generated with the payment of a Protest Fee of USD 1,000.00 per protest payable to THASOC. If conditions causing a potential protest are noted prior to the start of the event, a written protest must be lodged before the signal to start the event is given.

9.9.2 All protests must be considered by the Technical Delegate concerned who must make a decision as soon as possible. He/she must state the reason(s) for his/her upholding/rejecting the protest.

9.9.3 Any Chef de Mission or Team Manager dissatisfied with the decision of the Technical Delegate, may appeal to the Jury of Appeal by submitting the written appeal to the TD within sixty (60) minutes of receipt of the TD's written decision. The appeal must be heard and decided by the Jury of Appeal for the sport within two (2) hours after receipt of the written protest.

9.9.4 Any NOC dissatisfied with any decision by the Jury of Appeal may make any appeal in accordance with Articles 42 and 43 of the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

9.9.5 The protest fee shall be refunded if the protest is upheld; it will be forfeited if the protest is rejected.

9.10 Delays, Postponement or Cancellations

The Technical Delegate must consult the THASOC Secretariate if there is any delay, postponement or cancellation of any competition that affects the scheduled times for "live broadcast" or victory ceremonies.

9.11 Training Policies and Procedures

9.11.1. Pre-competition training will be allocated to all NOCs two (2) days prior to the start of competition. Training sessions are strictly by allocation: no change and addition of training requested are allowed.

9.11.2. NOC's (Or Teams) are required to notify the Sport Information Desk if any NOC (Or Teams) does not intend to use the allocated training schedule.

9.11.3 1 hour per team on the competition court.

9.11.3. **Training Schedules:**

- The women's team, training allowed to start training from 7 or 8 December 2025 (07:00 to 20:00 hours). The actual date will be announced later.
- The men's team training allowed to start training from 10 or 11 December 2025 (07:00 to 20:00 hours). The actual date will be announced later.

9.11.4. For the other days: Training venue will be provided 1.30 hour for each team. The assignment of training venue will be announced during the Preliminary Inquiry.

9.11.5. Equipment at Training Venues: Equipment to be provided at the training venues will be the same as those in the competition venue.

10. Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal

The appointments of Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal will be in accordance With Article 41 of the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

AF/IF has the right to appoint the Technical Delegate and International Technical Officials (ITOs) in coordination and approval of the SEAGF. In the event of any violation of the AF/IF Rules or Games Rules and Regulations by any participant, the SEAGF has the right to revoke his or her accreditation card and propose replacement of the participant concerned to the relevant party

10.1 International Technical Officials (ITOs)

- 10.1.1 Asian Volleyball Confederation (AVC), as authorized by the Fédération Internationale de Volleyball (FIVB) shall appoint one (1) Technical Delegate and such number of International Technical Officials (ITOs) as may be approved by THASOC.
- 10.1.2 THASOC will pay for the costs of international transportation based on an economy direct-route fare, local transport and accommodation for these ITOs.
- 10.1.3 Each participating NOC may nominate FIVB or AVC qualified Referee per participating team to officiate in the competition in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules subject to the following conditions.
 - i. The nominated referee must be on the FIVB and AVC List of qualified Referees for 2025.
 - ii. If the NOC is participating in both Men's and Women's events, each such NOC may nominate a maximum of two (2) qualified Referees.
 - iii. If the NOC is participating in either Men's or Women's Team event only, each such NOC may nominate one (1) qualified Referee only.
 - iv. The appointment of NOC nominees shall be subject to the approval of the TD.

- 10.1.4 Participating NOC's shall bear the international transportation costs for their nominated referees while THASOC will bear costs related to local transport and accommodation for these referees.

10.3 National Technical Officials (NTOs)

Thailand Volleyball Association (TVA) will appoint such number of National Technical Officials as may be approved by THASOC to assist the International Technical Officials.

10.4 Jury of Appeal

The Jury of Appeal shall comprise of the Technical Delegate (TD) as Chairperson and two (2) Team Managers who are not involved in the appeal and appointed by the TD.

11. Official Equipment and Competition Attire

11.1 Equipment

All sports equipment used by athletes in competition must comply with the SEAGF Charter and Rules and the Fédération Internationale de Volleyball (FIVB) Rules and Regulations.

11.2 Competition Attire

- All attire worn by athletes in competition must comply with the SEAGF Charter and Rules and FIVB Rules and Regulations.
- Each participating team must have available three (3) sets of competition attire of different colors. The athletes' numbers on the competition attire must be the same as on the 0 – 2 bis forms.
- The competition attire of the team captain and Libero player must be presented during the Preliminary Inquiry.
- The team officials on the team bench, as approved in the Preliminary Inquiry, must conform to either of the following dress code options:
- All to wear their official warming up suit and polo shirt of the same color and style; or
- All to wear dress jacket, collared dress shirt, tie and formal slacks of the same color and style; or
- All to wear dress jacket, collared dress shirt, tie and formal slacks of the same color and style except the trainer who may wear the official warming up suit and polo shirt.
- The penalty for non-compliance with the dress code for the team officials on the bench shall be that the team official(s) concerned will not be allowed to sit on the team bench and must leave the competition control area and thus will have no further contact with the team until they respect the approved dress code.

12. Media Interview

- 12.1 All athletes should pass through the Mixed Zone as directed by the Media Officer.
- 12.2 Athletes and/or coaches should attend press conference and interview requests for them.

