

CONTRACT

CONTRACT made this ~~nineteenth~~ day of May, 1995, between the WORLD ASSOCIATION OF VETERAN ATHLETES (hereinafter referred to as "WAVA") and Gateshead M.B.C., the Organizing Committee (hereinafter referred to as the "OC").

WHEREAS, the OC wishes to promote the 1999 World Veterans' Athletic Championships (hereinafter referred to as the "Championships") as sanctioned by WAVA.

AND, WHEREAS WAVA will not sanction the Championships except in accordance with the Constitution and By-Laws of WAVA (attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof) and that of the INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR ATHLETIC FEDERATION (hereinafter referred to as "IAAF").

AND, WHEREAS this Contract is entered into by WAVA and the OC solely upon the above basis.

NOW, THEREFORE WAVA, hereby sanctions and authorizes the OC to promote the Championships in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

1. COMPOSITION OF THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

The OC consists of the following individuals:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>ORGANIZATION</u>
<u>Mr. M.P. Newton</u>	<u>Director of Leisure Services</u>	<u>Gateshead M.B.C.</u>
<u>Cllr. N. Lakey</u>	<u>Chairman of Leisure Services</u>	<u>Gateshead M.B.C.</u>
<u>Mr. D. Bunce</u>	<u>Events Officer</u>	<u>Gateshead M.B.C.</u>
<u>Mrs. R. Chapman</u>	<u>Public Relations Officer</u>	<u>Gateshead M.B.C.</u>
<u>Mrs. W. Turnbull</u>	<u>Tourist Information Officer</u>	<u>Gateshead M.B.C.</u>
<u>Mr. R. Bell</u>	<u>Assistant Chairman</u>	<u>British Veterans Athletics Federation</u>

2. WAVA SANCTIONING AUTHORITY International Policy

The OC recognizes and accepts WAVA as the sole world administrative authority in Athletics for Veterans (women not less than thirty five years of age and men not less than forty years of age) and as the sole determining body for all technical rules in any Athletic meeting sanctioned by WAVA.

The OC confirms it has informed its sponsors and associated governmental agencies, in writing, that the entries for the Championships will be governed solely, exclusively, and in conformance with the Constitution and By-Laws of WAVA.

WAVA shall establish the schedule of events and be the sole determinant of all aspects of the Championships, including, but not limited, to such matters as the: Opening and Closing ceremonies; Banquet; award presentations.

3. DATE AND LOCATION OF THE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Championships are to be held in and around the City of Gateshead, ~~County/Province/Principality of~~ England, in , between the dates of 23rd July 1999 , and 21st August , 19 99, or such other dates and locations as the parties may subsequently agree to in writing.

The competition venues are to be as follows:

Main Athletic Track: Gateshead International Stadium

Secondary Athletic Track: Monkton Stadium, South Tyneside.

Additional Tracks: Riverside Park, Chester-le-Street.

Cross Country Venue: Riverside Bowl, Gateshead International Stadium.

Marathon Venue: Roads in and around Gateshead.

Road Racewalk Venue: Roads in and around Gateshead.

Practice Facilities: Warm up at Stadia/training tracks nearby.

Written confirmation for the use of these facilities on the dates specified has been obtained from the relevant local authorities . A copy of this confirmation is attached hereto as Exhibit "B", and is incorporated herein by reference.

4. FACILITIES

A. Lighting facilities shall be provided at the Primary and Secondary tracks sufficient to provide for competition to be held before sunrise and after sundown.

B. The Primary and Secondary Stadia shall have 400 meter, eight lane, all weather tracks to international competition standards, with the track and field event areas officially surveyed;

C. Four bi-directional Pole Vault run-ups, a minimum of 40 meters long, with landing beds and stands;

D. Four bi-directional Long Jump/Triple Jump pits, a minimum of 40 meters long, with a variety of take-off boards to accommodate all age classifications;

E. Four synthetic surface High Jump fans, providing a minimum run-up of 18 meters measured perpendicular to the bar; plus stands and landing beds;

F. Four Hammer/Discus circles with cages;

G. Four Javelin run-ups with synthetic surface;

H. Four Shot Put circles.

I. The field events should be so located as to not interfere with the conduct of any track event. Some of the field events facilities may be outside the stadia, provided that they are a reasonable distance therefrom;

G. Some of the throwing events may use temporary circles and cages on a suitable (as determined by WAVA) grass area, but the proposed sectors must be surveyed to ensure that any gradient is acceptable for record purposes.

