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18.02.2012 GIANT SLALOM

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25.02.2012 DOWNHILL

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Ladies and Gentlemen,

Dear Ski Fans,

It is a pleasure and a privilege for me, once again, to be associated with the organisation of the AUDI FIS Men's Alpine Ski WORLD CUP Bansko 2012 and AUDI FIS Ladies' Alpine Ski WORLD CUP Bansko 2012 and thus - to welcome the best alpine skiers of the world in Bansko, Bulgaria.

Thanks to the International Ski Federation who has trusted Bulgaria over the last 3 years to host the Audi Alpine Ski World Cup races, we have proven that we are now a growing authority in the world of alpine skiing and that we have been constantly raising the standard of our winter resorts.

The privilege of being given the rights by the FIS to organise consecutively these World Cup races here in Bansko, sanctions the Bulgarian Ski Federation's seriousness in hosting world class ski events.

To be given the privilege of hosting these prestigious competitions since 2009 here in Bulgaria, confirms the trust placed in us by the alpine ski community for our tremendous effort to promote the sport not only here at home but all over the world.

As the competition gets under way and the skiers will astonish us with their prowess, there will be an opportunity to network, and exchange ideas among an international ski community of experts.

I'm confident that the superb conditions on our racing courses named after the great champions Alberto Tomba and Marc Girardelli will be acknowledged by the international ski community. I also hope that the warm Bulgarian hospitality and the unique spirit of Bansko will touch our worldwide audience.

Good luck to all.

Boyko Borisov
Prime Minister of the Republic of Bulgaria
Honorary Chairman OC



Dear athletes and trainers,

Dear guests and friends of skiing,

Once again the world will turn to Bulgaria as Bansko is welcoming AUDI FIS Men's Alpine Ski WORLD CUP Bansko 2012 and AUDI FIS Ladies' Alpine Ski WORLD CUP Bansko 2012.

I'm convinced that the magic of the white sport will fascinate all of us who will live with the challenge of the race and witness the events which will hold our breath.

That biggest and the most authoritative winter sport forum will give the unique opportunity to join the efforts of all responsible authorities, organizations and institutions, of the public and the government, of the athletes and all who help them give the best.

Accepting to host the two events of the Men and Ladies' World Cup, Bulgaria once again makes a step ahead at the world ski scene. We will witness the most attractive disciplines of alpine skiing, which will be a real challenge in front of us as organizers and hosts.

I want to express my gratitude to all those who did their best and made all efforts in their work for the popularizations of our sport and our ski resorts.

I wish success to all athletes and their teams!

Let Bulgaria be the place where your dreams of reaching the top come true! I wish you successful races and unforgettable moments in Bansko.

Good Luck!

Svilen Neykov
Minister of Physical Education and Sport
Chairman OC



Dear Ski Friends,

On behalf of the Bulgarian Ski Federation, I am pleased to welcome all of you here in our country for the Ladies and Men's 2012 FIS Alpine Ski World Cup Bansko events. We are very proud to have you here in the heart of the Balkans, at the foot of the magnificent Pirin mountains, and we aim to combine this skiing festival with an exciting experience and true friendship in new united Europe.

We are sure that these prestigious skiing competitions will make you leave a piece of your heart in the Bansko area. We also strongly believe that all our visitors, especially our future winners, will keep great memories of the warm hospitality offered by the community of Bansko and the unforgettable beauty of the Pirin mountains. On the other hand, our spectators will remember the fairplay and the sportsmanship demonstrated by all the athletes while fighting hard to achieve their potential. It's definitely our main goal to create a unique atmosphere during our World Cup week that will make it really special for everybody!

The members of the National Ski Federation and the Organizing Committee have been working hard in past years to overcome difficult challenges and produce excellent competitions when organizing FIS, European Cup or World Cup races in the attempt to consolidate Bulgaria's place on the map of major international skiing and sports event. So we hope you'll enjoy the coming World Cup stage here.

I would like to thank you again for coming here and wish all participants "Good Luck!"

Yours truly,

Tzeko Minev

President, Bulgarian Ski Federation
Chairman OC



Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

Allow me to compare downhill skiing to writing with light. This is my heartfelt wish – that each of you may experience his or her light story in the town below Todorka. May some of you carve their biggest or first success in this fantastic winter sport! May others have an unforgettable experience in contact with the charming nature of Pirin! And for the rest have a memorable time in the special coziness, traditional and comfort of Bansko.

