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January 27, 2023

Mr. Ben Ho Chinese Taipei Golf Association 12F-1, No. 125, Nanjing East Road Sec. 2 Taipei, 104

RE: INVITATION TO ATTEND 2023 WORLD JUNIOR GIRLS GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP, PRESENTED BY SARGENT FARMS

Dear Mr. Ho,

Golf Canada, in partnership with Golf Ontario and supported by the International Golf Federation, are pleased to invite CHINESE TAIPEI to the 2023 World Junior Girls Golf Championship, presented by Sargent Farms. This year's championship will be contested September 18-23 at Brampton Golf Club in Brampton, Ontario, Canada.

The host organizing committee would like to extend an invitation to **three (3) players** and **one (1) delegate** (or Non-Playing Captain). This invitation will include:

- Accommodations throughout the championship
- Transportation during championship week
- Two (2) practice rounds (Monday, September 18th & Tuesday, September 19th)
- Four (4) competitive rounds (Wednesday, September 20th to Saturday, September 23rd)
- Opening ceremony & reception on Tuesday, September 19th
- Complimentary breakfast & lunch during championship week
- Awards ceremony immediately following play on Saturday, September 23rd

Note: The host organizing committee has worked diligently to secure funding for all aspects of the championship since the inaugural event in 2014. There have been significant enhancements and costs associated with running

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a world-class championship, and as in 2022, we will be requiring all countries to pay for their players' and coaches' airfare, in addition to the championship entry fee.

In 2023, there will be an entry fee of \$3,500 CDN per team, which will cover the cost of three (3) players and one (1) delegate. This fee **must** be paid by **Friday, March 31**st (2023) to confirm your national federation's spot in the eighth edition of the World Junior Girls Golf Championship, presented by Sargent Farms.

The health and well-being of all involved with the championship and in our host community at large remains paramount in our efforts to safely conduct the championship in 2023. The World Junior Girls Organizing Committee will monitor and abide by federal and provincial guidelines revolving the COVID-19 pandemic. At this time, we don't see any restrictions affecting the status of our championship in 2023. If the federal and provincial governments put restrictions in place, we will ensure to notify the participating countries as soon as possible.

The championship field will be expanded this year to include 25 countries consisting of three-player teams of athletes who have not reached their 19th birthday by the last scheduled day of the championship (September 23, 2023) AND are not currently attending and/or playing on a university/college golf team. As the host country, Canada will field a second team in the competition. The 26-team field will compete over 72-holes for both individual and team honours. National Federations have been invited to participate in the 2023 edition of the championship based on their finish at the 2022 World Amateur Team Championship, the 2022 World Junior Girls Championship, and the average ranking of their top three (3) junior-aged players on the Women's World Amateur Golf Rankings (WWAGR). The current field list and exemption categories have been provided for your reference, along with this invitation.

The 2023 World Junior Girls Golf Championship, presented by Sargent Farms will mark the eighth playing of this championship – Golf Canada and Golf Ontario are committed to conducting this international competition on an annual basis. In addition to a 72-hole competition, the championship will also include community development programming to assist in developing a more inclusive culture within golf and grow participation among women and girls.

Please confirm your federation's intent to compete in this year's championship by completing the attached agreement form and **return it by March 31st (2023)** to Assistant Tournament Director, Sam Brown (sbrown@golfcanada.ca).

Sincerely,

Kevin Blue Chief Sport Officer Golf Canada







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