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Member Countries, IWRF

2018 IWRF Wheelchair Rugby World Championship Qualification

With the completion of the 2018 IWRF Zone Championships series, the first nine qualification positions for the GIO 2018 IWRF Wheelchair Rugby World Championship have been determined. These positions have been assigned as follows:

1. Host Country, 2018 World Championship
AUSTRALIA
2. Gold Medal winner, Rio 2016 Paralympic Games
(Australia already qualified, reallocation position to be created.)
3. First place country, 2017 IWRF Americas Championship
UNITED STATES
4. Second place country, 2017 Americas Championship
CANADA
5. First place country, 2017 European Championship Division A
GREAT BRITAIN
6. Second place country, 2017 European Championship Division A
SWEDEN
7. Third place country, 2017 European Championship Division A
FRANCE
8. Fourth place country, 2017 European Championship Division A
DENMARK

9. First place country, 2017 Asia-Oceania Zone Championship

(Already qualified; position assigned to next highest-ranked finisher)

JAPAN

The remaining qualification positions will be awarded at the 2018 World Championship Qualification Tournament, which will be held at a location to be determined in March or April of 2018. Four positions will be awarded: qualification positions 10 through 12 as well as one reallocation position replacing position 2.

Qualified countries will be contacted directly by IWRF and the World Championship LOC regarding entry deposits and initial information requests.

If there are any questions regarding the Qualification List or the qualification process, please do not hesitate to contact me

Best regards



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cc: Sydney 2018 Organizing Committee
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