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## **ISC INTERIM BUREAU DECISIONS (IBD's) 2022**

### **IBD 2022/01 – 11 February 2022**

**SUBJECT:**

The Chief Judge for the World Games was not submitted for approval by the ISC Plenary Meeting. Both the Judges Committee and the Canopy Piloting Committee have nominated Bjorn Korth as Chief Judge for the 2022 World Games to be held in Birmingham, Alabama.

**DECISION:**

The ISC Bureau unanimously approves the nomination and confirms Bjorn Korth as CJ for the event.

### **IBD 2022/02 – 13 March 2022**

**SUBJECT:**

The Dynamic Committee requested a modification to the Dynamic Rules to cover the situation caused by the low number of Junior entrants at the 4<sup>th</sup> FAI World Cup of Indoor Skydiving (suspension of Russian and Belorussian participants). Their proposal is as follows:

Dynamic 4-Way Junior - (2 teams):

Dynamic 4-way Junior consists of only speed routines. Since we do not have a tournament bracket for 2 teams, we suggest instead that the winner is the team with the most points after all rounds are completed. We suggest a total of 6 rounds. The fastest team in each round will receive 100 points. The other teams will receive a percentage of this score. The team with the most points after all 6 rounds win. Maximum score is 600.

D2W junior - 3 teams:

The current rules can be applied, as there is a Bracket for 3 teams. Here are the official brackets:

<https://www.dynamicflying.com/brackets/index.html>

We want to make sure that the competition can go ahead, even if one team pulls out. In this situation (with 2 teams), we suggest that the competition will be the same as the qualification rounds, multiplied by two. We have 3 qualification rounds in Dynamic, consisting of two speed routines, and one free routine. We suggest to double this. This means 4 speed routines and 2 free routines, in the order S - S - F - S - S - F. The fastest team in each round will receive 100 points for the speed rounds, and 200 points for the free rounds. This weighting is the same as is done in the current rules during qualification. The other teams will receive a percentage of this score. The team with the most points after all 6 rounds will win. Maximum score is 800.

**DECISION:**

The ISC Bureau accepts the proposals of the Dynamic Committee and approves their implementation at the 4<sup>th</sup> FAI World Cup of Indoor Skydiving.

## **IBD 2022/03 – 14 March, 2022**

### **SUBJECT:**

#### **WORLD GAMES**

- 1) In previous years, the FAI Secretariat was engaged in the World Games, including financially, as part of the Central Events initiative. Through lack of communication, ISC has discovered that this will not be the case for the 2022 event. To cover the travel expenses of the FAI officials (judges, jury, etc.) the two Commissions concerned have no choice but to increase their Budget allocations; a late withdrawal is not now a reasonable option.
- 2) The local organiser (BOC) has now requested that the FAI package together all the requirements for the two air sport events. This was not expected as a list of requirements had been provided several years ago. Larry Hill has agreed to build the ISC package but requires that the scoring system, Omniskore, (to be tested for approval by the Judges Committee in May), is included.
- 3) The BOC has requested a local liaison to facilitate the setting up of the event in the coming months.

### **DECISION:**

After discussions with the CP Committee Chair, the Judges Committee, the WG Liaison Officer, the USPA, the FAI Secretary General and the President of CIAM (Drones), the ISC Bureau took the following unanimous decisions:

- 1) 4.000€ will be taken from our Special Reserves and added to the 4.000€ already budgeted. CIAM and FAI will each contribute the same amount bringing the total budget to 24.000€. Efforts will be made to reduce costs as much as possible.
- 2) As it is already planned to use Omniskore in October at the CP World Championships (subject to the approval in May), the Bureau has accepted that Omniskore may be included in the package. The previous anticipated providers have been informed.
- 3) Following the resignation of the Technical Course Director, the Bureau has authorised the Meet Director, Marylou Laughlin, to select a replacement. Marylou will also serve as the local liaison for direct negotiations with the BOC.

## **IBD 2022/04 – 28 April 2022**

### **SUBJECT:**

Entry Fee for the 37th FAI World Freefall Style and Accuracy Landing Championships and the 11th FAI Junior World Freefall Style and Accuracy Landing Championships

The organiser of the above-mentioned event has requested permission to increase the entry fee due to the recent and considerable increase in prices of fuel, energy, food and services including in the Czech Republic, which has seen a 130% increase in prices in general in comparison with 2020 and a 15% inflation rate.

Category (Sanction Fee <i>Excluded</i> )	Old Fee	New Fee
HoD, Team Coach, Team Manager	450	490
Freefall Style & Accuracy Landing	700	780
Accuracy Landing	600	680
Accompanying Persons	390	420

No change to fee for Pre-Event training.

### **DECISION:**

Due to the impact on the world economy caused by both COVID 19 since 2020 and now the war in Ukraine, the ISC Bureau decided to accept this request to increase the Entry Fee.

**IBD 2022/05 – 01 MAY 2022****SUBJECT:**

Entry Fee for 4th FAI World Indoor Skydiving Championships to be held at Hurricane Factory Tatralandia s.r.o. Liptovský Mikuláš, Slovakia from 19-23/4/2023

The organiser of the above-mentioned event has requested permission to increase the entry fee due to the recent and considerable increase in prices of fuel, energy, food and services.

Sanction Fee (per person) not included	Old Fee	New Fee
4-way	500€	525€
VFS	500€	550€
D4W	500€	550€
D2W	450€	495€
Solo Freestyle	400€	440€
Alt. Team Member & Official Delegation Member	200€	220€
Accompanying Persons	190€	250€
Additional Event	50€ reduction on additional fee	same
Pre-Event Training (minimum 10 mins)	550€ per hour	700€ per hour

**DECISION:**

Due to the impact on the world economy caused by both COVID 19 since 2020 and now the war in Ukraine and after discussion with the relevant Committees, the ISC Bureau decided to accept this request to increase the Entry Fee.

