Conditions of the official competition of the International Draughts Federation (IDF) in 2016-2018

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1. Championships

The organizers of the championships need meet the following conditions:

1.1. To have the permission of the national Draughts Federation at the championship.

1.2. To get all necessary approvals in accordance with the laws of the country of the tournament.

- 1.3. The organization of the championship:
- to offer a game room with lighting and temperature relevant standards;

- to provide facilities for referees, coaches and spectators;

- to provide inventory and equipment corresponding to the rank of competitions;
- to make attributes and tournament banners;

- to provide visa support for players and accompanying;

- to organize opening ceremony and closing ceremony with the national anthems of the countrieswinners;

- to organize a cultural program for the participants;

- to bring the competition in mass media;
- to ensure the availability of the Internet for referees and participants of the championship;

- timely report the competition on the Internet and provide the broadcasting of the championship on the Internet.

1.4. Financial expenses.

1.4.1. Admission costs for participants (members of the International Draughts Federation (IDF) - hereinafter - International Draughts Federation):

1.4.1.1. World and European Youth Championships in age groups: juniors 26 years and younger, juniors 19 years and younger, cadets 16 years and younger, mini-cadets 13 years and younger, hopes 10 years and younger, mini-hopes 8 years and younger:

Pay for accommodation and meals:

- For six players from each country – one player, boy or girl, from the age group – juniors 26 years and younger, juniors 19 years and younger, cadets 16 years and younger, mini-cadets 13 years and younger, hopes 10 years and younger, mini-hopes 8 years and younger.

Pay for accommodation, meals and travel:

- Main Arbiter and the Main secretary
- two representatives of the International Draughts Federation.

1.4.1.2. World and European Championships for men and women:

Pay for accommodation and meals:

- Champion of the previous championship of the corresponding version
- The winner of the World Cup (men, women)
- One player from each country
- Main referee and the Main secretary
- Two representatives of the International Draughts Federation.

Pay for travel:

- Main Arbiter, Main secretary, arbiters, two representatives of the International Draughts Federation, not less than 10 country representatives for the European Championship and 20 country representatives for the World Championship on the list of the International Draughts Federation.

1.4.1.3. World and European Championships among veterans:

Pay for accommodation and meals:

- Main Arbiter and the Main secretary
- a representative of the International Draughts Federation.

Pay for travel:

- Main Arbiter and the Main secretary, a representative of the International Draughts Federation.

1.4.1.4. Team Championships:

Pay for accommodation, meals and travel:

- Main Arbiter and the Main secretary
- Two representatives of the International Draughts Federation.

Other conditions for receiving the participants may be specified by decision of the IDF Board under separate rules.

1.4.2. Awards:

1.4.2.1. Provide prize money:

- World Men Championship not less than 20 000 Euros
- World Women Championship not less than 10 000 Euro
- European Men Championship not less than 10 000 Euros
- European Women Championship not less than 5 000 Euro

1.4.2.2. Provide the cups for the first three places in the classic, rapid, blitz programs for each age group:

- Men, women – 18 cups

- Veterans (men, women) – 6 cups

- Juniors 26 years and younger, juniors 19 years and younger, cadets 16 years and younger, minicadets 13 years and younger, hopes 10 years and younger, mini-hopes 8 years and younger – 108 cups

- Personal-team youth competitions: overall team standing in classic program – 3 cups

- Team competitions (men, women) – 12 cups;

1.4.2.3. Provide material prizes to the winners of youth championships in the age groups juniors 26 years and younger, juniors 19 years and younger, cadets 16 years and younger, mini-cadets 13 years and younger, hopes 10 years and younger, mini-hopes 8 years and younger – total no less 15 prizes.

1.4.3. The fee for the right to host.

Pay to the International Draughts Federation fee for the right to host the championship:

- World Championships for men and women, the match for the world title 5000 euros
- European Championship for men and women 3000 euros
- Other World and Continental Championships 200 euros
- Tournaments under the auspices of the IDF 50 euros.

1.4.4. The costs of the competition

1.4.4.1. Pay the cost of aattributes, banners, information and advertising materials; visa support, rental of premises for the game, organization of opening and closing, the cultural program, the work of staff, transport costs; computer software.

1.4.4.2. Pay the costs for the work of referees at the rate of not less than:

30 Euro per day the Main Arbiter and the Main Secretary + one additional day for registration of documents;

not less than 15 Euro per day the rest of the arbiters (at least 10 arbiters for Youth Championships).

1.5. Distribution of tournament fees

1.2.1. The organizers of the championship receive 1/2 of the sum of the tournament fees for organizational expenses.

1.2.3. If the International Draughts Federation completely independently organizes championship in the new countries – the distribution of contributions is by the decision of the Board of International Draughts Federation.

<u>2 . World Cup</u>

The organizers of the Stage of World Cup need meet the following conditions:

2.1. Prize money of the Stage of World Cup shall be not less than 1 500 euros.

2.2. The organizers must transfer to the International Draughts Federation fee for the right to host Stage of World Cup in the amount of 200 euros.

2.3. The organizers must to accept (provide accommodation and meals) at least 6 participants, a Main Arbiter and two representatives of IDF.

2.4. The organizers must provide trophies for the first three places in each program.

2.5. The organizers must provide inventory and equipment, internet in the games room, attributes and cultural program, to bring the competition in mass media and on the Internet.

2.6. In case of failure to comply with paragraph 2.1.-2.5 the IDF Board will consider the advisability of granting the status of the World Cup to the tournament the next year.

2.7. If the International Draughts Federation completely independently organizes Stage of World Cup in the new countries - the conditions for holding are by the decision of the Board of International Draughts Federation.

<u>3. International Draughts Federation</u>

3.1. Communicate with the national federations.

3.2. Enter into contracts with organizations conducting the competition.

3.3. Approve regulations for the competition.

3.4. Appoints for each event the Main Arbiter and the Main secretary, the panel of Arbiters, Appeal jury.

3.5. Provides official awards – medals and diplomas.

3.6. Provides prize money in the overall standings of the World Cup.

4. Applications to host the competitions

4.1. Applications to host the official competitions should be sent to the office of the International Draughts Federation by e-mail: <u>office@idf64.org</u> annually before 1st September for the next calendar year. Proposals should reflect the information in sections 1 or 2.

4.2. Applications will be reviewed by the Board of the International Draughts Federation on a competitive basis.

Holding of competitions not covered by conditions of the official IDF competition in 2016-2018 is made by decision of the IDF Board under separate contracts.