Championship Structure Working Group 2015 (WGC’s)

(last CSWG was active 2003/2004; chaired by Eric Mozer)

Motivation for CSWG (Bureau Meeting October 2014)

“Discussion then turned to the overall structure of our Championships. The last major review of the Championship structure took place 10 years ago. Consequently it was agreed to form a new Championship Structure Working Group (CSWG). …”

Membership (max. 10)

Championship Management Dick Bradley (South Africa), Representatives of South America, North America, Australia/New Zealand, central Europe, Eastern Europe; Steward Group

IGC Bureau will be in the loop of information.

Terms of Reference

- Facts and Figures, Development of WGC’s last 10 years (classes, participants, demography...cost)
- Current situation 2014/2015
- Assumption for situation in 10 years time (incl. potential technical developments)
- Is Championship structure fit for 2025? Modifications necessary?
- Do we have the right tasks to choose the best and present our sport of gliding to the world?
- Is IGC with its list and recruiting/qualification process for championship officials fit for 2015?
- Further considerations (like voice of glider manufacturers and others)

CSWG timetable:

- February 2015, discussion IGC Bureau, presentation to Plenary
- September 2015, report to IGC Bureau
- Fall 2015, Bureau reviews and forwards to Plenum for decision

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