Formation of IPC Events and Tours Association

The 40 countries represented at the 63rd Plenary Meeting of the FAI International Parachute Commission in Buenos Aires on 11-12 February 2012, resolved to proceed with the establishment of the International Parachute Event and Tours Association (IPETA).

IPETA’s first goal will be to implement a Canopy Piloting World Series.

The sport of parachuting provides a wide variety of breath taking, dynamic and exciting competitive events.

Canopy Piloting (CP) is particularly suitable for a Parachuting World Series. CP is a very exciting event where individuals compete by diving their parachutes to reach very high speeds in order to “swoop” across a body of water, where they are measured for distance, accuracy and/or speed.

The event is very attractive for spectators, as performances take place directly in front of the public and, thanks to modern technology, can be seen clearly on large screens.

A target date of mid May 2012 has been set for IPETA’s establishment.

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