



**International Tournament
Sofia Cup
for Junior and Senior– Sofia, BUL
4th – 6th April 2019**



DIRECTIVES

ID: 16011

Dear Friends,

The Gymnastics Federation of **Bulgaria** has the pleasure to invite your Federation to participate in the aforementioned International Tournament for Junior and Senior **which is organized in connection to the FIG RG World Cup Sofia 2019.**

DISCIPLINE	Rhythmic Gymnastics
HOST FEDERATION	Bulgarian Gymnastics Federation 75, Vasil Levski blvd. 1040 Sofia, Bulgaria Tel. +359 2 9300 663; Fax: +359 2 980 06 26; BRGF e-mail: bulgym@abv.bg
LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE	Bulgarian Rhythmic Gymnastics Federation 75, Vasil Levski blvd. 1040 Sofia, Bulgaria Tel. +359 2 9300 629; Fax: +359 2 980 16 70; BRGF e-mail: bulrg_fed@abv.bg
LOCATION	Sofia, Bulgaria
DATE	02-07 April 2019
VENUE	Sofia Sports Hall Adress: 1113 Borisova garden, Sofia 
APPARATUS SUPPLIER	SPIETH, RG Competition Floor “Beijing”, Ref. 1790280
RULES AND REGULATIONS	The event will be organized under the following FIG rules, as valid in the year of the event, except for any deviation mentioned in these directives: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Statutes• Technical Regulations• Code of Points and relevant Newsletters• General Judges’ Rules• Specific Judges’ Rules• Doping Control Rules• License rules (except for non competitive events)• Media Rules• Apparatus Norms• FIG Rules for Sanctioning (approval) of International Events• Advertising and Publicity Rules <i>and subsequent decisions of the FIG Executive Committee</i>
FEDERATIONS INVITED	The Organizing Member Federation will invite all FIG member federation in good standing.
AGE LIMITS	Junior: 13-15

	Senior: 16 and older With valid FIG license				
JUDGES AND JURIES	All judges must have a current valid FIG brevet (min. IV) at the time of the event, in the respective disciplines.				
REGISTRATION DEADLINES	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Definitive registration /RGI and RGG/:</td> <td>05 January 2019</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nominative registration /RGI and RGG/:</td> <td>01 March 2019</td> </tr> </table>	Definitive registration /RGI and RGG/:	05 January 2019	Nominative registration /RGI and RGG/:	01 March 2019
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ENTRY FEES	The non-refundable entry fee for this event will be as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 35 EUR per gymnast for individuals - 100 EUR per group 				
ACCREDITATION	The accreditation procedure will take place at the competition hall. Heads of delegation have to bring to the accreditation office: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the passports of all participants • the national anthem • the national flag • 2 CDs with the music • Certification of insurance for all delegation members covering illness, accidents and repatriation • Proof for full payment towards the LOC (copy of the SWIFT to be given to the LOC) 				
EVENT FORMAT	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Junior (FIG and UEG Rules)</u></p> <p><u>Team competition and Qualification for finals</u> Team 2-4 gymnasts – 8 exercises – 2 per each apparatus <u>Each Federation can participate with more than 1 team. However in the final rankings only one team per Federation will be included (the team with the best results).</u></p> <p><u>Individual Apparatus Final</u> Apparatus finals (4 apparatus) – the best 8 gymnasts per apparatus from Competition I (max. 1 gymnast per federation)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Junior (FIG and UEG Rules)</u></p> <p><u>All around</u> - 2 exercises – (5 hoops and 5 ribbons) <u>Group Apparatus Final</u> – the best 8 Groups per exercise</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Senior (FIG Rules)</u></p> <p><u>All around</u> - 2 gymnasts per federation <u>Individual Apparatus Final</u> – the best 8 gymnasts per apparatus (max 2 per federation)</p>				
PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE	2nd April - Arrival day of the delegations 3rd April - Training sessions according schedule 4th April - Competition 5th April - Competition 6th April - Finals and Banquet 7th April - Departure of the delegations <i>*Arrival on 3rd of April is also an option. However the LOC does NOT guarantee possibility for training sessions if the delegation arrives on April 3rd.</i> <i>Please, contact the LOC if you desire your delegation to stay longer for watching the World Cup competition.</i>				
MEDICAL SERVICES	The medical services will be provided by the Bulgarian Sports Medicine Centre. Doctor in charge: Dr. Maria Bobeva.				
VISA	Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the Bulgarian Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Bulgaria. The Organizing Committee will be happy to assist each Delegation member				

