## Proposal for Amendment to Standing Procedures For Taekwondo Competition at Olympic Games (Moscow, Russia 2019)

Existing Rules	Proposed Rules

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## Existing Rules

Article 5. Competition Method

- 5.2. In the event of a tied score, a 4th round of two minutes, also known as the golden point round, will be conducted after a minute of rest following the 3rd round. In principle, any points, be it Gam-jeom or Kyong-go, from the previous three rounds shall not be taken into consideration in the golden point round. However, in the event of a tied score after the end of the golden point round, the winner shall be decided based on order of the following criteria:
- 5.2.1 The contestant who achieved a higher number of hits registered by the PSS during the 4th round; 5.2.2 If number of hits registered by the PSS is tied, the contestant who received less numbers of a Kyonggo and Game-jeon (=2 Kyong-gos) during all four rounds;

## Proposed Rules

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Copy and paste from current competition rules

- 5.2 In the event that neither contestant has scored two (2) points after the completion of the golden round, the winner shall be decided by superiority based the following criteria:
- 5.2.1 The contestant who received a point by a punch in the golden round
- 5.2.2 If none of the contestant received a point by a punch or both contestants received a point by a punch each in the golden round, the contestant who achieved a higher number of hits registered by the PSS during the golden round.

5.2.3 If 5.2.1 and 5.2.2 are the same, the referee and judges shall determine superiority based on the content of the 4th round.

When a contestant scores the first point in the golden point round, he or she shall be declared the winner. When a contestant receives two Kyong-gos or one Gam-jeom in the golden point round, the opponent shall be declared as the winner.

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- 5.2.4 If number of round won is tied, the contestant who received less numbers of a Gam-jeom during all four rounds
- 5.2.5 If the three above criteria are the same, the referee and judges shall determine superiority based on the content of the golden round. If the superiority decision is tied among the referee and judges, the referee shall decide the winner

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Article 9. Criteria for Quota Allocation for the Olympic	Article 9. Criteria for Quota Allocation for the
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Article 11. Reallocation of unused quota places	Article 11. Reallocation of unused quota places
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Article 13. Other Matters	Article 13. Other Matters
Those matters not prescribed in the Procedure will be dealt with in accordance with the Qualification system - Games of XXXI Olympiad - Rio 2016, WTF Rules, WTF Competition Rules, Rules on Organization and Operation of International Taekwondo Championships, and a resolution of the WTF Council, when necessary.	Those matters not prescribed in the Procedure will be dealt with in accordance with the Qualification system - Games of XXXII Olympiad - Rio 2016 Tokyo 2020, WTF Rules, WTF Competition Rules, Rules on Organization and Operation of International Tackwondo Championships Event Operations Rules, and a resolution of the WTF-Council, when necessary.
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