



**ISSF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
RIFLE / PISTOL
CAIRO, EGY
6 NOV – 18 NOV 2025**

GENERAL INFORMATION

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All information is available on the following websites:

www.issf-sports.org

www.egyptianshooting.org

All Preliminary and Final Entries for Athletes and Officials must be done directly online:

<https://shootingsportscloud.com>

For any questions or support: registration@issf-sports.org

1. Invitation

The Invitation is attached to this General Information.

2. Dates and Schedule

Official Arrival	6 NOV 2025
Pre-Event Training	7 NOV 2025
Technical Meeting	7 NOV 2025
Competitions	8 NOV – 17 NOV 2025
Official Departure	18 NOV 2025

The Preliminary Competition Schedule of the ISSF World Championship is attached to this General Information. The Final Competition Schedule (including Training Schedule) will be distributed after the Final Entry Deadline (30 days before the Official Arrival Day).

The latest Schedule updates will be provided at the Technical Meeting.

3. Rules and Regulations

The ISSF World Championship will be conducted according to the actual ISSF Rules and Regulations. Detailed information is available on the ISSF website www.issf-sports.org.

ISSF Juries (Competition Jury, RTS Jury, and Equipment Control Jury) will be designated by the ISSF to supervise the ISSF World Championship. Qualified Range Officers / Referees holding applicable ISSF licenses will conduct the competitions.

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Rifle / Pistol Equipment

Equipment Control will be conducted according to ISSF Rules using approved, calibrated instruments. Pre-competition testing is not mandatory, however, athletes are responsible for competing with legal equipment and clothing. All athletes are urged to submit any doubtful equipment and clothing to Equipment Control for checking before the competition. All athletes are subject to being selected for random post-competition testing and will be disqualified if their equipment or clothing is not legal according to ISSF Rules.

Rifle Clothing

All Rifle athletes must have ISSF seals with serial numbers on their jackets and trousers. Any jackets or trousers that do not have ISSF seals must be submitted to Equipment Control for inspection and the affixing of a seal before the athlete's first competition. Jackets and trousers that were previously inspected and have an ISSF seal continue to be valid except that athletes with more than one jacket or trousers must report to Equipment Control before their first competition to confirm which jacket and which trousers they will use. All other seal numbers for that athlete will be cancelled. Athletes that wish to replace a registered jacket or trousers with a new clothing item must bring that item to Equipment Control for inspection and a new seal. Previous seals will then be cancelled. Rifle athletes can have only one active jacket and trousers at any time.

Rifle Clothing Post-Competition Stiffness Testing

If one (1) panel of a rifle jacket or trousers tests 2.9 or lower, the stiffness device must be recalibrated, and the panel must be retested. If it fails again, but all other panels pass, the athlete will not be disqualified, but a written warning must be given to the athlete and the ISSF seal must be cut off. The athlete can continue using this clothing for that day in that event. If two (2) or more panels fail, the athlete must be disqualified.

Air or CO₂ Cylinders

It is the athlete's responsibility to ensure that any air or CO₂ cylinder is still within its validity date. This may be checked by Equipment Control.

Equipment Control

Equipment Control will be open to athletes according to the Competition Schedule.

4. Participation

Individual Events / Team Events – Rifle/Pistol

ISSF Member Federations can enter a maximum of three (3) athletes per individual event who may participate as one (1) team in team event.

Individual Events – Target Sprint

ISSF Member Federations can enter a maximum of six (6) athletes per individual event.

Mixed Team Events – Rifle/Pistol

ISSF Member Federations can enter a maximum of two (2) teams per mixed team event, consisting of one (1) male and one (1) female athlete.

Mixed Team Events – Target Sprint

ISSF Member Federations can enter a maximum of two (2) teams per mixed team event, consisting of either one (1) male and two (2) female athletes or two (2) male and one (1) female athlete.

ISSF Member Federations can enter a maximum of three (3) teams per mixed pair event, consisting of one (1) male and one (1) female athlete.



