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EVENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM – TERMS AND CONDITIONS

By applying for accreditation to the World Athletics Relays Gaborone 2026 ('the Event'), you agree to the following terms and conditions set by World Athletics:

1. The Local Organising Committee of World Athletics Relays Gaborone (the "LOC WRE Gaborone 2026") WRE Gaborone 26 LOC acting as the Local Organizing Committee may set further requirements in addition to these terms and conditions of accreditation.
2. World Athletics does not guarantee that your accreditation will be granted. If granted your accreditation card is a security and identification card and must be kept on your person in a visible position when on all official Event sites. The identity and accreditation badge remains the property of World Athletics.
3. Being accredited is a privilege and not a right – World Athletics expects the highest standards of conduct from all accredited persons at all times. World Athletics reserves the right not to grant or, (after granting accreditation) cancel your accreditation at any time with immediate effect for any reasonable and justifiable reason for example (non-exhaustive):
 - a. giving or exchanging your accreditation card to or with anyone else;
 - b. offensive language or behaviour;
 - c. where there are concerns about your integrity for any reason;
 - d. where you do not perform or are not qualified to perform the official or designated role or function for which the accreditation has been granted for the Event;
 - e. if you are a Congress Delegate who is subject to the requirements set out in Rule 4 of the Rules of Congress;
 - f. there is risk of abuse to any athlete, officials, staff, event personnel, volunteer or other person involved in organising or participating in the Event;
 - g. there are issues regarding the safeguarding/welfare of any participant(s) etc.; or
 - h. engagement in political related protests.
4. World Athletics further reserves the right to refer any of the above-referenced conduct to the Disciplinary Officer and/or the Athletics Integrity Unit. If we withdraw your accreditation, it means all your privileges associated with being an accredited person are also immediately withdrawn. This means cancellation and may, where applicable, repayment of:
 - a. any travel and accommodation subsidies, preferential rates, benefit of transport and transfers etc.,
 - b. access to official hotels (including accommodation reservations at the official hotels for me and my accompanying persons) and official venues);
 - c. invitations etc. to any associated functions or conferences held before, during and after or in connection with the event.
5. You agree to be bound by and comply with the Integrity Code of Conduct, the Athletics Integrity Unit (AIU) Reporting, Investigation and Prosecution Rules and the World Athletics Anti-Doping Rules found here: <https://worldathletics.org/about-iaaf/documents/book-of-rules> (see Book D). You acknowledge and agree (a) that you have a duty to co-operate with any AIU investigation that may be conducted under the AIU Reporting, Investigation and Prosecution Rules and/or the Anti-Doping Rules at the Event (covering all Event sites and without limitation by way of a search of your room at an official hotel



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- venue) and (b) that the AIU has the power to issue a demand for any information, article, record or thing (including your personal Electronic Device(s) and/or Electronic Services) that it reasonably believes may be relevant to an investigation or may evidence or lead to the discovery of evidence of a violation. You consent to providing the AIU with any items requested pursuant to a written demand issued in accordance with the AIU Reporting, Investigation and Prosecution Rules and/or the Anti-Doping Rules.
6. You agree to co-operate and to confirm your identity if asked by a member of World Athletics staff, security or other authorised personnel of the Event for emergencies, health & safety or medical reasons.
 7. You meet all entry requirements to enter Gaborone, Botswana to participate at the Event.
 8. You agree that you will comply with any medical protocols (including COVID-19 protocols) which either State, the Government, Local Governments, World Athletics or the LOC WRE Gaborone 2026 may impose in relation to the Event.
 9. You also agree that neither World Athletics nor the LOC WRE Gaborone 2026 are responsible for the costs of any medical, dental or other health care treatment you may incur whilst in the Botswana.
 10. You agree that you will have appropriate insurance or other coverage that will cover your medical, dental or other health care needs while you are in the Botswana and that you will be financially responsible for any costs of medical, dental or other health care needs whilst in the Botswana whether for urgent or emergency treatment.
 11. You agree to be filmed, photographed and that your visual image or audio recording be otherwise recorded for security, broadcast, media and public relations purposes during the Event, for use to promote World Athletics, World Athletics Event/activities generally and published by World Athletics approved commercial partners for non-commercial purposes (i.e. to communicate the partner's association with World Athletics and the Event).
 12. You agree that all images taken by you at the Event whether in film, photographic format or otherwise at the Event (including those images of athletes taken within the Event venues, sites, areas etc.) shall be used for personal and non-commercial purposes only unless World Athletics has provided its prior written consent.
 13. All personal information collected by World Athletics and/or the LOC WRE Gaborone 2026 to issue your accreditation badge shall be stored and used by them for the purposes set out in the World Athletics Event Management System Privacy Policy.
 14. You consent that the personal data submitted to the Event Management System be provided to the LOC WRE Gaborone 2026 and, where necessary, provided by the LOC WRE Gaborone 2026 to their third-party suppliers for the purposes of facilitating and arranging your attendance, participation in and/or organisation of the Event.
 15. You agree to comply with any additional accreditation and terms, conditions, Rules and Regulations of World Athletics in relation to the Event which are notified to you.
 16. Prohibited Items



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Unless required for the purposes of delivery services or supplies to the Event and prior approval of World Athletics or LOC WRE Gaborone 2026 it is prohibited to take into any venue where the Event takes place any of the following items (referred to as “Prohibited Items”):

- a. bottles, cans, coolers, thermos, alcoholic beverages, containers, picnic baskets, food, strollers, certain banners, poles, weapons, munitions, ammunition, umbrellas, balls, frisbees, explosives, fireworks, flares and smoke bombs, drones, laser pointers or any other items which could compromise public safety or disrupt the athletes or cause unreasonable interference to other spectators view of events or interfere with television production of the Event;
- b. any type of third party promotional or commercial item including but not limited to banners, badges, signs, symbols and leaflets; and
- c. any unauthorised professional equipment or device capable of being used for the recording, transmission or dissemination by any other manner of sound, moving or still images, description or results of the Event, except for sound or video devices brought for private use (e.g. personal cell phones);
- d. any other material held as dangerous and/or not authorised by the Rules and Regulations of World Athletics.

World Athletics and/or LOC WRE Gaborone 2026 reserves the right to update, amend or revise the list of prohibited items from time to time.