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Dear Presidents of National Taekwondo Federations!

European Para-taekwondo Union (EPTU) in conduction with European Taekwondo Union (ETU) with a great pleasure invites You and your National Taekwondo Federation to take part in the 3rd European Para-taekwondo Championship which will take place in Antalya, Turkey on November 27, 2014.



As far as You know, para-taekwondo is headily developing within years in Europe and World. Furthermore, European Continent is rich with a number of countries and top athletes participating in Official International Para-taekwondo events. The hard work has resulted in that athletes have a chance to take a part in Paralympic Games 2020. A remarkable progress is seen in development of WTF Para-taekwondo Rules and Regulations and classification of kyorugi and poomsae athletes, and gives opportunity to organize World and Continental Championships on a high and professional level.

We hope the 3rd European Para-taekwondo Championship in Turkey will bring You glory, experience and pleasant memories.

See You soon in Antalya!

Kind regards,
EPTU President
Shlychkov Aleksandr

Kind regards,
ETU President
Sakis Pragalos



3rd European Para-Taekwondo Championships Antalya, Turkey / November 27, 2014

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2. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:

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3. DATE:

November 24-25, 2014 – Arrival Day

November 26, 2014 – Classification of athletes

November 27, 2014 – European Para-taekwondo Championships

November 28, 2014 – Departure Day

4. VENUE: Maritim Pine Resort Hotel Convention Center;

Address: Ileribasi Mevkii 5. Parsel, 07525, Belek, Turkey

5. QUALIFICATIONS:

In accordance with *Article 4: Qualification of Contestant* and *Article 22: Para-Taekwondo* of the WTF Competition Rules, the contestant must be:

CRITERION #1: Holder of the nationality of the participating team

CRITERION #2: An athlete must be nominated by the pertinent national taekwondo association that is recognized by the ETU and/or EPTU, National Olympic Committee and/or National Paralympic Committee.

CRITERION #3: Holder of 3-1 Gup recognized by WTF MNA or Dan/Poom recognized by Kukkiwon or WTF (** A copy of the Gup/Dan certificate should be enclosed when registering for accreditation.* In case a contestant has applied for a Kukkiwon Dan certificate but has not received it yet, a copy of the Dan application form and the remittance certificate sent to the Kukkiwon must be enclosed when registering for accreditation. Please refer to the Kukkiwon Web site (www.kukkiwon.or.kr) for more information.)

CRITERION #4: Holder of valid WTF Global Athlete Licence (GAL). Any questions on the WTF GAL application please contact Mr. Jeremy Mallétroit the WTF Global Licence Administration Manager at gmsadmin@wtf.org

CRITERION #5: Born before December 31, 1998

CRITERION #6: Athlete must go through classification and be assigned Sport Class and Sport Class Status before the competition. Classification of kyorugi athletes will take place on October 30-31, 2014.

KYORUGI CLASSES	Men's division	Women's division
K41	-61 kg	-49 kg
K42	-75 kg	-58 kg
K43	+75 kg	+58 kg
K44		
Open Class		

6. TEAM ENTRIES

Athletes

In accordance with WTF Standing Procedures Article 6 each MNA **are allowed to enter as many athletes as they wish in each class and weight division** of the European Para-Taekwondo Championships.

Team Officials

The number of Team Officials are limited as follows :

Position	Max. number of members males	Max. number of members females
Head of team	1	1
Manager	1	1
Coach	2	2
Trainer	1	1
Team doctor	1	1
Athlete assistant	1/5	1/5

***All officials are required to hold a valid Global Official Licence (including athlete assistants)**

7. WTF GLOBAL LICENSE & ONLINE REGISTRATION

WTF Global License Registration

All Athletes and Team officials must FIRST be registered with a WTF Global Athlete License (GAL) or Global Official License (GOL).

Online Registration

National Team Entry will only be accepted through the **online registration system TAEKOPLAN** (<http://www.tpss.eu>) and registration is only possible with a valid WTF Global License.

8. ENTRY FEES

The OC shall collect the entry fees from the participating national teams. The national team shall pay an entry fee to the Organizing Committee **by cash in euros**, at the accreditation center in Antalya, Turkey prior to the start of the Championships.