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Maximum Entry / Range Capacity

The maximum number of starts per event is the number of athlete/mixed team entries that can be accepted for each event. Range capacity is determined by the available shooting time and the number of available ranges.

If the maximum number of starts is reached during the Final Entry process, a “waiting list” for that event(s) will be established. If cancellations are subsequently received, entries from the waiting list will be entered on a first come, first served basis.

ISSF and Organizing Committee will cooperate to determine if additional entries from the waiting list can be accommodated.

Men Events	Max. No. of Starts	Women Events	Max. No. of Starts
10m Air Rifle Men	140	10m Air Rifle Women	140
50m Rifle 3 Positions Men	140	50m Rifle 3 Positions W	140
50m Rifle Prone Men	140	50m Rifle Prone Women	140
300m Rifle 3 Positions Men	38	300m Rifle 3 Positions W	38
300m Rifle Prone Men	65	300m Rifle Prone Women	38
10m Air Pistol Men	140	10m Air Pistol Women	140
25m Rapid Fire Pistol Men	90	25m Pistol Women	120
25m Standard Pistol Men	50	25m Standard Pistol W	50
25m Centre Fire Pistol Men	60		
50m Pistol Men	50	50m Pistol Women	27
Target Sprint Men	40	Target Sprint Women	40
Target Sprint Men Junior	40	Target Sprint Women Jun	40
Open Events	Max. No. of Starts		
300m Standard Rifle Open	35		
Mixed Team Events	Max. No. of Teams		
10m Air Rifle Mixed Team	70		
10m Air Pistol Mixed Team	70		
Target Sprint Mixed Team	20		
Target Sprint Mixed Pair	30		
Target Sprint Mixed Team J	20		
Target Sprint Mixed Pair J	30		

ISSF ID Number

All athletes must sign an "Athlete's Declaration" and have an official ISSF ID number issued before participation in the ISSF World Championship.

Athletes without ISSF ID number will not be allowed to participate. ISSF ID numbers can be obtained from the ISSF Headquarters by using the official application form.

Attention: Starting from 2025, all athletes, even with an official ISSF ID number already issued, must sign the updated “Athlete’s Declaration” (Edition 2025) once again. Without renewed signature the athlete cannot be registered online and will not be allowed to participate in any ISSF Championship. The ISSF Headquarters communicated all details about this new procedure already in November 2024.

ISSF Member Federations are urged to ensure that all of their athletes who should be registered for the ISSF World Championship Athens 2025 have signed the updated declaration and returned it together with the a copy of the athlete’s passport for verification purposes to the ISSF Headquarters at registration@issf-sports.org far ahead of the Final Entry Deadline.

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Juniors (only applicable for Target Sprint Junior Events)

Athletes will remain as Juniors until the 31st December of the year in which they become 21 years of age. Therefore, for the ISSF World Championship Cairo 2025 athletes must be born in 2004 or later.

Minimum Participation Requirements

The minimum participation requirements for official ISSF World Championship events, so with official Championship medals and the opportunity to set official ISSF World Records, are as following:

- Individual Events 15 Athletes
- Team Events 5 Teams
- Mixed Team Events 10 Mixed Teams

If an event does not reach the minimum requirement at the Final Entry Deadline, the federations with entries in this event will be notified.

If an event does not reach the minimum requirement at the Late Entry Deadline, it will be declared an "International Championship of Egypt".

5. Registration Process

Please complete the attached Registration Forms (Annex 1 – 6) and return them by the established deadlines (see also: "Summary of Deadlines").

Preliminary and Final Entries for Athletes and Officials must be done directly online by using the ISSF Online Registration System only. There are no separate Registration Forms available, any entries received by email will not be accepted.

Preliminary Entries

ISSF Member Federations must submit their Preliminary Entries by using the ISSF Online Registration System at <https://shootingsportscloud.com>. The Preliminary Entry Deadline is **6 AUG 2025**.

