To all WKC member federations

8<sup>th</sup> December 2011

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Dear Mr. President,

For all those of you who wish to attend another international tournament before our outstanding main event – the 5<sup>th</sup> TAFISA Games 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> July 2012 – are encouraged to take part at the

USA WKC Invitational Championships for Juniors and Seniors

19th - 22nd April 2012 Chicago, Illinois, USA

Venue: College of Lake County in Grayslake Illinois

Host Hotel: Holiday Inn Express Lake Zurich For information contact: <a href="mailto:aauusakarate@aol.com">aauusakarate@aol.com</a>

These Championships will be organised by the *AAU Karate*. All WKC karateka are encouraged to take part in this event, especially those from Pan-America.

5<sup>th</sup> TAFISA Games: Under the roof of the 5<sup>th</sup> TAFISA Games we will hold our

> Open WKC World Championships for Seniors \*,
> 8<sup>th</sup> WKC World Championships for Juniors & Cadets and World Cup for Children \*
5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> July 2012
Šiauliai, Lithuania

\* All Categories you find on the WKC webpage www.wkc-org.net under the link "Categories"

Please check the webpage <u>www.siauliai2012.lt</u> of the 5<sup>th</sup> TAFISA Games. There you find "Registration" and "Accommodation & Transport" forms.

## **Very important:**

All federations requiring a visa for Lithuania (Schengen state) for their participants must fill and mail the visa application form **before 1**<sup>st</sup> **March 2012** to the Organising Committee of the 5<sup>th</sup> TAFISA Games.

Participants will need to apply for a visa from a nearest Lithuanian consulate. By the order of Lithuanian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (LMOFA) they will need an invitation document for visa.

Necessary information for this process are: First name, Last name, Date of birth, Place of birth, Passport ID, Personal ID, Status of arriving person (participant, team delegate etc.).

You will find also a form for these data on the official website of the Games.

Invitation document for visa will be confirmed by LMOFA not before April.

Your contact person in the local organizing team for "Accreditation" and "Visa": Mr. Mindaugas Šerepka, Email: <a href="mindaugas@siauliaitennis.lt">mindaugas@siauliaitennis.lt</a> or <a href="mindaugas@siauliaitennis.lt">info@siauliai2012.lt</a>

You can find all information about visa on the webpage of Ministry of Foreign Affairs of The Republic of Lithuania: http://www.urm.lt/index.php?1009264794

We will keep you informed on all news by e-mail, bulletin or webpage. Please check regularly our WKC webpage as well.

## We wish you and all your members a Happy and Successful New Year!



Sincerely yours

WKC Executive Committee