13. Prizes and Commendations

- Medals to the winners of the SEAGF Games shall be presented by the SEAGF President. The President may delegate this privilege to other members of the SEAGF, accompanied by the President of the IF and/or AF concerned (or their deputy), if possible, immediately after the event and where the competition took place in the following manner.
- The competitors who have been judged first, second and third shall take their places, in their sports uniforms, on a stand on the field facing the Tribune of Honour, with the winner slightly above the second who is on their right and the third who is on their left. The flag of the delegates of the winner shall be hoisted on the central flag-pole and those of the second and third on adjoining flagpoles on the right and on the left, as they face the arena. Meanwhile, the abbreviated National Anthem of the winner is played. The three winners/winning teams shall turn towards the flags.
- The medal presentations shall be as per the following order:
 - Gold Medal – to the first-place winner.
 - Silver Medal – to the second-place winner.
 - Bronze Medal – to the third-place winner.
- All medalists must wear their respective NOC official uniform.
- No equipment or accessories may be taken by the athlete to the medal award ceremony or media interview areas, unless it is worn, e.g., shoes and clothing which must be in accordance with the SEAGF commercial guidelines.
- No kind of demonstration or commercial, political, religious or racial propaganda is permitted during the Victory Ceremony of the Games. Any action of such kind will be subject to penalization by the Executive Board EB including disqualification, withdrawal of medals, certificates, accreditation, rankings and the like.
- Any disrespect shown to the Games, Medals, Flags, Mascot or Certificates or any other material. by any athlete during the Victory Ceremony or during the Games will be subject to penalization by the EB, including but not limited to disqualification, withdrawal of medals, certificates, accreditation, rankings as decided by the EB.
- Victory, medals and diploma certificates, shall be in strict compliance with the SEAGF Protocol Guidelines. The design and format of the medals and diplomas shall be submitted to the SEAGF for its approval.

14. Victory Ceremonies

The medals may be presented by the board members of the Member-NOCs participating in the particular sport, discipline or event (with priority being given to those with medal

winners) and or Guests of Honor of the Federation, and such victory ceremonies, if possible, shall take place immediately after the event at a place where the competition took place and in the following manner:

- The competitors who have been judged first, second and third shall take their places, in their sport attire or NOC designated attire, on a stand facing the Tribune of Honor, with the winner slightly above the second who is on his/her right, and the third who is on his/her left.
- The flag of the country of the winner shall be hoisted on the central flagpole or screen and those of the second and third on adjoining flagpoles or screen on the right and left as they face the arena. Meanwhile, the National Anthem of the country of the winner is played and the competitors and spectators shall face the flags.

15. Medical Code (SEAGF 33)

- The Host NOC and Organizing Committee of the SEA Games will ensure the health of all athletes and other participants during the SEA Games.
- Anti-Doping Rule Violations as defined by the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) Code is forbidden.
- All competitors shall be subject, during the Games, to doping control initiated by the Federation at any time or place, carried out in conformity with the WADA Code and its respective International Standards, as elaborated in the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules.
- Competitors in sports restricted to women must comply with the prescribed tests for disorders of sexual determination when so needed.
- Any competitor refusing to submit to doping control or who is found guilty of any Anti-Doping Rule violation shall be excluded from the SEA Games.
- The principles of exclusion for teams and individuals shall be in accordance with the WADA Code.
- A medal may be withdrawn by order of the Executive Committee or the Council on the recommendation of the Chairperson of the Anti-Doping Committee when an athlete is found guilty of a violation under the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules and or the WADA Code.
- The Anti-Doping Committee shall manage and implement the doping test programme for the SEA Games to which it was appointed for in accordance with WADA requirements, and implement the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules and WADA Code.
- The SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules and Regulations shall in no way affect further and or other sanctions by the relevant International Federation, WADA and or any other relevant national, regional, continental, international or world organizations or bodies.
- All competitors and officials are also subject to, and shall comply with the respective anti-gaming and manipulation, and harassment and abuse, and safeguarding rules, regulations, codes and guidelines of the respective Federation Member-NOC, IOC,

OCA, SEAGF, the respective IF and or AF of the sport concerned.

- a) Any competitor or team official refusing to submit thereto or found guilty of any violation or offence thereunder shall be excluded from the SEA GAMES.
- b) A medal may be withdrawn by order of the Executive Committee or the Council on the recommendation of the Arbitration Panel when an athlete is found guilty of any violation or offence thereunder.”

16. Doping Control

The 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 Organizing Committee, shall establish the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee, which shall, under the guidance of the SEAGF and working with the SEAGF Office, be responsible for the Anti-Doping program for the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025. The Anti-Doping program will be run in accordance with the SEAGF Anti-Doping Rules and the WADA International Standard for Testing and Investigation. Sample analysis will be performed at a WADA-accredited laboratory or as otherwise approved by WADA. Both urine and blood tests will be conducted before and during the competition to ensure compliance.

Athletes requiring the use of a Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method during the event must apply for a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) through the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee by the specified deadline (TBC). If an athlete has already been granted a TUE by their National Anti-Doping Organization or International Federation, the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee will recognize it.

17. Approval of the Technical Handbook

This Technical Handbook was approved by the Asian Volleyball Confederation (AVC) **on 25 April 2025**

Any further amendments to the Technical Handbook shall be circulated via e-mail to the NOCs.