Final Entries

ISSF Member Federations must submit their Final Entries by using the ISSF Online Registration System at <https://shootingsportscloud.com>.

The **Final Entry Deadline** (30 days before the Official Arrival Day) is **7 OCT 2025**.

Late Entries

If the maximum number of athlete entries has not been reached, late entries will only be accepted until the **Late Entry Deadline** (3 days before the Official Arrival Day) which is **2 NOV 2025**.

Important Note: Until the 3 days Late Entry Deadline, the change of names / athletes within an event in the Final Entries are possible without restriction and additional fees:

Any additional entries received after the Late Entry Deadline, from **3 NOV 2025** onwards, may not participate.

Entry Confirmation upon arrival

All Team Leaders of participating ISSF Member Federations must report to the Organizing Committee Entries Official and confirm their Final Entries. The confirmation must be completed before 12:00h on the day before the Pre-Event Training.

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Entry Changes after the Late Entry Deadline

From **3 NOV 2025** onwards, only the replacement of a registered athlete by another already registered athlete (in another event) is permitted and can be made only before 12:00h on the day before the Pre-Event Training for that specific event.

Cancellation

Any ISSF Member Federation that reduces the number of athletes and / or officials after the Final Entry Deadline (**7 OCT 2025**) must pay all applicable entry fees and hotel room cancellation costs according to the number of athlete and official entries originally received. If the applicable fees and costs are not paid, no member of that federation may participate.

Entry Fees

The entry fees include all charges for registration, local transportation between shooting range and official hotels and doping control.

Fee	Description
EUR 170.00	Final Entry Fee per athlete / per event
EUR 170.00	Final Entry Fee per team / per event
EUR 170.00	Final Entry Fee per mixed team / per event
EUR 50.00	Final Entry Fee per official
EUR 220.00	Late Entry Fee per athlete/team/mixed team / per event (170.00 + additional 50.00)
EUR 170.00	Cancellation Fee per athlete/team/mixed team / per event
EUR 50.00	Cancellation Fee per official

Payment of Entry Fees

All payments must be made in EURO (€) to the Organizing Committee upon arrival at the shooting range in the ACCREDITATION OFFICE.

- CASH payment is generally NOT PREFERABLE.
- CASH payment will be accepted only in exceptional cases, and for amounts of a maximum of EUR 1.000 per EACH transaction.
- PREFERRED PAYMENT METHOD: through BANK TRANSFER
- Please email the relevant payment copy to: egyptianshooting@gmail.com
- The participating federation making the bank transfer payment has to indicate on the swift the COUNTRY ABBREVIATION CODE, so as to allow the OC to identify it easily.
- Once issued, please send the payment copy to: egyptianshooting@gmail.com
- COPIES OF BANK TRANSFERS have to be sent to the OC by 1 OCT 2025 LATEST
- ALL BANK CHARGES must be paid by the participating federation. If there's still any BALANCE about the fees transferred, it must be paid in CASH in EURO at the shooting range upon arrival.
- INVOICES that the OC has to issue about the PRE-PAYMENTS that participating federations have arranged for REGISTRATION (ENTRIES) and/or other OC SERVICES can be required via email to: egyptianshooting@gmail.com STARTING FROM 1 SEP 2025.

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Pre-payments to the Organizing Committee are possible via bank transfer to the following bank account: Egyptian Shooting Federation	
Name of bank	National Bank of Egypt
Branch name	Nasr City
Address	63 Mohammed Hussein Haykal, Al Manteqah as Sadesah, Nasr City, Cairo Governorate 11765
E-mail	NBE-NASR_CITY-BR@nbe.com.eg
Fax	0226718831
SWIFT CODE	NBEG EG CX104
The account number (EGP)	1043070524770300014
IBAN: EGP	EG030003010430705247703000140
The account number (Dollars)	1043060524770300014
IBAN: Dollars	EG760003010430605247703000140
The account number (Euro)	1043060524770300025
IBAN: Euro	EG160003010430605247703000250

ACCREDITATION: for Final Registration and Payments it is requested to be made by one (1) representative per participating federation only.

