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TO: All Nominated Referees DATE: July 1, 2018

FROM: Robert Keller / Bill Clayton

SUBJECT: Referee/Staff Schedule – 2018 North American Powerlifting Championship

Thank you in advance for volunteering to referee and assist in the direction of the 16th IPF/NAPF North American Regional Powerlifting Championships that will be held on August 1-4, 2018 at the Sevilla Palace Hotel – Mexico City, Mexico. Enclosed, you will find the Referee/Staff Schedule for the competition.

Mr. Bill Clayton shall serve as the Technical Secretary for the championship. Any questions or changes to the competition referee schedule, please contact Bill Clayton directly at either claytonw@ptd.net or by phone at: 908.496.4172

All referees should wear their winter attire, which includes the following:

<u>Men</u> - Dark Blue Blazer with appropriate IPF/National Federation badge on the left breast pocket. Gray Trousers with a White Shirt and appropriate IPF tie, with black shoes. **Please**, NO sandals or sneakers.

<u>Women</u> - Dark Blue Blazer with appropriate IPF/National Federation badge on the breast pocket. Gray Trousers or skirt with a White Shirt and appropriate IPF scarf or tie, with black shoes. Please, NO sandals or sneakers.

If you are not able to work a session or assignment, please let me know right away so that we can find a replacement.

On a final note, I would like to thank each of personally for your continued support of the International Powerlifting Federation and the North American Regional Powerlifting Federation. Most importantly, I look forward to working with each of you at the championship.

See you in Mexico City.

Robert Keller

Sincere regards,

Robert Keller

Championship Secretary

North American Powerlifting Federation

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NOMINATED REFEREES & STAFF MEMBERS

Name	Nation	Category	Availability
Gaston Parage	Luxembourg	I	All
Robert Keller	USA	I	All
Bill Clayton	USA	ı	All
Hugo Velasquez	Costa Rica	I	All
Nestor Gregory	Puerto Rico	I	All
Ivan Cancel	Puerto Rico	II	Thursday Only
Robert Massy	US Virgin Islands	II	All
Alex Alvarado	Puerto Rico	II	Friday AM Only
Joan Baez	Puerto Rico	II	All, except Friday PM Session
Gabriel Garcia Corona	Mexico	II	All
Gordon Spencer	Guyana	II	All
Jose "Pepe" Rodriguez	Costa Rica	N	All – Testing
Franklin Brisport-Luke	Guyana	N	All – Testing
Colin Austin	Guyana	N	All – Testing
Fazim Abdool	Guyana	N	All – Testing
Alphonso Moreno	Mexico	N	All – Testing
Beatriz Vasquez	Mexico	N	All – Testing
Angelica Marin	Mexico	N	All – Testing
Kristzia Jimenez	Puerto Rico	N	All – Testing
Maia Blackman	Trinidad Tobago	S	Friday / Saturday Only
Arian Khamesi	USA	II	Scoring Manager
Mike Zawilinski	USA	II	LiveStream
Eugene Biancheri	USA	S	Speaker

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Finalized Timetable of Events

Date	Event			Start	End		
July 31, 2018	Accreditation	Accreditation			17:00		
August 01, 2018	Accreditation	Accreditation			17:00		
	NAPF EC Meeting			08:00	10:00		
	NAPF General Assem	NAPF General Assembly			12:00		
	Technical Meeting			13:00	13:30		
	Referee and Coaches	Referee and Coaches Meeting			14:00		
	Referee Testing – All	Referee Testing – All Candidates			16:00		
	Opening Ceremony @	Opening Ceremony @ Venue			19:00		
	IPF President Meetin	g (Member Federation	Presidents)	19:00	21:00		
Date	Weigh-in Time	Classes		Start	End	Flights	# lifters
August 02, 2018	07:00 - 08:30	Classic Women	43.00 – 84.00+kg	09:00	12:00	2	18
	12:00 - 13:30	Classic Men	59.00 – 83.00 kg	14:00	17:00	2	26
	Awards Ceremony	Awards Ceremony		17:00	17:30		
	Meet the IPF Preside	Meet the IPF President (Athletes)		17:30	19:00		
August 03, 2018	07:00 - 08:30	Classic Men	93.00 – 120.00+kg	09:00	12:00	2	18
	12:00 – 13:30	Equipped Women	47.00 – 84.00+kg	14:00	17:00	3	27
	12:00 - 13:30	Equipped Men	59.00 – 74.00kg	14:00	17:00		
	Award Ceremony			17:00	17:30		
August 04, 2018	08:00 - 09:30	Equipped Men	83.00 – 120.00+kg	10:00	14:00	2	21
	Award Ceremony	Award Ceremony			15:30		
	Farewell Banquet – R	Farewell Banquet – Regency Ballroom / Hyatt Hotel			23:00		
August 05, 2018	Sightseeing Tours	Sightseeing Tours			17:00		
August 06, 2018	Departure of Delegat	Departure of Delegations		07:00	17:00		

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SESSION I: Thursday, August 2, 2018

