

INTERNATIONAL SURFING ASSOCIATION SURFING



A. EVENTS (4)

Men's Event (2)	Women's Event (2)
Men's Shortboard	Women's Shortboard
Men's Longboard	Women's Longboard

B. ATHLETES QUOTA

1. Total Quota for Surfing:

a) Shortboard

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Invitation Places	Total
Men	28	2	2	32
Women	28	2	2	32
Total	56	4	4	64

b) Longboard

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Invitation Places	Total
Men	14	1	1	16
Women	14	1	1	16
Total	28	2	2	32

2. Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:

	Quota per NOC		
	Shortboard	Longboard	Total
Men	2	1	3
Women	2	1	3
Total	4	2	6

The allocation and reallocation of quota places is in all cases subject to this maximum quota allocation per NOC.

3. Type of Allocation of Quota Places:

The quota places for all qualification places and host country places are allocated to the NOC.

For invitation places the quota places are allocated to the athlete(s). Hence, only the athletes that were selected by the Invitation Commission can compete for their NOC in the event for which the invitation place is allocated.

C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

All athletes must comply with the following eligibility criteria (together, the **Athlete Eligibility Criteria**):

1. ANOC Eligibility Criteria

All athletes must respect and comply with the provisions of the [ANOC World Beach Games Regulations](#) (“AWBG Regulations”) currently in force, including but not limited to, Section IV, Rule 3 (Nationality of Competitors) and Section XI (World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of Manipulation of Competitions).

Only those athletes who respect and comply with the AWBG Regulations, the World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of Manipulation of Competitions, including the conditions of participation established by ANOC, plus the rules of the ISA, may participate in the ANOC World Beach Games 2023.

Note: Section IV, Rule 1, of the AWBG Regulations provides that with regard to athlete eligibility in the case of conflict between the AWBG Regulations and the rules of the International Federation, the AWBG Regulations prevail.

2. Additional IF Eligibility Criteria:

To be eligible to participate in the ANOC World Beach Games 2023, all athletes, including those belonging to the Host Country or receiving Invitation Places, must:

- Be in good standing with his/her National federation (“NF”) and the ISA in accordance with the ISA Rule Book in force at the time of the ANOC World Beach Games 2023.

D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

1. Qualification Places:

a) Shortboard

Number of Quota Places	Qualification Pathway
D.1.1 23 Men (Shortboard) 23 Women (Shortboard)	2023 ISA World Surfing Games (WSG) The 23 highest ranked athletes of the 2023 ISA WSG will be allocated one (1) quota place for their NOC, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in section B, paragraph 2 . In the event there is a tie in the ranking when determining the highest eligible athlete, the athlete with the highest heat-score total from their final heat in the 2023 ISA WSG will obtain the quota for their NOC.
D.1.2 5 Men (Shortboard) 5 Women (Shortboard)	Continental Representation The highest ranked eligible athlete not yet qualified through D.1.1 from each of the five (5) continents at the 2023 ISA WSG will receive one (1) quota place for their NOC, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in section B, paragraph 2 . The five (5) continents are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - America - Africa - Asia - Europe - Oceania In the event there is a tie in the ranking when determining the highest eligible athlete, the athlete with the highest heat-score total from their final heat at the respective event will obtain the quota for their NOC.

b) Longboard

Number of Quota Places	Qualification Pathway
D.1.3 9 Men (Longboard) 9 Women (Longboard)	2023 ISA World Longboard Surfing Championship (WLSC) The nine (9) highest ranked athletes of the 2023 ISA WLSC will be allocated one (1) quota place for their NOC, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in section B, paragraph 2 . In the event there is a tie in the ranking when determining the highest eligible athlete, the athlete with the highest heat-score total from their final heat in the 2023 ISA WLSC will obtain the quota for their NOC.

<p>D.1.4 5 Men (Longboard) 5 Women (Longboard)</p>	<p>2023 ISA World Longboard Surfing Championship (WLSC)</p> <p>The highest ranked athlete not yet qualified through D.1.3 from each of the five (5) continents at the 2023 ISA WLSC will receive one (1) quota place for their NOC, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in section B, paragraph 2.</p> <p>The five (5) continents are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - America - Africa - Asia - Europe - Oceania <p>In the event there is a tie in the ranking when determining the highest eligible athlete, the athlete with the highest heat-score total from their final heat at the respective event will obtain the quota for their NOC.</p>
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2. Host Country Places:

Number of Quota Places	Qualification Pathway
<p>D.2.1 2 Men (Shortboard) 2 Women (Shortboard) 1 Man (Longboard) 1 Woman (Longboard)</p>	<p>The Host Country of Indonesia is guaranteed three (3) quota places per gender (two (2) in Shortboard per gender and one (1) in Longboard per gender) provided that they comply with the eligibility criteria outlined in section C and have not fulfilled the respective quota maximum per gender through D.1.1, D 1.2, D.1.3 and/or D.1.4 of the Qualification Pathway.</p>

3. Invitation Places:

Number of Quota Places	Qualification Pathway
<p>D.3.1 2 Men (Shortboard) 2 Women (Shortboard) 1 Men (Longboard) 1 Women (Longboard)</p>	<p>Three (3) quota places per gender (two (2) in Shortboard and one (1) in Longboard) will be made available as invitation places to eligible NOCs to participate at the ANOC World Beach Games 2023 that have not previously qualified as outlined in section D, paragraph 1 and provided the respective athletes comply with the eligibility criteria outlined in section C.</p> <p>To be considered, interested NOCs must reply by 1 March 2023 to the written request from ISA and ANOC that will be sent to eligible NOCs. The Invitation Commission will confirm, in writing, the allocation of invitation places with the relevant NOCs after the end of the qualification period for the concerned sport. The deadline for NOCs to accept the invitation is 22 June 2023.</p>

Number of Quota Places	Qualification Pathway
D.3.1	The allocation of invitation places is in the absolute discretion of the Invitation Commission provided the invited athletes comply with the eligibility criteria outlined in section C . If the Invitation Commission is not able to allocate an Invitation Place, it will be reallocated as per the procedure indicated in section F .

