



Dear President,

FIE Medical Commission

Following the decision of the FIE's Medical Commission in 2013, the Presidency of the Commission has been shared between Dr. Wilfried Wolfgarten (GER) (2013-2014) and Dr. Antonio Fiore (ITA) (2015-2016).

We would like to extend our profound gratitude to Wilfried Wolfgarten and a warm welcome to Antonio Fiore.

2015 World J/C Championships in Tashkent (UZB)

a) **Very important information (should be read attentively and thoroughly)**

As a result of very strict currency controls in Uzbekistan:

- any foreign currency must be declared on entering and leaving the country.
- it is not possible to take out of the country currency which has not been previously declared when entering the country.
- the acceptance of currency (entry fees) by the Championship organiser is subject to complex financial regulation

Detailed information on this subject is available on the organiser's website: <http://tashkent2015.uz/> and has also been sent to you via e-mail by the organiser.

The organiser has also sent you a declaration form. You must complete this in advance and print out two copies. One copy will be submitted to the authorities when you arrive, and you must retain the other copy until you leave the country. Please note that computers, telephones and other electronic items must also be declared.

Regarding payment for your rooms, the organiser would prefer that this is carried out by bank transfer. If you have problems, please contact the organiser urgently.

Consequently, and in order to assist the organiser and the participating federations, **it has been decided that the FIE will accept federation entry fees paid to a specific bank account** (valid only for the payment of entry fees for Tashkent).

National federations which are unable to pay their entry fees by bank transfer are requested **to contact the FIE before 1 March 2015** on the following e-mail address in order to agree upon a solution: Shinmi.Lee@fie.ch

The details of the bank account on which the entry fees should be paid are as follows:

Fédération Internationale d'Esgrime, Banque Cantonale Vaudoise

Place St-François 14, 1003 Lausanne, Switzerland


Euro account no.: C. 5355.68.07

IBAN: CH54 0076 7000 C535 5680 7

SWIFT: BCVLCH2LXXX

Please note that entry fees must be received into this account **no later than 15 March 2015**. You are reminded that the entry fees are as follows:

- Individual entry fee **World Championships** Cadets, Juniors: 55 euros
- Team entry fee **World Championships** Juniors: 140 euros



Finally, and in view of the above, the FIE may not accept any sum in currency on site, as these sums must be declared by the FIE on entering the country. Consequently, membership fees, licence fees, fines and other sums must be paid by bank transfer to the FIE's usual accounts. Federations which are unable to pay their entry fees by bank transfer are requested **to contact the FIE before 1 March 2015** on the following e-mail address in order to agree upon a solution: Shinmi.Lee@fie.ch

b) Reminder about entries and accreditations

Nominative entries for fencers, teams and officials, must be carried out on the FIE website www.fie.org, according to the deadline provided for in article 0.53 of the Competition Rules: no later than 15 days (at midnight, Lausanne time) before the first competition of the Championships. For any late entry/accreditation of an athlete, team or official, a fine will be levied.

Out-of-quota entries of Presidents and General Secretaries of national federations, members of FIE Commissions, Presidents of Confederations and FIE Members of Honour can be carried out directly on www.fie.org by the national federations. Non-nominative entries of T coaches can also be carried out on www.fie.org, and their accreditations are non-nominative.

c) Photos

National federations must upload to www.fie.org photos of their athletes, Presidents and General Secretaries.

Photos of officials must be sent to s.lange@ophardt-team.org **before 01.03.2015**.

Photo format: .jpg

Names of photos (as in the following example): BEL_Vanlaecke_Yoeri_chief of delegation.jpg

No photograph is required for T coaches.

d) Reminder of payments due

In compliance with article 10.2.2 of the FIE's Statutes, a federation which is not up to date with its financial obligations towards the FIE at midday on the day before the opening of a World Championships (cadet, junior, senior and veteran) may not participate in this World Championships except in the case of a justified exemption granted by the Executive Committee.

Alisher Usmanov
President

