CEV - COMPETITION SCHEME



<u>Competition Format</u>: (all phases)

NF vs NF, 2 teams per NF per gender

Best of 3 matches

• Golden Match (if any)

1st Phase (May/June 2019)

Registration Timeline:

- ✓ Entry by Country 30th Sept 2018 (done)
- ✓ Entry by Name min 30 days before and will follow CEV regulations

Progression to Next Phase: (16)

√ Top 2 ranked NFs / Event / Gender advance to 2nd Phase

<u>Participation Restriction</u>:

- The top eight (8) ranked NFs per gender, as per CEV NF Ranking as of 30th September 2018, will advance directly to the 2nd phase without participating in the 1st phase.
- The NF organizing the CEV Continental Cup Final per gender, will advance directly to the 3rd phase, i.e. the CEV Continental Cup Final, without participating in the 1st and 2nd phase.

2nd Phase Timeline: (12th-17th May 2020)

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- ✓ Event organisers confirmed in Autumn 2019
- ✓ Entry by Name min 30 days before and will follow CEV regulations

Progression to Next Phase: (15)

√ Top 5 ranked NFs / Event / Gender advance to 3rd Phase

Registration Restriction:

- As per the IOC Qualification system circulated in April 2018, an athlete can earn a maximum of one (1) quota place for his/her NOC/NF to the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020. Any athlete(s) already secured a quota place for their NOCs/NFs are not allowed to participate in the 2nd phase and therefore benefit their NFs.
- In addition to the above, in case any NF that has already obtained maximum of two (2) quota places through other Olympic qualification pathways before the start of the 2nd phase, will not be able to play in the 2nd phase and shall be replaced by the next eligible NF accordingly.

3rd Phase – CC Final (22nd-28th June 2020)

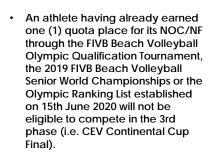
<u>Registration Restriction</u>:

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NF

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NOCs/NFs which have already obtained two (2) quota places as per the FIVB Beach Volleyball Olympic Qualification Tournament, the 2019 FIVB Beach Volleyball Senior World Championships or the Olympic Ranking List of 15th of June 2020 will not compete in the 3rd phase (i.e. CEV Continental Cup Final). They will be replaced by the next eligible NOC/NF in the 2nd phase.



Winning NF of the CC Final will qualify to Tokyo 2020







