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**TO: NATIONAL WRESTLING FEDERATIONS**

**Subject: Extended Deadline for Uniform Guidelines for World Olympic Qualifiers in Mongolia and Turkey**

Dear all,

A recent update on the decision has been made to have the new uniform guidelines deadline extended. It will not be mandatory to wear the new uniforms for the Qualifiers. To clarify this means NFs may use their past singlets for these competitions.

Please understand, if you have designed and produced new singlets which follow the new Uniform Guidelines they are encouraged and may be worn for the World Qualifiers. Both the old and the new uniforms will be accepted only for the Qualifiers.

For RIO2016 the new Uniform Guidelines are mandatory and in order to carry out the pre-Game checks and in line with IOC's Rule 50 deadline, it is required to submit the new design by the June 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Reminder of key design differences for new uniforms:**

- Diverse coloured uniforms to represent countries
- Third party identifications clarity
- Light and dark versions of the uniforms
- Red & blue markings as opposed to the entire uniform for scoring

Participants that attend the RIO2016 Games that do not have the new design will not be permitted to participate in the competition.

Please send new singlet designs or questions to: [uniform@unitedworldwrestling.org](mailto:uniform@unitedworldwrestling.org)

United World Wrestling works to innovate wrestling and takes recommendations made by the IOC to improve and modernize our sport. UWW continues to align our goals with Olympic Agenda2020 and constantly strives to contribute to the Olympic Movement.

**Important:** Please share these new guidelines with any sport apparel manufacturer dedicated towards your Federations.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'N. Lalovic'.

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