All of us – organizers and hosts- have devoted our best efforts to make this event happen. I do hope that you will feel also the extraordinary hospitality of the native people in my town, who will once more open their homes and hearts to you.

Welcome to Bansko, a town which will always look forward to welcoming you, and would be honored to have the privilege of being a co-author in your unique ski story engraved with light on the ridge of Pirin.

Georgi Ikonov

Mayor of The Municipality of Bansko

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Chief of race

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Member

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Finish Referee

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TEAMS' PROGRAMME MEN

THURSDAY, 16th February 2012 - Official arriving day

FRIDAY, 17th February 2012 – Training day

09:00h – 13:00h Training on the GS and SL training courses, provided by the OC

40 – 45 min free skiing on the race course (TO BE CONFIRMED)

18:00h – Teams' captains meeting – hotel Strazhite

18:30h – Public opening ceremony – Main square Bansko Town

SATURDAY, 18th February 2012 – GIANT SLALOM

10:00h – Start Giant Slalom 1st run

13:00h – Start Giant Slalom 2nd run

On-site flower ceremony after the end of the 2nd run – 1st – 3rd place

Official press conference with the winners in the press centre at the finish area

17:00h – Teams' captains meeting – hotel Strazhite

18:00 – Awards ceremony Giant Slalom – Main square Bansko Town – 1st – 6th place

18:15 – Public draw for Slalom – Main square Bansko Town – 1st – 15th

21:30 – Bansko race party – Heppy End Après-ski Bar

SUNDAY, 19th February 2012 – SLALOM

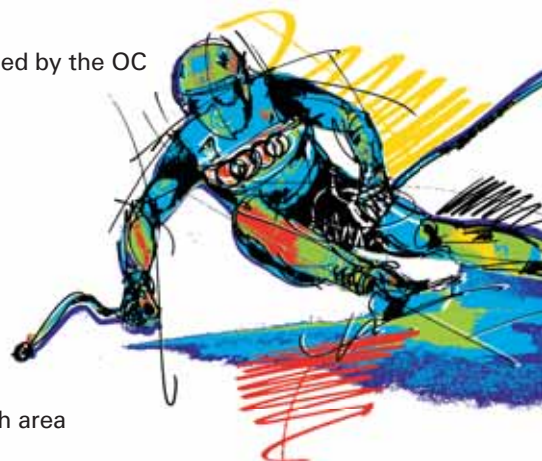
10:00 – Start Slalom – 1st run

13:00 – Start Slalom – 2nd run

15min after the race – Awards ceremony at the finish area – 1st – 3rd place

Official press conference with the winners in the press centre at the finish area

Departure of the teams



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TODORKA PEAK 2746 m

GS M

Course name: „Alberto Tomba“

Vertical Drop 445 m

Start 2055 m

Finish 1610 m

SL M

Course name: „Alberto Tomba“

Vertical Drop 218 m

Start 1828 m

Finish 1610 m

TRAINING COURSE

TRAINING COURSE

START GS

START SL

FINAL

TEAMS' PROGRAMME LADIES

TUESDAY, 21st February 2012 - Official arriving day

WEDNESDAY, 22nd February 2012 – Training day

09:00h – 13:00h Training on the GS and SG training courses, provided by the OC
18:00h – Teams' captains meeting – hotel Strazhite

THURSDAY, 23rd February 2012 – First official DH training

11:00h – Start 1st official DH training
17:30h – Teams' captains meeting – hotel Strazhite

FRIDAY, 24th February 2012 – Second official DH training

11:00h – Start 2nd official DH training
17:30h – Teams' captains meeting – hotel Strazhite
18:00h – Public opening ceremony – Main square Bansko Town

SATURDAY, 25th February 2012 – DOWNHILL

11:00h – Start DOWNHILL

On-site flower ceremony after the end of the 2nd run – 1st – 3rd place
Official press conference with the winners in the press centre at the finish area

17:00h – Teams' captains meeting – hotel Strazhite

18:00 – Awards ceremony Downhill – Main square Bansko Town – 1st – 6th place
18:15 – Public draw for Super Giant Slalom – Main square Bansko Town – 1st – 15th
21:30 – Bansko race party – Heppy End Apr s-ski Bar

