



International Speed Badminton Organisation / Trachenbergring 85 / 12249 Berlin

Berlin, 3. August 2015

To all International Speed Badminton Organisation members

## **Invitation ISBO General Assembly Meeting 2015**

Dear officials,

We are happy to invite you to the ISBO General Assembly Meeting.

The meeting will take place Thursday August 27<sup>th</sup> 2015 at 10 am.  
Venue: Southbeach, Trachenbergring 85, 12249 Berlin, Germany

### The Agenda for the 2015 General Assembly Meeting:

1. Address of welcome and declare the legality of the meeting
2. Announce the chairman of the meeting and the keeper of the minutes
3. Declaration of who is attending and how many votes each attendee has
4. Approval of the agenda / proposals
5. Report of the board of directors
6. Financial report 2014/15
7. Report of the auditors
8. Discharge of the board of directors for 2014/15
9. Elections of the board of directors
10. Elections of the auditors
11. Report Committee of rules and tournaments
12. Votes for tournament system, rules and standard adaptations
13. Vote for name of the sport
14. Projects 2015/16
15. Proposal and vote financial plan 2016
16. Tournament software
17. ISBO Awards
18. Miscellaneous

**Requests from members for additional agenda items have to be submitted at least 8 days prior to the Assembly of Delegates in writing to the executive board**

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**Please send an Email to [gossen@isbo-speedbadminton.com](mailto:gossen@isbo-speedbadminton.com) to confirm the participation from your organization.**

All association members are entitled to send delegates to the Assembly of Delegates. At the Delegate Assembly each member of the executive board and each delegate are entitled to vote. Votes are cast as follows:

- 1 member -> 1 vote
- 2-10 members -> 3 votes
- 10 - 250 members -> 5 votes
- 250 - 500 members -> 7 votes
- 500 - 2000 members -> 10 votes
- 2000 – 10.000 members -> 20 votes
- > 10.000 members -> 30 votes

The members of the executive board and the delegates have one vote each. If an association sends less delegates than the number of votes in § 7 paragraph 5, then the club votes cast in § 7 paragraph 5 shall be divided among the present delegates.

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### ***Explanations TOP 9: Elections of the Board***

#### **Current board members:**

President: Rene Lewicki

General Secretary: Brock Turner

Financial Officer: Lidia Bomirska

Chairman Development aid committee: Matjaz Sustersic

Chairman Committee of Rules and Tournament: Daniel Gossen

Chairman of youth development: Damir Ilic

Chairman of sport development: Ivica Vaskovic – vacant / New: Kasia Witwicka

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Interested persons: Kasia Witwicka wants to become chairman for the position of Ivica Vascovic (stepped back May 2015) for a committee of press work. Daniel Gossen will not be available as board member anymore to have the full focus on his job as sport manager for the ISBO. Gabriel David wants to become the new chairman of rules and tournaments (he is working since years for the CORAT). We want to avoid troubles, bad surprises and “fight votes” (disharmonious board atmosphere leads to ineffective work). Because of this it is recommended to have transparency and communication with interested persons in advance.

**Please tell us if there is someone from your country want to be part of the ISBO board or help the board members to improve the system or be part of a committee for the future!**

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***Explanations TOP 12:***

Topics for vote:

- Half of the sponsoring some should be transferred in advance of the tournament other part as bonus after a fix point system via the standards sheet.
- Rules for Doubles: Should there be a back & and a front player rule again?
- Service line should be marked better if possible according the surface.
- Changing of tournament dates. – Deadlines adaptations.
- Tournament classification and tournament system.
- Involve a league system. International Rules & Champions league tournament.

***Explanations TOP 15:***

History & Current Situation:

The delegates meeting – highest institution of the ISBO – decided in 2014 to change the financial system. The ISBO board suggested to include a registration fee for players to enter the tournament registration software system. The delegates meeting didn't accept this suggest because of the barrier for new players to get in touch with the sport the first time. So the delegates meeting decided to raise the ISBO player fee per tournament from 1 euro to 5/10 per tournament.

The result is a decreasing number of tournaments and players within the ISBO.



As reaction the ISBO board advises to reconsider last years suggestion and include and fix players fee to enter the tournament registration fee.

<b>1. Proposal</b>	<b>2. Proposal</b>
<b><i>Member fee / year</i></b>	
250€ per Member	2€ per adult Player / 1€ per junior player
<b><i>Registration fee to register to all ISBO Tournaments / year</i></b>	
10€ per player (junior & adults)	40€ per adult player / 10 € per junior player / Newcomer (license for one tournament) 10 €
<b><i>Participating fee (from organizer payable to the ISBO)</i></b>	
2,50€ per player	0€
<b><i>League fee – Every participating country can send his best club to the Champions league tournament</i></b>	
25€ per team	25€ per team

**ISBO web platform:**

One of the projects for the following month will be the creation of a new platform bringing Speed Badminton players together worldwide. The focus is to lower the entry level for players to join out sport and organization.

With best Regards,

Brock Turner, Rene Lewicki and Lidia Bomirska, ISBO board of executives.