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Proposal to the 2024 IGC Plenary

Date: 20-12-2023

Proposal submitted by: Germany

Title: Cancellation of the preferred allocation of the FAI Women WGC outside Europe

Type: Other proposal

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The 2010 adopted rule of the preferred periodic allocation of Women's WGC outside Europe should be removed.

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We believe the selection of the venue for international competition should be based on the strongest bid, considering factors like airfield quality, surrounding conditions, airspace characteristics, thermal quality, and availability of rental gliders. Additionally, other factors like current political, economic, and environmental situations, experience of the organizing team, but also the time since a country was last selected to host a WWGC should be taken into account by the delegates.

Given the dynamic nature of some of these factors and their potential for significant changes over a 10-year period, we suggest that IGC delegates assess these elements at the time of the voting. Rather than imposing a strict rule favoring a venue outside Europe every 10 years, this approach allows for flexibility to adapt to evolving conditions and requirements without limiting the chances of bids from any continent.

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The proposal should be applicable from: 2024

The proposal affects: IGC Internal Regulations

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