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Technical Officials :

	HKG	Silas CHIANG	Technical Delegate
	MAS	Cyril Sen	Referee
	KOR	LEE Soon Jou	Deputy Referee
	KOR	KIM Kil Ja	Chief Umpire
	KOR	HONG In Gyu	Classifier
	HKG	Cannie LEUNG Yim Fan	Classifier
1	KOR	Cho Young-Mi	IU
2	KOR	Choi Ahn-Na	IU
3	KOR	Choi Chang-Seong	IU
4	KOR	Hwang Choon-Su	IU
5	KOR	Hwang Soon-Rye	IU
6	KOR	Jang Gi-Young	IU
7	KOR	Jung Hae-Ok	IU
8	KOR	Jung Soo-Sam	IU
9	KOR	Jung Young-Sub	IU
10	KOR	Kim Jong-Sook	IU
11	KOR	Kim Yang-Won	IU
12	KOR	Kim Yun-Kyung	IU
13	KOR	Lee Dae-Woo	BB
14	KOR	Lee Gye-Soon	IU
15	KOR	Lee Jung-Keum	BB
16	KOR	Lee Kyung-Yeo	IU
17	KOR	Nam Bo-Ok	IU
18	KOR	Nam Eun-Woo	IU
19	KOR	Shin Kyung-Sook	IU
20	KOR	Yoon Gi-Sook	IU
21	MAS	LEE Su Hau	IU
22	MAS	LEONG Pei San	IU
23	THA	Paisan SUWANKASEM	IU
24	THA	Somsak KANAPIBAL	IU



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Venue : Korea Disabled Veterans Sports Complex & Education and Research
Institution for Patriots and Veterans
GwangGyo-ro 217 Jang an-GuSuwon, Gyung gi-Do,
Republic of Korea

Accommodation : Same as Venue

Equipment : Tables (10 + 2 nos.) : Donic Skyline/S (Blue)
Nets : Donic (Blue)
Balls : Donic *** (White)
Towel Boxes : Donic (Black)
Score Indicators : Donic (Black)
Umpire / Asst. Umpire's Table : Donic (Blue)
Surrounds : Donic (Blue)
Flooring : Wood (light, natural)
Team Names on surrounds : Light blue letters on blue
background
Team match scores on surrounds : Light blue letters on blue
background

Events :

- Women Singles Class 1-2
- Women Singles Class 3
- Women Singles Class 4-5
- Women Singles Class 6
- Women Single Class 7-8
- Women Single Class 9
- Women Single Class 10
- Men Singles Class 1-2
- Men Singles Class 3
- Men Single Class 4
- Men Singles Class 5
- Men Singles Class 6
- Men single class 7
- Men Singles Class 8
- Men Singles Class 9
- Men Singles Class 10

- Team Women Class 1-3
- Team Women Class 4-5
- Team Women Class 6-8
- Team Women Class 9-10



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- Team Men Class 1-2
- Team Men Class 3
- Team Men Class 4
- Team Men Class 5
- Team Men Class 6-7
- Team Men Class 8
- Team Men Class 9-10

Referee's Briefing :

- Chaired by Referee: Cyril Sen
- Meeting Room in Venue
- 29th November @ 1500 hrs
- All present
- As almost all the Koreans had little knowledge of English, the briefing was done in 2 languages with the assistance of a powerpoint presentation and handouts in Korean and English
- Housekeeping, such as Meal times.
- Emphasis was placed on:
 - Consistency
 - Racket Checks
 - Service Rule
 - Clothing
 - Persons on the bench
 - Use of score indicators
 - Field of Play procedures
 - Presentation

Managers' Meeting & Draws :

- Chaired by TD: Silas Chiang
- Meeting Room in Venue
- 29th November @ 1100 hrs
- No. of Countries: 15
- No. of Players: 112
- Referee's principal instructions/comments:
 - Class Singles Events:
 - Draw made during the meeting
 - Start @ 0930 on 30th
 - Last session starts @ 1600 hrs on 1st Dec
 - Followed by medal ceremony
 - Followed by one session of Team Events @ 1730
 - Team Events:
 - Composition of teams to be given to TD by 1400 hrs
 - Draw to be made at 1800 on 29th
 - Last session starts @ 1330 on 3rd
 - Followed by medal ceremony



