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## PRECISIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SEASON 2017/2018 EDITION Southern Hemisphere

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- National Ski Associations \*

\* Will be sent to the National Ski Associations for the attention of the team captains and trainers. The reproduction of further copies is the duty of the National Associations.

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### Precisions approved by the FIS Council in Portoroz (SLO), June 2017.

#### The Alpine Committee

##### Executive Board

##### Rules for the FIS World Ski Championships 2019 in Are (SWE)

##### Reservation and payment for accommodation

##### 17.5.5 Reservation and Payment of Accommodation

Each National Ski Association has the right to accommodation arranged by the LOC at the conditions contained in these Rules. National Ski Associations are required to comply with the reservations and payment conditions in the information published by the LOC and communicated at the same time as the Announcement for Entries by 1<sup>st</sup> July of the year preceding the championships.

The instructions for accommodation reservation and payment terms defined by the LOC will permit changes to be made to the reservation until 3 months before the Championships (art. 13.2 Preliminary team entry).

At the deadline of 21 days before beginning of respective FIS World Championships (13.3.1 Provisional team selection), a National Ski Association may change its' accommodation reservation by a maximum of 20% of the total nights without payment of a penalty. In case of force majeure (injury or other serious reason) after this deadline and not having the possibility to replace this athlete, a room cancellation may still be accepted. (Requests for additional accommodation are subject to availability).

The LOC's terms for payment of accommodation will apply to athletes not qualified for free accommodation, additional periods for qualified athletes, as well as for team officials.

If this information is not communicated by the National Ski Association to the LOC by the published deadlines before the Championships, the LOC has the right to invoice the costs incurred for cancelled accommodation to the National Ski Association concerned.

Teams or persons who register late and do not observe the published deadlines have no right to the reservation or the payment of accommodation expenses, and will be subject to payment of cancelled accommodation.

##### Qualification race for technical events

Qualification races will take place for ladies and men's giant slalom and slalom.

Modus:

- a. Best-First 50 competitors qualified:

The first best 50 competitors present on the board for the respective competition in the technical events, will qualify directly to the final race. The enrolment for the qualification race is done according to World Cup rules. SL points followed by FIS points. For the Final race replacement of injured or ill competitors verified by the Medical Supervisor of the first top 50 present competitors may only be made by competitors with at least the same or better WCSL / FIS points than the 50<sup>th</sup> competitor on the board. Only the WCSL / FIS points of the originally entered 50<sup>th</sup> competitor count. There is no moving up.

b. Top-First 25 qualifiers:

All other competitors not included in the group of the first 50 present competitors must will compete in a qualification race for the respective event from which the best 25 will best ranked will qualify to the final race. There is in any case no replacement of the firsttop 25 qualifiers for the Final race or- moving up.

c. Next 25 qualifiers:

Thereafter the first -best 25 ranked-25 nations on the board represented by third best by a competitors with his/her valid FIS points in the event concerned, whiche are not already represented by the 75-already (50+25) qualified competitors (as described above Modus a. and b.), may each enter one competitor. The competitor may only be entered if he/she started in the qualification race. Competitors from these 25 nations can only be replaced by other competitors from the same nation that participated in the qualification race. If more than one competitor from those nations participated in the qualification race, the team captain has the right to choose one competitor to participate at the final race and confirm this by signature.

All competitors participating in the qualification race will be included on the official results list of the respective race of the FIS Alpine World Ski Championships, which includes both the qualification and final races. The regulations concerning Specifications for Competition Equipment are also applicable for the qualification races.

Final race:

Based on the qualification modus above, Aa maximum of 100 competitors are - allowed to participate at the 1st run.

Limitation fFor the 2nd run of the final race:

Only tThe first 60 competitors from the 1st run are qualified to participate.

## **Sub-Committee for Classification**

### National Championships

1.3 Competitions for U21

At FIS Calendar competitions for U21 (NJR or JUN) or NJC (U18), seniors are not allowed to participate. Exception: National Junior Championships (NJC).

1.4 National Championships

For each National Ski Association's national championships, only one competition race per sex-gender in each event is allowed for ladies and men using the relevant category adder for NC and NJC.

All National Ski Associations are allowed to organise one competition per gender and event for U18 where only U18 competitors can start.

### Competitors not active

- 7.1.5 Competitors who are not active without any results  
A competitor without any results (respectively in each event) during the previous season (signed with ">" in the FIS Points List) will not be included in the respective event quota calculations; he still has the right to start according to his FIS points. This rule is not valid for athletes with active injured status (signed with "#" in the FIS Points List).

