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Athens

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Dear Nigel,

By this letter I confirm that the Greek Chess Federation has no objection to the bids submitted by IO Nikos Kalesis for the following events:

- * World Amateur Championships 2019
- * World Senior Team Championships 2019 (for age categories 50+, 65+).

Best regards,



Georgios Makropoulos

Greek Chess Federation
President
FIDE Deputy President

FIDE Event: **WORLD AMATEUR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS (MEN AND WOMEN) 2019**

Organiser: **IO NIKOS KALESIS**

Federation: **GREECE**

International Organiser's contact info: **+30 6938326161 / nikoskalesis@gmail.com**

(Probable) City: **Heraklion, Crete / Greece**

Proposed dates of Arrival: **11 April (arrival) - 21 April 2019**

Financial guarantee:
Declaration and/or Government
Guarantee if applicable.
Provisional budget to be added.

Declaration generally assuring visas
To representatives of all federations: **YES**

Exceptions, if any, and reasons: **NO**

Name of Meeting/Tournament hall: **5-star Creta Maris Hotel & Congress Center.**
And its distance from accommodation: **0 km distance, it is located within the hotel resort.**

Travel connections and reductions for Participants officials and accompanying persons:
HERAKLION INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, 30 minutes from the venue. Bus transfer for delegations (both ways) included in registration fee.

Accommodation and meals of participants
And for accompanying persons:
(give classification of hotels and meals.
Indicate number of persons per room).

[CRETA MARIS HOTEL - \(5 stars\)](#)

Price (per person in euros):

59 € per day, full board included in a double room.

83 € per day, full board included in a single room.

Are there:

Press facilities: YES Telephones: YES Telefax: YES E-mail: YES

Secretarial Staff (Indicate languages). ENGLISH, RUSSIAN, GREEK, SPANISH

Simultaneous Translation (in case of meeting):

Will it be guaranteed in FIDE languages: ENGLISH, RUSSIAN, GREEK, SPANISH
(Indicate languages)

FIDE standard chess equipment (in case of a competition): YES

Additional arrangement/Prize Fund is applicable: The total prize fund of **15,000 euros** is listed below. Each player, official and accompanying person shall pay a registration fee of **90 euros** for the event. It includes registration, accreditation (entrance in playing hall) and bus transfer from and to Heraklion International Airport. The FIDE entry fee of **30 euros** per person shall be paid directly to FIDE.

Prize fund - Gifts

1. Prize Fund (total: 15,000 euros)

U2300 section: 5,500 €

Women: 2,000 €

U2000 section: 3,000 €

Women: 1,500 €

U1700 section: 2,000 €

Women: 1,000 €

2. Trophies and Medals to all winners per category

3. Printed diplomas of participation to all participants

Press - Publicity:

- A. Free Internet - fax for journalists - Special Press Room
- B. Invitations for journalists
- C. Internet Coverage
- D. Live Games (40 Boards)

Parallel Chess Events

- A. Blitz Championship
- B. Solving Competition

Special Program

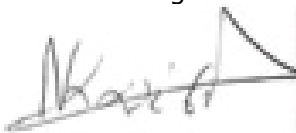
- A. Greek Night (live music)
- B. Program of excursions

(GA 1996-2014) Deposit: We confirm that we shall pay the deposit fee below before conclusion of the General Assembly granting the option. We are aware that we forfeit this sum if for any reason we do not organise the event. If we do organise the event this sum will be put to the credit of our account with FIDE.

We have recognized the specific FIDE stipulation for the above-mentioned event and will observe them.

Name of International Organiser: NIKOS KALESI Place/Date: ATHENS, 30 MARCH 2017

Signature:



(GA 2014) National support letter: We attach the support letter signed by either the President, the Chairman or the General Secretary of the national federation of the host country.

All conditions offered are subject to the approval of the FIDE President or his representative.