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**Subject:** Formal Letter of Apology for Failure to Appear to Receive Medals at Medal Ceremonies Event at Povo de Varzim 2022 World Boccia Cup

**To:** 1) BISFed  
2) Host Organizing Committee  
3) The athletes who were at the Povo de Varzim 2022 World Boccia Cup,

Cerebral Palsy Sports Association of Thailand (CPSAT) is a member of National Paralympic Committee of Thailand (NPC Thailand), which is primary responsible for Cerebral Palsy Sports in Thailand and also a member of the Boccia International Sport Federation (BISFed).

During 2<sup>nd</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> July 2022, we had assigned a group 10 athletes and 12 staff – Thailand National Boccia delegation to participate in a boccia competition – Povo de Varzim 2022 World Boccia Cup at Povo, Portugal for which our athletes have greatly achieved 5 Golds, 1 Silvers and 2 Bronzes at the competition.

On 8<sup>th</sup> July 2022, there was; however, an unexpected incident occurred on the medal ceremonies event which Thailand team had failed to appear to receive the medals – 5 Golds and 1 Silvers for the individual competitions. This resulted in shambolic disrespect to the HOC, BISFed, and every athlete present at the event and violation to the clause 4.1 of BISFed's Code of Ethics – Members are expected to respect the spirit of sportsmanship at all boccia events.

The association would like to deliver this formal apology to the Host Organizing Committee, BISFed, the athletes who were at the competition and every related person that we are truly sorry and regretful for our mistaken action. The association did not have any intention to express indignity and dishonor at the competition.

The association shall not take this for granted, and we do promise not to set this as an example for any other events in the future. We will do our best as much as we can to keep behaving in a great manner as usual – to respect every BISFed member and follow the BISFed's Code of Ethics.

Yours Sincerely,



Mr. Anusorn Pimnga

General Secretary

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