WORLD PARAVOLLEY Board of Directors Meeting Summary – May 10, 2017

This is a summary of the main items discussed at the 10 May 2017 World ParaVolley Board meeting.

1 Roll-call

- Present at all times:
 - Barry Couzner, President
 - Wayne Hellquist, Vice President
 - Jim Leask, Marketing Director
 - Denis Le Breuilly, Sport Director
 - John Kessel, Development Director
 - Louise Ashcroft, Medical Director
 - Toralv Thorkildsen, President, PVE
 - Dr Hayat Khattab, President, PVA
 - Joe Campbell (PVPA)
 - Phil Allen, General Manager
- Apologies received
 - Lam Song Shen, President, PVAO

2 ParaVolley Beach Commission

Dr Stephen Giugni (AUS) has accepted the position of Chair

3 Zone Regulations

Still under review and are relevant to the upcoming GAs

4 International Relations

- The President is following up the proposed MoU with FIVB
- The proposed MoU with IWASF was approved and will be signed in Abu Dhabi at the IPC GA

5 Zone General Assemblies

The proposal for the Board to have representatives at all 2017 Zone GAs was approved

6 Technical Delegates

- The Board approved the appointment of Joe Campbell as the TD for the Youth Para PanAmerican Games
- The Board approved the appointment of Irene Chang as the TD for the 2018 Indonesian Asian Para Games
- The Board approved the process for the appointment of the TD for Tokyo 2020

7 Marketing

- The WPV Foundation will be registered in the USA
- 5 The 501 c 3 application has been completed
- The principle of appointment for key positions is to be investigated

8 Classification

- The Board agreed that the date for implementation of the new Classification Rules be 1 January 2018
- The Board agreed to support additional Classifiers to attend 2017 events
- The need for ensuring the security of information was discussed and the SDMS system was discussed

9 Anti-Doping

- WADA Seminar report was given
- A Risk Assessment Matrix has been developed

10 Team Medical personnel

The Board adopted the Policy and Procedures on Accreditation of Team Medical Personnel

11 Finances

It was agreed that due to extraordinary expenses in 2017, there will be a higher Budget deficit

12 Zone Reports

- Africa reported that a host for the Zone Championships was still being pursued
- Asia Oceania no report
- Europe reported on arrangements for the 2017 Zone Championships in Croatia and was given in principle support for extra Classifiers
- Pan America reported that Brazil has a new administration and President and that the Zone Championships will be held in October in Canada