APPENDIX 3

RANKING IN A POOL

1 In each pool, all the teams will play against each other, and the following points will be awarded for each match:

- three points to the winner;
- one point to each team, in the event of a draw;
- no points to the loser.

2 In each pool, teams will be ranked according to the number of points each has accumulated in the competition.

a If at the end of the pool matches two or more teams have the same number of points for any place in a pool, these teams will be ranked according to their respective number of matches won.

b If there remains equality among two or more teams, then these teams will be ranked according to their respective goal difference (which means "goals for" less "goals against"). A positive goal difference always takes precedence over a negative one.

c If there still remains equality among two or more teams, these teams will be ranked according to their respective number of "goals for".

d Should there still remain equality among two teams, then the result of the match played between those teams will determine the ranking of the tied teams.

e If more than two teams are involved, then a ranking based upon the results of the matches among (only) them shall determine their respective position, based upon the points awarded in accordance with Article 1 of this Appendix. If there remains equality, the teams involved shall be ranked according to Articles 2.a, b, c and d of this Appendix.

f If there still remains equality among two or more teams, then these teams will be ranked according to the number of Field Goals scored in the pool matches.

g Should there still remain equality among two teams, the ranking will be determined by a shoot-out competition between those teams (for details see Appendix 8 of these Regulations).

h If more than two teams are involved, then each team will play a shoot-out competition against the other teams in the same sequence of play as the order of play in the competition, in accordance with Appendix 8 of these Regulations but with one round of 3 shoot-outs only to be taken compulsorily by each team.

i A ranking will then be established based upon the results of the round of the shoot-out competition only, with the award for each play of 3 points to the team having scored the highest number of goals, 1 point to each team having scored an equal number of goals and 0 points to the team having scored the lowest number of goals.

j If equality remains then teams having an equal number of points shall be ranked according to paragraphs 2.a, b, c and d as applied to goals recorded during the shoot-out competition.

k If an equal position of three (or more) teams still remains thereafter, the same procedure shall be repeated until the teams can be ranked. The Technical Delegate shall make a draw to establish each sequence of play if such further rounds of shoot-outs are required.