

Urgent Letter 14-08
4 November 2008

2008-2009 Calendar

LETTRE URGENTE DE LA FIE

Dear Mr / Madam President,

Women's Epee, Grand Prix

Further to the Urgent Letter 12-08 and Information Letter 10-08, we have requested the national federations interested to come forward as candidates for the organisation of a Women's Epee and/or a Women's Foil Grand Prix competition in order to replace those in Havana.

To date, the FIE has not received any candidatures to take over the organisation of the Women's Foil Grand Prix competition.

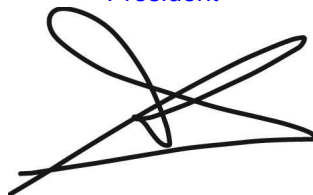
I am however pleased to inform you that the Qatar Fencing Federation responded to the FIE's request and offered to be a candidate for Women's Epee.

In view of the excellent organisation of the competitions held in Qatar, the title of Grand Prix is therefore granted to the competition which will take place, in Doha, on 24-25 January 2009 (Grand Prix) and on 26 January (team tournament).

We would like to warmly thank President Saoud Bin Abdulrahman AL-THANI for his perfect cooperation with the FIE and this appreciable help to our sport.

Yours sincerely,

René Roch
President

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