VOLLEYBALL

- a) The rules of the International Volleyball Federation [FIVB) as adopted from time to time by the Volleyball Federation of India (VFI) shall be followed unless otherwise modified.
- b) Every team shall submit a list of players, not exceeding 12. Not more than 12 certificates shall be awarded to a team.
- c) The tournament shall be played on league cum knockout basis. All the matches shall be played on the best of 5 sets.
- d) The following points system will be followed for the matches played on league basis.
 - 1. Match won: 3 points
 - 2. Match lost: 0 point
 - 3. Technical forfeit: 1 point
- e) Any team refusing to play a match without proper justification will be eliminated from the competition and the results of the matches already played will be cancelled.
- f) In case of teams having equal points the following equation will determine the ranking. EXAMPLE: C = A/B

	A Team	B Team
A-Total number of sets won	11	9
B-Total number of sets lost	4	3
C-Ratio of sets is	11/4=2.75	9/3 = 3.0

Team B is having highest ratio = 3.0

The team with higher ratio "C" will be ranked higher. If the tie still remains, then the following system will be applied.

	A Team	B Team
A-Total number of winning points	120	90
B-Total number of lost points	90	125
Z = A/B	120/90=1.33	90/125=0.72

The team with higher ratio "Z" will be ranked higher. If the tie still remains then the following procedure will be adopted.

Two teams involved: precedence will be given to the team winning that match, in which they played against each other. In no circumstances extra match will be played to determine which team ranked higher. The tally of all matches played in the league fixture will be considered.