Agenda Item # 8.7

New FAI Organiser Agreement

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Reasons for update
• Organisers reluctant to sign existing agreement
• Complex language and layout
• Insurance obligations & media rights unclear
• Sponsorship and anti-doping out of date

Principles
• Primary contract with championship organisers
  – This is a contract to run an FAI event!
• Protect FAI’s interests
• Clarify obligations (on both sides)
• Enable modern competition formats
New format

- One central & universal core
- Editable annexes
- Can be tailored to Commissions’ needs
- Able to accommodate new events

Preliminary steps

- ASC Working Group formed
- Research
- Gantt timeline

Progress

- Complex and involved task
- Initial plan sent to ASCs in July
- Feedback received
- First draft produced in August

Next steps

- Distribute first draft to ASCs for feedback
- Distribute second draft to wider group
- Legal & Executive Board approval
- New Agreement in early 2013

Example text - existing

This Agreement, including the attached Schedules, the FAI Statutes, By-Laws, and Sporting Code (General Section and Section XX) contains the entire agreement of the parties and supersedes all other agreements between them and no variation of any of the terms or conditions of this Agreement may be made unless such variation is agreed in writing and signed by all parties to this Agreement. In the event of a conflict arising between this document and the FAI Statutes, By-Laws and Sporting Code (General Section and Section XX) the terms of this Agreement will take precedence.

Example text - proposed

This agreement is the entire agreement between the FAI and the organiser. It supersedes any previous agreement on the same subject matter. In case of inconsistency with other FAI documents, this agreement shall prevail.