H. For the 100 meters and high hurdles, both straights should be available for heats, with electronic timing facilities available in either direction at short notice;

I. Electronic timing and photo-finish equipment must be available at both stadia;

J. At least the Primary track must have an electronic scoreboard. Preferably the Secondary track should also have a scoreboard;

K. The Primary Stadium must have electronic indicator boards to show the progress of events, including the competitor's number, number of attempts in progress heights cleared, and distances thrown;

L. Other field event locations must have manual indicators;

M. Large digital track side clocks are required for both stadiums.

N. Warmup facilities, not in conflict with events taking place in the stadiums should have at least a 300 meter, four lane track, preferably all-weather, plus a separate all-weather straight with at least four, and preferably six lanes, not less than fifty meters long. Field event training areas should also be available.

5. SPONSORSHIP

The OC may negotiate financial sponsorship from national, regional and/or municipal governments, individuals and/or from the corporate sector except manufacturers, distributors or vendors of tobacco products, or any other product or service deemed by WAVA to be detrimental to the best interests of WAVA; and, provided that such sponsors shall be informed in writing that the entries for the Championships will be in conformance with the Constitution and By-Laws of WAVA.

6. BUDGET

The OC hereby submits its proposed preliminary budget for the conduct of the Championships setting forth all anticipated income and expenses. A copy of said budget, marked Exhibit "C", is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. It is understood that the preliminary budget may be modified as a result of changing conditions.

7. MEET OFFICIALS

The OC shall provide sufficient certified IAAF officials in conformance with the IAAF requirements to host a World Athletic Championship, taking into consideration the number of facilities being used and the number of competitors. WAVA has the authority to require additional officials, in consultation with the OC.

8. AUTOMATIC TIMING

Fully automatic electrical timing equipment shall be used for all track races, including heats, in accordance with IAAF Rules.

9. ACCOMMODATIONS

The OC guarantees housing accommodations of 19,129 beds, within a radius of 25 kilometers from the main stadium.

The OC represents and guarantees housing accommodations for the period two (2) weeks prior, during and one (1) week after the Championships in the following price range, expressed in United States Dollars (at the present time 66 pence are equal to approximately one Dollar) as of the date of the start of the Championships. It is understood that the OC will not be held responsible for changes in the exchange rates.

Dormitory housing shall be allocated to each National Governing Body (NGB) based on the number of participants in past Championships, & the expected number of participants in this Championship, taking into consideration that the host nation at any Championship has a disproportionate number of entrants. The exact allocation shall be determined by WAVA in consultation

with the OC. Notification of the allocation shall be sent to all NGB before any reservations are accepted. If a NGB does not apply for its' full allocation nine months before the start of the Championships, then those accommodations shall be allocated on a first come, first serve basis.

	Number hotels	Number of beds	Number per room	Minimum Price	Maximum Price	Meals B=Breakfast L=Lunch D=Dinner
Luxury Hotels	<u>4</u>	<u>1,228</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>B</u>
Second Class Hotels	<u>62</u>	<u>5,909</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>B</u>
Economy Class Hotels	<u>22</u>	<u>1,060</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>B</u>
Dormitory Housing	<u>3</u>	<u>7,942</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>B</u>
Private Homes	<u>280</u>	<u>2,990</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>B</u>

TOTALS

The rates quoted shall be per room, with the maximum number of people permitted in each room specified. It will also be indicated what meals will be provided.

The prices quoted may be increased by the rate of inflation in the host country as of the time the entry booklets are approved by the WAVA Council.

Attached hereto, as "Exhibit D", will be a detailed list of the name and address of each hotel, it's price range, number of beds, and meals that will be included

The OC shall maintain a housing office for the Championships. All bookings for accommodations are to be made through said office. The OC shall be responsible for all bookings.

10. TRANSPORTATION

The OC will provide free shuttle bus and/or trolley transportation from the accommodations, other than private housing, listed in paragraph 8, to and from, all competition venues; WAVA General Assembly Meetings; and/or any Banquets, for the period commencing three days prior to the first day of competition and concluding two days following the last day of competition. Said transportation shall commence at least two hours before competition commences each day; shall terminate one hour after competition is completed at each venue; and, shall operate at not more than thirty minute intervals.

Free transportation shall be provided to and from the airport and main railroad station three days prior to the start of competition and concluding two days following the last day of competition.

A detailed transportation plan, subject to modification by agreement of the parties, is attached hereto, marked Exhibit "E", and made a part hereof. It is understood that the transportation plan may be modified depending on the number of entrants to the events.

