

SOME NEW RULES IN BOOK 3 RELEVANT TO THIS EVENT (As discussed by Chairperson of Judges)

BYES ON THE COMPETITION FIELD (12.2.8)

Provided the competition schedule allows

For Individuals:

- Recurve – 3 arrows per end and maximum of 3 sets
- Compound – 3 arrows per end and maximum of 5 ends

For teams:

- Recurve – 6 arrows (2 arrows per athlete) per end and maximum of 3 sets
- Compound – 6 arrows (2 arrows per athlete) per end and maximum of 4 ends

RELEASE AIDS IN COMPOUND TEAM MATCHES (as part of 13.2.2)

Athletes shall not hook their release aids on the string until they are on the shooting line and the

signal for shooting has been given. Once the athlete is on the shooting line and the signal for shooting has been given, the release aid may be hooked either before or after the arrow knocked on the string. This restriction shall not apply to Para Athletes whose classification permits a mouth release which is permanently attached to the string.

SHOOTING TIME IN INDIVIDUAL MATCH PLAY WITH ALTERNATING SHOOTING (13.4.2)

30 seconds is the time allowed for a para-athlete to shoot one arrow (including shoot-off) when shooting alternately in match play In a Para Archery Event

UNDERSHIRTS, COMPRESSION SHIRTS OR SLEEVES (as part of 20.1.1)

During finals with TV coverage, undershirts, compression shirts or sleeves may be used on condition that they match the team uniform's predominant colour or are white.

W1 INDIVIDUAL SHOOT-OFF (as part of 21.4.6)

If both archers score a 10 on their first shoot-off arrow, then the match would be considered a tie and a second shoot-off arrow will be needed to resolve the match.

FOR WHEELCHAIR ATHLETES (as part of 21.6.3)

Neither the feet of the athlete nor the footplates of the wheelchair may be in contact with the ground when shooting.