Athletes shall not be allowed to compete without successful payment of entry fee to the Organizing Committee.

Entry fee shall be various according to the timing and situation of the submission of entry. Please read carefully the following guidelines.

REGULAR ENTRY FEES: The national teams completing their **registration before November 14, 2014** will be charged the regular registration fee in the amount of **60 euros per athlete**.

**** At the close of regular registration of November 14, 2014 if the EPTU decides to implement an extension of the Registration Period, the following late registration dates and fees will apply ****

LATE REGISTRATION FEES (if implemented)

The national teams completing their registration during the period of **November 14, 2014** will be charged the late registration fee in the amount of **100 euros per athlete**.

ENTRY DEADLINES & IMPORTANT DATES

i. Entry deadline is **November 14, 2014**. Entry submission after this date will be not accepted under any circumstances.

Late replacement due to injury shall be handled case by case.

ii. The registered athletes or team officials may be replaced without any penalty until **November 14, 2014**

iii. Entry fee of US\$50 per athlete will not be charged in case of cancellation of participation until **November 14, 2014**

iv. Entry fee must be paid in case of the cancellation of participating athletes after **November 14, 2014** or no-show.

Athletes:

Member National Association can submit entry for an unlimited number of athletes. No entry will be accepted or modified during on-spot registration.

Team officials:

Member National Association can submit entry for maximum one (1) Head of team per country, one (1) manager per team, two (2) coaches per team, one (1) team doctor per team, one (1) trainer per team, one (1) athlete assistant per 5 athletes on a team. In

case of exceeding this number, **75 euros** will be charged per person before issuance of the accreditation card. **75 euros** will be charged per team official in case of onsite registration without prior entry submission until **November 14, 2014**.

Any changes or additions that are made to a national team list after **November 14, 2014** will be charged a **75 euros** penalty in addition to the registration fees. This penalty will be considered the onsite fee for approved additions or changes to the national team list.

- Any WTF Global Licence registration completed onsite will be charged a **\$30** onsite processing fee for each WTF Global Licence required.

9. CLASSIFICATION

Kyorugi

Classification of all Kyorugi athletes will take place on **November 26, 2014**. A schedule for teams and athletes will be set up by the EPTU/OC and communicated to all teams in due course.

Kyorugi Minimum Disability Criteria (MDC) (K40)

LD/PROM

This group includes athletes with limb deficiency and impaired muscle strength. Individuals with traumatic amputations, dysmelia and impaired muscle strength resulting from loss of function (such as PNS damage, brachial plexus lesion), ambulatory Neurological impairments such as monoplegia.

Minimal Disability Criteria (MDC) is defined as:
Loss of hand, through the wrist is the MDC.

Athlete must meet one of the MDC as per below:

- 1 Must lose three muscle grades – e.g Daniels and Worthington grade 2 cannot complete one heel rise to 25 degrees. In lying may complete full range of motion with resistance. (See Muscle testing Daniels Worthingtons 8th edition pp 229, 231)
- 2 Brachial plexus – loss shoulder abduction loss of three (3) muscle grade points of muscle strength and same for shoulder flexion
- 3 Loss of two (2) grade points of muscle strength in elbow flexion and extension

In the case that an athlete does not fulfill Minimum Disability Criteria (MDC) for athletes with physical impairments in Kyorugi the athlete will be given the opportunity to compete in an Open class. Open class will not be included in Team rankings.

The development of classification is ongoing. Research will be continued throughout the competition.

Weigh in of Kyorugi athletes will be held in connection with the classification.

10. COMBINATION OF CLASSES AND DIVISIONS

The EPTU reserves the right to combine classes and divisions in the case of insufficient participation. Combination of classes and/or divisions will be made by the Technical Delegate in consultation with the WTF Head of Classification.

11. CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

A. Round trip airfare and accommodation: Round trip airfare and accommodation charges of room and board shall be borne by the participating Member National Association.

B. Entry fees: The OC shall collect the entry fees from the participating national teams. The national team shall pay an entry fee to the Organizing Committee in cash euros only at the accreditation center(s) in Antalya (Turkey) prior to the start of the Championships. Athletes shall not be allowed to compete without successful payment of entry fee to the Organizing Committee.

