

## European Fencing Confederation Technical Director

Dear member federations,

Accordingly to Qualification criteria and defined rules for remaining places in Baku 2015 you can find attached list of qualified teams and individuals by cut off day  $-30^{\text{th}}$  of November 2014. Applied rules were already published and their application resulted in qualification of

- 6 teams in each weapon, where host country declared its participation in epee and sabre but not in foil
- 24 individuals in each weapon coming from those teams, which will have to be nominative in coming weeks accordingly to rules imposed by BEGOC (Baku European Games Organising Committee)
- 8 individuals in each weapon issued from AOR\* FIE ranking by mentioned cut off day where only fencers from other countries as those having qualified teams were considered and only one by country

AOR \* The Adjusted Official Ranking is the FIE Official Ranking modified as follows: The names of all the fencers, by country and by weapon, who have qualified through team, are removed. For the other countries only highest ranked fencer by country and by weapon is kept.

Next steps to be done are:

- National federations should express their acceptance of qualified teams and/or fencers by 10 of December 2014
- All other interested federations not having qualified any fencer in given weapon can enter their athletes at EFC web site by 13 of December 2014
- All participants of Qualification tournament in Budapest on 20 21 December 2014 must be in possession of EFC license 2014-2015
- As described in Qualification rules the competitions in Budapest will stop by quarterfinal where 4 fencers winners of quarterfinal from each weapon will be qualified for Baku 2015.
- In case of withdraw of qualified fencer his/her places will be proposed to fencer ranked on  $5^{\text{th}}$ ,  $6^{\text{th}}$  etc place in given weapon in Budapest.

Sincerely yours

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