62nd NATIONAL INTER STATE SENIOR ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023

Kalinga Stadium, Bhubaneswar – Odisha

Organized by

Ministry of Sports and Youth Affairs, Government of Odisha,

Athletics Federation of India & Odisha State Athletics Association

TECHNICAL MANUAL

15th to 19th of June 2023

KALINGA STADIUM, BHUBANESWAR

COMPETITION INFORMATION

1. Competition

2.5. <u>Technical Information Center</u> – TIC (Stadium)

The TIC room is located in the Kalinga Stadium on the western side of the main Track near the 100m start. The main task of the centre is to ensure a smooth liaison between each delegation and the AFI Delegates and the Competition Management regarding technical matters.

The TIC is responsible for, but not limited to the following:

- Display on the relevant notice board of official communications to the teams, including Start Lists,
- Results and Call Room reporting times. These will also be displayed at the Warm- up Area.
- Distribution of urgent notices to the delegations from the AFI Delegates and Competition Management via the pigeonholes. It is the Team Leader's duty to collect this kind of information in due time.
- Receipt of final Conformations.
- > Distribution of Relay Order Confirmation Forms (to be returned at TIC)
- Receipt of Withdrawal Forms
- Managing National Record and Doping Control requests
- TIC General Enquiries
- > Written Appeals:

The TIC will open on 14th June 2023 from 1400hrs to 2000hrs and on all competition days from 2 hours before the start of the first event of the day to 60 minutes after the end of the last event of the day. This will be the main centre for technical information although certain documents produced in TIC will also be distributed to the CIDs for circulation.

Receipt of written questions for the Technical Meeting (deadline, 14th June 2023, 1500hrs)

2. Competition Information

2.1 Date:

The 62nd National Inter State Senior Athletics Championships 2023 will be held from 15th June to 19th June 2023.

2.2 Championship Venue

Kalinga Stadium, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.

2.2.1 Track & Field

Kalinga Stadium, Bhubaneswar will be the Championship venue for track & field events. The **Kalinga Stadium** is equipped with a standard 400m Track with eight lanes and sufficient arena for each field event.

The Throwing events except Finals of Shot Put and Javelin Throw for Men and Women shall be held at the Warm up Ground identified as FOP 2

2.2.2 Warm-Up Ground

The Warm-up ground is situated adjacent to the Championship venue, consisting of standard eight lane Synthetic 400m. Track with sufficient arena for each field events. This venue will also be made available as training venue prior & during the Championship. The Athletes can enter in the Field of Play (FOP) through a passage between the Warm-up ground and main stadium.

2.3 EVENTS

Total Forty Seven [47] events [23 for Men and 23 or Women & 1 Mixed Relay consisting two male and two female Athletes in a Team] will be organized during five days of **The 62nd National Inter State Senior Athletics Championships 2023.**

Men	Wom
	en
1. 100m	1. 100m
2. 200m	2. 200m
3. 400m	3. 400m
4. 800m	4. 800m
5. 1500m	5. 1500m
6. 5000m	6. 5000m
7. 10000m	7. 10000m
8. 110m Hurdles [1.067m]	8. 110m Hurdles [83.8cm]
9. 400m Hurdles [91.4cm]	9. 400m Hurdles [76.2cm]
10. 3000m Steeple Chase[91.4cm]	10. 3000m Steeple Chase[76.2cm]
11. Long Jump	11. Long Jump
12. Triple Jump	12. Triple Jump
13. High Jump	13. High Jump
14. Pole Vault	14. Pole Vault
15. Shot Put [7.260kg]	15. Shot Put [4.000kg]
16. Discus Throw [2.000kg]	16. Discus Throw [1.000kg]
17. Javelin Throw[800gm]	17. Javelin Throw[600gm]
18. Hammer Throw [7.260kg]	18. Hammer Throw [4.000kg]
19. 4 X 100m Relay	19. 4 X 100m Relay
20. 4 X 400m Relay	20. 4 X 400m Relay
21. Decathlon	21. Heptathlon
22. 20km Race Walk	22. 20km Race Walk
23. 35km Race Walk	23. 35km Race Walk
47.4X4	00m Mixed Relay Men & Women

2.4 Competition Schedule

Please see the attached Competition Schedule. However, It's advised to follow the day

wise Schedule in the Start List published day before the event

Eligibility

Only athletes eligible as per the norms of A. F. I. eligibility criteria will be allowed to participate in the Competitions.

