

## Central Board of Commissions (CBC) Meeting

Venue: 2013 FIDE Congress, Tallinn, Estonia

Date: 1 October 2013

### Attendance:

#### Chairmen and Secretary:

Ignatius Leong (SIN), Andrzej Filipowicz (POL), Susan Polgar (USA), Allan Herbert (BAR), Panagiotis Nikolopoulos (GRE), Ali Nihat Yazici (TUR), Geurt Gijssen (NED), Beatriz Marinello (USA), Darcy Gustavo Lima (BRA), Christian Krause (GER), David Jarrett (ENG), Nigel Freeman (BER)

Observers: Stewart Reuben (ENG), Nick Faulks (BER), Sevan A Muradian (USA), Michalis Kaloumenos (GRE), Rupert Jones (PNG), Shaun Press (PNG), Graham Boxall (JCI), Dr. Dirk J.A De Ridder (BEL), Werner Stubenvoll (AUT), Roberto Ricca (ITA), Kevin O'Connell (IRL).

Meeting Opened: 8:03pm

1. Matters arising from CBC Meeting 13&14 April 2013, Bangkok Thailand.
  - a. Commission chairs are requested to update handbook entries related to their commissions. Changes to be sent to David Jarrett.
  - b. Definition of tie-break methods to be handled by Rules and Tournament Regulations Commissions. Recommendations about which tie break methods are to be used for FIDE events to be made by the Technical Commission.
  - c. Regulations dealing with the recording of incorrect results to be drafted by the Swiss Pairings Programs Commission.
2. Registration & Licensing of Players
  - a. To be handled by QC
3. Licensing of Arbiters
  - a. The Arbiters Commission to clarify the term 'Deputy Arbiter'/'Deputy Chief Arbiter'
  - b. The Arbiters Commission is requested to change the title of 'National Arbiter'
4. Appointment of FIDE Officials
  - a. Events Commission to nominate inspectors, technical delegates, appeals committee for FIDE events.
  - b. The Events Commission to recommend Arbiter appointments to Presidential Board for FIDE Events. WCO to appoint arbiters for World Championship events.
5. Registration of Tournaments
  - a. FIDE office to register FIDE/Continental Events. Chief Arbiters to submit results directly.
  - b. FIDE to inform Federations directly of automatic titles achieved in FIDE/Continental events.
  - c. Chief Arbiters to be given access FIDE Ratings Service to submit results for specific events.
6. Tournament Reports
  - a. The Arbiters Commission to produce a reporting template for Chief Arbiters.
  - b. The Arbiters Commission to look at reporting procedures on the performance of arbiters.
7. Tie-Break Rules
  - a. Definition of tie-break methods to be handled by Rules and Tournament Regulations Commissions. Recommendations about which tie break methods are to be used for FIDE events to be made by the Technical Commission.
8. Laws of Chess
  - a. Investigate the appointment of a translator for official FIDE documents.

9. Seminars
  - a. Commissions organising seminars are requested to review their respective panels of lecturers.
10. Equipment
  - a. Technical Commission to be responsible for regulations concerning chess equipment.
11. FIDE Awards
  - a. No Action
12. Chess for Disabled
  - a. No report
13. Anti-Cheating Committee
  - a. The FIDE/ACP Anti-Cheating Committee to hold a meeting on 5<sup>th</sup> October 2013. A presentation on anti-cheating methods will be given at this time.
14. Technical Handbook
  - a. A printed technical handbook to be produced before the next Congress.
15. Other Matters
  - a. Swiss Pairings Programs Commission to present a proposal taking responsibility for all pairing systems (Round Robin etc)

Meeting closed: 9:10pm

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### Attendance:

Chairman: Ignatius Leong (SIN)

Observers: Kevin O'Connell (IRL), Gary Wastell (AUS), Shaun Press (PNG), Andrzej Filipowicz (POL), Rupert W. Jones (PNG), Roberto Ricca (ITA), Takis Nikoσopoulos (GRE), Cristian Krauze (GER), Robert Katende (UGA), Allan Herbert (BAR), Boris Kutin (SLO), Jan Berglund (SWE).

Apologies: Nigel Freeman (FIDE)

Meeting Opened: 9:05am

16. FIDE Handbook
  - a. Each commission is to produce a printed handbook as well as an online version
  - b. The FIDE Handbook is the official document for all regulations.
  - c. Changes to the FIDE Handbook are to be sent by Commission Chairman by 15 December 2013
17. Arbiter Licensing
  - a. The term 'Deputy Arbiter' is deleted from the FIDE Arbiter Regulations.
  - b. The term 'National Arbiter' is replaced by 'Arbiters of a National Level' in the FIDE Arbiter Regulations.
18. Appointments of FIDE Officials for FIDE Events
  - a. Inspectors and Technical Delegates to become official positions from 2014.
  - b. Events Commission to develop a roster of Technical Delegates and Inspectors for FIDE Events.
  - c. The Arbiters Commission, in co-operation with the Events Commission, to recommend Arbiter appointments to Presidential Board for FIDE Events.

19. Registration of Tournaments

- a. QC has designed a new tournament registration form which will be available shortly. The Arbiters Commission to check for compatibility with new Arbiter regulations.

20. Internet Broadcasting

- a. The Events Commission to define the number of boards to be broadcast over the Internet, for official FIDE events.

21. FIDE Awards

- a. Events Commission to produce regulations for the FIDE Awards system.

22. Swiss Pairings Programs

- a. Swiss Pairings Programs Commission will change their name to 'Systems of Pairings and Programs (SPP)'.
  - b. Heinz Herzog (author of Swiss Manager) to be contracted by FIDE to maintain Swiss Manager for use in the Olympiad. FIDE to by the right to distribute the program by Mr Herzog.

Meeting Closed: 10:00am

Chairman Ignatius Leong