



# 2016/17 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup Team Invitation

Aerials : 10 February 2017 Moguls : 11 February 2017 Bokwang Phoenix Park, PyeongChang, Republic of Korea





Hello PyeongChang



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# Greetings



#### Dear Friends of the FIS Family,

On behalf of the PyeongChang Organizing Committee for the 2018 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games, I would like to extend my warmest greetings to all participating skiers, coaches, officials and guests from around the world on the occasion of the 2016/17 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup in PyeongChang, home to all snow sports at the PyeongChang 2018 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games.

We expect to welcome a number of top skiers and officials, who no doubt will take this opportunity to not only showcase their talents, but also to better understand the beautiful mountain of PyeongChang.

2016/17 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup will serve as the second test event for Freestyle Ski discipline. In this regard, our preparations for the 2016/17 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup and the learning that we receive from the operations will empower us to deliver a successful Olympic Winter Games in February 2018.

It is my sincere wish that all skiers and officials participating in the 2016/17 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup will enjoy themselves and return home with great memories of Korea's scenic beauty and warm hospitality; knowing with confidence that they will be welcomed back in 2018 with more enhanced and efficient operations, and more beautiful memories.

Once again, I wish everyone the very best in your endeavors, and I look forward to welcoming you back again at the PyeongChang 2018 Olympic Winter Games.

#### Sincerely,

LEE Hee-Beom President & CEO

## Greetings



#### Dear friends and participants,

I cordially welcome you to the 2016/17 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup.

Following the successful Test Event held last season, the Korea Ski Association (KSA) and PyeongChang Organizing Committee (POCOG) are more than ready to greet our FIS friends again from all over the world. We will ensure participants to experience a preview of an actual Olympic Winter Games in 2018, which is only one season away.

We spent considerable amount of time building the course and planning the Freestyle Ski event. The preparation is in good hands and I will see that everything is thoroughly checked and rehearsed for a flawless game.

My special thanks reaches out to POCOG for all their hard work and dedication. KSA will continue to build strong collaboration this season with POCOG and International Ski Federation(FIS). We sincerely hope to the 2016/17 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup delivers excitement and exceeds the expectation of our ski friends.

SHIN Dong-bin FIS Council President of the Korea Ski Association



# **Local Organising Committee**

### **Joint Organising Committee Entities**

- PyeongChang LOC
- Korea Ski Association

#### **Operation Management**

Position	Name
Sport Manager	CHAE Yeonwoong
Sport Manager	CHOI Myungsoo
Race Secretary	YOU Jieeun
Workforce Manager	LIM Hagyun

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### **Race Officials**

Position	Name
Race Director	Joseph Fitzgerald
Technical Delegate	Iain Mackay
Chief of Competition	KIM Jungwoo
Chief of Course	HWANG Sungtae



## **Overview**

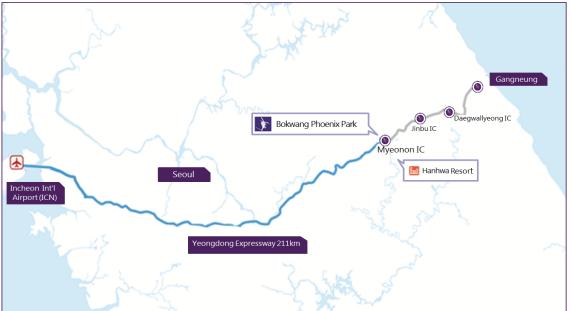
### **Key Dates**

2016/17 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup officially runs from 10 to 11 February, 2017.

#### Venues – Bokwang Phoenix Park



Bokwang Phoenix Park is located in PyeongChang, Gangwon Province. It was built in 1995, but additional construction started in March 2015 for the test events and the 2018 Olympic Winter Games. Bokwang Phoenix Park is about 211 km away from Incheon International Airport (ICN) and it takes around three hours by car.