SUNDAY, 26th February 2012 – SUPER GIANT SLALOM

12:00 – Start SUPER GIANT SLALOM

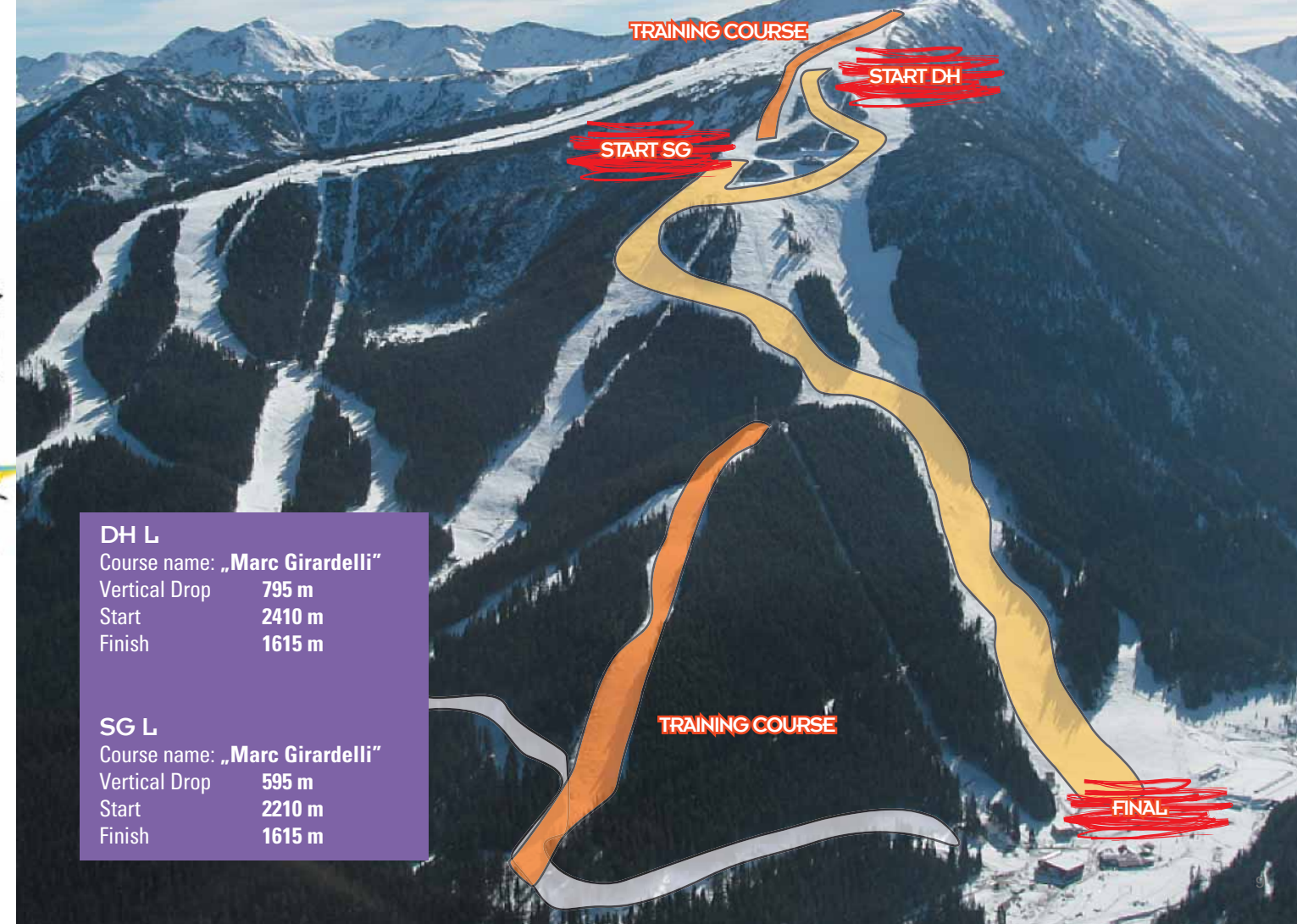
15min after the race – Awards ceremony at the finish area – 1st – 3rd place
Official press conference with the winners in the press centre at the finish area
Departure of the teams



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TODORKA PEAK 2746 m



DH L

Course name: „Marc Girardelli“
Vertical Drop 795 m
Start 2410 m
Finish 1615 m

SG L

Course name: „Marc Girardelli“
Vertical Drop 595 m
Start 2210 m
Finish 1615 m

COMPETITION

EVENTS:

Men: GIANT SLALOM and SLALOM

Ladies: DOWNHILL and SUPER GIANT SLALOM

RULES:

The rules of the FIS World Cup and the ICR of FIS shall apply. Racers from all NSA affiliated to FIS are eligible to compete. The number of competitors per nation is determined according to the Rules of Audi FIS Alpine Ski World Cup 2011/2012 and FIS World Cup Quotas. Every competitor must own a national licence and must have signed the FIS athletes declaration (art. 203 ICR).