2.4.1 Individual Events

An Athlete is eligible to compete only in the events nominated by the relevant governing body.

2.4.2 Team Event [Relay Races]

The composition of Relay Team and running order shall be officially declared not later than one hour before the published first call time for the first heat of each round of the competition. The official declaration form should be submitted at the First Call Room.

2.5 Entry

As per the norms of Athletics Federation of India

3.6.3 Final Confirmation

The Official representative of the participating Unit must submit the Final Confirmation for the First day's event, at the Technical Meeting, which is scheduled at **1700hrs** on **14**th **June 2023 at Tennis Hall, Kalinga Stadium, Bhubaneshwar.** The confirmation of entries for the subsequent days must be submitted not later than 0900hrs on the day prior to the day of Competition at TIC.

2.6 COMPETITION RULES & REGULATIONS

- 2.6.1 **The Championship shall be held in accordance with the World Athletics Competition & Technical Rules (2022 Edition) and AFI rules, regulation and guidelines**. In the event of any divergence over the interpretation of the Rules, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen incidents not covered by the Rules shall be resolved in accordance with the Constitution & Rules of AFI and World Athletics.
- 3.7.2. The Start & Successive progression of heights of the bar in High Jump, Pole Vault, events will be finalized at the Technical Meeting, schedule to be held on 14TH June 2023.

Event	Initial Announcement	Final Announcement	Report at Call Room	Call Room Closing	Competition Site
Track Events (Except Hurdles and Relays)	50 minutes	45 minutes	40 minutes	30minutes	10minutes
Relays	55 minutes	50 minutes	45 minutes	35 minutes	10minutes
Long Jump, Triple Jump, Throwing Events & Hurdles	70 minutes	65 minutes	60 minutes	50 minutes	30minutes
High Jump	80 minutes	75 minutes	70 minutes	60 minutes	40minutes
Pole Vault	100 minutes	95 minutes	90 minutes	80 minutes	60 minutes

3.7.3 Call Room Time Table

Any Athlete Who fails to report at the Call Room in time without valid reason shall be excluded from participating in that event and all further events in the Championship, including Relays.

Team Officials are not allowed in the Call Room.

A detailed day wise Call Room schedule will be published after Final Entries are

confirmed. It will be displayed at the warm up area and TIC.

Athletes participating in the Combined Events shall report at the first call room only for the first event of each day and the Combined Event Referee will control them for the subsequent events.

3.7.4 Call Room Procedures

The procedure in the Call Room shall be as follows:

- UID verification with QR Code scanner attached to the Bib Number
- Identification of athletes by means of their Accreditation Card and Bib.
- Checking of athlete's uniform
- Inspection of personal belongings
- Checking of compliance with Advertising Regulations
- Checking of shoe & spikes (number, shape and size) for compliance with WA Rule 143.3 and 143.4. The maximum sizes allowed are:
- o All events: not more than 9mm
- High Jump and Javelin throw: not more than 12 mm
 If they do not comply with World Athletics Competition Rules, the athletes will be asked to change them to the correct size.

Team Leaders shall ensure that their athletes comply with the above particulars before reporting to the Call Room to avoid delays.

After completion of these procedures, athletes must follow the instructions given by the Call Room Officials before being taken to Final Call Room.

