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Dear Authorities, members of the Central American and Caribbean Sports Council

For your consideration:

*Please accept cordial greetings on behalf of the government of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, current President of CONCECADE, and the Ministry of Sports of the Republic of Colombia. Within the framework of the organization and implementation of the upcoming “**VII Central American and Caribbean School Sports Games (JEDECAC 2025)**”; which will take place from November 1st to 10th in the city of Córdoba, with venues in Montería and Cereté, Colombia, we would like to inform you that two countries have been approved for inclusion in this sporting event for this edition: Aruba and the Commonwealth of Australia. This is in response to the expressed intention to participate in this regional sporting event and at the request of the government of the Republic of Colombia, in its capacity as host of the 2025 edition.*

Likewise, we would like to inform you that for this Central American and Caribbean School Games event, taekwondo will be included as the 13th discipline, in recognition of the delegations that have requested to participate in this sport.

With the certainty of continuing to strengthen our joint work for regional sports in Central America and the Caribbean as a banner of peace, we take this opportunity to express our highest esteem and consideration.

Sincerely,

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MINISTER OF SPORTS OF THE
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