

BCA

Annual | Report 2016

Report and financial statements
for the year ended 31 December 2016



**Badminton
Confederation
Africa**



**Badminton
Confederation
of Africa**

Badminton Confederation of Africa
Dairy Building
Quatre Bornes
Mauritius
Tel +230-4243979
Fax +230-4244039
www.bcabadminton.org
www.facebook.com/bcabadminton



TABLE OF CONTENTS

AGM 18-May-17

| | |
|--|----|
| TABLE OF CONTENTS | 1 |
| INTRODUCTION: | 6 |
| MEMBERSHIP: | 9 |
| REGIONS & OPERATION STRUCTURES: | 12 |
| DEVELOPMENT: | 13 |
| GOVERNANCE:..... | 14 |
| FINANCE: | 16 |
| STRENGTH IN 2016:..... | 17 |
| WEAKNESS IN 2016: | 18 |
| COMMUNICATION & MARKETING:..... | 19 |
| EVENTS: | 20 |
| TECHNICAL OFFICIALS DEVELOPMENT:..... | 25 |
| FRANCOPHONIE | 28 |
| OLYMPIC SOLIDARITY COURSES: | 30 |
| COACH EDUCATION: | 31 |
| ROAD TO RIO/ROAD TO TOKYO: | 33 |
| SHUTTLE TIME: | 38 |
| PARA-BADMINTON:..... | 41 |
| WOMEN IN BADMINTON: | 42 |
| BWF AFFAIRS: | 43 |
| 2017 CALENDAR: | 44 |
| CONCLUSION: | 49 |
| AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 2016..... | 51 |



OFFICERS

| | |
|---------------------------|---|
| PRESIDENT | Byron Larry Keys |
| DEPUTY PRESIDENT | Nestor Percy Galley |
| BWF VICE-PRESIDENT | Dagmawit Girmay Berhane |
| VICE PRESIDENTS | Kay Kamatuwa Chirwa Messoud Zobiri Thomas Bakala Simon Mugabi |
| TREASURER | Chipo Zumburani |
| MEMBERS | Omar Bellali Michel T. Bau Dr Ali Hasaballah Hamilton Mpinyane Simon Mwila Danlami Senchi Odette Engoulou |

ADMINISTRATION

| | |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| SECRETARY GENERAL | Raj Gaya |
| OPERATIONS MANAGER | Sahir Edoó |
| DEVELOPMENT OFFICER | Dajee Annirao |
| FINANCE OFFICER | Lyvonía P. Sauramba |





During the period under review, our Confederation was very active and successful in our various projects. Testimony to this is reflected in the Council report which gives more details.

As we are all aware the last two years we have been “Under Administration” from BWF due to past irregularities. I am now pleased to advise that this has now been lifted and we are now operating normally like other Confederations. We are now in good standing and have a good relationship with BWF.

The opening of the office in South Africa was one of the most significant milestones for us during the year 2016. The office is an asset to us raising our image and ensuring good financial control. I want to make it perfectly clear that the Office in S.A. was created on the proposal of BWF and was endorsed by BCA Executive board and the council respectively. It is important to note that the costs thereof did not come out of our development allocation and was fully funded by the BWF.

We produced our four-year strategic plan, mapping our organization’s strategic direction leading to the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games . The process was spearhead by the Secretary

General and his team whom I extend my deepest gratitude for this and their overall contributions during 2016.

As we have been moving towards a more professional set-up and striving for good corporate governance, our structures, places of operation and further development of our staff and capacity have never been more important.

Our structures(Committees) are starting to work well but there remains a few who seem to be reflected to take control although empowered by Council.

A couple of our Continental Championships during the year, highlighted poor administration in some of our MA’s, which is a necessity for an administration course which I have been advocating for two years.

Our Treasurer has had a hard time educating people to use the applicable documentation which creates a paper trail, a necessary requirement by our Auditors, BWF and is in line with international requirements for good accounting practices and corporate governance. We welcomed a new full time finance officer during the year which has further enhanced the day to day management of our finances and reporting thereof.

It’s an election year and in conclusion I’m not requesting you to vote for any specific person but to vote with your head and not your heart, bearing in mind the persons track record in the interest of BCA.

Best regards,

Larry Keys
President

INTRODUCTION

1. 2016 has been a very busy year for the African badminton, the list of events and other activities are herewith detailed.
2. The Thomas & Uber Cups African preliminaries were successfully organized in Mauritius in February 2016.
3. The Africa Under 19 championship was successfully organized in Morocco in August 2016.
4. The eighth edition of Africa schools' championship was also successfully organized in South Africa in December 2016.
5. The **BCA Road to Rio** project came to an end in 2016 with the Rio Olympics.
6. The **BCA Road to Tokyo** started in 2016 with a new group of players.
7. Shuttle Time (BWF School Badminton) continued its progress in Africa; it was implemented in several countries in 2016.
8. Africa Coach education continued its progress in 2016 with nine courses, viz; Three Level I in English, three Level I in French and three level II in English.
9. The first Para-Badminton activity was organized in Africa in 2016.
10. Two new members joined BCA in 2016, **Guinea** and **Niger**. This brings BCA membership to 41 countries.
11. Participation of women at all levels in Badminton has once more been quite low in Africa in 2016, in spite of BCA new policy for inclusiveness of women in all the activities in Africa.
12. Council views with much concern the continuing difficult economic situation in most African countries, which is considerably affecting the development of Badminton.
13. Council was much concerned with the continuing political unrest in some African countries. This situation was not good for the development of Badminton.
14. The following table is a consolidated list of all activities held in 2016



| 2016 All activities | | | |
|---------------------|----------|---------------|-------------------------------------|
| | Month | Country | Activity / Event |
| 1 | January | Cote d'Ivoire | ST - Tutors and Teachers Course |
| 2 | February | Mauritius | Road to Rio Training |
| 3 | February | Mauritius | TOs software workshop |
| 4 | February | Mauritius | Rose Hill International |
| 5 | February | Mauritius | Preliminaries Thomas & Uber Cup |
| 6 | February | Mauritius | African TOs Meeting |
| 7 | February | Mauritius | Level I Coaching Course |
| 8 | February | Uganda | Umpires Course |
| 9 | February | Uganda | Uganda International |
| 10 | March | Lesotho | ST Presentation Meeting |
| 11 | March | Eritrea | ST Presentation Meeting |
| 12 | March | Mauritania | ST Presentation Meeting |
| 13 | March | Morocco | Meeting U19 |
| 14 | March | Egypt | Meeting Para-Badminton |
| 15 | March | Cote d'Ivoire | Francophonie Activities |
| 16 | March | Cote d'Ivoire | Umpires Course |
| 17 | March | Cote d'Ivoire | Cote d'Ivoire International |
| 18 | April | Ethiopia | ST - Coordinators Meeting |
| 19 | April | Cote d'Ivoire | Level I Coaching Course |
| 20 | April | South Africa | Auditors Meeting |
| 21 | May | Guinea | OS course |
| 22 | May | China | BCA Council |
| 23 | May | China | BCA AGM |
| 24 | May | China | BCA EB |
| 25 | May | China | BWF Forum |
| 26 | May | China | BWF AGM |
| 27 | May | China | Thomas and Uber Cup - Final |
| 28 | June | Zimbabwe | ST Launch |
| 29 | June | Mozambique | ST Presentation Meeting |
| 30 | June | Mauritius | Umpires Course |
| 31 | June | Mauritius | Mauritius International |
| 32 | June | Kenya | Kenya International (cancelled) |
| 33 | July | Cote d'Ivoire | ST Coordinators Meeting (French) |
| 34 | July | Cote d'Ivoire | Level I course (women) French |
| 35 | July | Sierra Leone | ST Presentation Meeting (cancelled) |
| 36 | July | Morocco | Meeting U19 |
| 37 | July | Congo | ST Presentation Meeting |
| 38 | July | Congo DRC | ST Presentation Meeting |
| 39 | July | Nigeria | Lagos International (cancelled) |
| 40 | July | Nigeria | Level II Coaching Course |

| | | | |
|----|-----------|--------------|-------------------------------------|
| 41 | July | Algeria | Regional Tournament |
| 42 | August | Brazil | Olympic Games |
| 43 | August | Morocco | Francophonie Activities (cancelled) |
| 44 | August | Morocco | Umpires Course |
| 45 | August | Morocco | U19 Champs |
| 46 | September | Tunisia | ST Presentation Meeting |
| 47 | September | Eritrea | ST Launch (cancelled) |
| 48 | September | Mauritania | ST Launch (cancelled) |
| 49 | September | Malaysia | BWF Development Meeting |
| 50 | September | Ethiopia | Level I Coaching Course |
| 51 | September | Ethiopia | Umpires Course |
| 52 | September | Ethiopia | Ethiopia International |
| 53 | October | Nigeria | Nigeria International (cancelled) |
| 54 | October | Congo | ST Launch |
| 55 | October | Egypt | Umpires Course |
| 56 | October | Egypt | Egypt International |
| 57 | October | Egypt | Para-Badminton Workshop |
| 58 | October | Egypt | BCA EB Meeting |
| 59 | October | Egypt | BCA Council Meeting |
| 60 | October | Egypt | Level II Coaching Course |
| 61 | November | Congo DRC | ST Launch |
| 62 | November | Morocco | Level I Coaching Course (cancelled) |
| 63 | November | Tanzania | Visit Meeting |
| 64 | November | Morocco | Morocco International (cancelled) |
| 65 | November | Spain | World Junior Championships |
| 66 | November | Spain | 2017 Planning meeting with BWF |
| 67 | November | Algeria | Algeria International (cancelled) |
| 68 | November | Zambia | Level I Coaching Course |
| 69 | November | Zambia | Umpires Course |
| 70 | November | Zambia | Zambia International |
| 71 | December | South Africa | Level II Coaching Course |
| 72 | December | South Africa | Road to Tokyo Training |
| 73 | December | South Africa | Umpires Course |
| 74 | December | South Africa | South Africa International |
| 75 | December | South Africa | Schools Championship |
| 76 | December | South Africa | Event Management Course |
| 77 | December | Botswana | Umpires Course |
| 78 | December | Botswana | Botswana International |
| 79 | December | Morocco | Level I Coaching Course |
| | | | |

15. The above data shows an average of more than one activity per week over the 52 weeks of 2016.

MEMBERSHIP

1. Out of the 57 African countries and territories, so far the following 41 are members of BCA

| | | | | | | | |
|----|--------------------|----|-------------|----|--------------|----|-----------|
| 1 | Algeria | 12 | Ethiopia | 23 | Morocco | 34 | Sudan |
| 2 | Benin | 13 | Ghana | 24 | Mozambique | 35 | Swaziland |
| 3 | Botswana | 14 | Guinea | 25 | Namibia | 36 | Tanzania |
| 4 | Burundi | 15 | Ivory Coast | 26 | Niger | 37 | Togo |
| 5 | Cameroun | 16 | Kenya | 27 | Nigeria | 38 | Tunisia |
| 6 | Central Africa Rep | 17 | Lesotho | 28 | Reunion | 39 | Uganda |
| 7 | Congo | 18 | Libya | 29 | Seychelles | 40 | Zambia |
| 8 | Congo DRC | 19 | Madagascar | 30 | Sierra Leone | 41 | Zimbabwe |
| 9 | Egypt | 20 | Malawi | 31 | Somalia | | |
| 10 | Equatorial Guinea | 21 | Mauritania | 32 | South Africa | | |
| 11 | Eritrea | 22 | Mauritius | 33 | St Helena | | |