#### Country Groups

##### 7.1.7 Country Groups

- - For the following countries: ARM-BIH-BUL-CRO-CZE-GRE-HUN-KAZ-MNE-SRB-MKD-POL-RUS-SLO-SVK-TUR-IRA-UZB-UKR the quota is 30 in events organised in one of the bordering countries.  
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#### Evaluation period

##### 3.1 Northern Hemisphere

The evaluation period starts the second weekend of November and ends 30th April. Exception: World Cup and European Cup. ~~For races at Entry League (ENL) level the evaluation period starts from the 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend of October. In the time between the World Cup Opening and the start of the evaluation period, only races at Entry League (ENL) level may be valid for FIS points.~~

### **Sub-Committee for the Alpine Rules**

#### International Competition Rules (ICR)

#### Competition Suits

- 606.2.1 For Downhill, Giant Slalom and Super-G competitions at the Olympic Winter Games, FIS World Ski Championships, FIS World Cup, FIS Continental Cups and FIS World Junior Ski Championships competition suits must conform to the Specifications for Competition Equipment. ~~(see art. B 5.f)~~
- 606.2.3 In this case or when a doubt exists concerning subsequent modification of a racing suit or if there is a protest, and if there is no official FIS Equipment Controller appointed, the following procedure must be followed: Following recognition of one of the above circumstances the racing suit is immediately marked. At the end of the race the TD must confiscate this competition suit and send it to the FIS for control.
- 606.2.4 Officials FIS Equipment Controller present at ~~the~~ competitions and appointed for suit controls by the Committee for Competition Equipment has the right to make re-examinations on site.

#### Right to appeal

##### 647 Right of Appeals

- 647.1.2 Appeals must be submitted to the FIS Office only by the National Ski Association.

#### Practical Examination

- 602.1.5.2 The applicant must be nominated by his respective NSA.  
*First Year*

- The applicant must attend the annual TD update course held by the NSA (June-July Southern Hemisphere, October-November Northern Hemisphere).
- Attend two FIS races held in his country in order to gain experience under the supervision of the TD Commissioner or his appointed representative.
- Complete official reports for these assignments and send them to his TD Commissioner, with copies to the FIS (in an official language).
- At the end of the season the NSA applies to the FIS for official acceptance of the applicant, copy to the TD Commissioner.

#### *Second Year*

- The applicant must attend the annual national TD update.
- Must pass the written and oral entrance examination conducted in an official FIS language.

#### *As a Candidate*

Is assigned under the supervision of a TD Examiner (from another country) to a:

- Practical examination (Downhill event acting as the Assistant Referee)
- Practical examination (Giant Slalom or Slalom and acting as the TD)
- [If an event consists of more than one competition the examination starts with the arrival according to 602.4.3 and has to be executed on the first competition day.](#)
- Complete official reports for these assignments and send them to his TD Commissioner, with copies to the FIS (in an official language)
- The FIS Office will verify all the information from the different reports from the candidate and examiners and provide such details as necessary to the Sub-Committee for TDs.
- The Sub-Committee may decide not to issue a TD licence if the candidate has not completed all requirements or is deemed to be unsuitable. In this event the Sub-Committee may decide as to whether the candidate may continue to train as a FIS TD and which parts of the procedure have to be repeated.
- If the candidate is considered to be suitable he will become an official FIS Alpine Technical Delegate after the next TD update course.

## **Sub-Committee for the Alpine World Cup**

### Rules

#### Course setting

##### 2.3

#### Parallel

[The FIS Race Director sets the parallel courses. The control and approval is carried out by the Jury](#)

#### Basic quota in AC Ladies

##### 3.2

#### Basic quota

Each National Ski Association affiliated with FIS may enter one (1) competitor (exception for Alpine Combined [and parallel events](#)) in FIS World Cup races taking into consideration the following conditions:

#### Slalom / Giant Slalom:

##### Minimum requirements:

Maximum 120 FIS points in one of the five events (SL, GS, SG, DH, AC) on the valid FIS points list.

#### Downhill / Super-G:

##### Minimum requirements:

Maximum 80 FIS points in the respective event according to the valid FIS points list (valid also for 500 points competitors and those qualified from Continental Cups).

#### Alpine Combined (AC)

Minimum requirements:

For Alpine Combined with DH a maximum of 80 FIS points in DH is required and for Alpine Combined with SG a maximum of 80 FIS points in an AC, SG or DH is required.

Only for Ladies events: National Ski Association, whose quota is six (6) or less competitors, (Basic quota one (1) + national quota five (5)) may participate in each Alpine Combined with a maximum of six (6) competitors. These competitors must only fulfill the minimum requirements.

