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Dear Mr. President,

Here are again the main points to be observed for the coming *International Open WKC Championships Munich 2014 in Felkirchen-Westerham, 24th to 26th January 2014.*

<u>Accommodation:</u> For accommodation please go to *Accommodation Information*, for information on the location to *Location Information for Feldkirchen-Westerham*.

National Flags: All participating federations or clubs must bring 2 Flags (size 1,50 x 2,00 m)

<u>Referees/Judges:</u> All participating federations or clubs must bring at least one referee or judge for 3 competitors, for 10 or more competitors they must bring a minimum of 2 referees or judges.

Only referees and judges who have passed the written test and attended the entire course on Friday, 24th January 2014 from 2 pm to 7 pm are eligible for judging at the tournament. Qualification certificates will be awarded to each participant at the end of the Championships.

For any technical question see the webpage under *Technical* and then go to Rules, Categories or Referees and then "Questionnaire". The Questionnaire gives you an example of the test possibilities. You may translate the questions into your language and bring them to the course.

<u>Coaches:</u> All coaches who want to officiate at the Championships must participate at the Referee and Coach Course on 24th January 2014 from 2 pm to 6 pm and pass a written test with questions relating to their coaching matters. Coaches who show correct behaviour will receive a certificate of qualification at the end of the Championships.

<u>Health Insurance</u>: All competitors must have a Health Insurance valid in Germany. In case of hospital treatment, all participants at the tournament must have their insurance card or insurance policy with them.

Mitts: only mitts with WKC standard are allowed at the competition (for standard see please the webpage under Technical and "Rules"). The height of the mitts must not exceed 2 cm.

WKC mitts will be on sale at the registration and at the championships.

<u>Registration</u>: The registration will be done team by team. Only two persons will be allowed with passports and the other credentials in the registration room. No late registrations are possible! No change of categories is possible! Sorry. That is why a double check is done by our registration officer and your federation or respective club.

<u>Weigh-in:</u> The weigh-in will be done in other rooms. The weigh-in is done to control and check the correct weight indicated at the registration on 10th January 2014 and by e-mail. All coaches should check before this date the correct weight of their athletes.

We hope you understand all the above points in order to facilitate the whole process before the tournament and then the Championships themselves.

FINALLY WE WISH YOU AND ALL MEMBERS OF OUR WKC FAMILY A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS A HAPPY NEW YEAR 2014

WKC Executive Committee

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