2. New membership discussions were ongoing with eight (08) countries where Badminton is being played with limited or informal structures

| | | | | | |
|---|----------|---|----------|---|-------------|
| 1 | Comoros | 4 | Mali | 7 | Senegal |
| 2 | Djibouti | 5 | Rwanda | 8 | South Sudan |
| 3 | Liberia | 6 | Sao Tomé | | |

3. Burkina Faso is already in the process of becoming the 42nd BCA member.

4. BCA expects around three (3) countries to become new members in 2017.

5. There were eight (07) countries/territories where badminton was practically not played at all

| | | | | | |
|---|------------|---|---------------|---|----------------|
| 1 | Angola | 4 | Gabon | 7 | Western Sahara |
| 2 | Cape Verde | 5 | Gambia | | |
| 3 | Chad | 6 | Guinea Bissau | | |



6. In 2016, out of the 41 MAs, 34 participated in at least one Badminton activity of BCA, the following table shows the activeness of the 34 MAs

| | Members | Total activity | Attend AGM | TUC Africa | Under 19 | School champ | O5 course | Shuttle Time | Coach Level I-II | Umpire course | Hosting events | Para-Badminton | Event course | Other activity |
|----|----------------|----------------|------------|------------|----------|--------------|-----------|--------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1 | Algeria | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | 1 | | 2 |
| 2 | Benin | 4 | 2 | | | | | 2 | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| 3 | Botswana | 8 | 3 | | | 1 | | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 1 |
| 4 | Cameroun | 5 | 4 | | 2 | | | 4 | 3 | | | | | 1 |
| 5 | Central Africa | 1 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | Congo | 3 | 6 | | | | | 5 | 4 | | | | | |
| 7 | Congo DRC | 3 | 7 | | | | | 6 | 5 | | | | | |
| 8 | Cote d'Ivoire | 7 | 8 | | 3 | | | 7 | 6 | 2 | 2 | | | 1 |
| 9 | Egypt | 8 | 9 | 2 | 4 | | | 8 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 2 | | 6 |
| 10 | Eritrea | 1 | | | | | | 9 | | | | | | |
| 11 | Ethiopia | 6 | 10 | | | | | 10 | 8 | 4 | 4 | | | 1 |
| 12 | Ghana | 5 | 11 | 3 | | | | 11 | | | | 3 | | 1 |
| 13 | Guinea | 3 | | | | | 1 | 12 | 9 | | | | | |
| 14 | Kenya | 3 | | | | 2 | | 13 | | | | | | 1 |
| 15 | Lesotho | 3 | 12 | | | 3 | | 14 | | | | | | |
| 16 | Madagascar | 1 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 | Mauritania | 2 | | | | | | 15 | | | | | | 1 |
| 18 | Mauritius | 11 | 14 | 4 | 5 | 4 | | 16 | | 5 | 5&6 | 4 | 2 | 7 |
| 19 | Morocco | 6 | 15 | | 6 | | | 17 | 10 | 6 | 7 | | | |
| 20 | Mozambique | 1 | | | | | | 18 | | | | | | |
| 21 | Namibia | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| 22 | Nigeria | 6 | 16 | | | | | 19 | 11 | | | 5 | 3 | 2 |
| 23 | Reunion | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| 24 | Seychelles | 3 | 17 | | 7 | | | 12 | | | | | | |
| 25 | Sierra Leone | 1 | 18 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26 | South Africa | 11 | 19 | 5 | 8 | 5 | | 20 | 13 | | 8&9 | 6 | 4 | 4 |
| 27 | Swaziland | 1 | | | | | | 21 | | | | | | |
| 28 | Sudan | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| 29 | Tanzania | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 30 | Togo | 3 | 20 | | | | | 22 | 14 | | | | | 1 |
| 31 | Tunisia | 1 | | | | | | 23 | | | | | | |
| 32 | Uganda | 9 | 21 | 6 | 9 | | | 24 | 15 | 7 | 10 | | 5 | 3 |
| 33 | Zambia | 8 | 22 | | 10 | | | 25 | 16 | 8 | 11 | | 6 | 7 |
| 34 | Zimbabwe | 6 | 23 | 7 | | 6 | | 26 | 17 | | | | 7 | |



7. The above table shows more than 75% of the MAs participated in at least one activity in 2016.
8. The following 7 MAs did not participate in any activity in 2016
9. Participation of MAs in at least one activity of BCA is on the increase each year over the past five years.

| | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|---|---------|---|-----------|
| 1 | Burundi | 4 | Malawi | 7 | St Helena |
| 2 | Equatorial Guinea | 5 | Niger | | |
| 3 | Libya | 6 | Somalia | | |

REGIONS & OPERATION STRUCTURES

1. BCA has been geographically divided into four (04) regions with each one under the responsibility of a Vice President

| | | |
|---|------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | Region I | Messaoud Zobiri (ALG) |
| 2 | Region II | Thomas Bakala (CGO) |
| 3 | Region III | Kay Chirwa (ZAM) |
| 4 | Region IV | Simon Mugabi (UGA) |

2. For operation of BCA activities, the Member Associations have also been grouped into four different regions

3. Region I, Northern part of Africa (8 MAs)

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|---|---------|---|------------|---|---------|
| 1 | Algeria | 3 | Libya | 5 | Mauritania | 7 | Sudan |
| 2 | Egypt | 4 | Morocco | 6 | St Helena | 8 | Tunisia |

4. Region II, Western part of Africa (13 MAs)

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|---|-------------------|----|--------------|----|------|
| 1 | Benin | 5 | Congo DRC | 9 | Guinea | 13 | Togo |
| 2 | Cameroun | 6 | Cote d'Ivoire | 10 | Nigeria | | |
| 3 | Central Africa Rep | 7 | Equatorial Guinea | 11 | Niger | | |
| 4 | Congo | 8 | Ghana | 12 | Sierra Leone | | |

5. Region III, Southern part of Africa (9 MAs)

| | | | | | |
|---|----------|---|--------------|---|-----------|
| 1 | Botswana | 4 | Mozambique | 7 | Swaziland |
| 2 | Lesotho | 5 | Namibia | 8 | Zambia |
| 3 | Malawi | 6 | South Africa | 9 | Zimbabwe |

6. Region IV, Eastern part of Africa (11 MAs)

| | | | | | | | |
|---|----------|---|------------|---|------------|----|----------|
| 1 | Burundi | 4 | Kenya | 7 | Reunion | 10 | Tanzania |
| 2 | Eritrea | 5 | Madagascar | 8 | Seychelles | 11 | Uganda |
| 3 | Ethiopia | 6 | Mauritius | 9 | Somalia | | |

DEVELOPMENT

For development purposes, BCA members were classified into five (05) groups

1. Developed (7 MAs)

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|--------------|
| 1 | Algeria | 3 | Mauritius | 5 | Reunion | 7 | South Africa |
| 2 | Egypt | 4 | Nigeria | 6 | Seychelles | | |

2. Developing (10 MAs)

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|---|----------|---|---------|----|----------|
| 1 | Botswana | 4 | Ethiopia | 7 | Morocco | 10 | Zambia |
| 2 | Cameroun | 5 | Ghana | 8 | Namibia | 11 | Zimbabwe |
| 3 | Cote d'Ivoire | 6 | Kenya | 9 | Uganda | | |

3. Less developed (7 MAs)

| | | | | | | | |
|---|----------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|---------|
| 1 | Cameroun | 3 | Congo DRC | 5 | Lesotho | 7 | Togo |
| 2 | Congo | 4 | Eritrea | 6 | Madagascar | 8 | Tunisia |

4. Under developed (14 MAs)

| | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------|---|------------|---|--------------|----|-----------|
| 1 | Burundi | 4 | Libya | 7 | Mozambique | 10 | Sudan |
| 2 | Central Africa | 5 | Malawi | 8 | Niger | 11 | Swaziland |
| 3 | Guinea | 6 | Mauritania | 9 | Sierra Leone | 12 | Tanzania |

5. Dormant (3 MAs)

| | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|---|---------|---|-----------|
| 1 | Equatorial Guinea | 2 | Somalia | 3 | St Helena |
|---|-------------------|---|---------|---|-----------|

6. In 2016, BCA initiated some projects to empower the small MAs in their development.



GOVERNANCE

1. The 2016 BCA AGM was successfully organized in China, at the same venue as the BWF AGM.
2. The Council had two meetings in 2016, one in China in May together with the AGM and a second one in October in Egypt.
3. The Executive Board had two meetings, one in China in May together with the AGM and a second one in October in Egypt.
4. Several committee meetings were organized with the Council meetings.
5. The composition of the Council is presently as follows

| | | |
|----|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 | President | Mr. Larry Keys (RSA). |
| 2 | Deputy President | Mr. Nestor Percy Galley (GHA). |
| 3 | BWF Vice President | Mrs. Dagmawit Girmay Berhane (ETH). |
| 4 | Treasurer | Mrs. Chipso Zumburani (ZIM). |
| 5 | Vice President | Mr. Messaoud Zobiri (ALG) Region I. |
| 6 | Vice President | Mr. Thomas Bakala (CGO) Region II. |
| 7 | Vice President | Mr. Kay Chirwa (ZAM) Region III. |
| 8 | Vice President | Mr. Simon Mugabi (UGA) Region IV. |
| 9 | Member | Mr. Tukebana Bau (SEY). |
| 10 | Member | Mr. Omar Bellali (MAR). |
| 11 | Member | Mrs. Odette Engoulou (CMR). |
| 12 | Member | Dr Aly Hassaballa (EGY). |
| 13 | Member | Mr. Hamilton Mphinyane (BOT). |
| 14 | Member | Mr. Simon Mwila (ZAM). |
| 15 | Member | Mr. Danlami Sanchi (NGR). |