11. HOLD HARMLESS - LIABILITY INSURANCE

The OC will indemnify, save harmless, and defend, directly and/or indirectly by insurance, WAVA and its officers, employees, agents and members for all liability, including attorney's fees and costs from loss, damage or injury to persons or property in any manner arising out of the administration

of the Championships including, without limitation, all consequent damages, except any loss, damage or injury resulting from the wilfully intentional act of WAVA, its officers, employees, agents or members

In the event of any such loss, damage or injury resulting from the negligence of WAVA, its officers, employees, agents or members, the negligent party shall be entitled to all indemnification and protection from insurance policies purchased for that purpose sufficient to prevent indemnification or protection directly from the OC funds.

Said insurance policy shall be issued by an insurance company acceptable to WAVA, naming the OC, WAVA and the IAAF as co-insurers. This policy shall insure against any and all liability arising from negligence and shall have policy limits of not less than \$1,000,000 (expressed or the equivalent of United States dollars) per each individual claim. A copy of said policy shall be provided within 60 days after selection as the successful bidder.

12. TELEVISION AND FILM RIGHTS

WAVA must agree, in writing, to either the sale and/or use of television and/or film rights to the Championships. Terms to be agreed upon between the OC & WAVA.

13. ENTRY FEES

The OC shall charge an maximum entry fee, in United States dollars or the equivalent amount in local currency, as of the official exchange rates on the date the entry booklet is issued, in the following amounts:

First event:	\$30.00	
Next four events	\$10.00	(per each event)
Each additional event	\$17.00	

The maximum entry fee may be increased with the approval of the WAVA Council if there is an increase in inflation of more than fifteen per cent (15%) in the host country at the time the entry booklet is approved by the WAVA Council.

14. WAVA COMPETITOR ASSESSMENT

On behalf of WAVA, the OC shall collect, as noted on the entry form, from each entrant a WAVA fee of \$15.00 (Fifteen United States Dollars) and shall hold said funds in trust for the account of WAVA. WAVA shall designate a bank to hold these trust funds, in which only WAVA's designated representative(s) may withdraw these funds. Each deposit to this Trust account shall be made by the OC when these WAVA fees have been collected from not more than five hundred entrants. Upon making said deposit, the OC shall send a duplicate receipt to the WAVA Treasurer or to such other party designated by WAVA.

In no event shall the OC hold the WAVA fee in excess of sixty (60) days from its receipt. In the event that any of the WAVA fees are not timely paid, the OC shall pay WAVA interest on all outstanding amounts calculated at one per cent (1%) compounded for each calendar month and/or part thereof during which said amount remains outstanding. Upon making a deposit, OC shall send a duplicate receipt to the WAVA Treasurer or to such other person designated by WAVA.

15. WAVA SANCTION FEE

As consideration for the granting of the WAVA sanction to conduct the Championships, the OC agrees to pay to WAVA, as a one-time sanction fee, the sum of \$25,000.00 (Twenty Five Thousand United States Dollars), payable in full on the first day of competition.

Within sixty days after the WAVA General Assembly awards the Championship to the above noted OC, the OC shall deliver to the WAVA Treasurer, a written Demand Letter of Credit, in the amount of \$25,000.00 (Twenty Five Thousand United States Dollars) payable on the first day of competition, issued by a bank, savings and loan association, or other financial institution duly chartered in the host country, acceptable to WAVA, as security for the payment of the sanction fee.

16. COUNCIL HOUSING AT THE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The OC shall provide courtesy accommodations (single rooms) for the WAVA Council and their spouses (maximum fifteen rooms) beginning three (3) days before the Championship commences until two (2) days following the conclusion of the Championships, at a hotel approved by WAVA.

The OC shall also provide a suite for the WAVA President; and, a Council meeting room, three days prior to the start of the Championships, throughout the Championships and three days after the conclusion of the Championships, sufficient to hold twenty individuals.

17. HOUSING AND TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES FOR THE WAVA COUNCIL MEETING THE YEAR PRIOR TO THE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The OC shall provide single room housing accommodations (single rooms) for the WAVA Council (maximum fifteen rooms); a suite for the WAVA President; and, a meeting room to hold not less than twenty individuals. Said facilities shall be available for up to seven days.

18. ENTRY BOOKLET

The OC shall mail a copy of the draft of the entry booklet, (including the entry form and competition time schedule) to each member of the WAVA Council not later than thirty days prior to the WAVA meeting held the year prior to the Championships. The WAVA Council shall be the final determinant as to the entry booklet and shall approve the booklet, with any changes, by the conclusion of the meeting.