3.7.5 Final Call Room

Final Call Room is located inside the stadium, near the start of the 100m. From the First Call Room Athletes will be marshalled to Final Call Room. Here there is an indoor track (4 lanes) available to athletes before they enter in to the Field of Play. The distance from Final Call Room to the field of play is a short walk- less than 30 Mts. where applicable, hip numbers will be handed out here.

3.7.7 Entry in to the Field of Play

All athletes, escorted by competition officials, shall enter the Field of Play from the Northwest gate. During an event, athletes may not leave the competition area without permission from the Chief Judge. In cases where athletes must leave the Field of Play, an official must escort the athlete.

Sealed water bottles will be provided to all athletes in the competition area.

Specific Event Procedures

3.7.8 Track Events

All the Races shall start with Electronic Gun The starter's commands will be given in English. Lanes1-8 will be used for all events run entirely in lane.

3.7.9 Field Events Trails

In Horizontal Jumps and Throws, the competing order for the fourth and fifth rounds of trials will be in the reverse ranking order recorded after the first three rounds and for the sixth round, it will be in the reverse ranking order recorded after the fifth round.

3.7.10 Pole Vault

An athlete shall, before the competition starts, inform the appropriate official of the position of the crossbar he requires for his first trail and this position shall be recorded. If subsequently an athlete wants to make any changes, he should immediately inform the appropriate official before the crossbar has been set in accordance with his initial wishes, otherwise the time for his attempt will continue to run.

3.7.11 Post Competition Procedures

All athletes will always leave the Field of Play via the Mixed Zone.

In the Mixed Zone, the media may conduct short interviews. Please note that the first three athletes in each Final may also be required to attend the formal interview.

After passing through the Mixed Zone, athletes move to the Post Event Area where they will be able to recover and collect their clothing. The Post Event Area is located at the end of the Press Mixed Zone. Team Leaders may be allowed to access at the end of Mixed Zone by means of a special pass.

Athletes shall provide samples for Dope Test as per the instructions of Doping Control Officials.

Medal Ceremony is also part of competition and the winners should be present for the same in the Official Uniform provided by member unit.

Athletes shall be present for press conference if specifically requested by media or organizers.

4.1 Rule TR4.4 - Failure to Participate

An athlete shall be excluded from participation in all further events in the competition, including Relays, in case where:

- i. A "*Final Confirmation*" was given that the athlete would start in an event but failed to participate.
- ii. Failed to participate on a subsequent round after qualifying in the previous round of the competition

The provision of Medical Certificate endorsed by a Medical Officer appointed or approved by the Local Organizing Committee, may be accepted as sufficient reason to accept that the athlete became unable to compete after final confirmation or after competing in a previous round but will be able to compete in further events on a subsequent day of the competition. Other justifiable reasons (e.g. factors independent of the athlete's own actions, such as problems with the official transport system) may, after confirmation also be accepted.

Note "A": A specific time for the Final Confirmation is fixed.

Note "B": Failure to participate includes failure to compete honestly with bona fide effort. The relevant Referee will decide on this and corresponding reference must be made in the official results.

4.2. Managers' Venue Visit

The venue visits at Kalinga Stadium for the representatives (Manager / Chief of Delegation) of all the participating Units may be organized on request on 14th June 2023 after Technical Meeting.

4.3. Starters' session:

The Starters' session with the athletes of participating Units may be organized on request at 1800hrs. on 14th June 2023 at Warm-Up Track of Kalinga stadium.

Competition Implements:

All implements provided by the Local Organizing committee will be World Athletics approved.

Markers: Athletes will not be permitted to use their own markers during the Championship. The Athletes wishing to use markers will have to use the markers provided by LOC at the event site.

4.4. IMPLEMENT & EQUIPMENT

All implements and equipment which LOC provides for the Competition, Training and Warming up shall conform to World Athletics Rules 2022 and **AFI rules, regulation and guidelines**.

