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INVITATION TO

CELCOM AXIATA MALAYSIA INTERNATIONAL SERIES BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

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KOMPLEKS KEJIRANAN PRESINT 11, PUTRAJAYA

11th - 16th JULY 2017

TOTAL PRIZE MONEY: US\$8,000.00

CLOSING DATE: 13th JUNE 2017

To All Member Associations:

Your players are invited to compete in the CELCOM AXIATA Malaysia International Series 2017

Please find enclosed all the necessary information.

1. Organizer: Badminton Association of Malaysia (BAM)

Stadium Juara, Kompleks Sukan Bukit Kiara

Jalan 1/70D, Bukit Kiara

60000 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Tel: ++603 2093 9220 / 9280

Fax: ++603 2094 5855

2. Tournament Venue: KOMPLEKS KEJIRANAN PRESINT 11, PUTRAJAYA

Putrajaya

3. Tournament Dates: 11th to 16th July 2017

5. Sanctioned by : Badminton World Federation (BWF)

Badminton Asia

6. Events: The Championships consist 5 Events:-

GCR: 13.4 In Level 4 tournaments, the players or pairs not directly in the main

competition shall play for a limited number of places fixed by the organisers and there shall be one place for each four places in the

main draw

Event	Entries		Max Entries for	
Event	Main Draw	Qualifiers	Qualifying Round	
Men's Singles	48 + Qualifying	16	32	
Women's Singles	48 + Qualifying	16	32	
Men's Doubles	24 + Qualifying	8	16	
Women's Doubles	24 + Qualifying	8	16	
Mixed Doubles	24+ Qualifying	8	16	

Format: The five events will be played by knockout system using 3 x 21 rally point

scoring system in accordance with BWF Level 4 rules & regulations.

7. Prize Money : **US\$ 8,000.00**

Events	Champion	Runners-up	Semi-finalist	Quarter- finalist	Last 16
Men's Singles Women's Singles (Per Player)	USD\$600.00	USD\$304.00	USD\$116.00	USD\$48.00	USD\$28.00
Men's Doubles Women's Doubles Mixed Doubles (Per Pair)	USD\$632.00	USD\$304.00	USD\$112.00	USD\$58.00	USD\$30.00

8. Prize Presentation : Medals for Champions & Runners-up only

9. Entry Closing Date : 13th June 2017

- 9.1 Member Associations are advised to log on to Malaysia International Series 2017 at: http://www.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=01542802-5A64-4015-97A5-FCB358008E7A and submit the entries online.
- 9.2 You will require a username and password to submit your entries and this can be obtained from the BWF. Please contact Mr. Shanmugam at s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org. The online entry page will close immediately on the entries closing date at 23:59 hours Badminton Asia Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT) and you are required to submit the entries on time. Late entries will not be accepted.
- 9.3 No entry forms are required by Member Association. All entries must be submitted online only.
- 9.4 After the closing date, the BWF Online Entry System will send notification to all participating Member Associations confirming receipt of final entries. Receipt of this notification is the conclusive evidence of receipt of entries before the deadline. The Member Associations should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by the Wednesday (next day of the entries closing date) by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following close of entries. If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday (second day after the entries closing day) 23.59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following the close of entries, the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints / objections shall be entertained after this point.

10. World Ranking Date for M&Q
World Ranking Date for Seeding
Last Date of Withdrawal without penalty
Draw Date
15th June 2017
22nd June 2017
25th June 2017
27th June 2017

(Refer GCR Appendix 8 for tournament datelines)

11. Equipment / Shuttlecock: VICTOR Master Ace

12. Referee : Mr. Nguyen Quang Kieu Khuyen (VIE)

Email: kieukhuyen@gmail.com

Deputy Referee : Mr. Lui Wan Swee (MAS)

Email: wslui168@gmail.com

13. Clothing & Advertising:

Clothing and advertising will be permitted in accordance with BWF Level 4 Rules & Regulations.

MANDATORY CLOTHING REGULATIONS

- 1. Name of player is MANDATORY from the first day of the event.
- 2. From Quarter Finals onwards, doubles partners must wear clothing of the same colour.
- 3. From Quarter Finals onwards, opposing players must wear clothing of significantly different colours.

14. On court Doctor : On-court doctors will be on duty throughout the competition at the

Tournament venue.

