



**BISFed**  
Boccia International Sports Federation

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Dear Classifier

BISFed (Boccia International Sport Federation) is the new governing body of the Sport of Boccia. The CPISRA members endorsed the transfer of governance of the sport of Boccia from CPISRA to BISFed on 1st January 2013 at the General Assembly in December 2012. We would like to invite all the CPISRA Classifiers to be part of BISFed as Boccia Classifiers. If you would like to be involved in Boccia as a Classifier please complete the attached form with all your details and return to me at [elsam@netactive.co.za](mailto:elsam@netactive.co.za) by 31 January 2013.

The Classification rules will be available on the BISFed website [www.bisfed.com](http://www.bisfed.com). At the 2012 CPISRA Classification Conference in Rio, we did a workshop on the ASAS (Australian Spasticity Assessment Scale) and it was decided to use the ASAS for the assessment of Spasticity in Boccia players from 2013. We are planning to have a Boccia Classification workshop at each Regional Competition this year to train Boccia Classifiers to use ASAS and to discuss the boccia profiles and other matters as only a few classifiers was able to attend the Conference in Rio. Details will be sent out soon and will be available on the website.

This is a very exciting time for Boccia and with everybody working together we can take Boccia to new heights. A letter with all the competition dates and a call for classifiers at the competitions will be sent out soon. I look forward to working with all of you again.

Kind regards

Elsa Matthee

Head of Classification