If any athlete wants to use any other brand of World Athletics approved implements other than provided by the LOC, he/she should submit the implement to the TIC at least Two hours prior to the competition for verification. If approved, such implements will be included in the common pool and would be available for use by any other athlete who wishes to use it.

4.4.1. Personal Implements

Personal Implements will be allowed, provided that,

- > they are readily identifiable and are World Athletics certified,
- > they are not already on the official list of implements,
- they have been checked for compliance with World Athletics Rules,
- > they are made available to all the athletes until the end of the Last Trial.

The checking procedure will be done by the Competition Manager or LOC.

If a personal implement cannot be accepted into the pool due to it not meeting the specifications or being unidentifiable, the relevant team will be notified through the TIC, with an explanation, and the implement will be returned.

4.5. Medical Services

The requirement of Medical Services will be provided during the competition.

4.6. Dope Control

The Dope Control will be carried out in accordance with World Athletics Rules 2022 and NADA guidelines.

If a New Unit Record is created by the athlete or Relay Team, the Team Delegates may apply for a Dope Test for their Record ratification. Such request shall be made to the TIC at the Kalinga Stadium immediately after the particular event. The cost of the Test will be notified by the LOC, which the team has to remit along with the request.

Every Team can check at the TIC whether the athlete is required to take a Dope Control Test. If it is required, then one Team Official shall accompany the athlete after obtaining a special access card from TIC.

4.8. Competition Management

The Organizing Committee of **The 62nd National Inter State Senior Athletics Championships 2023** shall be responsible for the organization and management of this Competition under the guidance of AFI.

4.9. Technical Officials

All events will be officiated by the Technical Officials appointed by Odisha Athletics Association and Key Officials appointed by Athletics Federation ofIndia.

4.10. Protests

- 1) In accordance with the World Athletics Rule, a Jury of Appeal shall be appointed by AFI
- 2) Protests shall be processed according to the World Athletics Rules. Protest concerning with the result or conduct of an event must be made within thirty (30) minutes of the official announcement of the result of the event. Any protest shall, in the first instance, be made orally to the Referee by the athlete himself or someone acting on his behalf.
- 3) An appeal to the Jury must be made within thirty (30) minutes of the official announcement of the decision made by the Referee, in writing on the official protest form, signed by a responsible official on behalf of the athlete, and shall be accompanied by a deposit of rupees 1000 (thousands) of INR, which will be forfeited if the protest is not upheld.
- 4) All appeals must be submitted to the TIC at Kalinga Stadium, from where they will be immediately forwarded to the Secretary of the "Jury of Appeal".

5.0. Outfit

1) Team Clothing

Athletes are required to wear the official uniform of their delegations (as required at the TIC) which must conform to the latest World Athletics Competition Rules and the current World Athletics Advertising Regulations.

Each Team Manager must present and register their team's complete uniform in all its variations at the TIC. Once the uniform has been registered, the judges will inspect the athletes' clothing at the Call-Room.

Only the officially registered uniform will be approved for use when competing. The Lap of Honor and Medal Ceremonies are also considered as part of the Competition.

2) Bib Numbers

The Bib numbers will be distributed at the Technical meeting by the LOC. Each athlete will receive a total of Three (3) bib numbers with safety pins for each athlete taking part in the Competition. Two (2) bib numbers for their Competition vest and one (1) for their bag. These bib numbers must not be cut, folded or obscured in any manner.

3) Personal Belongings

Athletes will only be permitted to take a back pack or similar sized bag with them into the Field of Play in Field Events alone. A strict inspection shall be made on illegal and prohibited items, which athletes may have in their possession. Electronic devices (e.g: radios, CD/MP4 player, mobile phones, cameras, etc.) shall not be permitted. Any items that do not conform to the World Athletics Technical and/or Advertising Rules and Regulations will be seized and may be retrieved at the Post Competition Area after the event.

No needle policy is strictly followed.