15. Doping Test : Doping Test may be conducted randomly throughout the tournament.

16. Official Hotel : 1. Tune Hotel DPulze Cyberjaya

Block D, Cyberjaya CBD, Persiaran Multimedia

63000 Cyberjaya, Selangor

Tel: +603 8320 9920 Mobile: +6016 983 9635 Contact person: Mun – Reservations team

Room Rates (Breakfast NOT included):

Twin-Sharing/Double room at RM 149.00/room/night

To obtain above rates, please quote <u>booking code</u>: **BAM2017** at **wwww.tunehotels.com** , or please refer to the attached

Brochure for booking guideline.

2. Citadines DPulze Cyberjaya

Lingkaran Cyber Point Timur, Cyber 12

63000 Cyberjaya Selangor

Tel: +603 2718 6868 Fax: +603 2718 6888

Email: reservation.kl@the-ascott.com

Contact person: Mr. Hisham Omar - Sales Manager

Tel: +603 8689 9888 Email: hisham.osman@the-ascott.com

Apartment Type	Daily Rate (Inclusive Breakfast)		
Studio Executive (1 Queen bed for 2)	RM206.70		
One Bedroom Executive (2 Single bed for 2)	RM249.10		

Booking should be made on the prescribed *Citadines Reservation Form*, and payment should be settled directly with the hotel.

All Reservation should be made not later than 30 June 2017 and payment should be settled directly with the hotel. Late reservation will be subjected to availability and may be charged on higher rate.

17. Transportation

Airport transfer will be provided from 09 July 2017 until 17 July 2017 from the *Kuala Lumpur International Airport (Main) and *Kuala Lumpur International Airport 2 (KLIA2) to the official hotel and vice versa upon request. The flight details must be filled up in the provided *Flight Details Form* and must be sent to Mr. Eric, email: eric.a@bam.org.my before 27th June 2017.

The host organizer will require sufficient time to co-ordinate airport pickup and to schedule practice court at the tournament venue, so please send your flight details as early as possible.

Late request (after the deadline) will not be entertained. Request for refund of taxi charges will **not** be entertained.

Ground transportation to and from the venue will **ONLY** be provided to participants staying at the **official hotel**.

18. Practice Sessions:

Practice Schedule at the venue (for court testing) will be arranged according to the teams' arrival details and number of players in each team.

19. Accreditation:

ID passes will be arranged for participating players and team officials. Please fill up the **Team Officials' Accreditation Form** and return to **Ms. Jane** Email: jane.l@bam.org.my before 27th June 2017.

20. Visa Application:

All players and officials, who require visa to enter Malaysia should submit full passport details in the provided *Visa Form* to **Ms. Jane**, Email: jane.l@bam.org.my before 13th June 2017.

21. Insurance/Medical:

Please ensure that your players and team officials are covered with the necessary

insurance policy to meet current requirements.

The Organiser will NOT be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any player or official arising from his participation in this Championships. Any costs incurred for medical treatment and/or hospitalization shall be borne by the Member Association of the player/official concerned.

22. Programme (tentative):

11 July 2017:	0830hrs	Qualifying Rounds
	1530hrs	Main Draw WS - R/64
12 July 2017:	0830hrs	Main Draw - R/64 & R32
13 July 2017:	0830hrs	Main Draw - R32 & R/16
14 July 2017:	1600hrs	Quarter Finals
15 July 2017:	1500hrs	Semi Finals
16 July 2017:	1400hrs	Finals

Alterations due to TV-coverage or any other reason are possible and will be announced by the Referee. The above schedule may be changed at the discretion of the Referee.

23. Team Managers and Technical Official Meetings

Team Managers Meeting (10th July 2017)

Time: 1600hrs

Venue: Kompleks Kejiranan Presint 11, Putrajaya.

*Each participating team should appoint one Team Manager to facilitate communication. The Team Managers shall attend any briefings and meetings called by the Referee and/or committee of management (Refer 'General Competition Regulations' 32: Penalties)

Technical Officials Briefing (10th July 2017)

Time: 1830hrs

Venue: Kompleks Kejiranan Presint 11, Putrajaya.

24. Important Datelines and Contacts:

Entry : 13th June 2017 Online entry

Visa Letter : 13th June 2017 jane.l@bam.org.my

Team Officials' Accreditation: 27th June 2017 jane.l@bam.org.my

Flight Details : 27th June 2017 eric.a@bam.org.my

Hotel Reservation : 30th June 2017 Tune Hotel DPulze Cyberjaya

www.tunehotels.com

(Please quote booking code BAM2017)

Citadines DPulze Cyberjaya reservation.kl@the-ascott.com / hisham.osman@the-ascott.com