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TO ALL AFFILIATED STATE ASSOCIATIONS / UNITS

Subject: Further Addendum to Selection Criteria for the Badminton Asia U17 & U15 Junior Championships 2026

Dear All,

This is in continuation of Circular No. BAI/BAJC/U17 & U15/2026/110 dated 21st June 2026 and Circular No. BAI/BAJC/U17 & U15/2026/111 dated 22nd June 2026.

The BAI Junior Selection Committee has noted that Ms. Shaina Manimuthu, reigning Girls' Singles U15 Champion at the Badminton Asia U17 & U15 Junior Championships 2025 and current No. 1 in the BAI U-19 Girls' Singles Rankings, and Ms. Tanvi Patri, current No. 2 in the BAI U-19 Girls' Singles Rankings and winner of the Yonex-Sunrise All India Junior (U-19) Ranking Badminton Tournament 2026 at Bengaluru, have already been selected to represent India at the Badminton Asia Junior Championships 2026 (U-19).

As both players will be unavailable to participate in the Yonex-Sunrise All India Sub Junior Ranking Badminton Tournament (U-15 & U-17), Bengaluru, which has been designated as the Selection Tournament for the Badminton Asia U17 & U15 Junior Championships 2026, the Committee has decided that selection for the Girls' Singles U17 event shall be as follows:

- The Winner and Runner-up of the Girls' Singles U17 event at the Selection Tournament shall be directly selected for the Indian team.
- The other two loser Semi-finalists shall play selection matches against Ms. Shaina Manimuthu and Ms. Tanvi Patri.
- The winners of these matches shall fill the remaining two places in the Girls' Singles U17 team for the Badminton Asia U17 & U15 Junior Championships 2026.

For all other events, the selection criteria notified vide Circular No. BAI/BAJC/U17 & U15/2026/110 shall remain unchanged, i.e.:

- The Top 4 players (all Semi-finalists) in the Boys' Singles U15 and U17 events shall be selected for the Indian team.
- The Top 2 pairs (all Finalists) in the Boys' Doubles, Girls' Doubles and Mixed Doubles events shall be selected for the Indian team.

The date and venue of the above selection matches shall be notified separately.

All expenses of these 4 players participating in the later selection trial shall be borne by the Badminton Association of India.

Warm regards.



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