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LETTRE D'INFORMATION DE LA FIE

Information Letter n°1-10 February 15, 2010 Dear President,

Pursuant to the Executive Committee meeting, held in Lausanne on February 6, 2010, please find enclosed the following information, as well as the attached documents .

1) 2010 Junior/Cadet World Championships in Baku (AZE)

| a) Entries, reminder | The entry of fencers, teams and officials by name is to be made via the FIE website, according to the deadlines provided for by Article 0.53 of the Rules for Competitions. |
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| b) Photos – accreditations | Out-of-quota entries of Presidents, Secretary Generals of the National Federations, Members of the FIE Commissions, Presidents of the Confederations of the FIE, Members of the Executive Committee and Members of Honour of the FIE can now be done directly on the FIE website by the National Federations . |
| | The entry procedure can also be found on the FIE website in the Help menu. |
| | In order to make the officials' and athletes' accreditations: |
| | - the photos of all the <u>officials</u> must be sent to: <u>s.lange-</u> <u>derkum@ophardt-team.org</u> |
| | - the National Federations which have not yet uploaded the photos of their <u>athletes, Presidents and Secretary Generals</u> must do so <u>by 15</u> <u>March 2010.</u> |
| | No accreditation will be issued if the corresponding photo has not been provided. |
| c) Entry fees | The National Federations' entry fees must be paid directly to the organiser. |
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| d) Outstanding payments, reminder | In accordance with Article 10.2.2 of the FIE Statutes, a federation which is not up to date with its financial obligations towards the FIE at midday the day before the opening of a Cadet, Junior, Senior or Veteran World Championship may not participate in this World Championship, unless exception is justified and granted by the Executive Committee. |
| e) Expense | The FIE has granted each Zonal Confederation a subsidy to cover the expense of two athletes per National Federation. |
| 2) 2010 General Assembly | The FIE 2010 General Assembly will be held in Baku (AZE) on 1 April 2010 at 2pm at the Park Inn hotel. It will be followed by the Calendar meeting. |
| | The FIE has granted each Zonal Confederation a subsidy to cover the expense of the President (or his/her representative) of each National Federation. |
| a) Documents | Please find attached : |
| | Agenda of the General Assembly Participation form to be sent to the FIE by email or fax before 1st of March 2010. Proxy form, for the National Federations who are unable to attend the General Assembly, to be sent to the FIE by email or by fax before 10 March 2010 2009 annual report 2008-2009 financial report Financial documents and budgets Report of the auditors Financial items Qualification criteria for the 2012 OG as adopted by the FIE Executive Committee, and which will be examined during the Baku General Assembly (item 10 of the agenda). You will receive, separately, the draft calendar as well as related documents. |
| b) Outstanding payments, reminder | |
| | When a Member Federation has not fulfilled its financial obligations towards the F.I.E. 30 calendar days (00:00 hrs Lausanne time) before the opening day of the Congress or General Assembly, such Member Federation will be prohibited from being represented at the said Congress or General Assembly and from voting, unless exception has been made for a valid reason and accepted by the Executive Committee and such reason shall be announced to the Congress or General Assembly. |

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| 3) Youth Olympic Games (YOG) | |
| | Please find attached the list of officials and referees designated to officiate at the YOG, as well as the IOC guidelines relative to authorised identifications. |
| 4) Epee wireless apparatus | Tests were carried at the Lignano Sabbiadoro and Budapest epee junior World Cups, in presence of MM. Bierkowski and Rikhtman, members of the SEMI Commission. |
| | After studying the reports established by the above mentioned SEMI Commission members, the Executive Committee has decided to use the epee wireless apparatus during the Junior/Cadet World Championships 2010 in Baku. |
| 5) Refereeing examinations | Please find attached the list of refereeing exams approved by the Executive Committee for 2010. |
| 6) Meetings | In accordance with article 3.4.1 of the Statutes, proposals for the 2010 Congress must reach the FIE head-office no later than June 3, 2010 at midnight. |
| | The following meetings are planned: |
| | - Executive Committee: June and October 2010 |
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| | Commissions: Promotion, Refereeing, Rules: September 4-5 2010, Lausanne (SUI) SEMI, Medical, Legal: September 11-12 2010, Lausanne (SUI) |
| | - Congress: December 4-5 2010, Moscow (RUS) |
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