

July 9, 2019 **Information Letter no. 19-2019**

Dear Member Federations,

we are launching the process of collecting applications of referees for European Championships in 2020:

- Cadet and Junior European Championships which will be organized in Poreč (CRO) in date of 22.02-03.03.2020;
- European Championships U-23 which will be organized in Liberec (CZE) in date of 27-31.052020;
- Senior European Championships which will be organized in **Minsk** (BLR) in date of 16-21.06.2020.

Please consider to nominate referees who can work in two weapons, **including female candidates.** According to the rules Local Organizing Committees will cover all costs for travel, accommodation, visa, and per diem. All referees for the whole period are insured by the EFC/CEE, so you do not need to do it by yourself.

Please note that for Senior European Championships you should nominate **minimum one candidate from EFC Master List**. If you do not have any referees on the EFC Master List, you can suggest anyone, but be aware that the EFC Referees Commission, **after obtaining your consent, can propose changes in the applications.**

Before you suggest the referees, make sure that they are available, can and want to be designated. Last year we had a large number of referees who refused designations because they did not even know that the federation proposed them for championships, which definitely might extend the entire procedure.

Please find attached special form which have to be completely fulfilled and received by the General Secretariat by September 15.

The EFC/CEE Referees Commission will propose the final list of referees during the nearest meeting and will ask the EFC Executive Committee for the final approval.

Best regards,
Secretary General

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