**IBD 2022/06 – 13 May 2022****SUBJECT:**

15th FAI European Formation Skydiving Championships and 23rd FAI World Cup of Formation Skydiving, 12th European Artistic Events Championships and 14th FAI World Cup of Artistic Events

The organiser of the above event scheduled to be held in VOSS, Norway from August 29th to September 2nd, 2023, has requested that the dates be changed due to conflict with other major events to be held in the town over that period.

The new dates proposed are from August 22nd to August 26th, 2023. These new dates overlap with the Wingsuit and Speed events to be held in Prostejov, Czech Republic from August 19th to 26th, 2023.

**DECISION:**

After considering that there was no serious impact due the overlapping dates of two ISC First Category Events, the ISC bureau decided to approve the new dates.

The 15th FAI European Formation Skydiving Championships and 23rd FAI World Cup of Formation Skydiving, 12th European Artistic Events Championships and 14th FAI World Cup of Artistic Events will now take place from August 22nd to August 26th, 2023.

The FAI will be informed to enable them to update the FAI Sporting Calendar.

**IBD 2022/07 – 24 MAY 2022****SUBJECT:**

INCREASE OF ENTRY FEES WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS TO BE HELD IN ELOY, AZ FROM OCTOBER 8TH to OCTOBER 26<sup>TH</sup> 2022

In view of the current world economic situation, the organiser of the above event has requested to be able to increase the Entry Fees based on current jump prices as below:

US DOLLARS SF - 110€ ESTIMATED AT 125\$	INITIAL ENTRY FEE	NEW ENTRY FEE	SANCTION FEE
FORMATION SKYDIVING	500	588	125
ADDITIONAL EVENT	300	396	
ARTISTIC EVENTS	675	739	125
ADDITIONAL EVENT	210	288	
CF 1 EVENT	700	772	125
CF 2 EVENTS	935	1096	125
CF 3 EVENTS	1170	1420	125
SPEED	525	597	125
WINGSUIT ACRO ONLY	675	739	125
WINGSUIT PERFORMANCE ONLY	675	775	125
WINGSUIT BOTH EVENTS	895	1063	125
CANOPY PILOTING (SP, D, ACC) ONLY	655	743	125
CANOPY PILOTING FREESTYLE ONLY	315	355	125
CANOPY PILOTING ALL EVENTS	772	923	125

**DECISION:**

Due to the impact on the world economy caused by both COVID 19 since 2020 and now the war in Ukraine, the ISC Bureau decided to accept this request to increase the Entry Fee.

**IBD 2022/08 – 25 AUGUST 2022****SUBJECT:**

3rd European Indoor Skydiving Championships and 5th FAI World Cup of Indoor Skydiving 2024

Bids were received for the above events by ISC from both Belarus and Hong Kong (Macau). The ISC Plenary awarded them, by a small majority, to the Belarus NAC. Since then, the Belarus NAC membership of FAI has been suspended due to the situation in Ukraine.

Discussions were held with both parties with a view to awarding the event to Hong Kong (Macau) instead. The organiser in Macau was keen for an early decision and the NAC Belarus accepted that due to the uncertainty of the duration of the suspension, it was impossible to guarantee that the event could take place in Belarus.

**DECISION:**

The ISC Bureau, in agreement with the NAC, decided to remove the event from Belarus and to reimburse the Application Fee with a credit to their account. In lieu, the 3rd European Indoor Skydiving Championships and 5th FAI World Cup of Indoor Skydiving 2024 is awarded to Hong Kong, (Macau).

## **IBD 2022/09 – 01 SEPTEMBER 2022**

### **SUBJECT:**

4th FAI World Wingsuit Flying Championships

This event comprises two disciplines: Performance and Acrobatic each requiring a different number of judges. Only two NACs are finally registered for the Acrobatic event. This is only half of the minimum of four and does not allow for a full podium. Due process according to SC5 4.10 (1) was not followed so it was not possible to determine the initial intention.

### **DECISION**

After discussion with the Organiser and the Wingsuit Committee, the ISC Bureau has decided to cancel the Wingsuit Acrobatic Event. The surplus judges will be informed as will the competitors (USA and Germany).

## **IBD 2022/10 – 01 OCTOBER 2022**

### **SUBJECT:**

CP Freestyle World Championships - National Team Medals

The Bureau received the following e-mail from the CP Committee Chair.

"As you know this year, we did a complete overhaul of our CP CR and we separated the standard events and the freestyle events into two separate set of rules. In the process I made an omission and I left out the NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONS in 9.1 FCR and at the same time the medals to be awarded to the National Team Medals in 9.3 FCR.

This was spotted after the approval of the rules.

The CP Committee unanimously agreed that this was an omission that will be rectified next year since the intention is to have National Team Champions in the Freestyle event, and it is already considered in 3.3 of the freestyle rules. We also agreed that medals should be awarded to the Team Champions in the upcoming WCPC in Eloy next month.

The Organiser has agreed to pay for the extra medals. The scoring provider Omniskore has agreed to incorporate the Freestyle Team event in the system. Intime has also agreed to add this new template to the ISC results site.

I would like to request an IBD to allow this."

### **DECISION:**

The ISC Bureau unanimously agreed to accept the proposal of the CP Committee and authorise the attribution of National Team Champions in the upcoming 3rd FAI World Canopy Piloting Freestyle Championships. The Competition Rules will be updated at the next ISC Plenary Meeting.