The Council committees and sub-committees in 2016 were

| Executive Board | |
|-----------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Larry Keys (Chair) |
| 2 | Nestor Percy Galley |
| 3 | Tukebana Bau |
| 4 | Chipo Zumburani |
| 5 | Messaoud Zobiri |
| 6 | Danlami Sanchi |
| 7 | Dagmawit Girmay |

| Development Committee | |
|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 1 | Larry Keys (Chair) |
| 2 | Thomas Bakala |
| 3 | Kay Chirwa |
| 4 | Simon Mugabi |
| 5 | Omar Bellali |
| 6 | Odette Engoulou |

| Finance & Remuneration (sub of Executive Board) | |
|--|-------------------------|
| 1 | Dagmawit Girmay (Chair) |
| 2 | Chipo Zumburani |
| 3 | Omar Bellali |
| 4 | Messaoud Zobiri |
| 5 | Tukebana Bau |

| VP Regions | |
|------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Messaoud Zobiri |
| 2 | Thomas Bakala |
| 3 | Kay Chirwa |
| 4 | Simon Mugabi |

| Administration Committee | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Tukebana Bau (Chair) |
| 2 | Dagmawit Girmay |
| 3 | Danlami Sanchi |
| 4 | Kay Chirwa |
| 5 | Messaoud Zobiri |

| Technical Officials Commission (Sub) (sub of Event Committee) | |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 | Diraj Gooneeadry (Chair) |
| 2 | Louwrens Bester |
| 3 | Emmanuel Kgaboetsile |
| 4 | Harriet Semugabi |
| 5 | Jen Ponambalum |

| Technical Officials (Sub) Training Technical Officials | |
|---|------------------|
| 1 | Diraj Gooneeadry |
| 2 | Louwrens Bester |

| Events Committee | |
|------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Simon Mugabi (Chair) |
| 2 | Hamilton Mphinyane |
| 3 | Simon Mwila |
| 4 | Dr Aly Hassaballa |
| 5 | Thomas Bakala |

| Marketing Committee | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | Nestor Galley (Chair) |
| 2 | Chipo Zumburani |
| 3 | Simon Mwila |
| 4 | Dr Ali Hasabalah |

| Legal Commission (Sub) (sub of Executive Board) | |
|--|-----------------------|
| 1 | Danlami Sanchi(chair) |
| 2 | Odette Engoulou |
| 3 | Simon Mwila |
| 4 | Jen Ponambalum |

| Women Commission (Sub) (sub of Development Committee) | |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 | Odette Engoulou(chair) |
| 2 | Chipo Zumburani |
| 3 | Dr Aly Hassaballa |
| 4 | Hadia Hosny |

6. The AGM approved some changes to the BCA constitution.
7. The term of office of the present Council will end at the 2017 AGM.
8. A new Council will be elected at the 2017 AGM.



FINANCE

1. BCA once more depended totally on the financial grants from BWF to run its affairs.
2. Due to the economic situation and the low ranking of badminton with other major sports, no continental financial support could be generated in Africa.
3. The worsening economic situation in Africa had also put a lot of pressure on the activities of most of the African MAs.
4. With Shuttle Time, Coach Education and players' development, more funding and other support were received from BWF.
5. The Council had been working on a strategy to generate some revenue in Africa.
6. The 2016 AGM approved the payment of a BCA subscription by 18 MAs, this to be effective as from January 2017.
7. BCA also sort the services of a full-time finance officer during the year 2016.

STRENGTH IN 2016

1. The strength of BCA had continued to be the efforts made by several small MAs to develop the game in spite of the difficult local financial situation they encountered even with the worsening International financial crisis.
2. With the launch of Shuttle Time in many African countries, great interest has been aroused in the children and demand for equipment is on the rise in these countries.
3. The visit BCA officials undertook to the sport authorities of small MAs were very beneficial for the development of Badminton locally.



(c) BCA Photos, 2016



WEAKNESS IN 2016

1. Low profile tournaments, mainly due to the financial situation of most African countries.
2. Equipment availability (racket, shuttles and nets) locally in most African countries has once more been one of the major problems on the ground.
3. Court infrastructure - absence of proper badminton halls in most African countries poses a big hindrance to the development of the game.
4. Presence in the media and TV has once more been very low due to badminton being considered as a low-profile sport in most African countries compared to other high profile sports such as soccer.
5. High cost of travelling within Africa compared to other continents prevented high patronage of tournaments by MAs.
6. With the continuation of the International financial crisis, the financial situation of more than 90% of African countries continued to be in the red zone, thus governments and sponsors were not prepared to put money in to supporting badminton because it is considered as low profile sport.
7. This situation is worsening in many parts of the continent and is likely to continue affecting Badminton status in Africa.
8. Political unrest in many African countries has in some cases considerably affected badminton development.

COMMUNICATION & MARKETING

1. With the communication setup BCA put in place three years back, the stakeholders acknowledged that there has been considerable progress in communication over the past two years.
2. BCA communication continued to grow and reaching more stakeholders through its newsletters, Facebook page, website and other digital media.
3. BCA is working in collaboration with BWF to have an upgraded website; this could not be completed in 2016.
4. In 2016, BCA provided roll up and wall banners to nearly all the active MAs; this is giving a better visibility of BCA at the various activities.
5. BCA is working with its MAs to give more visibility to their National activities at continental level.
6. Marketing is still a weakness for BCA, it's still very difficult to generate income through sponsorship for BCA activities, the main reason being the low status of Badminton compared to major sports in Africa and secondly due to the difficult economic situation of most African countries.
7. Presence of Badminton in the media, especially television, in most African countries has continued to be at a very low level.
8. In 2016, the Olympic Games brought some Badminton matches on TV networks in Africa, thus increasing the visibility of Badminton on the continent.
9. BCA is working to have media workshops around its events, this to educate the media personnel on all the aspects of Badminton, it will help them to give a better coverage of Badminton in the different media.



EVENTS

1. Three continental championships were held in 2016
 - 1.1 The preliminaries of the Thomas & Uber Cups in Mauritius 14-19 February.
 - 1.2 The All Africa Under 19 in Morocco 23-29 August.
 - 1.3 The Africa school championship in South Africa 04-10 December.
2. Council viewed with concern the limited number of MAs sending teams to participate in continental championships.
3. Nine Internationals were organized in Africa in 2016

| | | |
|---|------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Feb | Rose Hill International |
| 2 | Feb | Uganda International |
| 3 | Mar | Cote d'Ivoire International |
| 4 | June | Mauritius International |
| 5 | Sept | Ethiopia International |
| 6 | Oct | Egypt International |
| 7 | Nov | Zambia International |
| 8 | Dec | South Africa International |
| 9 | Dec | Botswana International |

4. Cote d'Ivoire successfully organized its first International in March-2016.
5. Five Internationals were cancelled in 2016 due to lack of support from the local authorities Algeria, Kenya, Lagos, Morocco and Nigeria.
6. Council views with concern the cancellation of so many Internationals that gives a bad image to Africa.
7. The following table shows the participation of African players from 17 MAs in the 9 Internationals in Africa





| Sn | Participating African Countries | African Internationals | | | | | | | | |
|----|---------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| | | Rose Hill 11-14 Feb | Uganda 25-28 Feb | Cote Ivoire 31-Mar-03-Apr | Mauritius 16-19 June | Ethiopia 29-Sep-02 Oct | Egypt 20-23 Oct | Zambia 24-27 Nov | South Africa 01-04 Dec | Botswana 08-11 Dec |
| 1 | Algeria | 4 | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | Benin | | | 4 | | | | | | |
| 3 | Botswana | | | | | | | | | 26 |
| 4 | Cameroon | | | 2 | | | | | | |
| 5 | Egypt | | 5 | | | 2 | 41 | 4 | 5 | 3 |
| 6 | Ethiopia | | | | | 25 | | | | |
| 7 | Ivory Coast | | | 35 | | | | | | |
| 8 | Kenya | | 16 | | | | | | | |
| 9 | Ghana | 8 | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | Mauritius | 54 | 1 | 2 | 56 | | | 3 | 8 | 3 |
| 11 | Nigeria | | 1 | 2 | | | | | 1 | |
| 12 | Reunion | | | | 8 | | | | | |
| 13 | South Africa | 5 | 3 | | | | | | 26 | 5 |
| 14 | Tanzania | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 15 | Togo | | | 6 | | | | | | |
| 16 | Uganda | 8 | 64 | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| 17 | Zambia | 2 | 9 | | 2 | 6 | | 51 | 4 | 9 |
| | Total Players | 81 | 100 | 52 | 66 | 33 | 41 | 59 | 44 | 46 |
| | Total Countries | 6 | 8 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 5 |



8. The following is a consolidated result of the continental events in 2016

| | Medal | Thomas & Uber Cup | All Africa U19 | All Africa School |
|-----------------|--------|------------------------|---|--|
| Team Event | Gold | South Africa/Mauritius | Egypt | St Esprit-Boys (MRI)/Jim Fouche-Girls (RSA) |
| | Silver | Mauritius/Egypt | Algeria | Durban High-Boys (RSA)/BPS College-Girls (MRI) |
| | Bronze | Ghana/Ghana | Mauritius | Fichardpark-Boys (RSA)/Maphutu JSS-Girls (BOT) |
| | Bronze | Algeria/Uganda | South Africa | Le Bocage-Boys (MRI)/Malbelreign-Girls (ZIM) |
| Men's Singles | Gold | | Adham Elgamal (EGY) | Alexandre Bongout (MRI) |
| | Silver | | Kalombo Mulenga (ZAM) | Melvin Appiah (MRI) |
| | Bronze | | Ruan Snyman (RSA) | Atish Pultoo (MRI) |
| | Bronze | | Mohamed Kamel (EGY) | Mathe Thabani (ZIM) |
| Women's Singles | Gold | | Halla Bouksani (ALG) | Kobita Dookhee (MRI) |
| | Silver | | Linda Mazri (ALG) | Sephora Martin (MRI) |
| | Bronze | | Johanita Scholtz (RSA) | Sendila Mourat (MRI) |
| | Bronze | | Hana Tarek (EGY) | Sadie Keogotsitse (BOT) |
| Men's Doubles | Gold | | Yacine Belhouane/Samy Khaldi (ALG) | Melvin Appiah/Atish Pultoo (MRI) |
| | Silver | | Brian Kasiriye/Davies Senono (UGA) | Alexandre Bongout/Iniyeen Canagasaby (MRI) |
| | Bronze | | Alex Zolobe/Frank Zolobe (CIV) | N Jairaj/T Ndudzu (RSA) |
| | Bronze | | Adham Elgamal/Mohamed Kamel (EGY) | Darshan Shah/Urjan Shah (KEN) |
| Women's Doubles | Gold | | johanita Scholtz/Zani Van der Merwe (RSA) | Kobita Dookhee/Sendila Mourat (MRI) |
| | Silver | | Sirine Ibrahim/Linda Mazri (ALG) | Sephora Martin/Tracy Fook In Fon Fah (MRI) |
| | Bronze | | Kobita Dhookee/Shania Leung (MRI) | Sadie Keogotsitse/Rosemary Ramotsabuba (BOT) |
| | Bronze | | Farida Mostafa/Hana Tarek (EGY) | Maureen Dabdekwe/Aisha Saidi Ali (BOT) |
| Mixed Doubles | Gold | | Yacine Belhouane/Sirine Ibrahim (ALG) | |
| | Silver | | Samy Khaldi/Linda Mazri (ALG) | |
| | Bronze | | Melvin Appiah/Kobita Dookhee (MRI) | |
| | Bronze | | Adham Elgamal/Hana Tarek (EGY) | |

9. Eleven MAs won medals in the three BCA Continental championships in 2016, the following table shows the split of medals

| | MAs | Gold | Silver | Bronze | Total |
|----|---------------|------|--------|--------|-------|
| 1 | Mauritius | 6 | 6 | 6 | 18 |
| 2 | Algeria | 3 | 4 | 1 | 8 |
| 3 | South Africa | 3 | 1 | 5 | 9 |
| 4 | Egypt | 2 | 1 | 5 | 8 |
| 5 | Uganda | - | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| 6 | Zambia | - | 1 | - | 1 |
| 7 | Botswana | - | - | 4 | 4 |
| 8 | Zimbabwe | - | - | 2 | 2 |
| 8 | Ghana | - | - | 2 | 2 |
| 10 | Cote d'Ivoire | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 11 | Kenya | - | - | 1 | 1 |

10. In 2016, Cote d'Ivoire and Zimbabwe won their first medal in continental Badminton competitions.

11. In the first four months of 2016, there was a considerable increase in foreign participation in African Internationals, this was mainly due to the last part of the Olympic qualification period.