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- Closing Ceremony and Farewell Dinner from 1730
- Emphasis was placed on:
 - Persons on the bench
 - Playing Clothing: Colours
 - Players (and team captains) to be ready at Call Area at least 30 minutes before scheduled start of match for individual events, and at least 45 minutes before scheduled start of Team events
 - Match Procedure, including:
 - Team Events: if team captain or representative does not come to the draw conduct area by 40 minutes before the scheduled time of the match, his team would be considered to have forfeited the right to a choice in the line-up draw, the choice of ball(s), and the selection by lot in the case of similarity of shirt colours

Referee's Log :

Playing Clothing:

- All players conscientiously displayed their number on the back of the shirts every time.
- The number of times players were required to change shirts because of similar colours were few, and their cooperation to do so when told, is much appreciated.

The Racket (there was no Racket Control):

- Only one racket was disallowed because the thickness exceeded the permitted value. (Measured thickness: 4.3mm).

Medical Services:

- A physiotherapist and first aid was available in the playing venue during the competition.



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PPS:

No	Date	Time	Gender	Event	Table	Player	Assoc	Card	Reason	For player	For Assoc.	within day
1	30-Nov-11	09:30	M	SM10	8	BAKAR Mohamad Azwar	MAS	yellow	Kick the ball	1	1	1
2	30-Nov-11	17:00	M	SM8	2	MIZRACHI Barak	AUS	yellow	Threw the racket	1	1	2
3	2-Dec-11	11:00	F	TF6-8	5	KHODZYNSKA Antonina	UKR	yellow	Time wasting	1	1	1
4	2-Dec-11	11:00	M	TM6-7	10	ANTHONY Farrel	GBR	yellow	Smashed the ball at the opponent	1	1	2
5	2-Dec-11	17:30	M	TM9-10	7	HEIJNEN Tonnie	NED	yellow	Threw the racket on table	1	1	3

No	Date	Time	Gender	Event	Table	Advisor	Assoc	Card	Reason	For Advisor	For Assoc.	within day
1	2-Dec-11	10:40	M	SM6	10	Abdo	JOR	yellow	Illegal advise	1	1	1

General Comments :

- Lighting
 - The playing venue is good for para table tennis in so many ways. However, it could be better if an additional row of lights is installed in the centre of the hall, or some suitable modification is made to the current arrangement of the lights so as to provide a brighter environment as well as balanced lighting over the tables.
- Call Area
 - Was large and found very suitable for the tournament as it was able to cope with wheelchair team events. It also proved to be useful as it allowed for the resolving of shirt colours.
 - This area was also used as the Waiting Area before going to the FoP.
- Practice Hall:
 - This was one floor above the playing area, but presented no problem as two fairly large lifts serviced this area, besides



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the usual stairways. There were seven tables in this hall.

- Umpires:
 - Four of the 24 umpires were foreign. Because of this small number of foreign umpires, it was not possible to arrange 'neutral' umpires for most of the matches. However, it must be said that all umpires carried out their duties in a professional manner. The cooperation extended by all the umpires was excellent.
 - The small number of umpires resulted in most umpires having to work up to 5 team events in a day. It is recommended that, for the future, there should be at least three umpires per table.
- Referee Team:
 - The support, cooperation and responsibility to duty of the Deputy Referee was excellent, and one couldn't ask for more.
 - Having the services of a Chief Umpire was of great help in the Call Area.

Appreciation:

The LOC is to be congratulated for having made the effort to ensure things were done right, and whenever there were additional requests, to try and accede wherever possible. Refreshments were always available to one and all. The warmth of the Korean people made one feel at home.

The support, advice and cooperation extended us by the TD helped make our task so much easier and for this we are grateful and extend our heartfelt thanks.

Finally, a word of thanks to the many volunteers who were there ready and willing to push wheelchairs, pick up balls, assist us in the administration work, help with interpretation, and to be there to offer a warm smile and friendly chatter. Because of them were we able to accomplish what we did.

Cyril Sen
(Referee)

3rd December 2011