



**Dear President,**

Further to the FIE Executive Committee meeting which took place in Philadelphia (USA) on December 2nd, 2011, please find attached the following information and documents:

**1. Handbook of Specifications**

The Handbook of Specifications for the World Championships has been modified, and the Handbook of Specifications for the Veteran World Championships has been adopted. They are available at: <http://www.fie.ch/Fencing/Charges.aspx>

**2. Administrative rules**

Articles 3.4.11, 6.2 and 9.4.6 of the Administrative Rules were modified.

**3. Zone qualification competitions for the 2012 Olympic Games**

Please find attached the Rules for these competitions, as well as the designations already decided. The designation of the refereeing delegates will be done at a later time.

**4. 2012 J/C World Championships, and 2012 Team World Championships**

Please find attached the World Championships programs, as well as the designations already decided. The designation of the refereeing delegates will be done at a later time.

**5. Designations for the Senior Continental Championships**

Please find attached the designations already decided. The designation of the refereeing delegates will be done at a later time.

**6. Wireless, 2011-2012 season**

As all of the tests were successful, the wireless system will be used in épée at Grand Prix competitions and at the 2012 London Olympics. Thus, wireless will be used at all three weapons.

**7. 2012 candidacies and meetings**

a) In accordance with the FIE Statutes, the deadline for reception by the FIE Head Office of the candidacies for the **Disciplinary Panel nominations** has been set to **Sunday, September 30th, 2012, at midnight, Lausanne time.**

b) In accordance with the FIE Statutes, the deadline for reception by the FIE Head Office of the candidacies for the **Coaches Council nominations** has been set to **Wednesday, October 31st, 2012, at midnight, Lausanne time.**

c) In accordance with the FIE Statutes, the deadline for reception by the FIE Head Office of the **candidacies for all 2012 elections** has been set to **Wednesday, October 31st, 2012, at midnight, Lausanne time.**

Please find attached the program for the 2012 meetings. The 2012 Congress will be take place on December 1st, in Moscow.

**Alisher Usmanov**  
**Président**