12. Council is looking into reviewing the concept of Regional tournaments in a way to have all the small MAs of the Region to participate with at least two junior players (one boy and one girl); one activity was organized in Algeria in July 2016, junior players from Mauritania and Sudan attended.

13. South Africa (men team) and Mauritius (women team) won the African preliminaries and represented Africa in the finals of the Thomas & Uber Cups in China.

14. Algeria and South Africa participated in the World Junior Championship in November 2016 in Spain.

15. There has been lot of improvement at MAs level with the tournament online entry system.

16. BCA is now assisting the small MAs in using the online creation of new players IDs.

17. With the African preliminaries of the Thomas & Uber Cups in Mauritius, BCA organized a workshop on Tournament Software, to educate the African TOs on the use of the Tournament software.

18. BCA organized its first Event Management Course in December 2016 in South Africa; participants were from Botswana, Nigeria, South Africa, Uganda, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

TECHNICAL OFFICIALS DEVELOPMENT

1. The following is a table of BCA/BWF qualified Technical Officials we have in Africa

| | Sn | COUNTRY | NAME |
|--------------------------|----|--------------|--------------------------|
| BWF Certificated Referee | 1 | South Africa | PRINSLOO Gretha |
| BWF Accredited Referee | 1 | Mauritius | HYDERKHAN Hassenkhan |
| | 2 | Mauritius | PONAMBALUM Jen |
| BWF Certificated Umpire | 1 | Mauritius | GOONEADRY Diraj Dev |
| | 2 | Mauritius | MAHADOO Satiawan |
| | 3 | South Africa | BESTER Louwrens Rasmus |
| BWF Accredited Umpire | 1 | Botswana | KGABOTSILE Emmanuel |
| | 2 | Mauritius | SAIRALLY Yassan |
| | 3 | South Africa | VAN DER MERWE Andre |
| | 4 | Uganda | SEMUGABI Harriet |
| BWF Line Judge | 1 | Botswana | SAAKANE Emmanuel |
| | 2 | Mauritius | GOHOBUR Ahmed Aktar |
| | 3 | Mauritius | PULTOO Rajen |
| | 4 | Morocco | ZIZ Abdullah |
| | 5 | South Africa | SINGH Kishore |
| BCA Referee | 1 | Mauritius | GOONEADRY Diraj Dev |
| | 2 | Mauritius | MAHADOO Satiawan |
| | 3 | South Africa | BESTER Karin |
| | 4 | South Africa | DE KLERK Johan |
| | 5 | South Africa | WIGGINS Emmie |
| | 6 | South Africa | REYNOLDS Andrew |
| | 7 | Uganda | SEMUGABI Harriet |
| BCA Umpire | 1 | Algeria | AMARNI Chowki |
| | 2 | Algeria | BOUCHEFA Djamel |
| | 3 | Algeria | BOUZID Mohamed Lamine |
| | 4 | Algeria | GADI Abderahmane |
| | 5 | Algeria | HABILA Adel |
| | 6 | Algeria | KHELILI Leila |
| | 7 | Algeria | MAALEM M. Idris |
| | 8 | Algeria | REBAH Fateh |
| | 9 | Botswana | GAGOTHATA Modigela |
| | 10 | Botswana | NKGOWE Mmerekhi |
| | 11 | Botswana | SAAKANE Emmanuel |
| | 12 | Botswana | SEOKAMA Emmanuel |
| | 13 | Egypt | AKRAM Abdelmordy Khalifa |
| | 14 | Egypt | BAKRY Awad Ahmed |
| | 15 | Egypt | ELDIN Sara Gamal Nasr |
| | 16 | Egypt | EMAN M. Mostafa |

| | | |
|----|--------------|-----------------------------|
| 17 | Egypt | MAHMOUD Ahmed Magdy |
| 18 | Egypt | NAGAH M. Ahmed |
| 19 | Egypt | NASSAR El Houssein Mohammed |
| 20 | Egypt | ORBAN Ahmed Dina |
| 21 | Egypt | RAGHEB M. Mahmoud |
| 22 | Egypt | SHAWKY Magdy |
| 23 | Ethiopia | GIRMA Selam |
| 24 | Kenya | KANYANGE Martin |
| 25 | Kenya | KARURI Joseph |
| 26 | Mauritius | GOHOBUR Aktar |
| 27 | Mauritius | Sayed Faadil |
| 28 | Morocco | ABDALLAH Ziz |
| 29 | Morocco | DEKKAN Bilal |
| 30 | Morocco | KOSSAY Fatima |
| 31 | Morocco | MOUFID Kamal |
| 32 | Morocco | SALAK Safaa |
| 33 | Morocco | SOLHI Naidia |
| 34 | Nigeria | AGARAWU Bolagi |
| 35 | Nigeria | AKINYEMI Akin |
| 36 | Nigeria | ILORY Bayo |
| 37 | Nigeria | ODEYEMI Rotimi |
| 38 | Nigeria | UMAR Maina |
| 39 | Nigeria | USMAN Usman |
| 40 | Reunion | CHANE SING Jo |
| 41 | Reunion | CHENUT Christophe |
| 42 | South Africa | BESTER Karin |
| 43 | South Africa | DE KLERK Johan |
| 44 | South Africa | EMMIE Wiggins |
| 45 | South Africa | REYNOLDS Reynolds |
| 46 | South Africa | PLAATJIES Megan |
| 47 | South Africa | VAN DER MERWE Gerhard |
| 48 | Uganda | OKISAT Adrian |
| 49 | Uganda | WAISWA Collins |
| 50 | Zambia | MUNSAKA Anna |
| 51 | Zambia | CHUNGU Daniel |

2. Continuing efforts are being made to increase the number of BWF qualified Technical Official so that all the MAs who usually host BCA events have at least one.
3. Presently only four MAs in Africa have BWF qualified TOs, Botswana, Mauritius, South Africa and Uganda.
4. Council has decided to focus on Technical Officials development to BWF level in six countries who regularly organize events, Algeria, Egypt, Ethiopia, Morocco, Nigeria and Zambia.
5. Nine umpires' courses were organized in 2016

| | | |
|---|------|---------------|
| 1 | Feb | Uganda |
| 2 | Mar | Cote d'Ivoire |
| 3 | June | Mauritius |
| 4 | Augt | Morocco |
| 5 | Sept | Ethiopia |
| 6 | Oct | Egypt |
| 7 | Nov | Zambia |
| 8 | Dec | South Africa |
| 9 | Dec | Botswana |



FRANCOPHONIE

1. In 2016, BCA once more collaborated with Francophonie for activities in Africa.
2. A training camp was organized around the Cote d'Ivoire International for French speaking countries in March 2016.





OLYMPIC SOLIDARITY COURSES

1. BCA expected two OS courses in 2016.
2. Only one was secured in Guinea in May 2016.
3. A basic ST course and coaches course were organized.

Insert Olympic solidarity photo

COACH EDUCATION

1. BCA continued the implementation of the BWF Coach education in 2016, with six Level I and three Level II courses organized
 - 1.1 February – Level I, English version in Mauritius for local coaches.
 - 1.2 April - Level I, French version in Cote d’Ivoire for local coaches.
 - 1.3 March – Level II, English version in Nigeria for local coaches.
 - 1.4 July – Level I, French version in Cote d’Ivoire for women from Benin, Cote d’Ivoire, Cameroon, Congo DRC and Togo.
 - 1.5 September – Level I, English version in Ethiopia for local coaches.
 - 1.6 October – Level II, English version in Egypt for local coaches.
 - 1.7 November - Level I, English version in Zambia for local coaches.
 - 1.8 December – Level II - English version in South Africa for coaches from Botswana, South Africa, Uganda and Zambia.
 - 1.9 December - Level I, French version in Morocco for local coaches.
2. As at 31-Dec-16, there were 196 Level I qualified coaches in 22 African countries.
3. The following is a consolidated table of qualified Level I coaches in Africa

| Sn | MAs | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | TOTAL |
|-------|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| 1 | Algeria | | | 2 | 10 | | | 12 |
| 2 | Benin | | | | | 6 | 1 | 7 |
| 3 | Botswana | | | 1 | 2 | 19 | | 22 |
| 4 | Cameroon | | | 1 | | 6 | 2 | 9 |
| 5 | Congo- COG | | | | | 5 | | 5 |
| 6 | Congo DRC | | | | | 4 | | 4 |
| 7 | Ivory Coast | | | | | 3 | 4+2 | 9 |
| 8 | Egypt | | | 1 | 1 | 16 | | 18 |
| 9 | Ethiopia | | | | | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| 10 | Ghana | | | 1 | | 9 | | 10 |
| 11 | Kenya | | | 1 | 3 | 1 | | 5 |
| 12 | Mauritius | 16 | | 3 | | | 7 | 26 |
| 13 | Morocco | | | 9 | | | 5 | 14 |
| 14 | Mozambique | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| 15 | Nigeria | | | 3 | 13 | | | 16 |
| 16 | Seychelles | | | | | | 2 | 2 |
| 17 | South Africa | | 7 | | 1 | | | 8 |
| 18 | Swaziland | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| 19 | Togo | | | 1 | | 3 | 1 | 5 |
| 20 | Uganda | | | 1 | 7 | 1 | | 9 |
| 21 | Zambia | | | 1 | 1 | | 4 | 6 |
| 22 | Zimbabwe | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | | | 196 |



4. The following is a consolidated table of qualified Level II coaches in Africa

| | MAs | 2016 |
|---|--------------|------|
| 1 | Botswana | 1 |
| 2 | Egypt | 6 |
| 3 | Nigeria | 4 |
| 4 | Seychelles | 1 |
| 5 | South Africa | 3 |
| 6 | Uganda | 1 |
| | TOTAL | 16 |



ROAD TO RIO/ROAD TO TOKYO

1. The Road to Rio program came to an end in 2016 with the Rio Olympic Games.
2. The following players/pairs were on the program at the beginning of 2016 for the last 4 months of the Olympic Qualification period

| | | |
|---|--------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 | Men single | Edwin Ekiring - UGA |
| 2 | Men single | Jacob Maleikal - RSA |
| 3 | Women single | Grace Gabriel - NGR |
| 4 | Women single | Kate Fookune - MRI |
| 5 | Women single | Hadia Hosny - EGY |
| 6 | Men double | Andries Mallan/Willem Viljoen - RSA |
| 7 | Women double | Menna Eltanany/Nadine Ashraf - EGY |