5.0. Commendation

5.1. Award Ceremonies

Winner will be awarded with prize and prestige.

5.2. Prizes

The Prizes for the **The 62nd National Inter State Senior Athletics Championships 2023 Competition** will be as follows:-

5.2.1. Individual events

First Place	GOLD Medal
Second Place	SILVER Medal
Third Place	BRONZE Medal

5.2.2. Team Events

First Place	GOLD Medal to each real participating member of the winning team.
Second Place	SILVER Medal to each real participating member of the team finishing Second.
Third Place	BRONZE Medal to each real participating member of the team finishing Third.

5.3. TECHNICAL MEETING

The Technical Meeting will be 1700hrs on 14th June 2023 in the Tennis Hall of Kalinga Stadium. A maximum of two official representatives from each state unit may attend the meeting. The Technical Delegation will preside over the meeting, which will be conducted in English

The meeting will provide updates and new information which is not already mentioned in this Team Manual and will include:-

- > Presentation of the Management Officials of the Championship
- Presentation of the Referees
- Time Table amendments (if any).
- Starting Heights and Rising of the Bar for Vertical Jumps.
- Miscellaneous.

Answers to written questions: Any enquiries concerning the technical conduct of the Competition must be in writing (in English) to the TD or TIC which should be submitted before 1600hrs on 14th June. These questions will be answered at the Technical Meeting. Other relevant questions may also be accepted during the Technical Meeting.

Qualification Marks for Field Events

Men

Long Jump –	7.75m
Pole Vault –	4.90m
Javelin Throw –	76.00m
Shot Put –	17.50m

Women

Long Jump – 5.80m

5.4 Proposed Starting Heights and raising of bar for Vertical Jumps

5.4.1 High Jump

Men – Starting Height 1.90m– 5cm up to 2.05m– 3cm up to 2.20m– 2cm including Practice Trials at 1.85m – 2.05m

Women- Starting Height 1.55m–5cm up to 1.70m– 3cm up to 1.76m– 2cm including Practice Trials at 1.50m – 1.65m

5.4.2 Pole Vault

Men Qualification Mark 4.90m

Progression 4.40m- 4.60m- 4.70m- 4.80m- 4.90m including Practice Trial 4.30m – 4.80m

Final

Men – Starting Height 4.50m – 20cm up to 4.70m – 10cm up to 5.00m – 5cm including Practice Trial 4.40m – 4.80m

Women - Starting Height 2.80m – 20cm up to 3.20m – 10cm up to 3.70m – 5cm including Practice Trial 2.70m – 3.30m

6.0. Services at the Venue

6.1. Warm-Up Area

During the Championships, the Warm-up Area adjacent to the official Field of Play (FOP) may be used from 90 minutes before the start of the competitions to 60 minutes after the last event on each day.