The representative must show to the Organizing Committee a copy of the bank transfer for entry confirmation if entry fees have been paid in advance.

IMPORTANT:

- In case your federation need ANY SPECIAL REQUIREMENT FOR INVOICING or in case you need the entry receipt to show any particular allocation of Athletes, Group of Athletes (Single Athletes), or in case you need on it a repartition of the relevant costs per specific section (Entry Athletes - Entry Officials - Entry Teams - PET - Transports ...) PLEASE SPECIFY THIS IN ADVANCE, informing the Organizing Committee timely by email to: egyptianshooting@gmail.com
- This to allow a better organization, and for the federations to save queue-time during final registration process on the shooting range!

Accreditation Process

All persons involved in the ISSF World Championship (Athletes, Team Officials, ISSF Officials, OC Officials, Media Persons, ...) must have accreditations that clearly identify the accreditation holder (with photograph, family name and first name, country and function) in order to use the local transportation and to enter controlled areas on the shooting range.

Accreditations (for persons registered before the Late Entry Deadline) will be prepared in advance by the ISSF and Organizing Committee. During the online registration process, the ISSF Member Federations can upload pictures of their athletes and officials to be displayed on the accreditations.

There will be no possibility to take photos for accreditations on the shooting range.

Accreditations and BIB Numbers will be distributed by the Organizing Committee after payment of the entry fees.

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6. Shooting Range

The ISSF World Championship will take place at the Egypt International Olympic City in Cairo, Egypt.
Address: The desert back of Cairo Governorate.

Rifle/Pistol

The shooting range is equipped as follows:

Range	Description
10m range	80 firing points, electronic targets, SIUS AG
25m range	60 firing points (12 groups); electronic targets, SIUS AG
50m range	80 firing points, electronic targets, SIUS AG
300m range	40 firing points, electronic targets, SIUS AG
Finals hall	15 firing points, electronic targets, SIUS AG

The firing direction of the 25m, 50m and 300m range is north.

Target Sprint

The Target Sprint events will be conducted on a temporary venue at the shooting range.

Range	Description
10m mobile ISSF Target Sprint stand	20 firing points, mechanical falling targets, HORA system

7. Immigration and Customs Requirements

Visa

All nations that will need an official invitation of the Egyptian Shooting Federation are requested to order these before **1 SEP 2025** (Annex 5). Please provide us with the Visa Support Form **typed on PC** and as a **word document**.

Unless the Organizing Committee receives a special request, the invitation will be send by e-mail. If an express service is requested, the cost of this service will be charged to the federation and must be paid to the Organizing Committee upon arrival.

The Egyptian Shooting Federation has **no influence** on the embassies.

The Egyptian Shooting Federation can provide invitations for the period of the ISSF World Championship Cairo 2025 only.

Custom Formalities, Temporary Import of Firearms

ISSF Member Federations must declare all firearms brought into Egypt for the ISSF World Championship in advance. **All federations must complete the Firearm and Ammunition Form (Annex 6) clearly and return it with scanned copies of valid passports for each athlete to the Organizing Committee by email not later than 1 SEP 2025.** Please make sure that the firearm document should be sent to the Organizing Committee not later than Thirty (30) days before the arrival in case of the arrival earlier than the official arrival day (6 NOV 2025).

Please type in PC ONLY (no handwriting) on the Word Form (do not use a PDF format) when completing the Firearms Form and send it back by email (No Fax transmission will be accepted)!

The charge for a firearms permit is **EUR 25.00 per firearm**. This has to be wired to the Organizing Committee account in advance or paid to the Organizing Committee at the shooting range.

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The Official Airport for customs clearance of firearms is Cairo Airport.

The Organizing Committee staff will assist firearms clearance in the customs channel. All athletes must go directly to the customs after baggage claim at arrival to verify that the serial numbers of their own firearms are identical with the ones declared in advance.

