

INDOOR SKYDIVING COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT — 2020

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COMMITTEE TOPICS FOR PAST YEAR – RECOMMENDATIONS & COMMENTS

1. **Live judging** - We are still in favor and hope there will be more competitions where it will be tried and that it will evolve.
2. **Indoor summit** - Once we are clearer about future indoor FCEs, we would be happy to suggest to the organisers and possibly help them (mainly with concepts and contacts) to organise an indoor summit together with the competition; after it is run at least once under the umbrella of ISC and if we see it as something worthwhile, we could create a guide and help to make it a regular happening.
3. **Indoor judges** - As there are ongoing issues with sufficiency of dynamic judges, we support the solution proposed by the dynamic committee.
4. **Bidding guide** – Once competitions are again up and running, we want to be asking event organisers for comments on this document in order to make it more and more complete and updated with every competition.
5. **Savings on FS judges** – It was suggested to us to look into possibilities to save some costs for the organizers in regards of the FS judging. We do not want to compromise on the quality of judges' work, but the same way as ISC is looking into the possibility to cut some costs on the jury by making ISC officials on site busier, maybe something similar could be done with the FS judges (e.g. look into the possibility of giving event judge also regular-judge work). (This suggestion has been communicated to the FS and judges' committees.)

FUTURE COMPETITIONS

In the current complicated situation, we cannot be sure about future events. However, we hope for a first category event (first one since the beginning of COVID-19) in **Airspace Belgium in April 2022**.

We are in favor with a presentation of a new bid and we believe there should be no objections against giving the organisers some advantage over any other bidders, as their bid for 2020 was approved by the plenary but due to the unfortunate situation, they could not hold the competition and had to cancel it quite shortly before its dates, when they already had a lot prepared. However, ISC still should make sure, the new bid will be reasonable. The competition should not be too much more expensive as it

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might also be difficult for the competitors to cover their expenses related to the participation after the COVID crisis.

As for whether it should be a World Cup or a World Championships, we are in favor of not changing the structure of ISC events calendar. However, if Airspace wants to hold a World Cup (not a Championships) in order to allow more participants, we support that and if (in order to get back to the calendar structure as it used to be) it would be necessary to have two World Cups in the row, we are in favor of that, considering it an exception due to the extraordinary situation COVID has caused.

In fact, we believe it would be good to allow as many teams as possible to the first indoor FCE event after all this time without not much IS competing and competing in skydiving in general.

To the organiser, we suggested other options how he could deal with this.

Either way, IS committee can only suggest and advise in these matters and believes a proper bid and an acceptance of it by the plenary is necessary.

BUDGET

We do not ask for any funds this year.

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