Thursday, August 2, 2018 / Weigh-in: 07:00 – 08:30am: Lifting 9:00am

Assignment	Name
Weigh-in:	Joan Baez
Equipment Check:	Robert Massey / Gordon Spencer
Chief Referee:	Joan Baez – Puerto Rico
Side Referee:	Robert Massey – USVI
Side Referee:	Gordon Spencer – Guyana
Technical Controller	Franklin Brisport-Luke – Guyana
Reserve Referee:	Ivan Cancel – Puerto Rico
Referee Practical Examinations:	Maia Blackman /
Chief of the Jury:	Bill Clayton – USA
Jury Member	Hugo Velasquez – Costa Rica
Jury Member	Nestor Gregory – Puerto Rico
Announcer:	Eugene Biancheri – USA
Scoring Manager:	Arian Khamesi – USA
Expeditor:	Beatriz Vasquez – Mexico
DT Chaperone:	Angelica Marin – Mexico
Award Presenters:	Robert Keller / Hugo Velasquez
World / Regional Records:	Robert Keller / Ivan Cancel
Live Stream	Mike Zawilinski

SESSION II: Thursday, August 2, 2018

Thursday, August 2, 2018 / Weigh-in: 12:00 – 1:30pm: Lifting 2:00pm

Assignment	Name
Weigh-in:	Ivan Cancel – Puerto Rico
Equipment Check:	Gabriel Garcia / Alphonso Moreno
Chief Referee:	Ivan Cancel – Puerto Rico
Side Referee:	Gabriel Garcia – Mexico
Side Referee:	Gordon Spencer – Guyana
Technical Controller	Alphonso Moreno – Mexico
Reserve Referee:	Robert Massey – USVI
Referee Practical Examinations:	TBD
Chief of the Jury:	Gaston Parage – Luxembourg
Jury Member	Robert Keller – USA
Jury Member	Hugo Velasquez – Costa Rica
Announcer:	Eugene Biancheri – USA
Scoring Manager:	Arian Khamesi – USA
Expeditor:	Beatriz Vasquez – Mexico
Award Marshal:	Robert Massey
Award Presenter:	Gaston Parage / Robert Keller
World / Regional Records:	Robert Keller / Ivan Cancel
Live Stream	Mike Zawilinski

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SESSION I: Friday, August 3, 2018

Friday, August 3, 2018 / Weigh-in: 07:00 – 08:30am: Lifting 9:00am

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Assignment	Name
Weigh-in:	Alex Alvarado
Equipment Check:	Robert Massey / Gordon Massey
Chief Referee:	Alex Alvarado – Puerto Rico
Side Referee:	Robert Massey – USVI
Side Referee:	Gordon Spencer – Guyana
Technical Controller	Colin Austin – Guyana
Reserve Referee:	Robert Keller – USA
Referee Practical Examinations:	TBD
Chief of the Jury:	Bill Clayton – USA
Jury Member	Hugo Velasquez – Costa Rica
Jury Member	Nestor Gregory – Puerto Rico
Announcer:	Eugene Biancheri – USA
Scoring Manager:	Arian Khamesi – USA
Expeditor:	Maia Blackman
Award Marshal:	Robert Massey
Award Presenters:	Gaston Parage / Robert Keller
World / Regional Records:	Robert Keller / Ivan Cancel
Live Stream	Mike Zawilinski

SESSION II: Friday, August 3, 2018

Friday, August 3, 2018 / Weigh-in: 12:00 – 1:30pm: Lifting 2:00pm

Assignment	Name
Weigh-in:	Robert Keller / Beatriz Vasquez
Equipment Check:	Gabriel Garcia / Jose Rodriguez
Chief Referee:	Robert Massey – USVI
Side Referee:	Gordon Spencer – Guyana
Side Referee:	Gabriel Garcia – Mexico
Technical Controller	Jose Rodriguez – Costa Rica
Reserve Referee:	Robert Keller
Referee Examinations:	TBD
Chief of the Jury:	Gaston Parage – Luxembourg
Jury Member	Bill Clayton – USA
Jury Member	Nestor Gregory – Puerto Rico
Announcer:	Eugene Biancheri – USA
Scoring Manager:	Arian Khamesi – USA
Expeditor:	Beatriz Vasquez – Mexico
Award Marshal:	Robert Massey
Award Presenter:	Gaston Parage / Robert Keller
World / Regional Records:	Robert Keller / Ivan Cancel
Live Stream	Mike Zawilinski

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SESSION I: Saturday, August 4, 2018

Saturday, August 4, 2018 / Weigh-in: 08:00 – 09:30am: Lifting 10:00am

Assignment	Name
Weigh-in:	Gordon Spencer
Equipment Check:	Joan Baez / Robert Massey
Chief Referee:	Gordon Spencer – Guyana
Side Referee:	Joan Baez – Puerto Rico
Side Referee:	Robert Massey – USVI
Technical Controller	Kristzia Nieves Jimenez – Puerto Rico
Reserve Referee:	Bill Clayton – USA
Referee Examination:	TBD
Chief of the Jury:	Gaston Parage – Luxembourg
Jury Member	Robert Keller – USA
Jury Member	Hugo Velasquez – Costa Rica
Announcer:	Eugene Biancheri – USA
Scoring Manager:	Arian Khamesi – USA
Expeditor:	Beatriz Vasquez – Mexico
Award Marshal:	Robert Massey
Award Presenters:	Gaston Parage / Robert Keller
World / Regional Records:	Robert Keller / Ivan Cancel
Live Stream	Mike Zawilinski