



Dear President,

Following the meeting of the Executive Committee held in Athens on 17 September 2017, please find below the following decisions:

1. Nomination of 6 athletes to the Athletes Commission

The following athletes were nominated by the Executive Committee:

Abouelkassem	Alaaeldin	EGY	MF
Kleibrink	Benjamin Philipp	GER	MF
Deriglazova	Inna	RUS	WF
Sun	Yujie	CHN	WE
Doig Calderon	Maria Luisa	PER	WE
Sakoa Gbahi	Gwladys	CIV	WE

As a reminder, the following athletes were elected in Leipzig:

Montano	Aldo	ITA	MS
Kharlan	Olga	UKR	WS
Minobe	Kazuyasu	JPN	ME
Szilagyi	Aron	HUN	MS
Borel	Yannick	FRA	ME
Zagunis	Mariel	USA	WS

The athletes Commission will meet on 7 October 2017 in Lausanne (SUI), in order to elect its President and prepare its working calendar.

2. Appointment of two technical delegates for the OG 2020 in Tokyo

The following persons have been appointed:

- Evgeny Tsoukhlo (RUS)
- Jacek Bierkowski (POL)

3. Affiliation of the Angolan Fencing Federation

The Executive Committee pronounced the provisional affiliation of the Angolan Fencing Federation. The number of FIE member federations is now of 152.

4. Medical commission

Dr Azerjwee Usama (IRQ) having resigned from the Commission for personal reasons, Dr. Wilfried Wolfgarten (GER) is joining the Commission.

5. Fair-Play Trophy

The Executive Committee approved the proposal of the Fair-Play Council to establish an annual Fair-Play Trophy.

The Fair-Play Trophy 2017 was awarded to the athlete Jiri Beran (CZE), as proposed by the Fair-Play Council.

6. African coaching academies

The Executive Committee has selected the following cities for the FIE African coaching academies. These academies are appointed for a one-year period:

- Algiers (ALG), for French-speaking students
- Johannesburg (RSA), for English-speaking students

7. Calendar for 2018-2019

The Executive Committee approved the new concept of the calendar for the 2018-2019 season. The Federations concerned will be contacted shortly by the Sport Department.

8. Schedule of events for the World Championships

Further to the various observations received about the disadvantages and constraints of an 8-day programme, the Executive Committee decided to design a 10-day programme.

9. Zonal Championships

Art. 9.4.3 b) of the Administrative Rules has been amended as follows:

b) use of the FIE ranking for the individual and team events, in particular articles o.45, o.46 and o.47 (o.47.1 first sentence and o.47.2) of the Organisation Rules. Teams without FIE ranking will occupy the last places in the table and based on the results of the individual events of the fencers belonging to the teams.

10. Congress Documents

The Congress documents will be the subject of a subsequent information letter.

Alisher Usmanov
President

