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FILA 2011 EXTRAORDINARY CONGRESS ISTANBUL (TUR)

Hotel Sheraton Istanbul Atakoy
11 September 2011

Minutes

Nations represented at the Congress (Total : 91) :

African Continent (Total : 9)

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| 1. Algeria | 4. Egypt | 7. Sierra Leone |
| 2. Angola | 5. Morocco | 8. South Africa |
| 3. Chad | 6. Senegal | 9. Tunisia |

American Continent (Total : 15)

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| 10. Argentina | 15. Dominican Republic | 20. Mexico |
| 11. Brazil | 16. El Salvador | 21. Nicaragua |
| 12. Canada | 17. Ecuador | 22. Porto Rico |
| 13. Chile | 18. Guatemala | 23. United States |
| 14. Cuba | 19. Honduras | 24. Venezuela |

Asian Continent (Total : 21)

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| 25. China | 32. Jordan | 40. Tadjikistan |
| 26. Chinese Taipei | 33. Kazakhstan | 41. Turkmenistan |
| 27. Democratic People's
Republic of Korea | 34. Kirghizstan | 42. Thailand |
| 28. India | 35. Mongolia | 43. United Arab
Emirates |
| 29. Iran | 36. Philippines | 44. Uzbekistan |
| 30. Iraq | 37. Qatar | 45. Vietnam |
| 31. Japan | 38. Republic of Korea | |
| | 39. Syria | |



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European Continent (Total : 41)

46.	Albania	59.	Finland	73.	Netherlands
47.	Armenia	60.	France	74.	Norway
48.	Austria	61.	Georgia	75.	Poland
49.	Azerbaijan	62.	Germany	76.	Portugal
50.	Belgium	63.	Great-Britain	77.	Romania
51.	Belarus	64.	Greece	78.	Russia
52.	Bosnia and Herzegovina	65.	Hungary	79.	Serbia
53.	Bulgaria	66.	Israel	80.	Slovakia
54.	Czech Republic	67.	Italy	81.	Slovenia
55.	Croatia	68.	Latvia	82.	Spain
56.	Cyprus	69.	Lithuania	83.	Sweden
57.	Denmark	70.	Moldavia	84.	Switzerland
58.	Estonia	71.	Macedonia	85.	Turkey
		72.	Montenegro	86.	Ukraine

Oceania Continent (Total : 5)

87.	American Samoa	89.	Guam	91.	Palau
88.	Australia	90.	Marshall Islands		

Bureau members present (Total : 23) :

92.	Raphaël Martinetti, President	104.	Nenad Lalovic
93.	Michel Dusson, General Secretary	105.	Francisco Lee Lopez
94.	Ahmet Ayik, Vice-President	106.	Mikhail Mamiashvili
95.	Stan Dziedzic, Vice-President	107.	Gustavo Rolle Fernandez
96.	Tomiaki Fukuda, Vice-President	108.	Akhroldjan Ruziev
97.	Matteo Pellicone, Vice-Presiden	109.	John Tarkong
98.	Namig Aliyev	110.	Daulet Turlykhanov
99.	Theodoros Hamakos	111.	Tzeno Tzenov
100.	Csaba Hegedüs	112.	Rodica Yaksi
101.	Mohammed Ibnou Zahir	113.	Natalia Yariguina
102.	Chang Kew Kim	114.	Jinqiang Zhou
103.	Kim Ik-Jong		

TOTAL: 114

The agenda being adopted the FILA President Mr Martinetti welcomes all the delegates and thanks them for attending the Extraordinary Congress.

Before opening the Congress he gives the floor to the President of the Turkish Wrestling Federation, Mr Bekir Ceker, who welcomes all delegates and wishes them an excellent stay. He adds that everything has been set up to offer an exemplary championship.

The FILA President takes the floor to explain the reasons of this Extraordinary Congress. The IOC and ASOIF have required that some additions to the Constitution must be made and they mainly concern the conditions for sports bets. Some other amendments are also necessary and require a vote by the Congress.



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Before going through the review of the Constitution, the FILA President adds that this World Championship is the most important ever organized and gathers 106 affiliated countries and about 900 wrestlers.

Mr Martinetti thanks the President of the Turkish Wrestling Federation Mr Bekir Ceker for the excellent organisation and the exceptional conditions of stay offered to the participants in five star hotels.

The FILA President asks the Congress delegates not to leave the hall at the end of the Congress in order to attend the calendar meeting which is also an important consultation. During this meeting, the FILA wrestling competition manager for the London Olympic Games Mr Daniel Robin will present a review of the preparation and the course of competitions.

1. Approval of the amendments to the FILA Constitution

The Congress decides to review the amendments article by article and to adopt or reject them by a show of hands:

Article 1	adopted	Article 16 d	adopted
Article 3	adopted	Article 16 f	adopted
Article 5.5	adopted	Article 16 g	adopted
Article 8.1	adopted	Article 17	adopted
Article 11	adopted	Article 18	adopted
Article 13	adopted	Article 20	adopted
Article 14 g	adopted	Article 32	adopted
Article 16 a	adopted	Article 39	adopted
Article 16 c	adopted	Article 41	adopted

All modifications are adopted unanimously.

A version of the modified Constitution will be available on the FILA website.

2. Approval of the new regulations for Transfers from club to club for interclub competitions

The delegate from the French Wrestling Federation asks that article 17 be clarified to avoid any confusion. The following wording is accepted by the Congress:

"A foreign wrestler transferred for an interclub championship may compete only, during his/her period of transfer, for the club to which he/she has been transferred for national and international interclub events and shall not compete for his/her club of origin in these same events. However he/she will be allowed to compete with his/her club of origin for other competitions".

No other observation or modification being made, the regulations are adopted unanimously. The corrected regulations will be available on the FILA website.

3. Miscellaneous

3.1 USA Wrestling proposal

The Wrestling Federation of the United States proposes to fix the age limit for the refereeing instructors at 72 years and the age for the referees at 65 years.

The FILA Bureau recommends the rejection of this proposal.



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The majority of the Congress accepts the FILA Bureau recommendation. The USA Wrestling proposal is rejected at the majority.

3.2 New affiliations

FILA has received the affiliation requests from MOZAMBIC and NIUE. They are submitted to the approval of the Congress which unanimously approves.

The number of affiliated Federations is henceforth 172 and the number of associated Federations 3.

As the agenda has been completely reviewed and no one asks to be allowed to speak, the Extraordinary Congress is closed.

Michel Dusson
FILA General Secretary

Raphaël Martinetti
FILA President

Corsier-sur-Vevey, 26 September 2011/md/cr