

Puerto Rico and Cuba to play for ticket to Mexico



LIMA, Peru, May 16, 2019 – Peru edged Chile in thrilling five-setter and will play the Dominican Republic in one of the Saturday's semifinals of the V Pan American Cup at Manuel Bonilla of Miraflores.

Both Peru and Dominican Republic have already qualified to the age-group FIVB World Championship in Mexico.

The other semifinal will see match for the ticket to the world championship between Puerto Rico and Cuba.

Puerto Rico 3, Honduras 0

Puerto Rico joined the semifinals of the cup after beating Honduras 3-0 (25-16, 25-19, 25-17) in the first match of the quarterfinals. Sofia Victoriá, the top scorer



of the competition, fired 26 points, including two blocks and one ace, to lead Puerto Rico. Alondra Maldonado added 12 in the victory.

Nathaly Perez finished with 11 points as the best scorer for Honduras.

Peru 3, Chile 2

Peru came back all the way from a 0-2 deficit to win a mouth-watering match against Chile 4-2 (17-25, 22-25, 29-27, 25-18, 15-11)

in the second quarterfinal contest. Nicolle Perez was the best Peruvian with 16 points and the sisters Kiara and Flavia Montes recorded 13 apiece.

For Chile Beatriz Novoa had 26, followed by Gracelin Carvacho with 24 and Gabriela Badilla with 17.







