



## HONG KONG TENPIN BOWLING CONGRESS LTD.

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### Target 24<sup>th</sup> Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships September 18 – 28, 2016 South China Athletic Association Bowling Centre, Hong Kong

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**The Target 24th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships will be conducted in accordance with Chapter 4 and Chapter 5 of World Bowling Statutes and Playing Rules as of March 31, 2016. The 24th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships will be used for the Asian Zone qualification to take part in the World Championships 2017 and World Games 2017.**

### 1. Federation Information

Hong Kong Tenpin Bowling Congress

Address: Room 2004, Olympic House, 1 Stadium Path,  
So Kon Po, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

Phone: +(852) 2891 9786

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Email: [hktbc@netvigator.com](mailto:hktbc@netvigator.com)

### 2. Official Invitation

We are pleased to confirm that up to the issue of this Bulletin we have received confirmation from the following federations that they will be sending teams to participate in the Asian Championships:

|           |                |             |             |            |              |
|-----------|----------------|-------------|-------------|------------|--------------|
| Australia | China          | DPR Korea   | Egypt       | Guam       | Hong Kong    |
| India     | Indonesia      | Japan       | Kazakhstan  | Korea      | Kuwait       |
| Macau     | Malaysia       | New Zealand | Philippines | Qatar      | Saudi Arabia |
| Singapore | Chinese Taipei | Thailand    | UAE         | Uzbekistan |              |

Federations that intended to participate in the Championships and have not yet submitted their entry form and hotel reservations forms are requested to do so as soon as possible to ensure availability of rooms at the official hotels and to facilitate logistic arrangement by the Host Federation.

We would like to remind all ABF Member Federations that only federations who are currently paid up members of World Bowling and ABF are allowed to participate in the championships.

The official delegation shall include:

- a. A maximum six male players and six female players



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- b. Coaches for players
- c. Administrators for players
- d. Elected and accredited delegates to ABF General Assembly
- e. Medical officers including sport psychologist and sport physiotherapist

The official delegation will be invited to all official functions including the Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception as well as the Victory Banquet.

### **Entry Forms**

#### **Participating Team**

Please complete Official Entry Form (Form B) for team participation and the Bowler's Information Form (Form C) for each of the participating bowlers and **return to the Secretariat as soon as possible.**

#### **Media**

Media Accreditation Form (Form D) MUST be completed and submitted to the local federation for submission to host federation as soon as possible.

**Note: Completed Form B, C and D**, accompanied with **a recent passport size photo** of **EACH** participant (including bowlers, officials and media) **in high resolution (JPEG format)**, should be returned to the host federation by email [atbc2016@hktbc.org.hk](mailto:atbc2016@hktbc.org.hk)

### **3. Website and Email**

The official website of the 24<sup>th</sup> Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships is <http://www.atbc2016-hk.com/>. From May 1, 2016 onwards, it will be continuously updated with information concerning the Championships.

The official email of the 24<sup>th</sup> Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships is ([atbc2016@hktbc.org.hk](mailto:atbc2016@hktbc.org.hk)). All communication related to or regarding the Championships should be through this email address.



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### 4. Preliminary Schedule of Events (Revised)

|            |           |               |  |
|------------|-----------|---------------|--|
| 17.09.2016 | Saturday  | 10.00 - 18.00 | Ball Registration<br>Unofficial Practice   |
|            |           | 12.00- 14.00  | <b>Press Conference</b> , Regal Hongkong Hotel   |
|            |           | 14.30- 16.30  | <b>Community activities</b> , SCAA Bowling Centre  |
|            |           | 15.00         | <b>28<sup>th</sup> ABF Executive Committee Meeting</b><br>Regal Hongkong Hotel                 |
| 18.09.2016 | Sunday    |               | <b>Last day of team arrivals</b>   |
|            |           | 09.00         | Registration of delegates for General Assembly   |
|            |           | 10.00         | <b>24<sup>th</sup> ABF General Assembly</b><br>2/F, Olympic House, Jockey Club Lecture Theatre |
|            |           | 10.00 - 18.00 | Ball Registration<br>Unofficial Practice   |
|            |           | 18.00 - 20.00 | <b>Team Managers Meeting</b><br>2/F, Olympic House, Jockey Club Lecture Theatre                |
| 19.09.2016 | Monday    | 10.00 - 17.00 | Ball Registration  |
|            |           | 08.30 - 10.00 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 10.00 - 11.30 | Official Practice Squad 1  |
|            |           | 11.30 - 13.00 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 13.00 - 14.30 | Official Practice Squad 2  |
|            |           | 19.00         | <b>Opening Ceremony</b> , SCAA Bowling Centre  |
|            |           | 20.00         | <b>Welcome Reception</b> , Regal Hongkong Hotel  |
| 20.09.2016 | Tuesday   | 07.30 - 09.00 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 09.00 - 09.10 | Practice   |
|            |           | 09.10 - 12.40 | Singles - Women and Men Squad 1  |
|            |           | 12.40 - 14.10 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 14.10 - 14.20 | Practice   |
|            |           | 14.20 - 17.50 | Singles - Women and Men Squad 2  |
| 21.09.2016 | Wednesday | 07.30 09.00 - | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 09.00 - 09.10 | Practice   |



