

Short report of the IDF Board meeting

4 of December 2017

St. Petersburg, Russia

Were present: President of IDF Vladimir Langin, vice-president Andrey Agapov, tournament director Alexander Nikiforov, general secretary Antonina Langina, treasurer Kirill Khainyuk, representative of players Dmitry Tsinman, vice-president Yunus Aminjonov (by Skype).

Agenda

1. Project of the calendar 2018
2. World Cup 2018
3. Regulations of the competitions in 2018
4. International titles in draughts-64
5. New members
6. Technical Commission issues
7. Miscellaneous

On the first item:

The calendar of the 2018 competitions was discussed and approved. All competitions and calendars will be held in full.

On the second item:

Regulations of the World Cup 2018 were discussed. The issues of summarizing and awarding of participants are considered. It was decided that the overall standings will be made taking into account the points scored at the four best stages, the winners will be determined with participation in at least 3 stages.

The prize fund in the overall standings of the World Cup will be increased to 4,000 euros.

On the third item:

The changes and additions to the rules of official IDF competitions were discussed.

It was decided to provide accommodation and meals at the expense of the organizers in the youth championships, for not four, but for six participants from each country – member of the IDF (one participant in the age groups up to 27, 20, 17, 14, 11, 9 years – a boy or a girl).

The decision was made to streamline and reduce the tournament fees:

- World championships (all age groups) - for 3 people from the country in each age group + champions of the previous World Championship, regardless of age group - 50 euros per participant for participation in all 3 programs.

for other players from country - 75 euros per participant for participation in all 3 programs.

- European Championships (all age groups) - for 3 people from the country in each age group + champions of the previous European Championship, regardless of age group - 50 euros per participant for participation in all 3 programs.

for other players from country - 75 euros per participant for participation in all 3 programs.

- World Cup - EUR 50 for participation in all programs.

It was decided to consider at the next meeting the question of the amount of tournament fees for the World and the European Championship.

On the fourth item:

According to the results of the competition in 2017 and the implementation of norms in the various competitions, new international titles been assigned to the next players:

№	Name	Country	Title	Assignment
1	Rysaev Damir	Russia	IGM	By norms
2	Semeniuk Mikhail	Belarus	IGM	By norms
3	Merkin Vladimir	Russia	IM	By norms
4	Novickis Edijs	Мальта	IM	By norms
5	Slavianov Nikita	Russia	IM	By norms
6	Volkov Nikita	Russia	FM	By norms
7	Iliasov Ivan	Russia	FM	By norms
8	Spirina Aliaksandra	Belarus	WIM	By norms
9	Kamyshanskaia Kseniia	Russia	WFM	By norms

On the fifth item:

The application of the Draughts Federation of Iran for the entry into the IDF was considered and approved.

On the sixth item:

The Technical Commission was instructed to edit the regulatory documents for 2018 in accordance with the decisions taken, to prepare for the next meeting the Regulations of the European Championship 2018 among men and women.

On the eighth item:

The issues of the current activity of the federation, manufacturing and buying of award attributes for 2018 are considered.