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CHIEF JUDGE'S STANDARD REPORT

Competition:	15th FAI World Para Ski Championships http://www.wpc2015.dfv.aero/
Event:	Para Ski 13 teams (8 male, 5 female (2), not enough junior teams) 42 male individual participants (+ 1 injured during qualification run) 10 female -"- including: 7 junior -"- (mixed, not enough female juniors) 15 master -"- (mixed, not enough female masters)
Place:	Unterammergau (Germany)
Date:	17 th February – 22 nd February 2015
Panel of Judges:	Gernot Rittenschober (CJ) Günter Berendt (Ass CJ) Arnold Hohenegger Jana Matejkinova Janez Pfajfar Zeljko Prajz Darko Svetina Gerhard Wagner Rainer Hoenle (additional judge, accepted by organizer & CJ)
Equipment Used:	Weckbecker electronic system operated by Drago Buncic. Scoring software operated by Hans Huemer.
Details of the Judges Work: <i>(including judging statistics)</i>	All judges have arrived in time, fulfilled their tasks in all positions and efficiently worked as a team. Because of the additional judge (SC5 4.6.1.(2)) it was possible rotate/replace judges during running operations and have one judge as reserve. 326 competition jumps were judged without any protest or complaint from competitors/ team managers side.
Recommendations for Organisers:	If there is a live ticker at the official website (like it was made very well at http://www.wpc2015.dfv.aero/Live) this should be in English language (or if the local language is used in both languages)
Rule Changes Proposals:	NIL

Personal remarks:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •The host NAC (Helmut Bastuck) Event Organizer (Jürgen Barth) and Meet Director (Helmut Schlecht) together with their support staff did a good job in preparing and conducting the 15th FAI World Paraski Championships. •The judges panel worked very professional and made all decisions in a fair and sportingly manner. •The electronic equipment worked very well with the very experienced operator Drago Buncic. •The IPC Media Officer Susan Dixon has backed up the German live reporting by her daily blog in English language http://www.fai.org/ipc-news/39215-15th-paraski-championships-day-5 •The official results were posted by Fay Kimble on IPC website: http://www.ipc-wcresults.org.uk/Unterammergau/results.html and by the organizer at: http://www.wpc2015.dfv.aero/files/results/WPC-Para-Ski_2015_all%20results_official.pdf in a timely manner. •The new Paraski rule with the FAI Controller assisting the organizer during the preparation of the event and then acting as Head of Jury during the championship worked very well. •The spirit of good teamwork shown by all officials to the benefit of the competition and participants was apparent; there was always a possibility for constructive communication in a courteous manner without the need for written complaints or even protests.
<p>According to Sporting Code Section 5, 6.9.1 (11) 6.7.1.(6) * this report is to be sent to the Chair of the Judges Committee and the IPC Recording Secretary within 30 days of the competition completion.</p> <p>*form from http://www.fai.org/ipc-about-us/ipc-officials-experts 02 Sep 2014 does not refer to the current SC5</p>	

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