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Motion of the CC for the INF-FNI Congress from 7 to 9 October 2021

Concerning the treasury and more particularly the ordering and pricing of the licences.

- 1) The CC proposes an increase in the price of licences of 0.57 €/licence, bringing the licence to 1.70 €. On the other hand, the CC proposes to abolish the contribution to the "Travel Fund", which was a 0.03 licence
- 2) The CC also suggest that licences for the current year shall be ordered by the end of February at the latest
- 3) Federations paying their licences before 31st of March of the current year will be given a 2% discount.
- 4) Federations paying their licences between 1st of April and 30th of June will pay the full rate, i.e., 1.70 €/licence.
- 5) Federations paying their licences after 30th of June, will have to pay an increase a 2% increase.
- 6) In order not to disadvantage furthermore the small federations which cannot benefit from the reductions according to the number of licences ordered, the CC also proposes to abolish the price discounts based on ordered quantities.

ARGUMENTS:

- a) The last update of the licence price was made 27 years ago (more than a quarter of a century ago) at the 1994 Congress in Rutar Lido (Austria), thus already long before the introduction of the Euro in 2002. More than a quarter of a century later, it seems to us that an update is necessary.

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- b) Over the last ten years, we have seen also a permanent decline in membership. This drop in income has been partly balanced by a rigorous management of expenditure and by the dissolution of some reserves. Unfortunately, this is no longer sufficient to stabilize the budget, and to avoid bankruptcy in the medium and long term, the CC has no choice but to recommend this increase. The CC also believes that an increase of 0.57 € minus 0.03 € (travel fund) can easily be recharged to each individual member by including this increase in the annual membership fee paid to his club or national federation, or to be added to the price of the licence for individual members buying their licence directly through the national federation.
- c) The increase in the cost of living between August 1994 and October 2020 in the European Community was almost around 50%, which corresponds to the proposal to update the price of stamps.

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