



UNITED WORLD WRESTLING

TO ALL THE NATIONAL FEDERATIONS
TO THE BUREAU MEMBERS

Subject: Registration Process and Accommodation Fee

Dear Mr. President,

The Bureau Members had an important meeting in Nur-Sultan where they took some important decisions that have to be implemented for next year.

First of all, it was decided that the final deadline to replace an athlete or change his/her weight category before a Championship or Ranking Series is fixed at 3 days before the start of the competition. Note that it is before the start of the competition, not before the start of the concerned weight category.

I remind you that the Final Entries (by name) deadline will be maintained one month before the start of the competition. Between one month and 3 days before the start of the competition, a National Wrestling Federation will be able to replace its athlete, change its weight category but not add or delete athletes.

If a change in the weight category modifies the arrival and departure of the athlete, only the organizer can approve such change.

Between 3 days before the competition and the start of the competition, NO more change of the athletes will be allowed even in case of injury.

Based on this decision, the rule which allows a Federation to make changes in their entry list until midday the day before the start of the concerned weight category is no more valid. The first paragraph of the article 11 of the Wrestling Rules will be deleted. As some other small adjustments will be done in the Wrestling Rules, we will send them to you before the end of the year.

We also inform you that no more accommodation fee for extra people will be asked. We will have only one accommodation fee for each delegations' member. A maximum number of people per function was included in the revised "General Regulations for International Competitions and Championships".

You will find attached these updated Regulations. The changes are mentioned in green or red.

We also inform you that we will heavily encourage all the organizers of International Tournaments to manage their event with Athena/Arena. By doing this, we will be able to collect the information (results, athletes...) easier and the profile of each athlete will be more precise.

We already thank all the National Federation who will use Athena/Arena for their competition to specify that in their Regulations. In this way, all the participating Federations will know that they have to register their teams in Athena.

With these changes we really try to facilitate the registration process and optimize the data that we need to collect.

The Sport Department is at your disposal for any question or remark linked to that important topic. The IT Department remains at your disposal if you want to use Athena for your competition or if you face any issue by using it.

Sincerely Yours,

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