3. At the beginning of 2016, the above players were reasonably in a good position to qualify for the Olympic Games.
4. At the end of the qualification period, 30-April-16, only 2 players qualified for the Olympics, the others were very close, the following table shows the ranking of African players at the end of the qualification period

| Event | Africa Ranking | Name | MA | World Ranking (5 May 2016) | Qualified | Notes |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|-----|----------------------------|-----------|---|
| Men's Singles | 1 | Jacob Maliekal | RSA | 78 | YES | Players must be ranked TOP 100 and first in Africa for Continental Representation's Qualification |
| | 2 | Edwin Ekiring | UGA | 85 | NO | |
| Women's Singles | 1 | Kate Foo Kune | MRI | 67 | YES | |
| | 2 | Grace Gabriel | NGR | 82 | NO | |
| | 3 | Hadia Hosny | EGY | 84 | NO | |
| Men's Doubles | 1 | Andries Malan | RSA | 51 | NO | |
| | | Willem Viljoen | | | | |
| Women's Doubles | 1 | Menna Eltanany | EGY | 54 | NO | |
| | | Nadine Ashraf | | | | |
| Mixed Doubles | 1 | Abdelrahman Kashkal | EGY | 53 | NO | |
| | | Hadia Hosny | | | | |

5. There are two main reasons that have always affected the African players in their quest to qualify for Olympics, the financial situation of most of the African MAs and secondly the

lower/unfair world ranking points allocated to Africa compared to other Confederation continental championships.

6. African players have always complained on this unfair advantage that players of other continents get. African players have always complained about this and view it as unfair advantage for players of other continents.
7. The following table shows the world ranking points allocated by the BWF to the five continental championships

| No of MAs | Confederation | Winner | Finalist | Quarter finalist |
|-----------|---------------|--------|----------|------------------|
| 42 | Asia | 9,200 | 7,800 | 6,240 |
| 52 | Europe | 7,000 | 5,950 | 4,900 |
| 35 | Pan Am | 5,500 | 4,680 | 3,850 |
| 14 | Oceania | 5,500 | 4,680 | 3,850 |
| 42 | Africa | 4,000 | 3,400 | 2,800 |

8. If in 2016 Africa championships were carrying the same ranking points as at least Oceania, more Africans would have qualified for the Olympic Games.
9. With the huge financial resources needed to qualify a player for the Olympics, it is considered that very few MAs in Africa are able to have players at the Olympics, unless the players have Olympic Solidarity scholarship.
10. BCA has stated the Road to Tokyo project ; a first group of thirteen players have been considered as having the potential to qualify for the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games, the list will be regularly updated and players will be added or removed depending on their progress.
11. The following players have been selected on the Road to Tokyo program are

| | Name & SURNAME | Age | M/F | MA | Achievements in 2014-2016 & potential to qualify for 2020 Olympics |
|---|----------------|-----|-----|-----|--|
| 1 | Kate FOO KUNE | 24 | F | MRI | African Champion in WS for two consecutive years – 2015 and 2014. Has another gold medal in team event for the 2015 Africa Games and other numerous medals in different African International Opens in 2015. She also won three gold medals in the Indian Ocean Island Games 2015 (IOIG). |
| 2 | Shamim BANGI | 24 | F | UGA | She has some promising results in 2015. She won against Grace Gabriel in the Africa Games Team Event Competition. Also defeated Elme De Villiers (RSA top player) in the same competition. 2014 was also a good year for her with Bronze medals in WS in the Botswana, Nigeria and Lagos internationals. |
| 3 | Doha HANY | 20 | F | EGY | She won silver medal in WS in the Egypt International 2015. For Junior level in 2014, |

| | | | | | |
|----|-------------------------|----|---|-----|---|
| | | | | | she won the bronze medal in the African Youth Games 2014 and also qualified for the Nanjing Youth Olympics Games in 2014. |
| 4 | Dorcas ADESOKAN | 19 | F | NGR | She had good results in 2015 on national and international level. In 2014, she won 3 gold medals in the AYG and was without doubt the best junior player on the continent. |
| 5 | Mercy JOSEPH | 26 | F | KEN | She won the first ever medal for Kenya in the Africa Games 2015 after winning the bronze medal in WD. In 2014, she also won a silver medal in XD for the Kenya International. |
| 6 | Johanita SCHOLTZ | 17 | F | RSA | She won 4 gold medals in the All Africa U15 in 2014. With her School, she also won the All Africa School Championships in 2014 and 2015. At only 15, she won silver in the Rose Hill International 2016. |
| 7 | Halla BOUKSANI | 18 | F | ALG | At only 16, Halla is the undisputed African U19 Champion in Women's Singles. Unbeaten in the 2016 All Africa U19 Championships in Morocco, she also helped her country to win a historic silver medal in the Team Event competition. Halla is also the National Junior Champion in her country. |
| 8 | Adham Hatem ELGAMAL | 19 | F | EGY | Adham is the current All Africa U19 Champion in Men's Singles and Team Event. He is also unbeaten in Africa for the Junior category in 2016. Adham has also won several medals in African Junior International since 2013. |
| 9 | Abdelraheman ABDELHAKIM | 21 | M | EGY | Has some good results at National and International level in both 2014 and 2015. He won bronze in MD in the Egypt International 2015. He also qualified for the Nanjing Youth Olympics Games in 2014. |
| 10 | Julien PAUL | 21 | M | MRI | He won gold in Team Event for the Africa Games 2015. Did brilliantly in the IOIG 2015 with 3 gold medals and 1 silver medal. He also won 3 gold medals in the African Youth Games in 2014 including gold in MS. |
| 11 | Sabri MEDEL | 21 | M | ALG | In 2014, he won silver in the Uganda Junior International and bronze in the African Youth Games 2014. He could not qualify for YOG but was one of the best Junior players in the continent. He also did quite well in 2015 with interesting victories against some good African senior players. |
| 12 | Prakash VIJAYANATH | 24 | M | RSA | Silver Medal in MS and Team Event for the Africa Games 2015. Best achievement of |

| | | | | | |
|----|---------------------|----|---|-----|---|
| | | | | | 2015 for him was his victory over Edwin Ekiring (UGA) in the semi-final of the Africa Games. Also won bronze in MS for the Uganda International 2015. Along with other good results in 2014, he won a bronze medal in the Zambia International 2014. |
| 13 | Emmanuel YAW DONKOR | 23 | M | GHA | Emmanuel has been performing very well on the Continental stage since the last couple of years. In 2016 for the Thomas and Uber Cup Qualification, he beat the South African Prakash Maliekal. He also won a silver medal in Mixed Doubles in the Rose-Hill International 2016. |
| 14 | Aatish LUBAH | 22 | M | MRI | He won gold in Team Event for the Africa Games 2015. Won 2 gold medals in the IOIG 2015 and won the Rose Hill Internationals 2016 in Men's Singles. |

12. The list of players will be reviewed after the 2017 Africa championship based on 3 criteria's
 - 12.1 Player's performance.
 - 12.2 World ranking.
 - 12.3 MA's financial capacity to fund the player Olympic preparation and qualification for the Tokyo Olympics.
13. A group of Junior players will be selected for the 2018 Youth Olympics.





SHUTTLE TIME

- As Shuttle Time continued its growth in Africa; in 2016, CC courses were organized in the following five countries

| | | |
|---|------|---------------|
| 1 | Jan | Cote d'Ivoire |
| 2 | June | Zimbabwe |
| 3 | Sept | Congo |
| 4 | Sept | Congo DRC |
| 5 | Oct | Ethiopia |

- Several MAs had national ST courses in 2016.
- As at 31-Dec-16, Shuttle Time had been implemented in twenty (20) African countries

| | | | | | | | |
|---|----------|----|---------------|----|------------|----|--------------|
| 1 | Algeria | 6 | Congo DRC | 11 | Kenya | 16 | South Africa |
| 2 | Benin | 7 | Cote d'Ivoire | 12 | Madagascar | 17 | Togo |
| 3 | Botswana | 8 | Egypt | 13 | Mauritius | 18 | Uganda |
| 4 | Cameroun | 9 | Ethiopia | 14 | Morocco | 19 | Zambia |
| 5 | Congo | 10 | Ghana | 15 | Nigeria | 20 | Zimbabwe |

- Council is very concerned with some of the above MAs who are not properly implementing the program and no data on the project is available.
- Presentation meetings to local stakeholders were completed in nine countries, Congo, Congo DRC, Eritrea, Lesotho, Mauritania, Mozambique, Swaziland, Tunisia and Zimbabwe.
- Launch in Eritrea, Lesotho, Mauritania, Mozambique and Swaziland could not be completed in 2016.
- The following is a data-base of the 1,422 teachers who have been trained in 20 countries

| | MAs | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | Total |
|----|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| 1 | ALGERIA | 26 | | 34 | 53 | | 113 |
| 2 | BENIN | | | | 27 | | 27 |
| 3 | BOTSWANA | | | | | | |
| 4 | CAMEROON | 17 | | | 41 | | 58 |
| 5 | CONGO | | | | | 20 | 20 |
| 6 | CONGO DRC | | | | | 22 | 22 |
| 7 | COTE D'IVOIRE | | | | 19 | 23 | 42 |
| 8 | EGYPT | | | | 46 | | 46 |
| 9 | ETHIOPIA | | | 25 | 50 | 39 | 114 |
| 10 | GHANA | | | 10 | | | 10 |
| 11 | KENYA | | 27 | | | | 27 |
| 12 | MADAGASCAR | | | | 24 | | 24 |
| 13 | MAURITIUS | | | | 90 | | 90 |
| 14 | MOROCCO | 51 | | | | | 51 |
| 15 | NIGERIA | | | 16 | | | 16 |
| 16 | SOUTH AFRICA | 91 | 176 | 125 | 125 | 105 | 622 |
| 17 | TOGO | 32 | | | 34 | | 66 |
| 18 | UGANDA | | | 34 | | | 34 |
| 19 | ZAMBIA | | 11 | 8 | | | 19 |

| | | | | | | | |
|----|----------|--|--|--|--|----|-------------|
| 20 | ZIMBABWE | | | | | 21 | 21 |
| | | | | | | | 1422 |

