



Dear President,

1. Decisions of the Executive Committee

Following the meeting of the Executive Committee held on November 28th 2013 in Paris, we send you the decisions and documents hereunder mentioned:

a) Wireless system, 2013-2014 season

It was decided that the wireless system will be mandatory at Senior World Championships and optional at Zonal Championships, Grand Prix competitions and J/C World Championships.

b) Help to competition organizers for 2013-2014

Each federation organizing a Senior World Cup or Grand Prix competition will receive from the FIE up to **3000 euros** as a contribution for the video-refereeing system expenses. This grant will be deposited only once, irrespective of the number of competitions organized by the National Federations. The interested federations will have to send to the FIE accounting department a copy of the video-refereeing invoices for the bank transfer to be completed.

c) New sabre glove

Following the urgent letters on this matter, it was decided that the new sabre glove will be mandatory starting from April 1st 2014.

d) 2014 J/C World Championships

Please find enclosed the program of the competitions that will be held in Plovdiv (BUL) from April 3rd to 12th 2014, and the list of officials and referees who were nominated.

e) 2014 Meetings

Please find enclosed the list of meetings planned for 2014.

2. Presidency of the Athletes Commission

Athletes who were candidate for the election: Elmir Alimzhanov (KAZ), Yuki Ota (JPN), Valentina Vezzali (ITA). Yuki Ota (JPN) was elected by his peers during the meeting that was held in Paris on November 30th 2013.

3. Proposals for the 2014 Congress

According to the decisions of the 2013 Congress, the deadline for the FIE head office in Lausanne to receive the proposals for the 2014 Congress is **April 20th 2014**.

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President