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To: All the Affiliated Units of

Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India

Sub: Regarding 73rd Senior National Kabaddi Championship – Men at Sir M Vishveshvaraiah Stadium Mandya, Karnataka from 07th January to 10th January 2027.

Dear All,

This is to inform that Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India (AKFI) has allotted the **73rd Senior National Kabaddi Championship 2027 - Men** to **Karnataka Rajya Amateur Kabaddi Association** and Karnataka Rajya Amateur Kabaddi Association has decided to conduct 73rd Senior National Kabaddi Championship 2027 – Men at **Sir M Vishveshvaraiah Stadium Mandya, Karnataka from 07th January to 10th January 2027.**

Travel Information:

1. Nearest Bus Stand- Mandya Bus stand, 100 meters
2. Nearest Railway Station – Mandya (MYA) (1 km from the venue).
3. Airport: Bengaluru – 130 KM

Eligibility & Match Regulations:

- **Weight Eligibility**: Boys–85kg and below.
- **Age Eligibility:** Open
- **Number of players:** Number of players shall be 14 per team.
- **Match Surface:** Matches will be played on mats.
- **Playing Gear**: Every player must wear playing shoes; players without appropriate foot wear will not be allowed to play.

Entry & Registration:

The **Entry Form** must be filled online along with submission of DOB proof document; a printed copy of the entry form should be carried to the venue. **Online Player Registration** is mandatory on the AKFI website. Players without an **Online Registration Number/ID Card** will not be permitted to participate, **Change of Chest Number** after submitting the online entry form is not allowed, **Physical proof of Aadhar Card is compulsory** for registration and verification during the weigh in process.

Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India has decided that all affiliated States/UTs should **select the players of their respective state/UT only** as by selecting outside players in the team not only deprives the players of the respective state/UT but also at the very same time does not help in developing the Game in all the States/UTs.

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Selection of outside players for extraneous considerations is detrimental to the growth of players and no certificate of any type will be issued by AKFI.

Hence, it is directed that team of State/UT should include the players of their State/UT only. No player is allowed to change the chest number which is mentioned in the Entry-Form without informing the Referee In-charge in writing.

The Coach and Assistant Coach of the team along with Secretary and President of the affiliated unit will be responsible for the compliance as per declaration on the Entry Form.

Boarding & Lodging:

The **Organizing Committee** will provide **free boarding and lodging** to the participating teams and officials, including local transportation, from **06th January 2027 to 11th January 2027**.

Uniform & Dress Code: All teams must wear colour-coordinated uniforms with chest numbers Front Side: 4" size, Back Side: 6" size, any team or player violating the dress code shall be subject to disciplinary action.

The Online Entry Submission Deadline is 03th January 2027. Your cooperation in ensuring the timely submission of entries is essential to make the championship a grand success.

State Flag: All teams must carry their State/UT Flag for the March Past.

Contact persons:

For further information, please contact:
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The Organizing Committee will issue a circular with additional details in due course.

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