

dear all,

The Executive Committee of the Belarus federation decided to cooperate with IDF this year.

The reasons for this decision

1. The meeting of the Executive Committee was hold during the Draughts-64 Belarus High Leagues among men and women, and all the leading players of the country were invite to it. The vast majority of players vote for continuing cooperation with IDF.

2. The FMJD website at that time was

Internal FMJD rules

Article 6 (Members)

The FMJD Council is officially engaged in national federations, continental confederations, sections and official representatives of players' organizations.

The Council also deals with players directly in the message through the FMJD website, answering questions from players, organizing open FMJD tournaments and online contests. FMJD sections:

- 64 Russian projects submitted by the International Federation of IDF Project Projects (this still depends on the decision of the General Assembly of the FMJD)

Today this record was changed, that again confirms how ease the management of FMJD changes their Charter.

3. Regular change of international organizations for the development of draughts - 64 gives us additional organizational problems. For example, in the current situation, we cannot take the organization of the European Youth Championship, although we had preliminary agreements with IDF and the management of the city Orsha about holding the tournament.

4. We were and we are still categorically against changing the Charter of FMJD, as the draughts-64 has received a reduced status in comparison with draughts-100. It is worth to recall that FMJD leadership achieved this decision after multiple voting processes, despite the fact that most of the federations voted against during the first voting process.

5. The appointment of leaders without consultation with federations is unacceptable.

We support the opinion of the Lithuanian Federation about the urgent need to normalize relationships between IDF and FMJD.

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