

After my election as the president of AETF, at the first meeting I have announced that I will analyze the situation and will make a plan of immediate actions to be done within one year.

Almost one month has past since the election and I believe I have complete image of AETF and its functioning. Only thing missing is a preview of situation in each member country of the AETF, but for such view I will need more time than just one month.

I am announcing the following activities of the AETF:

1. Organizational arrangement of AETF according to highest legal and organizational standards, which implicates the following:
  - a) Improved quality of AETF's statute
  - b) Registration of European ITF Federation
  - c) Changing name and symbol of our Federation
  - d) Election of future officers who are willing to operationally work in our Federation
  - e) Each position in EB will have an exact function, so EB will look as it follows:
    1. President of the continental federation
    2. Vice-president in charge for Northwestern Europe
    3. Vice-president in charge for Southwestern Europe
    4. Vice-president in charge for Southeastern Europe
    5. Vice-president in charge for Northeastern Europe
    6. Chairman of Tournament committee
    7. Chairman of Umpire committee
    8. Chairman of Committee in charge for staff education (coaches, competitors, umpires, tournament organizers, club managers etc.) and spreading ITF in Europe
    9. Secretary General
2. Continental Federation will organize or supervise following annual tournaments:
  1. European Championship for juniors and seniors
  2. European Cup for clubs
  3. Individual "A class" tournaments
  4. Seminars, schools, joint summers
  5. Organization and preparations of European Team
  6. Promotional actions for spreading and strengthening ITF in Europe

Special rules will be established for each of the listed activities. These rules will completely regulate rights and obligations of all participators.

These activities cannot be completed only by me or the Executive Board. We need engagement and help from all true ITF members in Europe. Only with joint actions we can accomplish synergic effect and raise European TKD on unseen high level.

Therefore I have decided from now on to address directly not only to members of Executive Board, but to all NGB's in Europe. I want to initiate all ITF's in Europe so your contribution will help our rapid development. Therefore I am inviting you to send me your suggestions, objections and initiatives.

Soon I will send you my concrete suggestions to themes I have listed. Once again I am inviting you to a joint journey towards future.

I would also like to ask you to send me basic information about your national TKD. This means at least the following:

1. Number of clubs
2. Number and structure of active black belts
3. Number and category of tournaments you maintain within your country
4. Do you compete regularly at World Championships and European Championships

Pay attention to AETF website <http://aetf.taekwondo.cz> which will be our official website from hereafter.

Yours in TKD

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