Entry to the race course is allowed only to the persons with the FIS season course accreditation and course accreditation issued by FIS Chief Race Director at the Team captains' meeting.

The access to the certain restricted zones of Competition area will be in accordance with official accreditations issued by the Organizer.

ENTRIES:

Preliminary entries stating the number of team members (competitors, coaches, physiotherapists, doctors, service personnel and other officials) should be sent by:

Men - January 14th, 2012 at the latest

Ladies – January 19th, 2012 at the latest

Final entries with the definitive list of names, as well as the arrival and departure dates must be sent on the official FIS entry forms by:

Men - February 11th, 2012 at the latest

Ladies – February 16th, 2012 at the latest

Please, e-mail all entries to:

office@bfski.com

Fax: +359 2 980 60 82

Phone: +359 2 984 87 50

INSURANCE:

Each individual NSA is responsible for providing sufficient insurance for its participants (art. 204.2 ICR). The Organizer accepts no responsibility for either accidents or any other damage during the training or racing days, nor are they liable to third party claims.

TERMS OF CONTRACT

The requirements concerning condition and safety precautions of the race and training tracks go by the International Ski Federation's (FIS) various rules and current regulations, as well as the specific regulations and ways of hosting the Alpine World Cup, and the specific rules and regulations as agreed upon by the Organising Committee and the FIS whereas the jury's ruling applies. Upon starting every competitor confirms that he/she acknowledges the race course and safety precautions as adequate and sufficient. Above all, the organiser cannot be held responsible for any particular faults in the course and safety.

PROTESTS

Protests, if any, shall be submitted at the race office in the finish hut.

PRIZE MONEY AND TRAVEL EXPENSES

The prize money is in accordance with the World Cup Regulations –

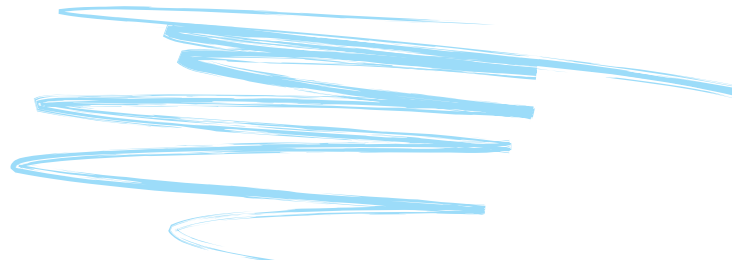
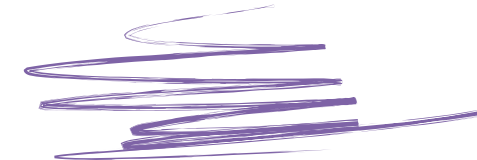
MEN: Giant slalom – **80 900€** and Slalom – **97 000€** and will be distributed as follows:

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | Total |
|-----------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|---------|
| GS | 32'000€ | 20'500€ | 10'500€ | 5'300€ | 4'000€ | 3'000€ | 2'000€ | 1'500€ | 1'200€ | 900€ | 80'900€ |
| SL | 39'000€ | 24'000€ | 12'500€ | 6'300€ | 4'800€ | 3'400€ | 2'500€ | 2'000€ | 1500€ | 1000€ | 97'000€ |

LADIES: Downhill – **80 900€** and Super Giant Slalom – **80 900€**

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | Total |
|-----------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------|---------|
| DH | 32'000€ | 20'500€ | 10'500€ | 5'300 | 4'0 00€ | 3'000€ | 2'000€ | 1'500€ | 1'200€ | 900€ | 80'900€ |
| SG | 32'000€ | 20'500€ | 10'500€ | 5'300€ | 4'000€ | 3'000€ | 2'000€ | 1'500€ | 1'200€ | 900 | 80'900€ |