8. The following is a data base of the 277 tutors who have been trained in 20 countries

| | MA's | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | Total |
|----|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------------|
| 1 | ALGERIA | | | 15 | | | 15 |
| 2 | BENIN | | | | 13 | | 13 |
| 3 | BOTSWANA | 3 | | | | | 3 |
| 4 | CAMEROON | | | | 19 | | 19 |
| 5 | CONGO | | | | | 5 | 5 |
| 6 | CONGO DRC | | | | | 8 | 8 |
| 7 | COTE D'IVOIRE | | | | 10 | 8 | 18 |
| 8 | EGYPT | | | | 5 | | 5 |
| 9 | ETHIOPIA | | | 11 | | | 11 |
| 10 | GHANA | | | 9 | | | 9 |
| 11 | KENYA | | 6 | | | | 6 |
| 12 | MADAGASCAR | | | | 12 | | 12 |
| 13 | MOROCCO | 42 | | | | | 42 |
| 14 | NIGERIA | | | 15 | | | 15 |
| 15 | SOUTH AFRICA | 6 | | | | 30 | 36 |
| 16 | SWAZILAND | 2 | | | | | 2 |
| 17 | TOGO | | | | 13 | | 13 |
| 18 | UGANDA | | | 14 | | | 14 |
| 19 | ZAMBIA | | | | | 21 | 21 |
| 20 | ZIMBABWE | 1 | 9 | | | | 10 |
| | | | | | | | 277 |

9. In view of improving the development of Shuttle Time, issues and challenges MAs are facing on the ground, BCA organized two ST coordinators meetings in 2016, English in Ethiopia in April and French in Cote d'Ivoire in July, coordinators of the following countries participated

| | English ST meeting | | French ST meeting |
|---|--------------------|---|-------------------|
| 1 | Botswana | 1 | Algeria |
| 2 | Egypt | 2 | Benin |
| 3 | Ethiopia | 3 | Cote d'Ivoire |
| 4 | Ghana | 4 | Cameroun |
| 5 | Kenya | 5 | Madagascar |
| 6 | Nigeria | 6 | Morocco |
| 7 | South Africa | 7 | Togo |
| 8 | Uganda | | |
| 9 | Zambia | | |

10. During the meetings, each coordinator explained the problems their country is facing on the ground; solutions were proposed and assistance from outside was arranged. Unfortunately, six



month after the courses, not much has improved; proper reporting of activities and data is still not being provided by some MAs.

PARABADMINTON

1. With the inclusion of Badminton in the Paralympics, it will be one of the sports on the program of the 2020 Tokyo Paralympics.
2. BWF and the five CCs have jointly decided that a special consideration must be given to the development of Para-Badminton around the world.
3. BCA started the development of Para-Badminton in 2016.
4. BCA carried out a survey and noticed that there are some Para-Badminton activities ongoing in seven MAs.
5. The first workshop was organized in Egypt in October 2016 with participants from six MAs, Algeria, Egypt, Ghana, Mauritius, Nigeria and South Africa. The Ugandan participant could not get visa to attend.
6. After the workshop, it was concluded that there is a need for education and training for the development of Para-Badminton in Africa.
7. BCA will encourage MAs participation in Para-Badminton as in 2020 there must be Para-Badminton athletes representing Africa in the Paralympics.



WOMEN IN BADMINTON

1. Participation of women has once more been quite weak in Africa at all levels; this despite all efforts by BCA in promoting women participation.
2. A coach level I course in French targeting women from West Africa; Benin, Cameroun, Central Africa, Cote d'Ivoire, Congo and Congo DRC was organized in Cote d'Ivoire in July 2016.
3. In October 2016, Council decided that there will no longer be any activities targeting women only; henceforth the policy will be inclusiveness of women in all BCA activities at all level.
4. MAs will be encouraged to have the same policy of inclusiveness of women in all their activities.
5. At governance level, there are very few women involved in Africa, as at 31-Dec-16, out of the 41 BCA MAs, only three have women as President.



BWF AFFAIRS

1. The following 23 MAs out of the 41 were represented at the 2016 BWF AGM in China

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|----|-------------|----|--------------|----|--------------|
| 1 | Algeria | 7 | Congo DRC | 13 | Madagascar | 19 | South Africa |
| 2 | Benin | 8 | Egypt | 14 | Mauritius | 20 | Togo |
| 3 | Botswana | 9 | Ethiopia | 15 | Morocco | 21 | Uganda |
| 4 | Cameroun | 10 | Ghana | 16 | Nigeria | 22 | Zambia |
| 5 | Central Africa Rep | 11 | Ivory Coast | 17 | Seychelles | 23 | Zimbabwe |
| 6 | Congo | 12 | Lesotho | 18 | Sierra Leone | | |

2. Few other MAs delegates could not get visas in time to attend.
3. BWF once more paid the air-ticket and 4 night's hotel for one delegate per MA to attend their AGM.
4. Council viewed with concern the absence of nearly half of the African MAs at the BWF AGM, this in spite of all the financial support provided by BWF for one delegate per MA to attend.
5. BCA helped many of its MAs to attend the BWF AGM.
6. The 2017 BWF AGM will be held on Saturday 20 May at 10h00 in Gold Coast, Australia.
7. BCA will help its Members in their arrangements to attend the BWF AGM.
8. The BCA AGM will be held on Thursday 18-May 2017 at 10h00 at the same hotel as that of the BWF AGM.



2017 CALENDAR

1. The 2017 proposed calendar is as follows

| Sn | Activity | Country | Date | Category/Level |
|----|-----------------------------------|--------------|-----------|------------------|
| 1 | Badminton for All - Tutors Course | Benin | 26-27 Jan | UN Project |
| 2 | Badminton for All - Tutors Course | Zambia | 26-27 Jan | UN Project |
| 3 | Events Management Course | Uganda | 16-21 Feb | Umpires Course |
| 4 | Umpires Course | Uganda | 20-22 Feb | Umpires Course |
| 5 | Media Workshop | Uganda | 22-Feb | Media |
| 6 | Uganda International | Uganda | 23-26 Feb | Series |
| 7 | Badminton for All - Tutors Course | Ethiopia | 24-25 Feb | UN Project |
| 8 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Lesotho | MAR | Shuttle Time |
| 9 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Zimbabwe | MAR | Shuttle Time |
| 10 | BWF Level 1 Coaching Course | Algeria | APR | BWF Level 1 |
| 11 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Namibia | APR | Shuttle Time |
| 12 | BWF Level 1 Coaching Course | Namibia | APR | BWF Level 1 |
| 13 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Swaziland | APR | Shuttle Time |
| 14 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Sudan | APR | Shuttle Time |
| 15 | Road to Tokyo Camp | South Africa | 11-15 Apr | Training Camp |
| 16 | BCA Umpires Workshop | South Africa | 13-22 Apr | Umpires Workshop |
| 17 | All Africa Senior Championships | South Africa | 16-23 Apr | CC Champ |
| 18 | 2018 Africa Youth Games meeting | Algeria | APR | Meeting |
| 19 | BWF Level 2 Coaching Course | Mauritius | MAY | BWF Level 2 |
| 20 | BCA Council Meeting & AGM | Australia | 18-May | BCA Meetings |
| 21 | BWF Forum | Australia | 19-May | BWF |
| 22 | BWF AGM | Australia | 20-May | BWF |
| 23 | BWF Sudirman Cup | Australia | 21-28 May | BWF |
| 24 | BWF Level 1 Coaching Course | Kenya | JUN | BWF Level 1 |
| 25 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Eritrea | JUN | Shuttle Time |
| 26 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Eritrea | JUN | Shuttle Time |
| 27 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Tunisia | JUN | Shuttle Time |
| 28 | ST meeting | Guinea | JUN | Shuttle Time |
| 29 | ST meeting | Sierra Leone | JUN | Shuttle Time |
| 30 | ST meeting | Niger | JUN | Shuttle Time |

| | | | | |
|----|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| 31 | ST meeting | Equatorial Guinea | JUN | Shuttle Time |
| 32 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Niger | JUN | Shuttle Time |
| 33 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Central Africa | JUN | Shuttle Time |
| 34 | Umpires Course | Mauritius | 12-14 Jun | Umpires Course |
| 35 | Mauritius International | Mauritius | 15-18 Jun | Series |
| 36 | Ivory Coast Junior International | Ivory Coast | 23-25 Jun | Junior Open |
| 37 | Umpires Course | Ivory Coast | 26 - 28 Jun | Umpires Course |
| 38 | Media Workshop | Ivory Coast | 27-Jun | Media |
| 39 | Ivory Coast International | Ivory Coast | 29 Jun - 2 Jul | Future |
| 40 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Sierra Leone | JUL | Shuttle Time |
| 41 | ST meeting | Central Africa | JUL | Shuttle Time |
| 42 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Niger | JUL | Shuttle Time |
| 43 | 2019 Africa Games meeting | Venue TBC | JUL | Meeting |
| 44 | BWF Level 1 Coaching Course | Madagascar | JUL | BWF Level 1 |
| 45 | Umpires Course | Benin | 3-5 Jul | Umpires Course |
| 46 | Benin International | Benin | 6-9 Jul | Future |
| 47 | Umpires Course | Cameroon | 10-12 Jul | Umpires Course |
| 48 | Cameroon International | Cameroon | 13-16 Jul | Future |
| 49 | Umpires Course | Ghana | 17-19 Jul | Ghana |
| 50 | Ghana International | Ghana | 20-23 Jul | Series |
| 51 | Lagos International | Nigeria | 26-29 Jul | Challenge |
| 52 | All Africa U15 Championships | Mauritius | 1-10 Aug | CC Champ |
| 53 | Mauritius Junior International | Mauritius | 11-13 Aug | Junior Open |
| 54 | BWF Level 2 Coaching Course | Uganda | AUG | BWF Level 2 |
| 55 | BWF World Championships | Scotland | 21-27 Aug | BWF |
| 56 | CC Development Meeting | Malaysia | SEP | BWF Meeting |
| 57 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Equatorial Guinea | SEP | Shuttle Time |
| 58 | BWF Level 1 Coaching Course | Equatorial Guinea | SEP | BWF Level 1 |
| 59 | Events Management Course | Ethiopia | 14-19 Sep | Events Course |
| 60 | Umpires Course | Ethiopia | 18-20 Sep | Umpires Course |
| 61 | Media Workshop | Ethiopia | 20-Sep | Media |
| 62 | Ethiopia International | Ethiopia | 21-24 Sep | Series |

| | | | | |
|----|--|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 63 | Umpires Course | Nigeria | 24-26 Sep | Umpires Course |
| 64 | Media Workshop | Nigeria | 26-Sep | Media |
| 65 | Nigeria International | Nigeria | 27-30 Sep | Series |
| 66 | ST Tutors & Teachers Courses | Tanzania | OCT | Shuttle Time |
| 67 | BWF Level 1 Coaching Course | Tanzania | OCT | BWF Level 1 |
| 68 | Events Management Course | Nigeria | 1-6 Oct | Events Course |
| 69 | Nigeria Junior International | Nigeria | 2 - 4 Oct | Junior Open |
| 70 | BWF World Junior Championships | Indonesia | 11-21 Oct | BWF |
| 71 | Media Workshop | Egypt | 20-Oct | Media |
| 72 | Africa Para Badminton Workshop 2017 | Egypt | 21-23 Oct | Workshop |
| 73 | All Africa Para Badminton Champs 2017 | Egypt | 24-25 Oct | Para Badminton |
| 74 | Road to Tokyo Camp & Tournaments | EGY-ALG- MAR | 23 Oct-12 Nov | Training Camp |
| 75 | Egypt International | Egypt | 26-29 Oct | Series |
| 76 | Events Management Course | Egypt | 29 Oct - 3 Nov | Events Course |
| 77 | Egypt Junior International | Egypt | 31 Oct-2 Nov | Series |
| 78 | BWF Level 2 Coaching Course | Algeria | NOV | BWF Level 2 |
| 79 | Umpires Course | Algeria | 30 Oct-1 Nov | Umpires Course |
| 80 | Algeria International | Algeria | 2-5 Nov | Series |
| 81 | Algeria Junior International | Algeria | 6-8 Nov | Junior Open |
| 82 | Umpires Course | Morocco | 6-8 Nov | Umpires Course |
| 83 | Morocco International | Morocco | 9-12 Nov | Series |
| 84 | Umpires Course | Botswana | 20-22 Nov | Umpires Course |
| 85 | Botswana International | Botswana | 23-26 Nov | Series |
| 86 | Umpires Course | Zambia | 27-29 Nov | Umpires Course |
| 87 | Zambia International | Zambia | 30 Nov-3 Dec | Series |
| 88 | Zambia Junior International | Zambia | 4-6 Dec | Junior Open |
| 89 | National Administration Course | South Africa | 3-6 Dec | Admin Course |
| 90 | South Africa International | South Africa | 7-10 Dec | Series |
| 91 | South Africa Junior International | South Africa | 11-13 Dec | Junior Open |
| 92 | School Championships | Venue TBC | Dec | CC Champ |



2. Shuttle Time, coach education and women activities, for some hosts, the exact dates need to be confirmed with the MAs, while others will also depend on delivery of equipment, then will be implemented.
3. Council still has to confirm the venue of some of the BCA activities.