19. AWARDS AND MEDALS.

The OC shall award appropriate Championships medals, to be approved by the WAVA Council at the conclusion of their meeting, the year prior to the start of the Championships, for not less than first, second and third places in each individual and team events. Additional place awards for individuals may be given with the concurrence of WAVA.

20. RESULTS BOOK

The OC shall, in the entry form, afford the entrants and other interested parties, the opportunity to order and pay for the official results book of the Championships, at a cost to be approved by WAVA, which the OC shall mail to all purchasers, postage included, not less than sixty days following the last day of competition. Twenty five (25) copies of the result book shall be given to WAVA free of charge.

21. COMPETITOR'S RELEASE

The OC shall include in the entry form, to be signed by each competitor, the following provisions:

A. The entrant confirms that they are in good health; have properly trained for the competition; are sufficiently skilled in the events entered so that they are able to comply with all the rules of competition; and, that they present no hazard to themselves or other competitors.

B. The entrant relieves the OC, WAVA and the IAAF absolutely of any responsibility for any injury or loss that the entrant may sustain in connection with the Championships.

C. The entrant accepts and understands that the Championships are staged under the provision of the WAVA Constitution and By-Laws.

D. The entrant agrees to submit to drug testing, under WAVA rules, if selected.

22. BARRED COMPETITORS

The OC shall not accept any entry from any individual who WAVA advises has been suspended from competition.

23. PROFIT AND LOSSES

WAVA has no claim to any profits accruing to the OC from the promotion of the Championships. The OC will have no liability for any debts incurred by WAVA in connection with this event, unless previously approved, in writing, by the OC.

WAVA will have no liability for any debts incurred by the OC.

The OC shall hold WAVA harmless from any liability for debts or other liabilities, including attorney fees and costs, that WAVA may incur concerning the Championships.

WAVA shall be solely responsible for any debts that WAVA may incur not connected with these Championships.

24. PRESENTATION OF AWARDS, OPENING AND CLOSING CEREMONIES

WAVA, in consultation with the OC, shall determine the presentation of awards, opening and closing ceremonies. The presenters of the awards for each event, shall be determined at least twenty four hours prior to said awards. The awards ceremonies shall take place as soon as possible, after the conclusion of the particular competition, provided the presentations do not interrupt the competition.

25. TECHNICAL RULES, PROGRAM OF COMPETITION, JURY OF APPEALS, DISQUALIFICATIONS

A. WAVA shall be the sole determinant of the technical rules.

B. WAVA shall determine the schedule of competition.

C. WAVA, shall approve of the composition of the Jury of Appeal, and shall assist the OC in staffing the Jury of Appeals.

D. WAVA may disqualify any competitor who is in violation of the WAVA Rules.

E. The course(s) shall be measured in accordance with AIMS standards and shall have AIMS certification. WAVA shall be the final determinant of all competition courses.

F. The course(s) shall meet the IAAF world record criteria, in that the start and the finish shall be separated by less than 30 per cent of the race distance, and any net elevation drop shall be less than one per cent.

G. The safety of the competitors shall be of paramount importance, with the following criteria being taken into consideration:

- i. The time of day the event is held;
- ii. The course(s) must be traffic free on any route on which the competitors run in (this does not preclude traffic in the opposite lane);
- iii. Medical services must be available;
- iv. Adequate hydration shall be available at the start of event(s) and along the course.

H. No time limit shall be imposed upon competitors to complete the course in the non-stadia events, provided that their continuation in the competition would not be injurious to their health.

I. Facilities shall be provided for the competitors to present their own liquid replenishment in the road walks and marathon.

J. WAVA shall appoint the Chief Walking Judge.

K. The Road Walking course shall be a circuit between 2,000 and 2,500 meters, with the start and finish held in the exact middle of the circuit. Two water stations shall be placed in the middle of the circuit, each approximately 300 meters from the two turnarounds.

26. REPORT AND ACCOUNTING

A. The OC shall submit to the WAVA Council, within 180 days following the final day of competition of the Championships, a detailed report covering all aspects of the Championships, including a detailed accounting of all income and expenses, certified by the OC Treasurer and General Chairperson.

B. The OC shall deposit with the WAVA Treasurer, prior to the first day of competition, the sum of \$5,000.00 (Five Thousand United States Dollars), to be forfeited if the report is not filed within the time period specified.

