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Sir / Madam,

The Andhra Pradesh Badminton Association welcomes to the 70th Inter State / Inter Zonal Team Championships & 79th National Badminton Championships to be held at Vijayawada from 29th January to 5th February 2015.

Due to short time, we are finding very difficult to get Hotel Bookings. Hence we appeal to you to restrict the Team officials and parents to the minimum number. It is not possible to provide extra Accommodation at the eleventh hour.

<u>Qualifying Matches</u>	-	Main Venue: DRMC Indoor Stadium M.G.Road Opp. All India Radio Vijayawada – 520010. Sub Venue: Vijayawada Club, Tadepalli Funtimes Club, RTC colony
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All the Players participating in Qualifying matches are requested to report at DRMC Indoor Stadium before 8 a.m on 29th January 2015. The transport to the other venues shall be arranged from DRMC Indoor Stadium. The matches will commence at 9 a.m on all venues.

<u>Team Championships:</u>		
<u>Managers meeting</u>	-	Will be held at 4 p.m on 30 th January 2015 at the meeting hall of DRMC Indoor Stadium. Draws will take place during this meeting.
<u>Inauguration</u>	-	The Team Championships will be inaugurated by the Hon'ble Minister at 9 a.m on 31 st January 2015 followed by matches. All Teams Should present with their uniform. Afternoon session will be held at two venues – Vijayawada Club & DRMC Indoor Stadium
<u>Finals</u>	-	Finals will be held on 1 st February 2015 at 14 hours followed by Prize Distribution function.
<u>Main Draw</u>	-	Managers meeting will be held at 4 p.m at DRMC Indoor Stadium on 1 st Fe Draw will take place during the meeting.

<u>Inauguration</u>	-	The formal inauguration will be held at 10 a.m on 2 nd February 2015 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of AP. Followed by matches at two venues as per the fixtures.
<u>Finals</u>	-	Finals will be held at 14 hours on 5 th February 2015 followed by Prize Distribution function.
<u>Transport</u>	-	One vehicle (Tata Ace) will be attached to each team (7 seats). Under the control of Team Managers. They use the vehicle up to 60 KM per day from 8am to till the end of matches.
<u>Accommodation</u>	-	The Host Association is trying to provide A/C Accommodation to all Teams. Rooms allotment shall be 1:3 members and depending on the total number. Parents and extra Team Officials should make their own arrangements. Details of the Hotel allotment with phone numbers will be send to you 7 days before. All rooms are close to the venue on the main road, it will take 5 to 8 minutes to reach the main venue.
<u>Boarding</u>	-	Boarding shall be provided at the backside of Venue. Copy of the Menu is enclosed for your Information. Free boarding shall be provided to 7+1=8 members of each team and two members extra to the Zonal Team of Men / Women separately Wild card / local entries and extra team members should purchase the coupons on payment. Participants are requested to bring their ID card with them, you should produce while check in the hotels
<u>Practice schedule</u>	-	Practice schedule will be allotted by the referee, No shuttles will be supplied for practice. Practice will be held in all 3 venues.
<u>Kitting</u>	-	Name of the Players / state should be printed on the backside of T - Shirts. In Team Event State name is mandatory and Individual event - Name of the player is mandatory. It is advisable to print both name & state on the backside. In pair event both the players should use the same colour kitting from 1 st round onwards. Players partnering from with different state should take care of this and both should have same colour.
<u>Registration</u>	-	On the arrival the registration will take place at DRMC indoor stadium. Name & address of each participant should be written on form. The boarding coupons will be issued only after produce of registration form.

<u>Camp Fire</u>	-	Camp fire with Bada khana and culture programme by the participants will be held on 3 rd or 4 th of February 2015 at the premises of Vijayawada Club. Participants are requested to come prepared at least on cultural item from each State.
<u>Arrival / Departure</u>	-	Most of the Teams should have made their travel arrangements by this time. We will be very thankful if you could send the details immediately, which will help us to finalise the Hotel Accommodation, Transport etc. This information will be more helpful to the Host Association to finalize the Hospitality, please co operate and respond Immediately.
<u>General</u>	-	Appeal to all the participants to have with us if any shortcums, since this is a new state of Andhra Pradesh (29 th State) formed recently under the constitution of Indian Union. However the Organizing Committee is doing its best to provide better Hospitality.

I once again Welcome all the BAI Member Associations to Participate and enjoy our Hospitality.

With regards



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