	<p>with an official invitation letter, provided that the request is made by 15th February 2019 to the OC. The request must include the function, full name, gender, date of birth, citizenship and passport number, passport expiry date, the arrival and departure dates of the Delegation Member as well as the city of the Bulgarian Consular Department to which the official visa support letter must be sent.</p> <p>Note: Bulgaria applies a visa-free system for holders of valid Schengen visas.</p>
INSURANCE	<p>The Host Federation, the LOC and the FIG will not be held responsible for any liabilities in case of accidents, illness, repatriation and the like.</p> <p>The FIG Technical Regulations foresee that all participating Federations are responsible for making their own arrangements to have the necessary valid insurance coverage against illness, accidents and for repatriation for all the members of their Delegation.</p> <p>The LOC will verify the insurance upon arrival of the delegation members (e.g. cover note or photocopy of the valid policy). Delegation members with insufficient insurance cover must inform the LOC in advance.</p> <p>The LOC will subsequently offer insurance at the Federations own charge as follows: 20 euro per person.</p>
INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION	<p>The invited participating federations must pay for the travel costs of their delegation members.</p> <p>The Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the LOC by 15th March 2019.</p>
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	<p>The LOC will arrange the local transportation (i.e. from/to the airport, railway station and/or bus station as well as from/to the hotel and the Venue).</p>
ACCOMMODATION	<p>The invited participating federations must pay for the accommodation expenses of their delegation members. The costs for additional persons and/or days are the same.</p> <p>The costs per person and per night (including the local transportation) are as follows:</p> <p>Hotel 1 4****</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BB (bed and breakfast) <p>80 EUR per person in single room 60 EUR per person in double room</p> <p>Hotel 2 4****</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BB (bed and breakfast) <p>80 EUR per person in single room 60 EUR per person in double room</p> <p>Hotel 3 3***</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BB (bed and breakfast) <p>55 EUR per person in single room 35 EUR per person in double room</p> <p>The prices charged for the hotel rooms will not exceed the usual hotel rates.</p> <p>Meals</p> <p>Lunch – 20 euro Dinner – 20 euro</p> <p>The Accommodation Form must be returned to the LOC by 1st February</p>

	<p>2019 at the very latest.</p> <p>The Meals Form must be returned to the LOC by 1st February 2019 at the very latest.</p> <p>100% of the Accommodation costs and Meals must be paid to the LOC at the time of the Nominative entry – 1st March 2019.</p> <p>In case of cancellation, costs will be refunded as follows: 1st March –15th March 2019: 50% of the total amount after 15th March 2019: no refund</p> <p>Only written cancellations sent by e-mail or fax will be accepted.</p>																
BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION	<p>Beneficiary name (Account's name): Bulgarian Rhythmic Gymnastics Federation</p> <p>Beneficiary address: 75, "Vassil Levski" blvd., 1040 Sofia, Bulgaria</p> <p>Bank name: DSK BANK</p> <p>Bank address: "Shipchenski prohod" blvd, bl. 240</p> <p>Branch name: Geo Milev (if necessary)</p> <p>Branch No: 2118 (if necessary)</p> <p>IBAN: BG37 STSA 9300 0000 2248 52</p> <p>BIC: STSABGSF</p> <p>The participating federation is responsible for covering all bank fees in connection with the bank transfers.</p>																
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Place and date	Seal of the NF	NF authorised signature
<p>October 31st 2018 Sofia, BUL</p>		 <p>Krasimir Dunev /BGF President/</p>