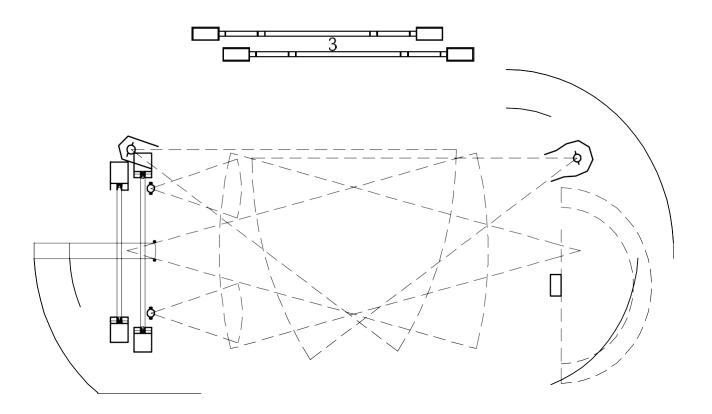
6.2. Warm-Up Ground

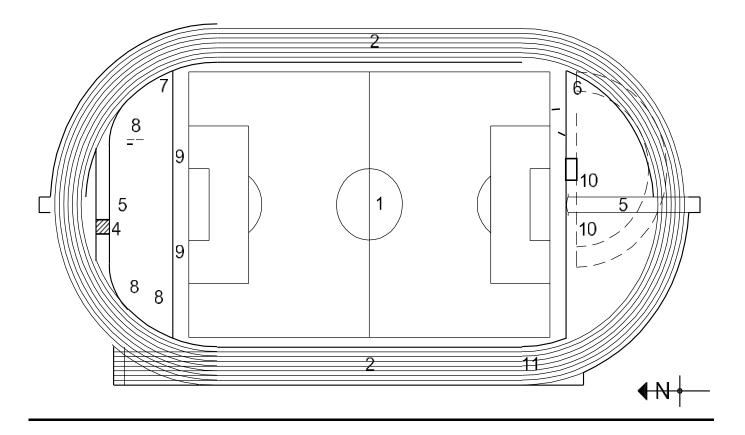
The Warm-Up ground will be opened from 14th June 2023 to 19th June 2023.

.6.3. **Medical Services** The LOC shall provide Medical Services in FOP to the infield injured athletes.

7. <u>COMPETITION SCHEDULE</u> Please see the attachment and must follow the latest start list which will be publish day by day.

8. OFFICIAL IMPLIMENTS: - All Competition implements shall be brandnew from Vinex Brand.





KEY OFFICIALS FOR THE COMPETITION

A. ORGANISATIONAL DELEGATES

- 1. Mr. B. E. Stanley Jones, Chairman Technical Committee, A.F.I.
- 2. Mr. Satish Uchil, Convener Technical Committee, A.F.I.

B. TECHNICAL DELEGATES

- 1. Mr. U. Haridas
- 2. Mr. Shambhudas Bandhopadhyay
- 3. Dr. Onima Reddy

C. REFEREES

- 1. Mr. Sreekumar V. Referee Call Room
- 2. Mr. Rakesh Save Referee Track
- 3. Mr. Hillol Sarkar Referee Throws
- 4. Mr. K. N. Yadav Referee Vertical Jumps
- 5. Mr. Shahidul Hamid Referee Horizontal Jumps
- 6. Mr. Suresh Kanwar Referee Combined Events

D. TECHNICAL MANAGER

1. Mr. Padam Singh Kaunteya

E. TECHNICAL INFORMATION CENTRE

1. Mr. P. K. Mohanty – Manager T.I.C.

F. PHOTO FINISH

1. Mr. Praveen Kumar K P – Chief Photo Finish Judge

G. RACE WALK

1. Mr. K A JOY – Chief Judge

H. START TEAM

- 1. Mr. Sushil Sharma
- 2. Mr. Dinesh Bhaduriya

I. ANNOUNCERS

- 1. Mr. Virender Singh
- 2. Mr. Samson Sequeira
- J. RACE WALK JUDGES
- 1. Ms. Mara Baleani (Italy)
- 2. Mr. S. Govindraju (Singapore)
- 3. Mr. Chang Ping Shan (Taipei)
- 4. Mr. Arun T. Jose
- 5. Mr. Rakesh Save
- 6. Mr. Siddhartha Krishna

