

**Evaluation Criteria for Elite Vote Support – Generic Scoring Table (For the Support Period of 2009-2013)**

ten	Weighting	Criteria	Rating				
1	1.5	International-level performance record in previous 2 years –  <b>Senior athletes</b>	4-8 (> 24 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 24 entries)</u> International Invitation Tournament Regional Championships (e.g. Pacific Games) International Open Competitions	4-8 (> 24 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 24 entries)</u> East Asian Games Asian Cup Series National Championships	4-8 (> 24 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 24 entries)</u> Asian Championships National Games World University Games / Championships Asia Cup (Finals) World Cup Series	4-8 (> 24 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 24 entries)</u> Olympic Games Asian Games World Championships World Cup (Finals)	<u>Medal (Minus-one Rule)</u> Olympic Games Asian Games
			Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> Inter-port / Inter-City Competition	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> International Invitation Tournament Regional Championships (e.g. Pacific Games) International Open Competitions	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> East Asian Games Asian Cup Series National Championships	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> Asian Championships National Games World University Games / Championships Asia Cup (Finals) World Cup Series	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> World Championships World Cup (Finals)
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2	1	International-level performance record in previous 2 years –  <b>Junior athletes</b>	4-8 (> 24 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 24 entries)</u> International Youth Invitation Tournament Regional Youth Championships International Youth Open Tournament	4-8 (> 24 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 24 entries)</u> Asian Youth Cup Series Asian Age Group Championships National Youth Championships	4-8 (> 24 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 24 entries)</u> Asian Youth Championships All City Games Asia Youth Cup (Finals) World Youth Cup Series	4-8 (> 24 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 24 entries)</u> World Youth Championships World Youth Games World Youth Cup (Finals)	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> World Youth Championships World Youth Games World Youth Cup (Finals)
			Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> Inter-port / Inter-City Youth Tournament	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> International Youth Invitation Tournament Regional Youth Championships International Youth Open Tournament	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> Asian Youth Cup Series Asian Age Group Championships National Youth Championships	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> Asian Youth Championships All City Games Asia Youth Cup (Finals) World Youth Cup Series	Medal (> 9 entries) or <u>Top 1/3 (≤ 9 entries)</u> World Youth Cup Series
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FOR THE SUPPORT PERIOD OF 2009-2013**

**Requirements for Results to be Considered**

1. Pre-requisite: Asian Games / Olympic Games events
2. The average score of the best results from two senior athletes and two junior athletes will be counted.
3. Only one result from each athlete will be used. Results achieved by the same athlete in both senior and junior events will only be counted in either category.
4. Each result would only be used once. Results of doubles events and team events in individual sports would only be counted once.
5. Achievements of demonstration / exhibition events of competitions will not be counted.
6. Only achievements of athletes fulfilling the 3-year residency criteria will be counted.
7. For team events of individual sports and team sports competitions, all members of the team must fulfill the 3-year residency requirement, and all should be eligible to represent Hong Kong to participate in Asian Games and/or Olympic Games.
8. Due to lack of uniformity in various sports disciplines, international ranking will not be used as an assessment parameter.
9. Only performance results of competitions which are sanctioned / recognized / endorsed by the relevant IF/AF will be considered, except National Games/ Championships.
10. For Olympic Games and Asian Games medal achievements, the “minus-one rule” will be applied.
11. Only achievements for events with 4 countries/regions taking part will be counted.
12. International open/professional events participated by 6 or more current world top ten ranking players would be considered at 4/5-point level.
13. The benchmark is set at a minimum of 9 points, and the number of Elite Sports is to be confined to not more than 13 sports based on the current subvention level. However, the benchmark may need to be adjusted, subject to the availability of funds for the Elite Vote and the number of sports reaching the required level of achievement.

**Special Considerations for Team Sports**

14. Two senior and two junior achievements will be counted. Achievements will be considered on team basis, and there is no restriction on athlete combinations for different competitions.
15. Inter-clubs competitions, whether local or international, will not be used as an assessment parameter.