#### Entries online without athletes

3.9

Registration and entries

National Teams must use the FIS online registration system for entries and FIS season accreditation requests. The Organisers are only allowed to accept entries submitted within the communicated deadlines and through the FIS online entry system. Team entries without participating athletes will not be considered.

#### Alpine team event: accommodation regulation

4.1.2

Duration

All expenses for accommodation and food incl. non-alcoholic beverages must be paid according to the precisions below, from at least the night before the first official training day / official free skiing, until the morning after the last competition at which the competitor participated. This is also valid if the races do not take place on consecutive days.

Under no circumstances are the Organiser or the hotel manager allowed to demand the vacating of the rooms by the teams on the day of the competition.

#### *Precision:*

For participation at an event with:

one downhill or

Alpine Combined with DH = 4 days, 5 nights\*

one downhill + SG, or + GS

or SL, or + a second Downhill

or + Alpine Combined with DH = 5 days, 6 nights\*

one technical event or SG

or Alpine Combined with SG = 2 days, 3 nights

two technical events or

one technical event + SG

or + Alpine Combined with SG = 3 days, 4 nights

three competitions incl. at

least one DH

= 6 days, 7 nights\*

three competitions without DH

= 4 days, 5 nights

Alpine team event = 1 day, 2 nights

\*If less than 3 DH training days are scheduled the duration can be reduced.

#### Arrival/Departure

The Organiser only has to pay for the accommodation and full board according to the World Cup rules.

Only if an earlier arrival date is requested by the team leader announced according to art. 4.5, ~~the team leader~~ he may find-make an agreement with the Organiser

~~regarding about~~ the duration. In any case the above mentioned precisions cannot be extended.

Additional costs due to an early arrival or a late departure have to be paid by the teams.

In case of late arrival or early departure there is no right of compensation ~~of expenses~~.

In necessary cases, the Chief Race Directors can decide special agreements.

Upon request of a Team Captain the Organiser (or Hotel) must hand over a corresponding confirmation after regular settlement is made. The confirmation is valid for the group of persons registered through the FIS online system mentioned on the official World Cup entry form.

#### Quotas for officials- additional officials / service personnel

4.2 Officials

4.2.1 Quota

~~For officials (representatives of a National Ski Association, trainers, physiotherapist, doctors, technicians)~~ of teams with a national quota respectively competitors with 500 WCSL points (or more), the costs for accommodation, full board incl. non alcoholic beverages must be paid as follows (taking into consideration art. 4.1.1, 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph):

for a	team	up to	3	competitors	who started	<u>43</u>	officials
"	"	"	of 4	"	"	<u>54</u>	"
"	"	"	"	5	"	5	"
"	"	"	"	6	"	6	"
"	"	"	"	7	"	7	"
"	"	"	"	8	"	10 and more	"

*Precision:*

In case of an event with one or more Downhills resp. SG, AC or an event with one or more technical events, costs must be paid for the higher event quota (max. 10 persons) from the official day of arrival until the day of departure after the last race.

In case of an event with DH, SG or AC in connection with GS or SL, costs must be paid for the higher event quota + 50% (rounded up / max. 15 persons) from the official day of arrival until the day of departure after the last race.

4.2.2 Duration for payment of expenses

The duration for the payment of expenses as well as the regulation of arrival / departure must correspond to the regulation for competitors as mentioned in art. 4.1.2.

During this period allocation of single rooms per team must be made according to the following table:

1 to 3 officials	=	1 single room
4 to 6 officials	=	3 single rooms
7 officials or more	=	5 single rooms

#### ~~4.3~~ Additional officials

~~For five (5) additional officials of a National Ski Association, the maximum price that can be charged for accommodation with full board incl. non-alcoholic beverages must not exceed CHF 120.-- per day (or the equivalent) if they are listed on the official entry form for World Cup by the corresponding Team Captain and the accommodation is arranged by the Organising Committee (team accommodation).~~

4.34 Additional officials / Service Personnel

The total number of additional officials and / or service personnel per country registered through the FIS online entry system on the official entry form for World

Cup is limited for each event and depends on the total number of different athletes who started in training and competitions:

up to 3	different competitors	<u>73</u>	<u>servicemenpersons</u>
4 - 6	" "	<u>106</u>	"
7 - 8	" "	<u>128</u>	"
9 - 10	" "	<u>130</u>	"
11 - 15	" "	<u>158</u>	"
more than 15	" "	<u>230</u>	"

For ~~these~~ additional officials / service personnel accredited by FIS, the maximum price that can be charged for accommodation with full board incl. non-alcoholic beverages must not exceed CHF 120.-- per day (or the equivalent) if these persons are registered through the FIS online system listed on the official entry form for World Cup by the corresponding Team Captain and the accommodation is arranged by the Organising Committee (team accommodation).