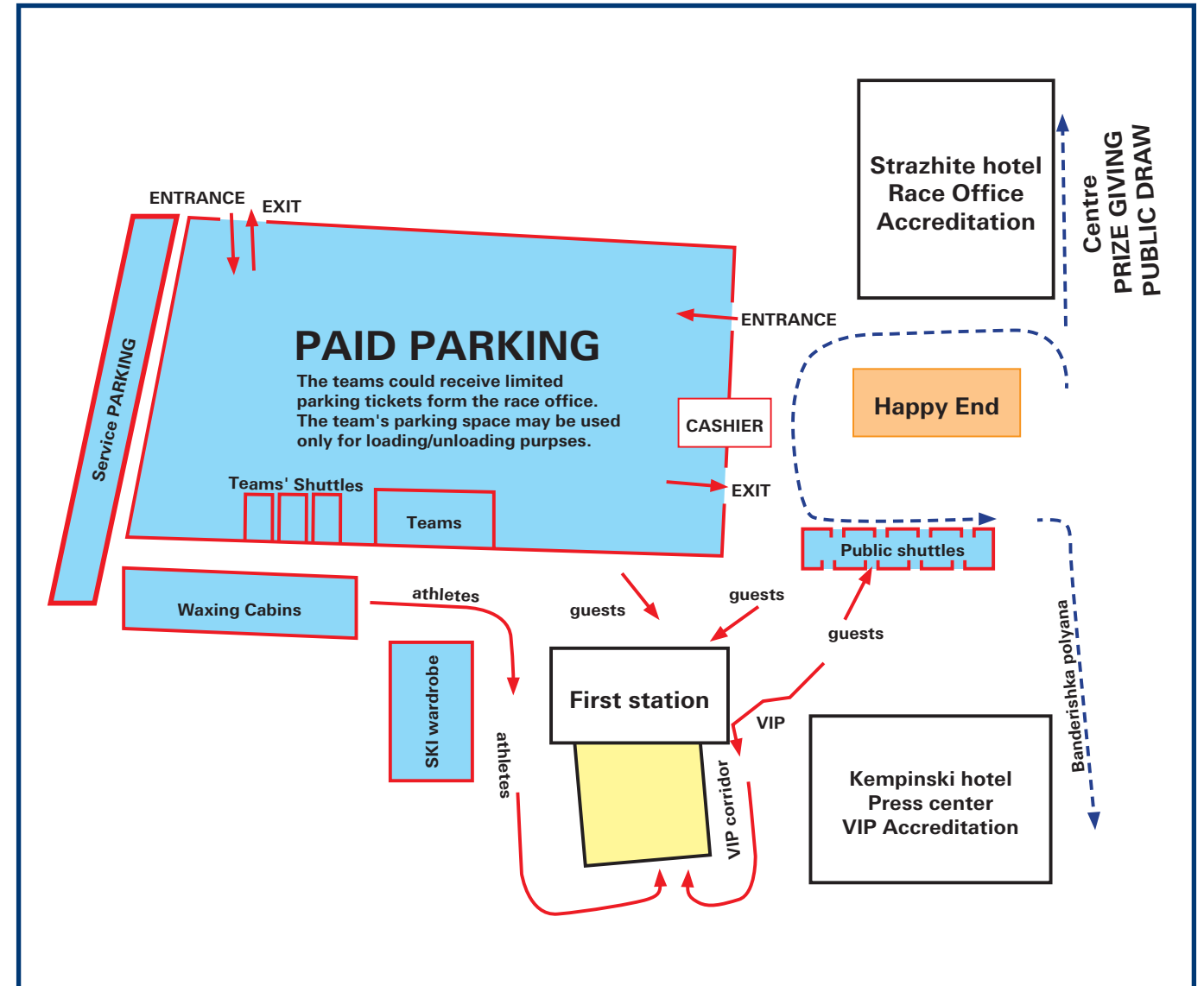
The mentioned prize money is the amounts before taxation. The Bulgarian State Tax (10%) will be deducted from the prize money in accordance with Bulgarian Tax Law. Prize money will be paid by bank transfer to the competitors' accounts, in accordance with art 6 of the Rules for the Alpine FIS Ski World Cup 2011/12. The bank transfer confirmation will be sent to the competitors' E-mail addresses within 7 days after the end of the competition. Competitors, may submit the filled-out and signed official FIS forms for electronic payment of the prize money containing necessary information, together with a photocopy of their passports to the Race Office at Hotel Strahzite. Travel expenses will be paid by bank transfer to the accounts of respective National Ski Associations, in accordance with Article 5.4 of the Rules for the Alpine FIS Ski World Cup 2011/12. Team captains must submit the filled-out and signed official FIS forms for electronic payment of travel expenses containing necessary information, together with a photocopy of their passports to the Race Office at Hotel Strahzite. Bank transfer confirmation will be sent by E-mail within 7 days after the end of the competition to the respective National Ski Associations.