Please note that any firearm that was not declared in advance on the Firearm and Ammunition Form (Annex 6) or was not correctly declared, cannot be released and will be kept in the custody of customs on arrival. If it is necessary to make or correct a firearm declaration upon arrival, authorization to release the firearm will take at least 3 days.

8. Accommodation

Official Hotels

All room rates are calculated per room / per night. All room rates include the current Egyptian VAT. The fee has to be paid directly in cash in EUR to the Organizing Committee upon arrival or must be paid in advance by bank transfer. Bank transfers to pay entry fees can be transferred to the following bank code:

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Egyptian Shooting Federation	
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Branch name	Nasr City
Address	63 Mohammed Hussein Haykal, Al Manteqah as Sadesah, Nasr City, Cairo Governorate 11765
E-mail	NBE-NASR_CITY-BR@nbe.com.eg
Fax	0226718831
SWIFT CODE	NBEG EG CX104
The account number (EGP)	1043070524770300014
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	Hotel name	Star category	Inclusion	Single room Rate	Double room Rate	Triple room Rate	Distance to Shooting Range
1	Tulipe	5*STAR	Half Board and taxes	200€	240€	280€	Inside the Egypt International Olympic City
2	St. Regis	5*STAR	Half Board and taxes	210€	250€	-	15 Minutes
3	Triumph Luxury	5*STAR	Half Board and taxes	210€	250€	280€	33 km

IMPORTANT: The triple room it's a double room + extra bed.

THE HOTEL SITUATION WILL BE VERY RESTRICTED. SO PLEASE BE AWARE, THAT GOODWILL CONSIDERATIONS FOR "NO SHOWS" OR EARLY DEPARTURES WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE!!! ALSO DO NOT SEND HOTEL RESERVATIONS LATE, AS WE CANNOT GUARANTEE ROOM AVAILABILITY AFTER THE DEADLINE!

Final Hotel Reservation has to be affected by 15 AUG 2025.

When the Final Hotel Form (Annex 2) and the Final Rooming List (Annex 3) are received by 15 AUG 2025, the Organizing Committee will send the invoice to the federation. After the Final Travel Form (Annex 4) is received and the 100% of room rate is paid by 15 SEP 2025, the Organizing Committee will confirm the reservation.

The Organizing Committee cannot guarantee accommodations in official hotels unless full payment is received by the deadline.

Please make sure that the official hotels may be booked through the Organizing Committee only. Hotels will not take any direct booking from federations or individuals.

The deadline for any change or cancellation of a hotel reservation is 24:00 in Egypt local time on 15 SEP 2025. In case of cancellation or no-show after this date, the penalty fee will be equal to 100% of the total cost for any cancelled reservation or room that was not occupied.

All extra charges such as telecommunication, mini bar, extra meals and laundry etc. that occur at the official hotels must be paid directly to the hotel at check-out.

Food Service at the Shooting Range

Food, drink and refreshments will be available at the shooting range at reasonable costs.

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9. Travel and Transportation

Travel – Arrival

The official airport for pickup service at arrival and departure is Cairo Airport.

Airport pick up – Transportation to the Official Hotels (and return for departure)

All delegations registered within the deadline will be welcomed by the Organizing Committee staff at the exit of your arrival gate. Airport pick-up service will be available during the official days of the ISSF World Championship, from **6 NOV to 18 NOV 2025**.

Details about the meeting point or the information desk will be announced later.

Delegations that arrive earlier than the Official Arrival Day (6 NOV 2025) or leave later than the Official Departure Day (18 NOV 2025) must make their arrangements with the Organizing Committee.

If requested in advance but not later than **1 SEP 2025**, the Organizing Committee will arrange airport pick-up service with a cost of **EUR 75.00 per person one way**.

Local Transportation – Shuttle Service

For the delegations who accommodate at the official hotels through the Organizing Committee, free shuttle service will be provided between the hotels and the shooting ranges from **6 NOV to 18 NOV 2025**.