CONCLUSION

1. Council considers it has properly and successfully managed the BCA affairs in 2016 together with the huge number of events and other activities organized
 - 1.1 Events continental & regional championships and Internationals.
 - 1.2 Development activities Coach Education, Event Management Course, Shuttle Time, and Umpire's Courses.
 - 1.3 Governance AGM, Council, Executive Board and Committees meetings.
 - 1.4 General administration & servicing members Day to day administration, supporting MAs in all areas, relation with BWF and relation with continental bodies, African Union, ANOCA and AASC.
2. Council wishes to thank the following stakeholders for their valuable collaboration, contribution and help in the running of badminton affairs in Africa in 2016, mainly
 - 2.1 The Badminton family of Africa.
 - 2.2 The Governmental and NOC authorities of African countries.
 - 2.3 The Congo Government for the Africa Games.
 - 2.4 The BWF President, Mr. Poul Erik Hoyer.
 - 2.5 The BWF Secretary General Mr. Thomas Lund.
 - 2.6 The BWF Development department, mainly Mr. David Cabello (Chair BWF Development Committee), Mr. Stuart Borrie (BWF Director of operations), Mr. Ian Wright (BWF Development Director) and the other BWF staff.
3. Council hopes the above stakeholders will continue supporting African Badminton in 2017.







BCA
Financial Statements
for the year ended
31 December 2016

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Index

The reports and statements set out below comprise the financial statements presented to the :

| Index | Page |
|---|-------------|
| Executive Board's Responsibilities and Approval | 2 |
| Independent Auditors' Report | 3 |
| Executive Board's Report | 4 |
| Statement of Financial Position | 5 |
| Statement of Comprehensive Income | 6 - 7 |
| Statement of Changes in Equity | 8 |
| Statement of Cash Flows | 9 |
| Accounting Policies | 10 - 11 |
| Notes to the Financial Statements | 12 - 14 |

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Executive Board's Responsibilities and Approval

The executive board are required to maintain adequate accounting records and are responsible for the content and integrity of the financial statements and related financial information included in this report. It is the board's responsibility to ensure that the financial statements fairly present the state of affairs of the confederation as at the end of the financial year and the results of its operations and cash flows for the period then ended, in conformity with the International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities. The external auditors are engaged to express an independent opinion on the financial statements.

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities and are based upon appropriate accounting policies consistently applied and supported by reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates.

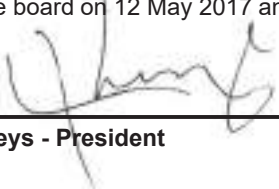
The board acknowledge that they are ultimately responsible for the system of internal financial control established by the confederation and place considerable importance on maintaining a strong control environment. To enable the board to meet these responsibilities, the board sets standards for internal control aimed at reducing the risk of error or loss in a cost effective manner. The standards include the proper delegation of responsibilities within a clearly defined framework, effective accounting procedures and adequate segregation of duties to ensure an acceptable level of risk. These controls are monitored throughout the confederation and all employees are required to maintain the highest ethical standards in ensuring the confederation's business is conducted in a manner that in all reasonable circumstances is above reproach. The focus of risk management in the confederation is on identifying, assessing, managing and monitoring all known forms of risk across the confederation. While operating risk cannot be fully eliminated, the confederation endeavours to minimise it by ensuring that appropriate infrastructure, controls, systems and ethical behaviour are applied and managed within predetermined procedures and constraints.

The board are of the opinion, based on the information and explanations given by management, that the system of internal control provides reasonable assurance that the financial records may be relied on for the preparation of the financial statements. However, any system of internal financial control can provide only reasonable, and not absolute, assurance against material misstatement or loss.

The board have reviewed the confederation's cash flow forecast for the year to 31 December 2017 and, in the light of this review and the current financial position, they are satisfied that the confederation has or has access to adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

The external auditors are responsible for independently auditing and reporting on the confederation's financial statements. The financial statements have been examined by the confederation's external auditors and their report is presented on page 3.

The financial statements set out on pages 4 to 14, which have been prepared on the going concern basis, were approved by the executive board on 12 May 2017 and were signed on its behalf by:



Larry Keys - President



Chipso Zumburani - Treasurer



Independent Auditors' Report

To the members of the Badminton Confederation of Africa

We have audited the financial statements of the Badminton Confederation of Africa, as set out on pages 5 to 14, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2016, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and the notes, comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Executive Board's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The confederation's executive board are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities, and for such internal control as the executive board determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Badminton Confederation of Africa as at 31 December 2016, and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities.

Greyling & Van Der Merwe

Per : Gerrit Greyling
Chartered Accountant (SA)
Registered Auditor
Partner
12 May 2017

100 Jean Avenue
Centurion

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Executive Board's Report

The executive board has pleasure in submitting their report on the financial statements of the Badminton Confederation of Africa for the year ended 31 December 2016.

1. Nature of business

The principal activity of the confederation is promoting and controlling the sport of badminton and any other matter related to it, from a continental aspect, in all countries in the African continent.

There have been no material changes to the nature of the confederation's business from the prior year.

2. Review of financial results and activities

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities. The accounting policies have been applied consistently compared to the prior year.

Full details of the financial position, results of operations and cash flows of the confederation are set out in these financial statements.

3. Share capital

The confederation does not have any share capital.

4. Confederation officials

The confederation officials in office at the date of this report are as follows:

Confederation officials

Larry Keys - President

Raj Gaya - Secretary

Chipo Zumburani - Treasurer

5. Property, plant and equipment

There was no change in the nature of the property, plant and equipment of the company or in the policy regarding their use.

6. Events after the reporting period

The executive board is not aware of any material event which occurred after the reporting date and up to the date of this report.

7. Going concern

The executive board believes that the confederation has adequate financial resources to continue in operation for the foreseeable future and accordingly the financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis. The executive board members have satisfied themselves that the confederation is in a sound financial position and that it has access to sufficient borrowing facilities to meet its foreseeable cash requirements. The board is not aware of any new material changes that may adversely impact the confederation. The board is also not aware of any material non-compliance with statutory or regulatory requirements or of any pending changes to legislation which may affect the confederation.

8. Registered address

The registered address of the confederation is:

Diary Building
Quatre Bornes
Mauritius

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2016

| Figures in US Dollar | Note(s) | 2016 | 2015 |
|-------------------------------------|---------|----------------|---------------|
| Assets | | | |
| Non-Current Assets | | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 2 | 27,563 | 2,250 |
| Current Assets | | | |
| Inventories | 3 | 5,200 | - |
| Trade and other receivables | 4 | 124,972 | 49,181 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 5 | 4,123 | 31,363 |
| | | 134,295 | 80,544 |
| Total Assets | | 161,858 | 82,794 |
| Equity and Liabilities | | | |
| Equity | | | |
| Accumulated surplus | | 37,687 | 16,053 |
| Liabilities | | | |
| Current Liabilities | | | |
| Trade and other payables | 6 | 124,171 | 66,741 |
| Total Equity and Liabilities | | 161,858 | 82,794 |

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Statement of Comprehensive Income

| Figures in US Dollar | Note(s) | 2016 | 2015 |
|---|---------|------------------|------------------|
| Revenue | | | |
| BWF Grants | | 655,077 | 578,291 |
| Income from Member Associations | | 4,000 | 8,475 |
| | | 659,077 | 586,766 |
| Expenses (Refer to page 7) | | (637,444) | (542,095) |
| Surplus (deficit) for the year | | 21,633 | 44,671 |
| Total comprehensive surplus (deficit) for the year | | 21,633 | 44,671 |

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Statement of Comprehensive Income

| Figures in US Dollar | Note(s) | 2016 | 2015 |
|---|---------|------------------|------------------|
| Operating expenses | | | |
| Base level / Administrative expenses | | | |
| Total | | (324,561) | (265,742) |
| Africa Junior Championships | | (35,350) | (26,100) |
| Africa Schools Championships | | (30,773) | (21,974) |
| All Africa Games | | - | (33,795) |
| Accounting fees | | (995) | (3,910) |
| Administration allowances | | (10,612) | (9,400) |
| Bad debts | | (11,649) | - |
| Bank charges | | (4,966) | (3,134) |
| Cleaning | | (1,721) | - |
| Computer expenses | | (1,445) | (1,000) |
| Council expenses | | (38,878) | (30,548) |
| Courier and postage | | (72) | - |
| Depreciation | | (4,295) | (750) |
| Equipment | | - | (19,998) |
| Insurance | | (4,122) | - |
| Legal expenses | | (1,360) | (4,843) |
| Marketing grant expenses | | (6,720) | - |
| Meeting expenses | | - | (13,487) |
| Municipal expenses | | (1,309) | - |
| Pest control | | (847) | - |
| Printing and stationery | | (6,490) | (2,000) |
| Repairs and maintenance | | (3,174) | - |
| Rent paid | | (17,621) | (6,000) |
| Secretariat | | (96,700) | (81,600) |
| Security | | (457) | - |
| Telephone | | (4,015) | - |
| Training | | (25,531) | - |
| Travel and accomodation | | (3,674) | (10,884) |
| Website | | (2,400) | (2,628) |
| Prior year adjustments | | 1,261 | 6,349 |
| Development expenses | | | |
| Total | | (312,883) | (276,353) |
| World Junior Championships | | - | (4,465) |
| Courses | | (21,818) | (19,555) |
| Grants - Internationals | | (27,473) | (42,048) |
| Road to Rio | | (41,225) | (70,000) |
| Road to Tokyo | | (26,313) | - |
| Shuttle Times | | (54,929) | (59,165) |
| Technical officials expense | | (16,400) | (4,229) |
| Tournament development events | | (44,806) | (40,206) |
| Para Badminton | | (12,006) | - |
| Women in Badminton | | (7,901) | (18,450) |
| Thomas Uber Cup (TUC) | | (41,510) | - |
| Other development expenses | | (28,947) | (18,075) |
| Subscriptions | | (200) | (200) |
| | | (637,444) | (542,095) |