MAP - PRIZE GIVING AND PUBLIC DRAW



MAP - BOTTOM STATION OF THE GONDOLA



ACCOMMODATION

All teams will be accommodated at the 4-star hotel "Strazhite" and similar in Bansko Town. The accommodation costs will be settled in accordance with the Rules for the Alpine FIS Ski World Cup 2011/2012.

The following will be provided at the venue hotel "Strazhite":

- Welcome and Info Desk
- Accreditation Office
- Main Race Office
- Team Captains' Meeting Room
- Transportation Desk
- All meals
- Shuttle buses to the Gondola station and waxing rooms.

Contact person for accommodation:

Mrs. Rossitsa Veneva (Balkan Holidays)

E-mail: rossitsa@balkanholidaysint.com

Phone: +359 885 330 466

TRANSPORTATION

The charter flight will be organized by FIS Travel. The transfer from Sofia Airport to Bansko for all teams from the charter flight will be provided.

For all additional transfers needed, please contact:

Mrs. Rossitsa VENEVA (Balkan Holidays)

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RACE OFFICE

Main race office – Hotel Strazhite will be open from 15th till 26th February

OPENING HOURS:

Training days: 8:00h - 20:00h

Official training and racing days: 7:00h – 21:00h

Race secretary:

Mrs. Assia ILIEVA

E-mail: race@bfski.com

Phone: +359 878 105 990

ACCREDITATION

Team captains will receive teams' accreditations at the Race office in Hotel Strazhite.

Contact person for accreditation:

Mr. Stojan ATANASSOV

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SKI WAXING ROOMS

Ski waxing rooms are located next to the Gondola station. The facility is guarded 24/7 and is available for all the teams.

Contact person for ski waxing rooms:

Mr. Nikolai KARADJOV

E-mail: nicky@case.bg

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GETTING THERE

By car Bansko lies in the South-Eastern part of Bulgaria, at the tip of the Pirin National Park. Once you arrive at the airport in Sofia or Plovdiv, there are a number of ways to travel to Bansko. Bansko lies two-and-a-half hours' drive from Sofia, although the journey time can lengthen to three or four hours on busier weekends. Quickest route is to take the main E79 south to Simitli, from where a well-marked east-bound turn leads over the Predela Pass to Bansko.

By air Closest airport: Sofia Airport.

By bus There are regular bus lines to major cities in Bulgaria.



Approx. distance from Istanbul, Turkey – 600 km
Approx. distance from Thessaloniki, Greece – 220 km
Approx. distance from Belgrade, Serbia – 650 km
Approx. distance from Skopje, FYROM – 200 km
Approx. distance from Bucharest, Romania – 600 km

Sofia – Bansko 150 km
Thessaloniki – Bansko 220 km



FINISH AREA



- 1 - Restricted Coach Area
- 2 - Team Zone
- 3 - TV & Radio Zone
- 4 - Press Zone
- 5 - Photo Zone
- 6 - TV & Radio Commentators
- 7 - Warm Up & Start Zones
- 8 - Press Center
- 9 - IBC & TV Compound
- 10 - Guests & Industry
- 11 - VIP Tent
- 12 - Leader
- 13 - Audience
- 14 - Parking
- 15 - Helicopter Platform
- 16 - Medical Center
- 17 - Race Staff Corridor
- 18 - Time Keeping & Referees
- 19 - Info Panels
- 20 - Food & Beverage
- 21 - Sponsors' Area
- 22 - Doping Control
- 23 - Fun & Fan Area



FOOD & DRINKS

Numerous stands in the event areas serve up snacks along with hot and cold drinks. Bringing food or drinks of any kind, especially alcoholic beverages, onto the event grounds, is prohibited. <http://www.banskoski.com>

VENUE PLACE

The main viewing area for all events is in the Banderiza finish stadium next to the gondola upper station.



