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To:

- Members of the Sub-Committee for Rollerskiing
- Members of the Working Groups
- Members of the Cross-Country Executive Board
- Members of the Cross-Country Committee
- National Ski Associations

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- Christian Knauth–FIS Marketing&Communications Director
- Jürg Capol–FIS Cross Country Race Director

Oberhofen, 23.05.2005

**Minutes Sub-Committee for Rollerskiing
Amsterdam (NED), May 8th 2005**

Dear Skifriends,

On behalf of the Secretary of the Rollerski Sub-Committee Pierre Teysot (FRA), we send you herewith the minutes of the Rollerski Sub Committee meeting in Amsterdam (NED).

We wish you a great and successful Rollerski season.

Sportive Greetings,

INTERNATIONAL SKI FEDERATION

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INTERNATIONAL SKI FEDERATION
Minutes of the Meeting of the Rollerski Sub-Committee
Sunday, 08.05.2005, 08.00–12.00 hrs

1. Opening and roll call

Members present

Jonty Summers (GBR)
Horst Tielmann (NED)
Leonid Golubkov (RUS)
Ozkan Koyuncu (TUR)
Pierre Teyssot (FRA)
Jean-Pierre Cochet (FRA)–Chairman

Excused

Martins Niklass (LAT)
Peter Wulff (DAN),

Absent

Hubert Bühl (GER)

Guests

Paul Verboort (NED)
PierLuigi PAPA (ITA)
Heimir Hansson (ICE)
Sadahide Sato (JPN)
Akira Wada (JPN)
Paddy Field (GBR)

At this occasion, Jean Pierre COCHET is pleased with the presence of the representative of the Japanese Ski Federation in the person of Akira WADA Director of the Organising Committee of the FIS Nordic World Ski Championships 2007.

It would be great to have a Japanese team taking part in the World Cup circuit and if Japan that has a very important calendar of national competitions would organize a World Cup competition in the next years.

Mr Akira WADA confirms the participation of his national team in the next FIS Rollerski World Championships in La TREMBLADE and will study a candidature of Japan for the World Cup in the future which cannot be fixed today.

2. Approbation of the Minutes of Oberstdorf (February 29th 2005)

The minutes of the Rollerski Sub Committee meeting in Oberstdorf during the Nordic WSC is approved.

3. Definitive presentation World Cup Calendar 2005

Jean Pierre COCHET explains the circumstances which resulted in modifying the calendar:

First of all Leonid Golubkov had to cancel the race envisaged in Moscow the 1st week-end of July. To maintain the number of stages of the World Cup, it was necessary to seek a competition of replacement.

Carlo Brena initially proposed Bergamo, that desisted. It was necessary to find a candidature in last minute. Finally Villars de Lans agrees to organise a World Cup competition. But at the same time, Martin Niklass asked to shift Villars de Lans one week after the World Cup of Cesis.

This competition which was to be the last week-end of June thus replaces the race of Moscow. It was thus necessary to shift Villars de Lans which will take place the week end 9th and 10th July. It is completely regrettable in particular for the countries which organize their National Championship this week-end.

After an exchange of views, it is decided that for next season the international timetable will be adopted during the meeting of September. This will say that at the time of the meeting in Sestola in September 2005, the dates and the places of the competitions of the season 2006 will be definitively stopped and submitted to the Cross Country Committee, with approval of the Council afterwards.

The FIS Rollerski World Cup calendar 2005 will be:

1 Cesis (Latvia) 2-3 July 2005

Sprint* Pursuit*

TD Leonid Goloubkov (Rus)

<http://www.cesis.lv/rollerski/>

2 Villard de Lans (France) 9-10 July 2005

Sprint XL* Mass start* Team sprint

TD Alessandro Landuzi

www.rollerskitour.com/2005/villard inscription@rollerskitour.com

3 Oroslavje (Croatia) August 19-21st, 2005

Pursuit* Sprint*

TD Pierre Teyssot (FRA)

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4 Geyer (Germany) September 1-4th, 2005

Pursuite* Sprint *

TD Magand Guy (Fra)

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5 Sestola (Italy) 16 18 September

Mass Start Sprint 700 m*

TD Paul Verbort (Ned)

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4. News & Update about FIS Rollerski World Championships

All the information are online

www.rollerskitour.com/latremblade

There is a problem with the broadcasting of the FIS Rollerski World Championship on EUROSPOORT. That seemed acquired but EUROSPOORT informed us that they were not interested anymore.