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|            |          |               |  |
|------------|----------|---------------|--|
|            |          | 09.10 - 12.40 | Singles - Women and Men Squad 3                      |
|            |          | 12.40 - 14.10 | Lane Maintenance                                     |
|            |          | 14.10 - 14.20 | Practice   |
|            |          | 14.20 - 17.50 | Doubles - Women and Men Squad 1                      |
|            |          | 18.00         | <b>Medal Ceremony, Singles<br/>(Women &amp; Men)</b> |
| 22.09.2016 | Thursday | 07.30 - 09.00 | Lane Maintenance                                     |
|            |          | 09.00 - 09.10 | Practice   |
|            |          | 09.10 - 12.40 | Doubles - Women and Men Squad 2                      |
|            |          | 12.40 - 14.10 | Lane Maintenance                                     |
|            |          | 14.10 - 14.20 | Practice   |
|            |          | 14.20 - 17.50 | Doubles - Women and Men Squad 3                      |
|            |          | 18.00         | <b>Medal Ceremony, Doubles<br/>(Women &amp; Men)</b> |
| 23.09.2016 | Friday   | 07.30 - 09.00 | Lane Maintenance                                     |
|            |          | 09.00 - 09.10 | Practice   |
|            |          | 09.10 - 11.40 | Trios - Women and Men (Squad 1) Block 1              |
|            |          | 11.40 - 13.10 | Lane Maintenance                                     |
|            |          | 13.10 - 13.20 | Practice   |
|            |          | 13.20 - 15.50 | Trios - Women and Men (Squad 2) Block 1              |
| 24.09.2016 | Saturday | 07.30 - 09.00 | Lane Maintenance                                     |
|            |          | 09.00 - 09.10 | Practice   |
|            |          | 09.10 - 11.40 | Trios - Women and Men (Squad 2) Block 2              |
|            |          | 11.40 - 13.10 | Lane Maintenance                                     |
|            |          | 13.10 - 13.20 | Practice   |
|            |          | 13.20 - 15.50 | Trios - Women and Men (Squad 1) Block 2              |
| 25.09.2016 | Sunday   | 07.30 - 09.00 | Lane Maintenance                                     |
|            |          | 09.00 - 09.15 | Practice   |
|            |          | 09.15 - 13.15 | Team of 5 - Women - Block 1                          |
|            |          | 13.15         | <b>Medal Ceremony, Trios (Women &amp; Men)</b>       |
|            |          | 13.15 - 14.45 | Lane Maintenance                                     |