SKI AREA

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|--|--------------|--|--------------|
| | Bansko | | Todorka |
| | Mosta | | Plato |
| | Kolarski | | Stara kotva |
| | Banderitza 1 | | Detska kotva |
| | Banderitza 2 | | Panica B |
| | Shiligarnik | | Vlek Chalin |
| | Chalin valog | | |
| | Gondola lift | | Information |
| | Chair lifts | | Shop |
| | Drag lifts | | Change |
| | Hut | | Cash Desk |
| | Snow mashine | | Ski shool |
| | Rent a ski | | Range |
| | Parking | | First Aid |
| | Restaurant | | Funpark |
| | Light | | |
| | Light | | Middle |
| | Difficult | | Ski road |

Altitude of highest ski run: 2600 m; Altitude of lowest ski run: 990 m; Total length of marked ski runs, including ski roads: 75 km
 Beginners – 35%; Intermediate – 40%; Advanced – 25%; Snow Cannons – 181 snow cannons covering 80% of the ski runs; Ski road – a unique 16 km run suitable for intermediate skiers and snowboarders, covered by snow cannons and lighted, connects the highest ski run with the town.

SKI AREA



THE MANAGER OF BANSKO SKI ZONE

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www.banskoski.com

ULEN Lift Operator The lifts and ski runs' operator in Bansko takes care of your maximum comfort with our 8-man Gondola cable car by Doppelmayr, six 4-seat lifts of the latest Doppelmayr models, one 3-seat lift by Poma, six drags and 10 baby drags. The easy access to all lifts is secured by chip-cards from SkiData.

The existence of crisp white snow with excellent quality on 70 km of marked ski runs and ski roads is made possible by their regular maintenance by 15 Kassbohrer snow-grooming machines. Snow is guaranteed from December until May by 181 TechnoAlpin snow cannons.

ULEN Rent-a-Ski Our ski storage and rental facilities, furnished by brand new ski-rafts from Wintersteiger, offer the latest ski and snowboard equipment from major Western brands.

Ski and Snowboard Service We offer fast high-quality ski and snowboard service, backed by the latest Microjet service equipment by the leading manufacturer Wintersteiger.

ULEN Ski and Snowboard School The best and the largest ski school in the region offers highly-qualified ski and snowboard instructors, who speak your language. Courses range from beginners to advanced ski and snowboard.

Junior Ski Club Great news for children: We have a Junior Club ski kindergarten with 3 Baby drags, a Wonder Carpets baby track, and a Winter/Summer rotunda type Kinder Carousel.

Ski Competitions Bansko is organizer of European Ski Cup rounds and already is a regular host of AUDI FIS Ski World Cup event for both ladies and men. Other popular events are: FIS Pirin Cup, International Cup Kappi, Extreme Ski and Snowboard Competition Bansko and FIS Snowboard Competitions.

PARKING, HOTELS & SHUTTLE SERVICE

The event organizers offer a special service to all visitors who travel by car. Bansko spectators can take advantage of free rides on the special event shuttles to the finish area and Bansko lift station.

The shuttle bus time table will be available at the bottom station of the Gondola lift, at accreditation office and at the venue hotel receptions.

Please use the large parking lots in the village.

- 1 Kempinski Hotel Grand Arena *****
- 2 Hotel Strazhite****
- 3 Hotel Bansko****
- 4 Hotel Pirin****

Paid Parking

- P₁ – Pirin str.
- P₂ – Pirin str.
- P₃ – ULEN
- P₄ – Naiden Gerov str.

- P₁ – Otets Paisii str.
- P₂ – Ikonom Chuchulain str.
- P₃ – Drama str.
- P₄ – Tsar Simeon str.
- P₅ – Naiden Gerov str.
- P₆ – Motikata
- P₇ – PSS Pirin str.
- P₈ – Glazne str.
- P₉ – Patriarh Evtimii str.
- P₁₀ – Ivan Mihailov str.
- P₁₁ – Tsar Simeon str.
- P₁₂ – Pirin str.
- P₁₃ – Pere Toshev str.
- P₁₄ – Yavor str.




Kempinski Hotel
Grand Arena
BANSKO BULGARIA

KEMPINSKI HOTEL GRAND ARENA *****

press centre

Floors 5, Lifts 5, Beds 330

Room types Deluxe double rooms, deluxe king rooms, concierge club rooms, suites

Typical room shower and bath, WC, hairdryer, mini-bar, cable-TV, telephone, balcony, air-conditioning

