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Japan Association of
Athletics Federations

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ATHLETE INFORMATION NOTICE
~IMPORTANT~

**Pre-Competition Blood Testing
at the Asian 20km Race Walking Championships in Nomi 2014**

Asian Athletics Association is committed to fight against doping in alignment with the worldwide anti-doping movement.

Asian Athletics Association will conduct pre-competition blood testing at the Asian 20km Race Walking Championships to be held in Nomi, Japan on March 16, 2014 in collaboration with International Association of Athletics Federations. This will be the first championships to carry out blood testing by AAA.

Blood testing will be conducted on the day before the race, i.e. March 15, 2014. Appointed athletes will be notified in advance, so the athletes concerned should report to the doping control station as per instruction. Blood sample of 3ml will be collected. A failure to undergo doping control test following the notification will constitute an anti-doping rule violation under IAAF Rule 32.2 (c) and (d). When coming to the doping control station, athletes are required to bring their passport (Drivers' license or employee ID card with photo for Japanese).

Asian Athletics Association

Organizing Committee of
Asian Race Walking Championships