C. If the detailed report is received within the time period specified, is prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice, and is in acceptable form, as determined by the WAVA Treasurer, WAVA shall refund the deposit within thirty days of receipt of the report. In the event that WAVA does not remit said deposit within thirty days WAVA shall pay to the OC interest on all outstanding amounts calculated at one per cent (1%) compounded for each calendar month and/or part thereof during which said amount remains outstanding.

27. APPLICABLE LAW

This contract is made pursuant to the laws of England.

All disputes or differences which shall at any time arise between the parties, whether during the contract or afterwards touching or concerning the contract, or each construction, or effect, or the right duty for liability of the parties under or by virtue of it or otherwise, or any other matter in any way connected with or arising out of the subject matter of this contract shall be referred to a single arbitrator to be agreed upon by the parties or in default of agreement to be nominated by the President of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators in accordance with the Arbitration Acts of 1950 and 1979, or any statutory modification, or re-enactment of it for the time being in force.

The OC will bear the expense of WAVA retaining local Counsel, and the costs of transportation, food and accommodations for one representative, as chosen by WAVA. These expenses will not be reimbursed to the OC regardless of the arbitration decision. The prevailing party will be entitled to be reimbursed for its share of the costs of arbitration.

28. AMENDMENTS

Any amendments, corrections, or changes to this contract must be in writing, duly executed by the parties, and appended to this contract.

29. GENDER REFERENCES

All references to the masculine gender shall incorporate the feminine gender, and all references to the singular shall include the plural.

X 30. PERFORMANCE BOND

The OC shall provide a performance bond in the sum of Twenty Five Thousand United States Dollars (\$25,000.00), to be forfeited in the event that any provision of this contract be violated, within thirty days from being awarded the bid by the WAVA General Assembly.

31. DRUG TESTING

Fifty drug tests, in accordance with WAVA ^{and IAAF} rules, shall be provided by the OC and shall include logistical services, cost of the specific tests performed, and the cost of the medical team, including their transportation and accommodations. The OC shall also provide couriers to assist in the testing. WAVA may pay for additional tests. WAVA, at WAVA's expense, may require additional tests.

32. FOURE MAJEURE

If the performance by the OC of any obligation or undertaking under this agreement is interrupted or delayed by any occurrence not occasioned by the conduct of either party to this agreement, whether that occurrence is an act of God or public enemy, or whether that occurrence is caused by war, riot, storm, earthquake, or other natural force, or by acts of anyone not party to this agreement, then the OC shall be excused from any further performance for whatever period of time after the occurrence is reasonably necessary to remedy the effects of that occurrence. The parties hereto agree to the terms and conditions above set forth, in the preceding pages:

33. MEETING ROOMS

The OC shall provide the following meeting room facilities:

- A. WAVA General Assembly.
Seating for up to two hundred and fifty delegates and one hundred spectators, for two sessions;
- B. WAVA Regional Councils.
Seating for up to two hundred for one session;
- C. WAVA Women's Council.
Seating for up to two hundred for one session;
- D. WAVA Stadia Committee meeting open to the athletes.
Seating for up to two hundred for one session;
- E. WAVA Stadia Committee.
Seating for up to one hundred for up to three sessions;
- F. WAVA Non-Stadia Committee
Seating for up to one hundred for up to three sessions;
- G. Other WAVA Committees.
Seating for up to fifty for a total of five committee meetings.
- H. Team Managers/Heads of Delegations

Seating for up to two hundred, at the primary track, every day of the Championships. The meetings to be held early in the morning.

34. INSTANTANEOUS TRANSLATIONS.

The OC shall provide instantaneous translation for all meetings of the WAVA General Assembly.

35. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE CONTACT PERSON.

The OC designates Mr. M.P. Newton (name) Gateshead Leisure Services

(address) Prince Consort Road (phone) 0191 4901616 (FAX) 0191 4782345
Gateshead, NE8 4HJ, England.

as the person to contact regarding all matters pertaining to the conduct of the CHAMPIONSHIPS.

36. WAVA CONTACT PERSON.

WAVA designates the WAVA Executive Vice-President as the person the OC is to deal with regarding all matters relative to the conduct of the Championships, unless the WAVA President or the WAVA Council designates someone else.

37. TRAVEL AGENTS.

OC acknowledges the WAVA policy of encouraging the use of travel agents. Travel agents are to be guaranteed a minimum commission of ten per cent (10%) or the standard commission, whichever is greater. The travel agents shall deduct their commission from the final payment to the OC for accommodations. The OC shall be responsible for all dealings with travel agents. The OC may use a private travel agency but the responsibility for all dealings with travel agencies shall reside with the OC.

