Information letter 22-2004	LETTRE D'INFORMATION DE LA FIE
7 December 2004	
	Ladies and Gentlemen,
1. 2004 Congress	Please find attached herewith the quick summary of the decisions taken at the Congress held on 4 December 2004 in Paris (FRA).
2. Decisions of the Executive Committee	
	The Executive Committee, at its meeting of 3 December 2004 in Paris (FRA), has taken the following decisions :
	a) the 2006 Veteran World Championships are scheduled to be held in Bath (GBR) from 1 to 3 September 2006.
	the 2007 Veteran World Championships are scheduled to be held in Sydney (AUS) from 4 to 7 October 2007.
	b) the next meeting of the Executive Committee is scheduled to hold on 14 January 2005 in Doha (QAT).
	c) the provisional affiliation of the Fencing Federation of Yemen (YEM) has been approved.
	d) the 2006 Senior World Championships of Turin (ITA) will take place during the 1 <sup>st</sup> week of October.
	e) the Luxardo Trophy (Individual Men's Sabre) in Padoue (ITA) will be held from 20 to 21 May 2004 instead of 21 to 22 May 2005 because of problems related to the availability of the fencing halls.
	f) the Sportsmanship Trophy was attributed to the Chinese Fencing Federation for its exemplary behaviour during the 2004 Athens Olympic Games.
	g) the Executive Committee recognised the competence of the IOC Ethic Commission as well as the applicability of the IOC Code of Ethics. This Code of Ethics is available on the FIE Web site, menu "FIE Official", sub-menu "Statutes", link "IOC Code of Ethics".
3. Entries to competitions	We are reminding you that entries of fencers to Grand Prix and Team competitions as well as Junior/cadet, Senior and Team World Championships <u>must</u> be carried out by national federations directly on the FIE Web site following the usual procedure.

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4. Reminders

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The deadline for entries to the competitions is indicated once you have selected and opened the file of the said competition. We remind you that a guide to assist you with these entries is available in the menu "help".

## a) Observers

Members elected at the 2004 Congress must indicate by 30 December 2004 on the FIE Web site, competitions for which they wish to be designated as observers. All documents related to these registrations have been personally transmitted to those concerned on 5 December 2004.

## b) Calendar for the 2005/2006 season

The requests of dates for the next season **for events already admitted as World Cups** must reach the FIE Headquarter by 31 January 2005.

Candidatures **for new World Cup events** must reach the FIE Headquarter by 1 January 2005. A file of presentation in compliance with the handbook of specifications must be attached.

## c) Propositions for the 2005 Congress

The 2005 Congress being scheduled for November 2005, propositions for this Congress must be submitted to the FIE Headquarter in Lausanne (by electronic mail to info@fie.ch or nr@fie.ch) not later than 28 February 2005.

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