This limited group of persons who are registered online ~~the entry form~~ under art. 4.4, in principle have the access right to the start area and eventual catering tent / team hospitality for athletes.

In case of a justifiable suspicion of abuse, the OC has the right to ask the Team Captains to present the relevant FIS season accreditations.

#### Precisions for guests

- 4.5.1 Guests  
The National Ski Association NSA may enter guests and additional accompanying persons of the team through the online entry system.  
The guests and additional accompanying persons of the teams are not basically having the right of accommodation at the Team's lodging.  
The Organiser may offer special packages (accommodation, transportation, etc.) through their guest hosting program. National Ski Associations must request and agree to the terms from the Organising Committee minimum 7 days prior to the official arrival day.

#### Maximum price for special guests

- 4.5.2 Maximum price at the World Cup Finals  
For stakeholders (not directly related to a national team) and/or special guests of the FIS Alpine World Cup, that are officially entered according to the announced entry deadlines, and whose accommodation has been reserved through the LOC, the maximum price for accommodation with half board shall in any case not exceed the maximum price of CHF 250.-

#### Ski rooms facilities

- 4.6.1 Ski rooms:  
The Organising Committee must make available heated working facilities (facilities in the hotels, containers, separate facilities in larger infrastructures) to prepare and store skis and other ski equipment. These facilities shall have a surface of minimum 15 m2 (reference surface for two workstations) with height of 2.40m. They shall be equipped with sufficient power and electricity sockets and be adequately ventilated. They shall be lockable. Such facilities can be requested only for team and SRS service personnel specified as servicemen (servicemen code) on the online entry ~~form~~ (4.34) or on the FIS approved SRS list. These facilities must be available from the official arrival date.

#### Starting order for DH Training

- 9.3 Starting order for DH, DH Training, SG and Alpine Combined (if 1<sup>st</sup> run = DH or SG)

The best ten (10) competitors present ~~competitors~~ (quota adjusted) of the corresponding event WCSL choose their bibs between 1 and 19 odd numbered bibs only. The available even numbered bibs between 2 and 20 will be drawn between the next 10 competitors on the board (11 to 20). Bibs between 21 and 30 will be drawn between the next 10 competitors on the board (21 to 30). Thereafter the enrolment is made according to art. 9.1.2.

In case of a tie in the corresponding event (10. and 20. Position of the enrolment), the tie is overridden (broken) in this manner:

- according to FIS points in the given event, and if there is still a tie, a draw will be done.

Exception for the World Cup Final: All competitors without World Cup points in the event concerned will not be included in the draw and therefore start according to their enrolment.

### 9.3.1 Starting order for DH Training

The best ten (10) competitors present of the corresponding event WCSL will be drawn between 1 and 19 odd numbered bibs only.

### Replacement of competitors

#### 3.1.1 Replacement of competitors

Qualified competitors from within the national quota can be replaced by competitors ranked within the first 60 of the WCSL or within the first ~~120~~100 of the valid FIS points list, each in the respective event, or by competitors who have at least 500 WCSL overall points (if the conditions according to art. 3.2 are fulfilled).

### Rules for Parallel events (including qualification for Slalom/Giant slalom)

1. Type of Event
  - The parallel race will be conducted as a Slalom or Giant Slalom event
  - Qualification run
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2. Eligibility
  - For the qualification run, World Cup art. 3.2, 3.3, 3.3.1, 3.4, and 3.4.1 are valid.
  - For the parallel race the first 32 racers from the qualification run are qualified. (No moving up)
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3. Entry deadlines
  - According to World Cup rules
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4. Qualification run
  - Proposal is "American" Slalom, (Slalom with GS gates)
  - In case of a tie for the 32<sup>nd</sup> position, the higher bib from the qualification runs is the qualified competitor.
  - ICR and World Cup rules for Slalom are valid
  - No FIS points, WCSL-, and World Cup points are given for the qualification run
  - Overall and World Cup points of the event concerned, and Nation cup points, are awarded (see article "World Cup points").
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5. Parallel race
  - First 32 racers from the qualification run are qualified (No moving up)
  - Enrollment according to WCSL SL and thereafter SL FIS points
  - Bracket (Start list) according to ICR.
  - 16<sup>th</sup> Final: Each heat between two competitors consists of two runs. The two competitors change courses for the second run.