WAVA shall present to the OC one year before the start of the Championships a list of authorized travel agents. Only those agents on the list shall be guaranteed the standard commission.

38. TREATMENT OF SPOUSES AND FAMILY.

Spouses and family of competitors shall receive the same transportation privileges as the competitors. They shall not be charged any entry fees to view the competition.

X 39. AGE DIVISIONS.

Five year age divisions shall be used starting with Women, age 35, and Men, age 40, through the ages of the oldest competitor in each division. In the event that sections shall be used, contiguous age and sex groups shall be placed together.

X 40. TEAM AWARDS.

Team awards shall be determined by WAVA. For the cross-country, marathon, and road walks all competitors from the same country, within the same age grouping, shall be eligible to be a team member. Scoring shall be based on the fastest three cumulative times by each country, in each five year age group. Teams do not have to be declared prior to the start. An individual may compete in a younger age division, but must notify the Clerk of the Course, at least one hour prior to the start of the race.

X Relay teams shall be declared at least one hour prior to the start of the race. The age of the youngest member of each team, shall determine the age grouping of the team. Relay teams shall be composed of participants from the same country.

All members of a team must wear a uniform that will clearly denote the country that they are representing, unless specifically excused by WAVA.

41. NOTICE BOARD.

The OC shall provide a "Notice Board", prominently displayed, at an easily accessible location, at both the Primary and Secondary Tracks, to be used by the Team Managers/Head of Delegation and WAVA to place notices for the competitors.

42. RESULTS POSTINGS.

As soon as possible, and not more than twenty-four hours after an event has been completed, the complete results of the events held within the past twenty-four hours, are to be posted at an easily accessible location at the Primary Track and also at the Central Headquarters.

43. BIDDER'S BOOTHS.

Free facilities shall be provided to all those who are bidding for future WAVA Championships, to be selected at this Meeting, at the main stadium, in which brochures and other material relative to their bid can be presented to the athletes. Said facilities shall include a table, at least four chairs, and electrical outlets sufficient to operate video presentations.

44. SPECIAL EVENTS.

If the OC establishes special events other than the Opening & Closing Ceremonies and Banquet, said events shall be open to all competitors. In the event that these event venues are not sufficiently large to accommodate all competitors, then tickets to these events shall be distributed to the NGB and/or Team Managers, in proportion to the number of competitors competing from each country to the overall number of competitors in the Championships. Under these circumstances, tickets shall not be distributed through travel agents. The OC can set aside tickets for invited guests.

45. COMPUTER PROGRAM.

The OC is required to use the official WAVA computer program; Hy-Tek. This program is licensed by Hy-Tek Ltd., Box 12789, New Bern, North Carolina 28562, U.S.A.

46. COMPUTER HARDWARE.

The OC is required to obtain computer hardware that will run the Hy-Tek program.

DATED: Nineteenth day of May, 1995

APPROVED AND ACCEPTED on behalf of the Organizing Committee, executed

at Civic Centre Gateshead

/s/ R. Well ~~General Chairman/President~~ Director of Legal and Administrative Services

/s/ Mike Newton ~~Secretary~~ Director of Leisure Services

/s/ _____ Treasurer

ENDORSED BY:

WAVA AFFILIATE:

/s/	Mr. W. Taylor	President	B.V.A.F.
/s/	Mr. K. Whittaker	Secretary	Chairman B.V.A.F.
/s/	Mr. R. Bell	Treasurer	Assistant Chairman B.V.A.F. International Policy

ENDORSED BY:

LOCAL, REGIONAL, AND/OR NATIONAL GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES:

/s/	Councillor A. Brown	Title	Mayor of Gateshead
/s/	Councillor N. Lakey	Title	Chairman of Gateshead Leisure Services
/s/	Mr. S. Dorrell	Title	Minister of National Heritage
/s/	Mr. D. Dunlop	Title	Regional Director - Northern Region Sports Council
/s/		Title	

ENDORSED BY:

I.A.A.F. NATIONAL GOVERNING BODY:

/s/	Mr. I. Stewart	Title	B.A.F. Events Officer
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APPROVED AND ACCEPTED ON behalf of the WORLD ASSOCIATION OF VETERAN ATHLETES,
subject to the WAVA GENERAL ASSEMBLY awarding the event to

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/s/	PRESIDENT, WAVA
/s/	SECRETARY, WAVA
/s/	TREASURER, WAVA