

MINUTES FROM THE FIB TECHNICAL COMMITTEE (TC) MEETING

Date: 5 December 2023

Place: Online

Present: Arne Anderstedt (SWE) – chairman

Pär Gustafsson (SWE)

Tor Audun Sørensen (NOR) Frank Peters (NED) – secretary

Also present: Stein Pedersen (NOR) – president FIB

Attila Adamfi (HUN) - secretary general FIB

Egil Larsen (NOR) – chairman FIB Rules and Referee Committee (RRC)

Kjell Anderstedt - FIB Kimmo Huotelin (FIN)

Not present: Yury Molotkov (RUS)

Tobias Karlsson (FIN)

1 TIMETABLE

World Championships Boys Y17 Finland

India will participate out of competition. They will play 2x15 minutes matches against Norway, Finland and Sweden. Also two matches against a local Y15 team of Kampparit.

World Cup Boys Y19 Sweden is cancelled due to lack of participating teams.

Men 3-Nation's tournament will be organized by SBF 19-21 January in Karlstad. SBF will ask FIB for sanctioning this tournament. Details will come in the near future. **Egil Larsen** would like to see referees from other countries than Sweden in this tournament. He will see if Norway can send a referee.

Women: SBF is thinking about organising a women's tournament at the end of March (on initial request of the USA). If it will take place SBF will ask FIB for sanctioning this tournament.

2 SHORT BANDY

Egil Larsen and RRC have looked into the playing rules. At this time RRC can not accept this type of bandy. RRC members have never seen it and are sceptical about some rules. Especially the corner stroke rule can be dangerous for defending teams with strong shooters. The question is also if we need a third discipline of bandy in FIB next to bandy and rinkbandy. Members think that short bandy is closer to bandy than rinkbandy, so maybe we should change rules of rinkbandy towards short bandy.

More investigation is needed, **Egil Larsen** will contact Czech Bandy Federation.

3 ISSUES IN WORLD CUP TOURNAMENTS THIS SEASON

Mixed teams have competed in competition where Technical Committee has decided that they should play out of competition. Teams also played in final matches which was not meant to be.

FIB/Attila Adamfi will send a letter to SBF asking for an explanation. SBF/Pär Gustafsson will evaluate with organizers and report back to TC.

For coming World Cup tournaments of this season there is a very clear document made and sent out with the rules concerning exemptions for World Cup tournaments. National federations are responsible for discussing this with organizers.

4 REVISED CONDITIONS AND GUIDELINES FOR ORGANIZERS

We started discussing the proposal documents. No time left in the meeting, so next meeting we will continue where we left.

FUTURE ITEMS:

Items that need attention in the future (some from earlier meetings)

- Conditions Youth: which clubteams are eligible to participate in World Cups (number
 of teams per country; best team(s) of the league; etc)
- Team Europe participation in WCS tournaments? (09-06-2023)
- International transfers proposal Finland 20-04-2023 regarding players under 20 years now in hands of FIB EC / Working group
- Website international transfers: payments to FIB, wishes (reports, inform applicant, now on temporary server, security, etc)

Next online meeting: Tuesday 12 December, 13:00h CET.