- In all following rounds after 16<sup>th</sup> final consists of one run per heat. The lowest bib at start will choose his course, red or blue on request from the start referee.
  - All losers from the quarter-final will race for their final ranking (see brackets)
  - The maximum time difference for the re-run and/or penalty time is: 0.5 second
  - ICR. Art. 1220, Parallel events is valid
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6. Precisions
- Course setting (distance between the gates) ICR is valid
7. World Cup points
- No FIS points or WCSL points will be distributed
  - World Cup points (same for ladies and men) will be distributed as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup>	100	17 <sup>th</sup>	14
2 <sup>nd</sup>	80	18 <sup>th</sup>	13
3 <sup>rd</sup>	60	19 <sup>th</sup>	12
4 <sup>th</sup>	50	20 <sup>th</sup>	11
5 <sup>th</sup>	45	21 <sup>th</sup>	10
6 <sup>th</sup>	40	22 <sup>th</sup>	9
7 <sup>th</sup>	36	23 <sup>th</sup>	8
8 <sup>th</sup>	32	24 <sup>th</sup>	7
9 <sup>th</sup>	29	25 <sup>th</sup>	6
10 <sup>th</sup>	26	26 <sup>th</sup>	5
11 <sup>th</sup>	24	27 <sup>th</sup>	4
12 <sup>th</sup>	22	28 <sup>th</sup>	3
13 <sup>th</sup>	20	29 <sup>th</sup>	2
14 <sup>th</sup>	18	30 <sup>th</sup>	1
15 <sup>th</sup>	16	31 <sup>st</sup>	1
16 <sup>th</sup>	15	32 <sup>nd</sup>	1

### **Sub-Committee for Continental Cup**

#### Entry fees and lift tickets FEC-SAC (new) 2.4.3 Entry Fees and Lift charges

For all competitors, and team officials; except for those who are qualified according to art. 2.2.2 of the Continental Cups Rules, Section A (ranked in the top 350 on the valid FIS Points List in the event concerned) and according to the respective Continental Cup Quotas, entry fees and lift tickets might be charged.

### **Sub-Committee for Youth and Children's Question**

#### Starting order for U16 and U14 events (new) 608.6.7

Specifics starting order approved by the Youth and Children's Sub-Committee can be used and sent with the invitation by each Organising Committee.

## Special Quotas Southern Hemisphere

Date	Place	Org. Nation	Codex	Discipline	Category	Special Quota			
All	Chile	CHI	5061 - 5085 0065 - 0089 5105 / 0109	All	FIS, SAC	<b>FRA</b>	<b>M: 30</b>	<b>L: 30</b>	
						<b>USA</b>	<b>M: 20</b>	<b>L: 20</b>	
All	Argentina	ARG	5055 - 5060 0059 - 0064 5197 / 5198 0199 - 0200	All	FIS, SAC	<b>FRA</b>	<b>M: 30</b>	<b>L: 30</b>	
All	South Africa	RSA	5187 - 5196 0189 - 0198	All	FIS	<b>BEL</b>	<b>M: 12</b>		
All	New Zealand	NZL	5086 - 5094 0090 - 0098 5206 / 0219 5095 - 5099 5101 / 0105 0099 - 0103	All	FIS, NC	<b>USA</b>	<b>M: 40</b>	<b>L: 40</b>	
					ANC	<b>USA</b>	<b>M: 20</b>	<b>L: 20</b>	
28.-31.08.2017	Coronet Peak	NZL	5095 - 5098 0099 - 0102	GS, SL	ANC	<b>GBR</b>	<b>M: SL: 6 GS: 4 SG: 4</b>	<b>L: SL: 8 GS: 3 SG: 4</b>	
21.-25.08.2017	Thredbo	AUS	0114 / 0115 0116 / 0117 5110 / 5111 5112 / 5113	GS, SL	ANC	<b>USA</b>	<b>M: 20</b>	<b>L: 20</b>	
07.-11.08.2017	Mt. Hotham	AUS	0110 / 0111 0112 / 0113 5106 / 5107 5108 / 5109	GS, SL	NC, NJC	<b>USA</b>	<b>M: 20</b>	<b>L: 20</b>	
03.-04.08.2017	Mount Buller	AUS	5207 / 5208 0220 / 0221	SL	FIS	<b>USA</b>	<b>M: 20</b>	<b>L: 20</b>	
17.-18.08.2017	Treble Cone	NZL	5093 / 5094 0097 / 0098	SL	FIS	<b>SWE</b>	<b>M: 20</b>		
05.-06.09.2017	Mt Hutt	NZL	5099 - 5102 0103 - 0106	SG	ANC,NC,NJC	<b>GBR</b>	<b>M: SL: 6 GS: 4 SG: 4</b>	<b>L: SL: 8 GS: 3 SG: 4</b>	

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