Dining facilities Restaurant, restaurant a-la-carte, lobby bar, room service

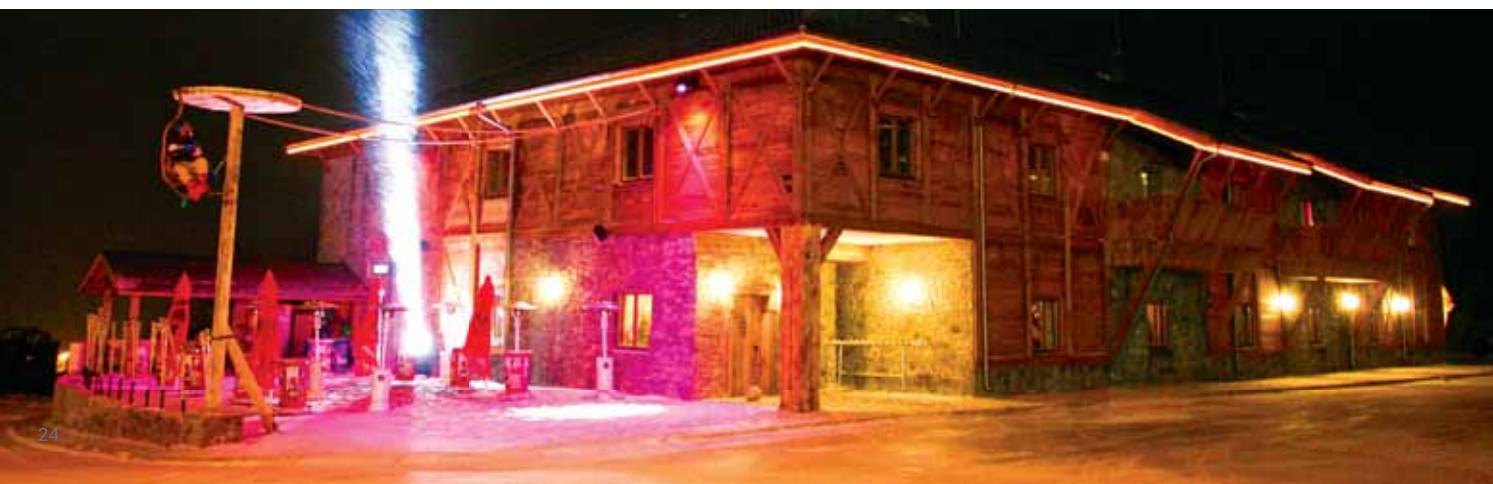
Public facilities Luxurious SPA centre with Thai herbal suite, slipper bath, float tank, serial bath, relax room, dry float spa, hammam, caldarium, aroma sauna, Finnish sauna, snow paradise, whirlpool; indoor and outdoor heated swimming pool, fitness centre, beauty centre, kids swimming pool, kids playroom, baby-sitter, games room, billiards, boutique shops, ski storage, 2 tennis courts, conference hall for up to 120 people, safety deposit box, exchange office

Magnificent hotel at the foot of the ski slopes

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HOTEL STRAZHITE ****

accreditation and
athletes' hospitality

Floors 3, **Lifts** 3, **Units** 160

Room types Double rooms, apartments, maisonettes

Typical room Shower, WC, hair-dryer, mini-bar, cable TV, telephone, wireless internet, balcony

Dining facilities Restaurant, 2 lobby bars

Public facilities Swimming pool, fitness, sauna, massage, steam bath, games room, darts, billiards, bowling with 6 alleys, table tennis, shopping centre, large ski storage room, luggage room, conference room



Address 68 Tzar Simeon Str., Bansko 2770

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fax: 88044

Location
Town centre

HOTEL PIRIN ****

Floors 5, **Lifts** 2, **Units** 68

Room types Single rooms, twin rooms, double rooms, double deluxe rooms, apartments

Typical room Shower, WC, hair-dryer, mini-bar, cable TV, telephone

Dining facilities Restaurant, mehana restaurant, night bar, lobby bar

Public facilities Swimming pool, fitness, sauna, solarium, massage, steam bath, billiards, table tennis, Internet and games room, souvenir shop, bank office, conference hall for up to 60 people, ski storage, safety deposit box





A truly wonderful hotel with a friendly atmosphere

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Close to the Gondola lift

HOTEL BANSKO ****

Floors 4, Lifts 2, Units 53

Room types Single rooms, double rooms, twin deluxe rooms, double deluxe rooms, studios, apartments, maisonettes

Typical room Bath, WC, hair-dryer, mini-bar, cable-TV, telephone

Dining facilities Restaurant, lobby bar, room service

Public facilities Indoor swimming pool, fitness, sauna, massage, table tennis, billiards, souvenir shop, conference hall for up to 25 people, conference hall for up to 50 people, ski storage, safety deposit box

