



UNITED WORLD WRESTLING

TO ALL NATIONAL WRESTLING FEDERATIONS
TO THE BUREAU MEMBERS

Subject: Wrestling Rules' Adjustments

Dear Mr. President,

At the end of last year, the Technical Commission met to discuss few adjustments that have to be implemented into the Wrestling Rules. It was clear that no big changes were possible as we are in the middle of an Olympic Cycle.

The Technical Commission proposed therefore to the Bureau Members some small updates, clarifications on the International Wrestling Rules. These adjustments were approved by the Bureau Members.

You will find attached the concerned document with the modifications highlighted in green or red.

The main changes are:

- The decision regarding the Challenge Request. In 2023, ALL challenges where the initial decision is changed will be considered as a challenge won. Please refer to the article 31 - the Challenge.
- For the Ranking Series Tournaments, a 2kg tolerance will be accepted.

I thank you therefore in advance to share the updated International Wrestling Rules to your athletes, coaches, officials (...).

Our Sport Department stays at your disposal if you have any question regarding these updates.

Sincerely Yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'N. Lalovic', written over a horizontal line.

Nenad Lalovic
President
United World Wrestling

Corsier-sur-Vevey, 17th of January 2023/Jdr