However, it is not possible that a FIS World Rollerski Championship is not broadcasted on EUROSPOORT.

Pierre Teyssot informs Christian KNAUTH about this problem and it seems that a solution of one hour remote retransmission is possible.

The production of the images (Host Broadcaster) will be ensured by a French company.

The National Associations are asked again address the number of their athletes 14 days before the events to the organizers.

In addition, it is pointed out that it is imperative that the nations make sure that their athletes have a FIS code to take part in the competitions.

The registration request must be made at the FIS Nordic Office. The inscription is free of charge.

It is expected that on June 11th–12th Jürg CAPOL will visit the site of La Tremblade with the Secretary and the President of the Sub-Committee.

5. News & Update about FIS Rollerski World Cup Specifications for Organisers

Pierre Teyssot worked out a booklet containing the update since 1999 of the Cross-Country rules of the FIS adapted to Rollerski.

This booklet also contains a FIS Rollerski World Cup Specifications guide for Organisers (for the first time published) in order to standardize our events and to inform the candidates beforehand.

Many interventions make it possible to refine and to correct the project.

With this occasion a discussion begins regarding the Technical Delegates. First of all, it is requested from Jürg CAPOL that the list of the TD's is published on the FIS website.

It is decided that each year a TD seminar will take place in order to bring up to date their knowledge of International Rollerski Rules.

The next seminar will take place during the World Cup weekend in SESTOLA in September.

It is wished that this seminar is directed by an expert like Ebbe Holm. It is asked by these minute to FIS that the accommodation and travel expenses of Ebb HOLM can be support by FIS.

6. News & Update about the process of the FIS Rollerski rules by Peter Wulff

7. Presentation of the Rollerski project for the FIS Website (www.fis-ski.com) by Carlo Brena & Martin Niklass

Carlo BRENA presents the minutes for the media which must be annexed to the FIS Rollerski World Cup Specifications for Organisers.

The Sub-committee approves this project and congratulates Carlo BRENA for this very important work.

At this occasion Carlo BRENA and Pierre TEYSSOT inform about their discussion with Christian KNAUTH, FIS Marketing&Communications Director, who began to provide bibs numbers and Crystal Globes for the winners of the overall World cup ranking for seniors.

The Sub-committee also decides that the update of the ranking of the World Cup will be carried out under the authority of the FIS TD in the 3 hours which will follow the end of each World Cup.

8. News & Update about the project regarding sponsors and media for Rollerski FIS World Cup

No title sponsor for the World Cup has been currently found, each organizer is free to call upon the sponsors of his choice.

9. Planning season 2006 and World Championships 2007

A fast round table is carried out to know the candidatures of the calendar 2006

We have the following candidates for 2006 so far:

- During June 2 series, the first with BERGAMO and the 2nd with SESTOLA according to dates' to be defined
- 1st Week end of July MOSCOW
- At the end of August CROATIA
- In September: - Trans' Roller (Summer Transjurassienne) (France)
- ANTALYA (Turkey)

It is pointed out that the National Ski Association must present the candidatures and register them in the FIS Office in Oberhofen. That must be done until September a year ahead and the candidature will be irrevocable.

Acting for the FIS Rollerski World Championships of 2007, it is recalled that the candidatures must be presented as soon as possible.

Carlo Brena and PierLuigi Papa inform the Committee of a possible candidature of Bergamo. All the possible candidates are highly invited to come to Tremblade as observer.

10. No other matters arising.

11. Next meeting in Sestola during the World Cup event 2005.

Nothing else on the agenda, the meeting is closed and the next meeting of the sub committee will be in Sestola (Italy) on September 16th.