

# CHALLENGER ADDENDUM

## IV. PERSONNEL

### 5.08 Line Umpire

2) Unless otherwise approved by ATP, tournaments are required to provide the following minimum number of line umpires per match in 2022. Applicable only to tournaments with restricted number of individuals allowed on site due to Covid-19.

#### a) Hard Court/Synthetic

	Q	R1	R2	QF	SF	F
CHALLENGER 50	1	3	3	3	5	5
CHALLENGER 80	1	3	3	3	5	5
CHALLENGER 90	1	3	3	3	5	5
CHALLENGER 100	1	3	3	3	7	7
CHALLENGER 110	1	3	3	3	7	7
CHALLENGER 125	1	3	3	3	7	7

#### b) Clay Court:

	Q	R1	R2	QF	SF	F
CHALLENGER 50	None	None	None	None	3	3
CHALLENGER 80	None	None	None	None	3	3
CHALLENGER 90	None	None	None	None	3	3
CHALLENGER 100	None	3	3	3	5	5
CHALLENGER 110	None	3	3	3	7	7
CHALLENGER 125	None	3	3	3	7	7

### 5.09 Referee

#### A. Assignment and Designation Process

2) A Referee is recommended but not required at Challenger tournaments with a 32 Singles draw.

### 5.11 Ball Persons

**A. Number** – Unless otherwise approved by ATP, tournaments are to provide a minimum of three (3) ball persons per match. It is recommended not to recruit young children.

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## VI. FACILITIES & ON-SITE CONDITIONS

### 6.02 Match & Practice Courts

B. In preparation of matches, each court should be equipped with the following items at a minimum:

- 2 pedal bins: 1 for general rubbish and the other for towels. Please mark them clearly. Chair umpires will remind the players to dispose of their towels.
- 1 cooler per player containing bottled water, electrolyte drinks and bananas. All drinks must be in sealed containers.
- Bins must be emptied after each match and all items, including chairs, coolers, bins, etc., thoroughly disinfected.

### 6.03 Balls

#### A. Changes and Number. 2)

- Challenger 50 to 110: minimum 4 balls to be changed every 7 and 9 games. Six (6) balls recommended.
- Challenger 125: minimum of 6 balls to be changed every 7 and 9 games.

#### C. Practice Balls. 3)

Tournaments are strongly encouraged to provide new balls for every practice session. Anyone handling the ball cans and balls must wear Personal Protective Equipment.

### 6.05 Security at Tournaments

All player areas must be separated from the public. Post security guards or volunteers at access points. Only properly accredited persons are allowed inside – masks to be worn at all times

### 6.09 Communication Devices

All communication devices, including telephones, walkie-talkies must be disinfected before the start of the day.

### 6.10 Tournament Credentialing and Ticketing

#### G. Tournament Credentials & H. Ticketing

Competitors' accreditations will be limited to the Player and maximum two (2) guests. In addition to the normal requirements for accreditation, the following items should be added on the back of the accreditation:

- Tournament Doctor's telephone number.
- Emergency Medical Services telephone number (e.g. 112 in the European Union).
- Tournament Desk telephone number.
- Notice that no entry will be permitted without a protective mask.

On the back of tickets, tournaments should add:

- Emergency Medical Services telephone number (e.g. 112 in the European Union).
- Notice that no entry will be permitted without a protective mask (if required by law).

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### 6.16 Food

Player on-site dining is only permitted provided the tournament can offer an adequate space which complies with all distancing requirements (as a guideline, one [1] person per 4 square meters or 43 square feet). Access to the dining room is for accredited personnel only. If dining at the hotel is not possible, a “take away” service should be available on-site.

We recommend providing a minimum take-away food service to players to minimize players' presence on-site. If there is enough space, tables should be positioned with enough distancing. The restaurant should be cleaned regularly with adequate virucide detergent. Restaurant personnel must wear a mask, gloves and a hairnet.

### 6.18 Transportation

Players must be picked up from the nearest airport or train station.

Drivers must wear a protective mask at all times. A clear transportation schedule should be given to drivers and followed. Anyone who is not wearing a mask will be denied access. When organizing an airport pick-up, the Tournament Desk should send the name and telephone number of the driver to the player. Drivers should not help carry players' baggage. Cars are to be disinfected after each ride, so it is important your transportation manager adapts travel times and schedules accordingly.

### 6.19 Physiotherapist/Treatment Room

#### B. High/Low Treatment/Massage Table

- 2) The office must be thoroughly cleaned with virucide detergent every morning and evening after the matches. Entry must be regulated, and masks worn.

## IX. ATP RANKINGS

### 9.03 ATP Rankings

#### F. Entry Protection

##### 6) COVID-19 Protected Ranking

Starting from 8 March 2021, players who are out of competition for four consecutive weeks will, on one occasion, be eligible for a COVID-19 Protected Ranking (CPR). The expiration of using the CPR is 21 March 2022 and is designed to allow players greater flexibility in their scheduling without harming their ability to enter future tournaments. The current length of being able to obtain a CPR is through and including the week of 8\* November, 2021. Eligible players will be granted four entry opportunities, excluding ATP Cup, Grand Slams and/or the Olympic Games using their 'frozen' ranking.

Players will only be able to use their COVID-19 Protected Ranking for entry into as many ATP Masters 1000 events as they miss during their time away from competition.

\*The extension period from the week of 9 August to and including the week of 8 November 2021 is only applicable for players that meet the out of competition criteria due to testing positive for Covid-19 and ordered in isolation, or quarantined because of being ruled as close contacts.