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**Mr. Pedro CABAÑERO MARIMÓN**  
**President**  
**General Aviation Commission FAI**

Dear Mr President,

It would be a great honour for the Aero Club of Poland to host the 18th FAI World Rally Flying Championships in 2012. The proposed location is the airfield in Jelenia Góra, and the event is proposed to be held in the first half of September 2012.

Jelenia Góra is a city with a population of 86,000 situated in south-western Poland, 120 km from Wrocław. The airfield has a grass runway of 750 metres. All facilities needed for the championships are located at the airfield, and accommodation is available nearby. In the immediate vicinity of Jelenia Góra, both in Poland and in the Czech Republic, there are several other airfields that could also be used during the championships. Jelenia Góra is well known to all those interested in air sports.

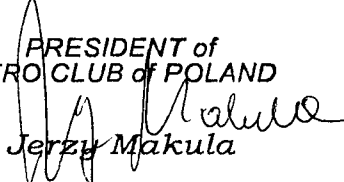
The Aero Club of Jelenia Góra is famous for being a "Diamond Mine" : thanks to the so - called Karkonosze Wave more than a thousand pilots have gained their height diamond badges there. Jelenia Góra is also well known, both in Poland and abroad, for its friendliness and hospitality offered to visiting members of the worldwide aeronautical community.

The Aero Club of Jelenia Góra has hosted numerous national and international events and has always fulfilled its role excellently. Some of the most noteworthy events include the annual Karkonosze Winter International Gliding Cup, International Lower Silesia Gliding Championships, and Karkonosze Summer Gliding Cup.

Jelenia Góra has a tradition of hosting flying events, including Polish Precision Flying Championships (organized at junior and senior levels), most recently held in 2007 and 2009. The 6th and 10th AN-2 Meetings were held there in 2002 and 2007. In 2006 Jelenia Góra played host to participants of the Three Nations' Aeronautical Meeting, held as part of the European Week, and participants of the Lower Saxony Microlight Rally. In 2004 and 2008 International Vintage Glider Meetings were held on Jelenia Góra Aero Club's Glider Mountain.

The location and infrastructure of the Jelenia Góra airfield, the extensive organizational experience as well as the skills and personal qualities of the Director of Aero Club of Jelenia Góra, Mr Jacek Musiał, who is proposed as the Championships Director, combine to make Jelenia Góra the best place for the 18th FAI World Rally Flying Championships in 2012.

We hereby submit our bid.

PRESIDENT of  
AERO CLUB of POLAND  
  
Jerzy Makula