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|            |           |               |  |
|------------|-----------|---------------|--|
|            |           | 14.45 - 15.00 | Practice   |
|            |           | 15.00 - 19.00 | Team of 5 – Men – Block 1                                      |
| 26.09.2016 | Monday    | 07.30 - 09.00 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 09.00 - 09.15 | Practice   |
|            |           | 09.15 - 13.15 | Team of 5 – Men – Block 2                                      |
|            |           | 13.15 - 14.45 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 14.45 - 15.00 | Practice   |
|            |           | 15.00 - 19.00 | Team of 5 – Women – Block 2                                    |
|            |           | 19.00         | <b>Medal Ceremony, Team of 5<br/>(Women &amp; Men)</b>         |
| 27.09.2016 | Tuesday   | 08.30 - 10.00 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 10.00 - 10.10 | Practice   |
|            |           | 10.10 - 12.40 | Masters – Women & Men<br>(1st Block of 8 Games)                |
|            |           | 12.40         | <b>Medal Ceremony, All Events<br/>(Women &amp; Men)</b>        |
| 28.09.2016 | Wednesday | 07.30 - 09.00 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 09.00 - 09.10 | Practice   |
|            |           | 09.10 - 11.40 | Masters – Women & Men<br>(2nd Block of 8 Games)                |
|            |           | 12.00 - 12.30 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 12.30 - 12.40 | Practice   |
|            |           | 12.40 - 14.10 | Stepladder Finals – Women                                      |
|            |           | 14.10 - 14.40 | Lane Maintenance   |
|            |           | 14.40 - 14.50 | Practice   |
|            |           | 14.50 - 16.20 | Stepladder Finals – Men  |
|            |           | 16.20         | <b>Medal Ceremony, Masters (Women &amp; Men)</b>               |
|            |           | 19.00         | <b>Victory Banquet</b><br>Rotunda 2, E-Max, KITEC, Kowloon Bay |
| 29.09.2016 | Thursday  |               | Departure of Teams   |



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### 5. Official Hotels

All reservations must be made directly to the relevant hotel. First night room charge guarantee of all the rooms reserved **MUST** be made before booking could be confirmed. Please refer to the respective form for the payment methods of the guarantee. **Deadline for reservation is August 22, 2016. Deadline for room cancellation is September 1, 2016. Forfeiture of the first night room charge of the rooms booked applied** if cancellation is made after the deadline or for no show.

**All bookings are on a first-come-first-serve basis, reservations made after the deadline will be subject to availability of rooms at the official hotels and room rates may not be the same.** Updated information on room availability in official hotels will be released periodically for federations' reference and information.

#### 1. City Garden Hotel (Please refer to Form E)

|                                 |                |                   |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Single/Twin (room only)         | HK\$ 750 net   | (approx. US\$98)  |
| Room with 1 Buffet Breakfast    | HK\$ 850 net   | (approx. US\$111) |
| Room with 2 Buffet Breakfasts   | HK\$ 950 net   | (approx. US\$124) |
| Triple (room only)              | HK\$ 1,080 net | (approx. US\$141) |
| Triple with 3 buffet breakfasts | HK\$ 1,380 net | (approx. US\$180) |

\*Room rates are inclusive of 10% service charge per room per night

|                 |   |  |
|-----------------|---|--|
| Address         | : | 9 City Garden Road, North Point, Hong Kong                       |
| Telephone       | : | +(852) 2806 4002   |
| Fax             | : | +(852) 2571 7452   |
| Email           | : | jenniferlau@citygarden.com.hk                                    |
| Website         | : | <a href="http://www.citygarden.com.hk">www.citygarden.com.hk</a> |
| Contact person: | : | Ms. Jennifer Lau   |

#### 2. The Excelsior Hong Kong (Please refer to Form F)

|   |            |                   |
|---|------------|-------------------|
| Single/Twin (room only)                     | HK\$ 1,050 | (approx. US\$137) |
| *plus 10% service charge per room per night |            |                   |
| 1 Buffet Breakfast                          | HK\$ 120   | (approx. US\$16)  |
| *plus 10% service charge per person         |            |                   |
| 1 Extra Bed                                 | HK\$ 350   | (approx. US\$46)  |



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\*plus 10% service charge per unit per night

Address : 281 Gloucester Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong  
Telephone : +(852) 2837 6973  
Fax : +(852) 2240 0773  
Email : mkong@mohg.com  
Website : [www.mandarinoriental.com/excelsior](http://www.mandarinoriental.com/excelsior)  
Contact person: Ms. Marina Kong

### 3. Harbour Grand Hong Kong (Please refer to Form G). This is also the official hotel for delegates of 24<sup>th</sup> ABF General Assembly

|                                 |                |                   |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Single/Twin (room only)         | HK\$ 940 net   | (approx. US\$123) |
| Room with 1 Buffet Breakfast    | HK\$ 1,070 net | (approx. US\$139) |
| Room with 2 Buffet Breakfasts   | HK\$ 1,200 net | (approx. US\$156) |
| Triple (room only)              | HK\$ 1,240 net | (approx. US\$162) |
| Triple with 3 buffet breakfasts | HK\$ 1,630 net | (approx. US\$212) |

