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To FIDE Executive Board

A proposal to change Olympiad Regulations

- 1. The proposal is meant to ease the financial obligations of potential organisers and also to create a new source of income to FIDE.
- 2. It is proposed to cut the number of rounds in the Olympiad to 11 and the total number of days to 14.
- 3. Simultaneously, titles regulations will be changed so that a player, who played minimum number of 9 games in the Olympiad, can count it as 12 games for the purpose of getting a title.
- 4. It is proposed that all Federations except CACDEC will pay to the Organisers the sum of USD 25 per person per day for accommodation.
- 5. A preliminary condition for getting the right to hold an Olympiad and Congress will be a fee of USD 350.000 to FIDE.

(Our estimation is that compared to the current situation, an Olympiad Organiser will save at least a double amount, including the payments from Federation).

6. It is suggested that the Executive Board in Halkidiki will decide about the timetable of implementing these changes.

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