



Fédération Aéronautique Internationale

## **Minutes**

Bureau Meeting
of the
of the
FAI Rotorcraft Commission (CIG)

held in Drakino, Russia on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> August 2012

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## **Attendance**

President	David HAMILTON	NZL
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	Konrad GEIßLER	GER
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Irina GRUSHINA	RUS
Secretary	Wolfgang PERPLIES	GER
Secretary	David MONKS	GBR

The Meeting resulted in several discussions over 2 days during the World Helicopter Championships. Due to the heavy workload on all Bureau Members, the President agreed to prepare the Minutes for circulation.

- 1. The President agreed that the outstanding remainder of the Sanction Fee would be sent to FAI by Bank Transfer.
- 2. The Bureau considered that the Rules for Championships should be reviewed after questions of conflict and interpretation which arose during briefings.
- 3. The President raised the idea of a FAI HEMS Award to be jointly sponsored by the FAI Medical Commission.

HEMS (Helicopter Emergency Medical Service) are specialist hospitals with their own helipad, often on the roof, and served by dedicated Helicopter Teams. They can land inside cities, rapidly transport critically injured to Hospital. Helicopter Crews usually carry doctors and nurses but in addition most of the pilots have had a high level of paramedic training so as to help in any on-site operations.

The proposition for the two Commissions to propose criteria for FAI Recognition by way of a Diploma or Plaque. This could be reassessed every 4 years.

The FAI President has given his full support for the proposal to be brought forward after the next CIG Meeting (March 2013)

The Bureau agreed that the President will co-ordinate with the Medical Commission President and keep them informed.

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