C. Entry Registration: **Entry will only be accepted through the WTF online registration system - WTF GMS.**

D. Ground Transportation: Ground transportation will be provided for national teams on arrival and departure, provided that the Organizing Committee has been informed of the date, time, and flight schedule of the national team at the latest by the designated deadline (**November 14, 2014**). The Organizing Committee will also provide ground transportation to and from all Official hotels, training venue and the venue provided that the national teams stay at the Official hotels.

12. RESULTS

1st PLACE: GOLD MEDAL & CERTIFICATE

2nd PLACE: SILVER MEDAL & CERTIFICATE

3rd PLACE: BRONZE MEDAL & CERTIFICATE

3rd PLACE: BRONZE MEDAL & CERTIFICATE

13. RECOGNIZED TAEKWONDO UNIFORM (DOBOK) AND PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

i. Participating contestants are required to wear ETU-recognized doboks* and ETU-recognized protective equipment. The latest version of ETU-recognized manufacturers' list is available at the website of ETU (<http://www.etutaekwondo.org>).

ii. The Organizing Committee will provide head protector and Protector and Scoring System (PSS) to the participating contestants. Participating contestants are required to bring their own groin guards, mouthpieces, gloves, sensing socks and shin and forearm guards for their personal use.

iii. Before entering the field of play, all contestants will proceed to the inspection desk for inspection of their doboks and protective equipment. Any contestant who wears unofficial doboks or protective equipment will not be permitted to compete.

14. Anti-Doping

i. The WTF Anti-Doping Rules, and where necessary the Code of the World Anti-Doping Agency, shall apply throughout the competitions.

ii. Random anti-doping tests will be carried out during the competitions. The WTF and/or WADA may carry out random out-of competition testing prior to the championships.

iii. TUE (Therapeutic Use Exemption) Athletes who take any substance or medicine listed in the "Prohibited List" of the WTF Anti-Doping Rules and Anti-Doping Code of World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) are requested to visit the website of WADA and make online filing of their TUE applications on ADAMS <http://www.wada-ama.org/en/ADAMS/> and report to the ETU (etuoffice@mail.gr) and/or EPTU (vlada.taekwondo@gmail.com) **by no later than October 27, 2014.**

For more details, please see the following page of the WTF website:

<http://www.worldtaekwondofederation.net/anti-doping>

15. HOTELS

All the participants will live in MARITIM PINE RESORT HOTEL CONVENTION CENTER (5 Stars Hotel)

Please contact the Organizing Committee directly for hotel reservation information.

Contact Person: MELIH SAGIT

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NIRA TURIZM Agency

Room (per person)	Price
Single room	105
Double room	75

All rates above include:

- Full Board Accomodation
- Transportation to & from Antalya Airport
- All local taxes

The payment should be sent to the following banking account **before November 14, 2014.**

Bank information:

ACCOUNT HOLDER: HUSEYİN YALCIN

SWIFT code: SEKETR2AXXX

Bank Name: SEKERBANK

Branch Name: ANKARA RESIT GALIP

Branch Code: 232

IBAN No TR47 0005 9023 2013 0232 0030 91

16. VISA

The Organizing Committee can provide invitation letters for visa applications.

MNA's are required to check the Turkish entry visa application waiting times in their own countries and submit requests for invitation letters to the Organizing Committee.

MNA's are requested to complete the attached visa application invitation form and send it to the OC with passport copies of all team members at least one week before the waiting time deadline in their own country.



Schedule of events

Date	Time	Event
November 24-25		Arrival date
November 25	18:00-19:00	Introduction to Classification for Team Managers and Coaches
November 26	09:00 -18:00	Referee meeting and training
	09:00 -19:00	Classification of Kyorugi Athletes
	19:00 -20:00	Weigh in and drawing of lots
	20:00 -21:00	Head of team meeting
November 27	09:00 -12:00	Preliminaries
	12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
	13:00 – 15:00	Semi-finals
	15:00 -16:00	Opening ceremony
	16:00-20:00	Finals
	20:00 – 21:00	Awarding ceremony
November 28		Departure day