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BERMUDA OLYMPIC ASSOCIATION TO HOLD ATHLETES' CAREER PROGRAMME WORKSHOP ON SATURDAY, 24 FEBRUARY 2018

Hamilton, Bermuda—19 February 2018: The Bermuda Olympic Association (“BOA”) on behalf of the Athletes’ Commission of the International Olympic Committee will host a free Athletes’ Career Programme Workshop for Bermudian athletes aged 15 to 30, this Saturday, 24 February 2018 at Saltus Grammar School.

The Athletes’ Career Programme, which was developed in conjunction with leading international Human Resources Solutions provider, Adecco, is designed to help elite athletes successfully manage the transition from sport to a new career through professional development and job placement support. The Bermuda Workshop will provide attendees with information that will help them pursue career and educational opportunities that complement their athletic experience, and will feature modules on CV development, networking, time management, and interviewing skills, among others.

Workshop details are as follows:

When: Saturday, 24 February 2018 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Where: Goose Gosling Centre, Saltus Grammar School, 108 St. John’s Road, Pembroke

Who: Open to Bermudian athletes aged 15 to 30

Judy Simons, BOA President, said “We are pleased to be working with the Athletes’ Commission outreach programme to bring this valuable seminar to Bermuda’s athletes. We have many young athletes who commit much time and energy to training and competition in their sport, and are often not thinking proactively about future career opportunities. This Workshop will help them identify and evaluate those opportunities and learn how to leverage their sports skills to seize them. It’s just one of the many ways the BOA is working to assist our island’s young people on their journeys to success through sport.”

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Notes to Editors

About the Bermuda Olympic Association

Established in 1936, the Bermuda Olympic Association (BOA) is the sole representative of the International Olympic Association, the Pan American Sports Organization, and the Commonwealth Games Federation, and oversees all matters pertaining to Bermuda and these international sporting Festivals. The BOA liaises with the local National Sport Governing Bodies to help identify Elite Athletes and to assist with and support their development so as to maximise their participation in the major Festivals.

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