\*Room rates are inclusive of 10% service charge per room per night

Address : 23 Oil Street, North Point, Hong Kong  
Telephone : +(852) 2121 2676  
Fax : +(852) 2121 2696  
Email : jerry12@harbourgrand.com  
Website : [www.harbourgrand.com](http://www.harbourgrand.com)  
Contact person: Mr. Jerry Lo

### 4. Harbour Plaza North Point (Please refer to Form H)

|                                 |                |                   |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Single/Twin (room only)         | HK\$ 700 net   | (approx. US\$91)  |
| Room with 1 Buffet Breakfast    | HK\$ 800 net   | (approx. US\$104) |
| Room with 2 Buffet Breakfasts   | HK\$ 900 net   | (approx. US\$117) |
| Triple (room only)              | HK\$ 1,085 net | (approx. US\$141) |
| Triple with 3 buffet breakfasts | HK\$ 1,385 net | (approx. US\$180) |

\*Room rates are inclusive of 10% service charge per room per night

Address : 665 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong  
Telephone : +852 2185 2832



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Fax : +852 2185 2000  
Email : CarmenS@harbour-plaza.com  
Website : <http://www.harbour-plaza.com/>  
Contact person: Ms. Carmen Shek

**5. Regal Hongkong Hotel (Please refer to Form I) This is also the official hotel for delegates of 24<sup>th</sup> ABF General Assembly as well as ABF Executive Committee Members**

|                                 |                |                   |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Single/Twin (room only)         | HK\$ 1,160 net | (approx. US\$151) |
| Room with 1 Buffet Breakfast    | HK\$ 1,290 net | (approx. US\$168) |
| Room with 2 Buffet Breakfasts   | HK\$ 1,420 net | (approx. US\$185) |
| Triple (room only)              | HK\$ 1,460 net | (approx. US\$190) |
| Triple with 3 buffet breakfasts | HK\$ 1,850 net | (approx. US\$241) |

\*Room rates are inclusive of 10% service charge per room per night

Address : 88 Yee Wo Street, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong  
Telephone : +(852) 2837 1980  
Fax : +(852) 2577 9912  
Email : [rhk.adocom@regalhotel.com](mailto:rhk.adocom@regalhotel.com)  
Website : [www.regalhotel.com](http://www.regalhotel.com)  
Contact person: Ms. Betty Lai

### **6. Bowling Centre**

South China Athletic Association

Address : Bowling Centre, 1/F Sports Centre, 88 Caroline Hill Road, Causeway Bay  
Phone : +(852) 2890 8528  
Fax : +(852) 2839 2369  
Website : [www.scaa.org.hk](http://www.scaa.org.hk)

### **7. Technical Information**

Number of lanes: 40  
Type of lane approaches: Brunswick synthetic



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Type of lane surface: Brunswick synthetic ProLane  
Type of pin decks: Brunswick synthetic  
Type of pinsetter: Brunswick GS-10  
Type of pins to be used: AMF (3.8 – 3.10 lbs)  
Type of scoring system: Brunswick Frameworkorx

### Dressing Specifications

Oiling Machines Kegel Flex  
Conditioner Ice  
Cleaner Defense C  
Oiling Pattern Circulated to all member federations on July 21, 2016

## 8. Unofficial Practice

The following time slots will be available for unofficial practice from September 16 – 18, 2016.

Available for Unofficial Practice

September 16 – 18 9:30 am – 6:00 pm

\*Unofficial Practice is **not available on September 17 from 2 pm – 5 pm.**

Lane fees

\$37/game

The fee per lane is in HK Dollars and lane fees have to be paid in cash only directly to SCAA Bowling Centre onsite after unofficial practice. Each booking for each federation will be a maximum of two pairs of lanes for every 2 hour. But teams may bowl as long as they choose to do so if lanes are not booked by other teams or members of SCAA. Lanes for the unofficial practice will be available on a first-come-first-served basis and all bookings must be made through our Congress and subject to availability of SCAA Bowling Centre.

Please submit your Unofficial Practice Lane Reservation Form (Form J) directly to Hong Kong Tenpin Bowling Congress by email [atbc2016@hktbc.org.hk](mailto:atbc2016@hktbc.org.hk) on or before September 9, 2016. Please show up punctually to avoid your booking being given to another federation.



