Tokyo Olympic Games – Karate Qualification System
Update on 2021 events

The coronavirus pandemic is still having a significant impact on sporting events in general, including Karate competitions. It is therefore of utmost importance to consider contingency plans with special consideration of those events that as of today are included as events qualifying directly or indirectly for the Tokyo Olympic Games of next summer 2021.

Below is a table detailing the replacement procedure of those events in the Tokyo Olympic Standing and pathway that could not take place in 2020 due to the coronavirus outbreak.

Cancelled 2020 Event	Substitution Event
Premier League Rabat 2020	In case that the PL Rabat 2021 cannot take place before the closure of the Olympic Standing, an alternative host for a Premier League substitution event in the same dates will replace this event. Should the new host however not be available for the same dates, it shall take place at a different date, provided that it takes place before closure of the Olympic Standing. In a last instance where there is no possibility to hold a substitution event before the closure of the Olympic Standing in May 2021, there will be no further possibility to include any additional points to the Tokyo Olympic Standing, with exception of the European athletes that are eligible to participate at the European Senior Championships.
EKF Senior Championships Baku 2020	**EKF Senior Championships 2021 held before closure of the Tokyo Olympic Standing**. Note: If the EKF Senior Championships cannot be held at all in 2021 before closure of the Tokyo Olympic Standings of May 2021, the last Continental European Championships (Guadalajara, Spain, 2019) will be applied for the Tokyo Olympic Standing, as defined in the World Ranking Rules point 1.3 "Points Decay Exceptions".
Tokyo Olympic Qualification Tournament 2020	Tokyo Olympic Qualification Tournament 2021