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Statement of Changes in Equity

| Figures in US Dollar | Accumulated surplus | Total equity |
|---|---------------------|-----------------|
| Balance at 01 January 2015 | (28,618) | (28,618) |
| (Deficit) for the year | 44,671 | 44,671 |
| Other comprehensive income | - | - |
| Total comprehensive surplus for the year | 44,671 | 44,671 |
| Balance at 01 January 2016 | 16,053 | 16,053 |
| Surplus for the year | 21,634 | 21,634 |
| Other comprehensive income | - | - |
| Total comprehensive deficit for the year | 21,634 | 21,634 |
| Balance at 31 December 2016 | 37,687 | 37,687 |

Note(s)

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Statement of Cash Flows

| Figures in US Dollar | Note(s) | 2016 | 2015 |
|---|---------|-----------------|---------------|
| Cash flows from operating activities | | | |
| Cash generated from operations | 8 | 2,367 | 3,865 |
| Cash flows from investing activities | | | |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | 2 | (29,607) | (1,500) |
| Total cash movement for the year | | (27,240) | 2,365 |
| Cash at the beginning of the year | | 31,363 | 28,998 |
| Total cash at end of the year | 5 | 4,123 | 31,363 |

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Accounting Policies

1. Presentation of Financial Statements

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities, and the . The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, and incorporate the principal accounting policies set out below. They are presented in US Dollars.

These accounting policies are consistent with the previous period.

1.1 Significant judgements and sources of estimation uncertainty

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts represented in the financial statements and related disclosures. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results in the future could differ from these estimates which may be material to the financial statements.

Critical judgements in applying accounting policies

Management did not make critical judgements in the application of accounting policies, apart from those involving estimations, which would significantly affect the financial statements.

Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The following are the key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

Financial assets measured at cost and amortised cost

The confederation assesses its financial assets measured at cost and amortised cost for impairment at each reporting date. In determining whether an impairment loss should be recorded in the statement of comprehensive income, the confederation makes judgements as to whether there is observable data indicating a measurable decrease in the estimated future cash flows from a financial asset.

The impairment for financial assets measured at cost and amortised cost is calculated on a portfolio basis, based on historical loss ratios, adjusted for national and industry-specific economic conditions and other indicators present at the reporting period that correlate with defaults on the portfolio. These annual loss ratios are applied to loan balances in the portfolio and scaled to the estimated loss emergence period.

Impairment testing

The confederation reviews and tests the carrying value of assets when events or changes in circumstances suggest that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. When such indicators exist, management determine the recoverable amount by performing value in use and fair value calculations. These calculations require the use of estimates and assumptions. When it is not possible to determine the recoverable amount for an individual asset, management assesses the recoverable amount for the cash generating unit to which the asset belongs.

1.2 Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are tangible items that:

- are held for use in the production or supply of goods or services, for rental to others or for administrative purposes; and
- are expected to be used during more than one period.

Property, plant and equipment is carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Cost includes all costs incurred to bring the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management.

Costs include costs incurred initially to acquire or construct an item of property, plant and equipment and costs incurred subsequently to add to, replace part of, or service it. If a replacement cost is recognised in the carrying amount of an item of property, plant and equipment, the carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised.

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Accounting Policies

1.2 Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method to write down the cost, less estimated residual value over the useful life of the property, plant and equipment, which is as follows:

| Item | Average useful life |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| Furniture and fixtures | 6 years |
| Office equipment | 4 years |
| IT equipment | 4 years |

The residual value, depreciation method and useful life of each asset are reviewed at each annual reporting period if there are indicators present that there has been a significant change from the previous estimate.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are recognised in profit or loss in the period.

1.3 Financial instruments

Initial measurement

Financial instruments are initially measured at the transaction price. This includes transaction costs, except for financial instruments which are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

Financial instruments at amortised cost

Debt instruments, as defined in the standard, are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Debt instruments which are classified as current assets or current liabilities are measured at the undiscounted amount of the cash expected to be received or paid, unless the arrangement effectively constitutes a financing transaction.

At the end of each reporting date, the carrying amounts of assets held in this category are reviewed to determine whether there is any objective evidence of impairment. If so, an impairment loss is recognised

1.4 Impairment of assets

The confederation assesses at each reporting date whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired.

If there is any indication that an asset may be impaired, the recoverable amount is estimated for the individual asset. If it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of the individual asset, the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs is determined.

If an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or group of related assets) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but not in excess of the amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or group of assets) in prior years. A reversal of impairment is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

1.5 Revenue

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, net of discounts.

Revenue comprises development and other grants received from the Badminton World Federation and is recognised as revenue when received or when notice is received that amounts are due and payable.

Interest is recognised, in profit or loss, using the effective interest rate method.

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Notes to the Financial Statements

Figures in US Dollar 2016 2015

2. Property, plant and equipment

| | 2016 | | | 2015 | | |
|------------------------|---------------------|---|----------------|---------------------|---|----------------|
| | Cost / Valuation | Accumulated depreciation and impairments | Carrying value | Cost / Valuation | Accumulated depreciation and impairments | Carrying value |
| Furniture and fixtures | 15,079 | (1,652) | 13,427 | - | - | - |
| Office equipment | 9,034 | (2,354) | 6,680 | 2,500 | (1,000) | 1,500 |
| IT equipment | 8,994 | (1,538) | 7,456 | 1,000 | (250) | 750 |
| Total | 33,107 | (5,544) | 27,563 | 3,500 | (1,250) | 2,250 |

Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment - 2016

| | Opening balance | Additions | Depreciation | Total |
|------------------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| Furniture and fixtures | - | 15,079 | (1,652) | 13,427 |
| Office equipment | 1,500 | 6,534 | (1,354) | 6,680 |
| IT equipment | 750 | 7,994 | (1,288) | 7,456 |
| | 2,250 | 29,607 | (4,294) | 27,563 |

Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment - 2015

| | Opening balance | Additions | Depreciation | Total |
|------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Office equipment | 1,500 | 500 | (500) | 1,500 |
| IT equipment | - | 1,000 | (250) | 750 |
| | 1,500 | 1,500 | (750) | 2,250 |

3. Inventories

| | | |
|----------|-------|---|
| Shuttles | 5,200 | - |
|----------|-------|---|

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Notes to the Financial Statements

| Figures in US Dollar | 2016 | 2015 |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| 4. Trade and other receivables | | |
| Prepayments | 4,567 | - |
| Deposits | 1,427 | - |
| Member associations | 7,645 | 11,317 |
| Badminton World Federation | 79,413 | - |
| Other receivable | 31,920 | 37,864 |
| | 124,972 | 49,181 |

Member associations

| | | |
|----------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Algeria BA | - | 200 |
| Benin BA | - | 200 |
| Burundi BA | 200 | 200 |
| Cameroon BA | - | 372 |
| Central Africa BA | 200 | 200 |
| Ethiopia BA | - | 581 |
| Equatorial Guinea BA | 200 | 200 |
| Ghana BA | 1,200 | - |
| Ivory Coast BA | 515 | - |
| Lesotho BA | - | 200 |
| Malawi BA | 200 | 200 |
| Mauritania BA | 200 | 200 |
| Mozambique BA | 400 | - |
| Sierra Leone BA | 200 | 200 |
| South Africa BA | - | 1,960 |
| Sudan BA | 400 | 400 |
| Swaziland BA | 400 | - |
| Tanzania BA | 200 | 200 |
| Togo BA | - | 200 |
| Tunisia BA | 200 | 600 |
| Uganda BA | - | 5,204 |
| Zambia BA | 3,130 | - |
| | 7,645 | 11,317 |

Other

| | | |
|--|---------------|---------------|
| Sunrise & Co - Yonex | - | 5,064 |
| Fraudulent payment refund sought from bank | 30,300 | 30,300 |
| H Hosny | - | 500 |
| Grace | - | 2,000 |
| Events Manager | 45 | - |
| Mid City Properties | 1,425 | - |
| Khwela Power Metering | 150 | - |
| | 31,920 | 37,864 |

5. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of:

| | | |
|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| Cash on hand | - | 1,240 |
| Bank balances | 4,123 | 30,123 |
| | 4,123 | 31,363 |

Cash and cash equivalents

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------|--------|
| RMB Holdings - US Dollar | 4,123 | 30,123 |
|--------------------------|-------|--------|

Badminton Confederation of Africa

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016

Notes to the Financial Statements

| Figures in US Dollar | 2016 | 2015 |
|---|----------------|---------------|
| 6. Trade and other payables | | |
| Member associations | 36,982 | 8,943 |
| Other | 85,989 | 23,865 |
| Provision for shuttle time expenses | 1,200 | 1,200 |
| Badminton World Federation | - | 32,733 |
| | 124,171 | 66,741 |
| Member associations | | |
| Algeria BA | 1,200 | - |
| Benin BA | 50 | - |
| Botswana BA | 4,229 | 430 |
| Congo BA | 250 | 250 |
| Egypt BA | 4,900 | - |
| Eritrea BA | 1,058 | 1,258 |
| Ethiopia BA | 400 | - |
| Hungary BA | 370 | - |
| Italy BA | 2,485 | - |
| Lesotho BA | 184 | - |
| Kenya BA | 9,695 | 4,620 |
| Morocco BA | 1,000 | - |
| Namibia BA | 1,300 | 1,500 |
| Nigeria BA | 4,210 | - |
| Reunion BA | 540 | - |
| South Africa BA | 4,661 | - |
| Uganda BA | 450 | 885 |
| | 36,982 | 8,943 |
| Other | | |
| Hassenkhan Referee | 2,185 | - |
| UCSA Subscriptions | 200 | - |
| Hatfield Travel Agency | 9,063 | - |
| Development officer | 525 | 1,500 |
| Kate | - | 500 |
| Menna / Nadine | - | 500 |
| Mauritius MA | 17,990 | - |
| Raj Gaya | 34,661 | - |
| Refund due to Raj Gaya - SG funds stolen out of vehicle in Badminton South Africa parking lot | 21,365 | 21,365 |
| | 85,989 | 23,865 |
| 7. Taxation | | |
| No provision has been made for 2016 tax as the confederation is exempt from all taxes. | | |
| 8. Cash generated from operations | | |
| Surplus for the year | 21,634 | 44,671 |
| Adjustments for: | | |
| Depreciation | 4,295 | 750 |
| Changes in working capital: | | |
| Inventories | (5,200) | - |
| Trade and other receivables | (75,791) | 23,872 |
| Trade and other payables | 57,429 | (65,428) |
| | 2,367 | 3,865 |