E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

The International Surfing Association (ISA) will publish the final list of qualified NOCs on its website (<http://www.isasurf.org>) on 13 June 2023 at the latest.

ANOC, in conjunction with ISA, will inform the respective NOCs of their allocated quota places within one (1) day of the publication of the list of qualified athletes.

The NOCs will then have one (1) week to confirm in writing with ANOC and ISA if they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in **section G**. If a confirmation is not provided by the deadline, the quota place obtained will be reallocated as per the procedure indicated in **section F**.

The quotas for the host country places and invitation places must be confirmed in writing with ANOC and ISA by 21 June 2023.

F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES

1. Reallocation of unused Qualification Places:

If an allocated quota place is not confirmed by the NOC by the quota place confirmation deadline or is declined by the NOC, then the quota place will be reallocated as follows:

- a) **2023 ISA World Surfing Games:** If qualified through the 2023 ISA WSG as outlined in **section D, paragraph 1.1**, the quota place will be reallocated to the NOC of the next highest ranked eligible athlete at the 2023 ISA WSG, not yet qualified, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in **section B, paragraph 2**.
- b) **2023 ISA World Longboard Surfing Championship:** If qualified through the 2023 ISA WLSC as outlined in **section D, paragraph 1.3**, the quota place will be allocated to the NOC of the next highest ranked eligible athlete at the 2023 ISA WLSC, not yet qualified, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in **section B, paragraph 2**.
- c) **Continental Representation:** If qualified through D.1.2 or D.1.4 (Continental Representation), the quota place will be allocated to the NOC of the next highest ranked eligible athlete from that continent at the 2023 ISA WSG (D.1.1) or 2023 ISA WLSC (D.1.3), respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in **section B, paragraph 2**. Should there be no eligible athlete(s) remaining of a particular continent, then the quota place will be allocated to the NOC of the next highest ranked eligible athlete at the respective event (2023 ISA WSG or 2023 ISA WLSC), regardless of the continent and respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in **section B, paragraph 2**.

2. Reallocation of unused Host Country Places:

If a quota place(s) is not used by the Host Country, then the available Host Country place will be reallocated as follows:

- a) **2023 ISA World Surfing Games:** If a host country place remains unfilled in the Shortboard event then the quota place will be reallocated to the NOC of the next highest ranked eligible athlete at the 2023 ISA WSG, not yet qualified, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in **section B, paragraph 2.**
- b) **2023 ISA World Longboard Surfing Championship:** If a host country place remains unfilled in the Longboard event then the quota place will be allocated to the NOC of the next highest ranked eligible athlete at the 2023 ISA WLSC, not yet qualified, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in **section B, paragraph 2.**

3. Reallocation of unused Invitation Places:

If the Invitation Commission is not able to allocate an invitation place or if a NOC declines an invitation place, then the invitation place will be reallocated as follows:

- a) **2023 ISA World Surfing Games:** If an invitation place remains unfilled in the Shortboard event then the quota place will be reallocated to the NOC of the next highest ranked eligible athlete at the 2023 ISA WSG, not yet qualified, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in **section B, paragraph 2.**
- b) **2023 ISA World Longboard Surfing Championship:** If an invitation place remains unfilled in the Longboard event then the quota place will be allocated to the NOC of the next highest ranked eligible athlete at the 2023 ISA WLSC, not yet qualified, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event as specified in **section B, paragraph 2.**

G. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
1 March 2023	Deadline for ISA and the Invitation Commission to receive the Invitation Place requests.
30 May – 7 June 2023	2023 ISA World Surfing Games (El Salvador)
tbd	2023 ISA World Longboard Surfing Championship
12 June 2023	End of International Surfing Association qualification period
13 June 2023	ISA to publish final list of qualified NOCs
14 June 2023	ANOC and ISA to inform NOCs of their allocated quota places and to confirm in writing the allocation of Invitation Places.
21 June 2023	Deadline for NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places, host country places and invitation places to ANOC and ISA.

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Date	Milestone
From 22 June 2023	ISA and ANOC to reallocate all unused quota places
8 July 2023, 23:59hrs (GMT+8)	Sport Entries Deadline by name for all sports
15 July 2023, 23:59hrs (GMT+8)	Finalisation of DRP Deadline
<i>tbd</i>	End of Late Athlete Replacement and Late Reallocation Process <i>(to be defined in Delegation Registration Process Manual)</i>
<i>tbd</i>	Deadline for FINA to receive on-site confirmation of entries (team compositions) from NOCs into the Mixed Relay event.
6 - 12 August 2023	ANOC World Beach Games 2023