K. COMPETITION SECRETARY

1. Neeraj Kumar

Technical Officials

1	CALL ROOM	SUSMITA DUTTA	CHIEF
2	CALL ROOM	AKHIL KUMAR TRIPATHY	
3	CALL ROOM	BHABANI SANKAR JENA	
4	CALL ROOM	BIKASH KUMAR SWAIN	
5	CALL ROOM	BIRANCHI NARAYAN NAYAK	
6	CALL ROOM	SASMITA DAS	
7	CALL ROOM	LINGARAJ BEHERA	
8	CALL ROOM	MAMUNI DAS	
9	CALL ROOM	MANAS RANJAN PATI	
10	CALL ROOM	RANJAN KUMAR PATRA	
1	EDM	ABINASH KAR	
2	EDM	SAMARPRITI PRADHAN	
1	JUMP	AJAYA K.PRADHAN	CHIEF (Vertical)
2	JUMP	ASHISH K.PRADHAN	CHIEF (Horizantal)
3	JUMP	BANSIDHAR MAHATO	
4	JUMP	BIDYADHAR SETHI	
5	JUMP	GIRISH CHANDRA SAHOO	
6	JUMP	GURUPRASAD PATTNAIK	
7	JUMP	SUNITA BARIK	
8	JUMP	S.K. SERAJ	
9	JUMP	DHARMENDRA SAHU	
10	JUMP	DILLIP KUMAR PAL	
1	POST EVENT (Men)	A CHAITANYA KUMAR	
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2	POST EVENT (Women)	NIBEDITA SAHU	
		NIBEDITA SAHU	
		NIBEDITA SAHU MAHESH KUMAE MALLA	

3	RECALLER	Prasant Kumar Nandi	
1	TECHNICAL MANAGER	SUBASISH NAYAK	
2	TECHNICAL MANAGER	Sanjay Kumar Pradhan	
1	THROW	ABDUL AZIM KHAN	
2	THROW	ALOKA MOHANTY	
3	THROW	DIPTI MAYEE NANDA	
4	THROW	Dr.Ramesh Chandra Swain	CHIEF (Group-1)
5	THROW	RAJESH KUMAR SWAIN	
6	THROW	SAHID JAMIL RAZIV	CHIEF (Group-2)
7	THROW	ASHOK KUMAR PANDA	
8	THROW	SK. AHESAN	
9	THROW	BINAYAK HOTTA	
10	THROW	BISWAVIJAYEE V. BEHERA	
1	TIC	Drahadha Kanaan Malanda	
1	TIC	Prabodha Kumar Mohanty DURGADATTA MOHAPATRA	MANAGER
	TIC		
3	TIC	TRINATH PATRA	
1	TIME	BISHNUPRASAD SWAIN	CHIEF
2	TIME	PATRAPUSPA MOHANTY	
3	TIME	RAMESH KUMAR MISHRA	
4	TIME	Sailendra Prasad Barma	
5	TIME/WALK	SUBHASMITA RATH	
6	TIME	SUNAKAR ROUT	
7	TIME	LIPIKA MOHAPATRA	
8	TIME	RAMA CHANDRA SAHOO	
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1	TRACK JUGES	Rupanwita Panda	CHIEF
2	TRACK JUGES	BIMAL CHANDRA SETHI	
3	TRACK JUGES	CHANDRA SEKHAR MEHER	
4	TRACK JUGES	SANGITA KUMARI ROY	
5	TRACK JUGES	SAMBIT MOHANTY	
6	TRACK JUGES	D.SRINIVAS RAO	
7	TRACK JUGES	SUBHARANI DORA	
8	TRACK JUGES	SUBHRAJA BADJENA	
1	COMBINED EVENTS	Abdul Rahim	CHIEF
2	COMBINED EVENTS	SASMITA SETHI	
3	COMBINED EVENTS	DHARMENDRA DAS	
1	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	SK ABDUL HAKIM	CHIEF
2	UMPIRE/ LAP SCORER	AJAYA KUMAR SAHU	
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9	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	KHIROD BEHERA	

10	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	RAKESH KUMAR DALEI	
11	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	TRINATH NAYAK	
12	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	UTTAM SAMAL	
13	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	SAPAN KUMAR BAIRAGI	
14	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	soura mohan samal	
15	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	M BIJAY KUMAR	
16	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	K SURYA BHASKAR	
17	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	NITYA NUTAN DEY	
18	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	DIBESH KUMAR SAHOO	
19	UMPIRES/LAP SCORER	debasish das	

Technical Delegate