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Government of India
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports
Department of Sports**

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Dated: 15 June, 2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Sub: Constitution of Search-cum-Selection Committee under National Sports Board
(Search-cum-Selection Committee) Rules, 2026- reg.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to National Sports Board (Search-cum-Selection Committee) Rules, 2026 notified on 8.1.2026, which have been framed under the National Sports Governance Act, 2025, and to say that the Search-cum-Selection Committee shall comprise of following members:

- a) Dr. T.V. Somanathan, Cabinet Secretary - Chairperson
- b) Shri Hari Ranjan Rao, Secretary (Sports)
- c) Lt. Gen. Harpal Singh (IOA)- Sports Administrator
- d) Shri Gagan Narang – National Sports Awardee
- e) Ms. N. Kunjurani Devi – National Sports Awardee

2. A copy each of the National Sports Governance Act, 2025 and National Sports Board (Search-cum-Selection Committee) Rules, 2026 is enclosed.

This issues with the approval of the competent authority.


(Harikumar M)
Director (Sports)

Encl.: As above

To:

All Members of the Committee

Copy to:

- 1. PS to Hon'ble Minister (YA&S)
- 2. PS to Hon'ble Minister of State (YA&S)