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### 9. Committees

#### Jury of Appeal

To be announced in the Technical Meeting

#### Tournament Technical Committee

Tournament Director

Dr. Danny Santos

Host Tournament Coordinator

Mr. Frankie Cheung

### 10. Transportation

Participating teams will arrive Hong Kong at the Hong Kong International Airport, which is around 80 minutes driving distance to the Championships venue, South China Athletic Association. The Venue is around 10 minutes walking distance to the Regal Hongkong Hotel, 15 minutes walking distance to The Excelsior Hong Kong, 15 minutes driving distance to City Garden Hotel/Harbour Grand Hong Kong and 20 minutes driving distance to Harbour Plaza North Point Hotel. Pick-up will be arranged for all participating teams and registered guests to and from The Excelsior Hong Kong/City Garden Hotel/Harbour Grand Hong Kong/Harbour Plaza North Point Hotel to Championships venue. Pick-up will **only** be arranged for all participating teams and registered guests to and from Regal Hongkong Hotel and to and from Championships Venue in case the **Yellow Rain Signal/or Typhoon Signal No. 3** is on (as announced by the Hong Kong Observatory).

### 11. Hospital Facility

Ruttonjee Hospital is the nearest hospital in the vicinity, which is around 10 minutes driving distance from South China Athletic Association or Regal Hongkong Hotel and 15 - 20 minutes driving distance from City Garden Hotel/The Excelsior Hong Kong/Harbour Grand Hong Kong/Harbour Plaza North Point Hotel.

### 12. Visa Information

No visa for entry is required for more than 170 countries/regions. However, the visa-free period may vary among countries/ regions. The entry forms are NOT valid as visas. All



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countries/ regions should confirm visa information independently by checking "Part II of Visit Visa/ Entry Permit Requirements for the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region" from the Immigration Department of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region [www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/visit-transit/visit-visa-entry-permit.html](http://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/visit-transit/visit-visa-entry-permit.html).

Application form could be found in [www.immd.gov.hk/eng/forms/hk-visas/visit-transit.html](http://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/forms/hk-visas/visit-transit.html).

The application process may take more than 6 weeks' time. **All visa applications have to be done by Hong Kong SAR Immigration Department** and not through the Chinese Embassy in your country/territory. We earnestly request that **all filled out forms should be email to HKTBC at least 2 months before the commencement of the championship** to facilitate our processing with the HKSAR Immigration Department.

### **13. National Anthem and Flags**

All participating federations are reminded to bring along 3 national flags (1 meter x 2 meters) and 1 CD of their national anthem which will be collected by the Secretariat upon arrival.

### **14. Fees**

#### **Entry Fee for Delegation**

The 24th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships entry fee is US\$200 per person for all players, coaches and administrators as well as any extra person in the official delegation. These fees cover accreditation card, transportation, participation in Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, and the Victory Banquet.

#### **Entry Fee for Guests/ Supporters**

The entry fee for guests and supporters is US\$200 per person. These fees cover accreditation card, transportation, entry into bowling venue, participation in the Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, **and** the Victory Banquet. Guests and supporters may reserve rooms in the official hotels subject to availability of rooms in each hotel.

#### **Press Officials**

Unless they have other duties (another capacity) related to a team or federation at the 24th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships, there will be no entry fee for accredited press officials except for participation in the Victory Banquet. Banquet fee for press is US\$50 per person.



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### **Payment information**

Federations will receive an official invoice after having submitted their Entry Forms and are kindly requested to settle payment by cash (USD) at the Team Managers Meeting on September 18, 2016.

### **Additional information**

The 24th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships will be used for the Asian Zone qualification to take part in the World Championships 2017 and World Games 2017.

#### Combined World Championships 2017

The qualifying criteria is to take the highest All Events scores (24 games) of the top 5 members of each Member Federation's Men's Team and Women's Team respectively in the Championships. The number of teams for the ABF is 12 men's teams and 12 women's teams.

#### World Games 2017

The qualifying criteria is to take the highest All Events scores (24 games) of the top 2 members of each Member Federation's Men's Team and Women's Team respectively in the Championships. The number of positions for the ABF is 5 men's teams and 5 women's teams consisting of two bowlers in each.

#### 24th ABF General Assembly, Sunday, 10 am, September 18, 2016, Jockey Club Lecture Theatre, Olympic House, Hong Kong

We would greatly appreciate it if your federation would confirm with ABF Secretariat (email hktbc@netvigator.com) whether your federation would attend the 24<sup>th</sup> ABF General Assembly by returning the attached registration form.



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