The shuttle schedule will be available at the information bulletin at the hotels and the website of the Organizing Committee.

Please note that any delegations accommodating at non-official hotels must make all their local transportation arrangements (airport-hotel-shooting range) by themselves.

10. Competition Related Procedures at the Shooting Range

Technical Meeting

The Technical Meeting for Rifle/Pistol will take place on 7 NOV 2025 at the shooting range.

The Technical Meeting for Target Sprint will take place on 15 NOV 2025 at the shooting range.

Each participating ISSF Member Federation is kindly requested to have at least one representative present at the Technical Meeting to receive updated information regarding Final Competition and Training Schedules, draw procedures and other important issues related to the ISSF World Championship.

The time of the meetings will be confirmed after the Final Entry Deadline (see also: Final Competition Schedule).

Storage of Firearms and Ammunition

During your stay in Egypt, for the ISSF World Championship, all firearms and ammunition must be deposited in the armory at the shooting range.

It is strictly prohibited to take any air guns and air pellets out of the shooting range.

The armory will be open from 06:30 to 19:30. Every day the armory staff and police will check to confirm that all firearms and ammunitions were returned to the armory after training / competition.

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The federations that wish to arrive earlier than **6 NOV 2025** or leave later than **18 NOV 2025** must pay an additional fee to use the armory, which is **EUR 100.00 per federation**. This fee has to be paid to the Organizing Committee with entry fees.

Ammunition

There is no limitation on the quantity of ammunition that participants can bring into Egypt for the purpose of training and competition during the ISSF World Championship, if the amount of ammunition is declared to the Organizing Committee by the deadline **1 SEP 2025**.

Please be advised **that it is prohibited to sell any Rifle and Pistol ammunition (including air pellets) in Egypt between delegations only through the Organizing Committee**. Delegations are requested to bring all necessary Rifle and Pistol ammunition to be used in training and competition.

-	.22 Eley tenex	30.00 Euro for a box of 50 cartridges
-	.22 Eley match rapid fire pistol	30.00 Euro for a box of 50 cartridges
-	R10 4.5	20.00 Euro for one tin of 500 pellets

Doping Control Tests

Doping Controls Tests will be conducted in accordance with the actual ISSF Anti-Doping Rules.

11. Ceremonies

Opening and Closing Ceremony

The Opening Ceremony will take place on 7 NOV 2025, at 18:00h. The location will be announced later. There will be no Opening/Closing Ceremony.

Medal Ceremony

The Medal Ceremonies will take place at the shooting range several times per day (see also: Final Competition Schedule).

During the ceremonies the athletes are required to present themselves in their official national uniform or national tracksuits (tops and bottoms).

Flags and Anthems

All participating federations are required to bring with them at least one (1) of their national flags (minimum size: 1.20m x 80cm approximately) and one (1) national anthem mp4-format on a flash memory stick (40– 50 seconds).

12. Weather Information

You may expect minimum temperatures of 27°C in the days and not less than 15°C in the nights.

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13. Media Relations

All Media representatives must register for the ISSF World Championship by using the Media Accreditation Form at <https://forms.gle/Xd6SA1pcV15W2xVu5>
The deadline to register Media representatives is **23 OCT 2025**.

All Finals will be streamed at ISSF TV Youtube channel and will be covered on the ISSF website www.issf-sports.org

Media Center will be available during the ISSF World Championship, equipped with telephone lines, facsimiles, e-mail service, pigeonholes for information, etc.

14. Industry Service

Gunsmith services will be available during the ISSF World Championship. Industry representatives can use a booth at their costs for the purpose of exhibition or product sale.
The application and information have been distributed to each industry by e-mail. Then those industries that plan to participate in the ISSF World Championship are requested to fill the application and send it by e-mail.

15. Annexes

All necessary Registration Forms are attached to this General Information.

16. Summary of Deadlines

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17. Social and Cultural Activities

The Organizing Committee will provide further information regarding social opportunities at a later stage.