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QUESTIONNAIRE

for national Federation applying for FIDE Membership

1. Exact name of the chess Federation : GAMBIA CHESS
FEDERATION Year founded : 1976

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3. Full name of President (Chairman) : MR. ANTOUMAN NJIE

4. Full name of Executive Director (General Secretary or other full-time official) :

ALIEU M. SALLAH

5. What is (are) your national language(s) ? ENGLISH

Which of the following FIDE languages* do you prefer and what is your second choice ? 1. ENGLISH 2. FRENCH

* English, French, German, Spanish, Russian, Arabic and Portuguese are FIDE languages. FIDE Minutes are published in English.

6. How many individual members (players) do you have ? 35(2009)

How many competitions for individuals did you have last year ? NONE

How many of these were for players under 16 years of age ? 1(2009)

Name your National individual champion : EBRIMA BAH (2009)

7. How many affiliated clubs do you have ? 21
How many team competitions do you organize in a year ? 1
8. Are you the only national organization for chess in your country ? YES
Name others (if any) :
9. Name your player(s) with FIDE titles (if any) : MR AMADOU JALLOU
MODOU NDIÉ (CHESS DUBAI OLYMPIAD 1986)
10. What is the name of your official chess magazine (if any and please enclose a copy) ? NONE
11. Will your Federation have the opportunity to take part in the activities of FIDE (for example, to organize international tournaments, send representatives to official FIDE competitions) ? YES
12. Do you receive any government support ? NO
If yes, give details, stating cash subsidy given last year or recently ?
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- What government department is in charge of chess ? NATIONAL SPORTS COUNCIL
13. Does your country have a National Olympic Committee that is affiliated to the International Olympic Committee ? YES
14. What is your relationship with your National Olympic Committee ?
REGISTERED
15. Do you receive any subsidy from your National Olympic Committee ? YES
If yes, give details, stating cash subsidy given last year or recently ?
500 EUROS (FIRST OF ITS KIND 2012)
16. Are there restrictions on membership in your Federation (on national, political, racial, social or religious grounds or on account of sex) ? NO
17. Does your Federation acknowledge the Status of FIDE and develop activities in accordance with the Statutes ? YES

18. Is your country an independent state with its own constitution ? ... YES

If not, is it fully autonomous in the administration of sport ?

Is your country a member of the United Nations, or do you have an Observer status in the United Nations ? (If so, state year) UN MEMBER

Does your country have a national flag and national anthem ? ... YES

19. Are there in principle restrictions for issuing visas to foreigners ? NO

20. Do you have a copy of your Federation Statutes or Constitution ? ... YES

If yes, please forward a copy with this questionnaire.

Are your Statutes approved by your government ? ... YES

If so, by which government entity ? ... MINISTRY OF SPORTS
THROUGH NATIONAL SPORTS COUNCIL

National Chess Federation Authorized Official :

Name : ALIEU M. SALLAH

Position : SECRETARY GENERAL

Signature :  Date : 2nd JULY 2012