

LETTRE D'INFORMATION DE LA FIE

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Dear President,

1) Summary of decisions of 2007 Congress

You will find attached the summary of decisions of the 2007 Congress which was held in Madrid on 24 and 25 November 2007.

The Statutes and FIE Rules have been updated on the FIE website.

2) 2007-2008 Calendar

The Colombian Fencing Federation has just informed us that due to a lack of financing, it is obliged to transfer the organisation of its senior men's épée competition, initially due to take place in Bogota, to the city of Cali. The dates remain the same.

3) 2008 Team World Championships in Beijing (CHN)

Please find attached the list of officials who have been appointed by the Executive Committee.

4) 2008 J/C World Championships in Acireale (ITA)

a) Entries

Entries of fencers, teams and officials, by name, must be carried out on the FIE website, respecting the deadlines provided for by Article 0.53 of the Rules for Competitions. Entries of the officials of each participating federation must be done following the procedure described in the attached document, which can also be found in the Help menu of the FIE website.

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b) Photos - accreditations

In order to establish the accreditations of officials and athletes:

- the photos of all **officials** must be sent to georges.palfi@free.fr
- the federations which have not uploaded photos of their **athletes** onto the FIE web site must send them via email at the latest **by 15 March 2008**, as follows:

- receiver's address: georges.palfi@free.fr
- one file (photo) per person
- *.jpg, *.bmp or *.tif format. Documents in Word or PDF format and photo sheets will not be accepted.
- maximum photo size: 100 KB. Zipped photo files are accepted.
- each file must contain the person's first name, surname, function and nationality (acronyms)
Example : forename_SURNAME__function_nation.jpg

No accreditation will be established or delivered if the corresponding photo has not been provided.

c) National colour designs

100 national federations have sent us their national colour designs (see PDF entitled '[NFs' clothing for World Cups and World Championships](#)' on the homepage of the FIE website). The other national federations are requested to send us, without delay, their designs in *.jpg format to the email address info@fie.ch . Failure to comply will result in the non-participation of the fencer(s) concerned (cf. Articles t.45 and m25).

d) Outstanding payments

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.

Sincerely,

**René Roch
President**