\* Address : Bokwang Phoenix Park, 174, Taegi-ro, Bongpyeong-myeon, PyeongChang-gun, Gangwon-do, Korea

# **Competition Information**

### Schedule – Competition & Training

Date	Aerials	Moguls
6 Feb.	Official Teams' Arrival	-
7 Feb.	Official Training	-
8 Feb.	Official Training	Official Team' Arrival
9 Feb.	Official Training	Official Training
10 Feb.	Finals (men's & ladies')	Official Training
11 Feb.	Official Teams' Departure	Finals (men's & ladies')
12 Feb.	-	Official Teams' Departure

## **Entries & Quotas**

Each National Association must inform the Organisers about the expected total number of team members and team officials with arrival and departure dates and rooming needs. This needs to be done using the FIS Online System and respecting the deadlines fixed. Adjustments to final competitor entries and rooming needs can be done up until the entry deadline. Any changes in entries or rooming will be confirmed by email from the Online Entry System to the Organiser and Team.

	Date
Provisional entry deadline	1 January 2017
Final entry deadline	31 January 2017

FIS has established national quotas and minimum FIS points for Freestyle Ski World Cups. National Teams can only enter World Cup Competitors according to the quota limitations. Quotas and FIS points can be downloaded using the following links:

The minimum FIS Points can be found on the <u>Rules for the FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup</u> and the quotas here : <u>2016/2017 FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Quota Calculation</u>



### Accreditation

Online registration system is accessed through the FIS Website <u>fis-ski.com</u> "Member Section". During the event period, Venue Accreditation Office (VAO) will provide full accreditation services (AD Card distribution, reissuance and problem-shooting) with all the participants. This facility will be located on the 1st floor of Hanwha resort and operated between 5 February and 21 February 2017. Operational hours will be from two hours prior to the competition time till the end of competition. Every participant including competitors and officials are kindly asked to submit their photos in the following format at accreditation2018@pyeongchang2018 com by at the latest 31 January 2017. AD Card of all the athletes

accreditation2018@pyeongchang2018.com by at the latest 31 January 2017. AD Card of all the athletes will be distributed to the team coaches upon team's arrival. If any teams are not able to send photos, they must take a photo at the VAO.

<Photo Requirements>

- An ID-format photo
- File Name: Lastname\_Firstname\_ddmmyyyy.jpg (e.g.: SMITH\_John\_18061991)
- Photo Size : 3.5cm x4.5cm
- File Size: 50~100kb
- File Format: jpg

#### Payment

All expenses such as participation fee, accommodation fee, transportation fee and radio frequency should be paid during the games time and the payment is only accepted by credit cards(Visa or Master) at the payment desk.

#### **Competitors Bibs**

Training and competition bibs will be allocated at Team Captains' Meetings. It is mandatory that all competitors wear bibs during all official training, competition and award ceremonies.



### **Team Captains' Meeting**

Team Captains' Meeting room is located in Hanwha Resort 1<sup>st</sup> floor. The 1<sup>st</sup> Team Captains' Meeting will take place on teams' arrival day around 7 pm. Detailed information regarding the Team Captains' meeting will be informed at the race office.

#### **Race Office**

The Race Office is located at Hanwha Resort 1<sup>st</sup> floor. Opening duration will be from 5 February to 21 February 2017 and opening hours will be from 8 am to 9 pm. More detailed information will be available to teams via a Team Information piece prior to the event.

#### Wax Cabin

Wax cabins will be located near the Hanwha Resort. Allocation for wax cabin will be done after the final entries closed. Standard voltage in Korea is 220 V (60 Hz). Please note that the Organising Committee will not provide teams with adapters or converters.

### **Doping Control**

Doping control will be conducted throughout the event in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth by FIS. A World Anti-Doping Agency-accredited laboratory located in Seoul will be responsible for analyzing all samples collected during the competitions.

### **Payment of Prize Money**

The organising committee will make prize payments electronically through bank transfer to the accounts of prize-winners. Please be prepared to provide to the organiser (contacts specified above) the following information: account holder's name, account, name of the bank, bank address, IBAN, and SWIFT. The payment will be completed after the organising committee receives full and correct payment details of the prize money recipient. According to Korea tax law, value added tax will be imposed.



### **Radio frequency Spectrum & Equipment Regulations**

All wireless equipment to be used during the Test Event by foreign teams and officials must be registered. Frequency applications must be submitted to POCOG at least one month prior to the competition in order to acquire approval from the relevant government agency.

Therefore, all wireless equipment must acquire approval before use.

The frequency application procedures and forms can be found at "RF Spectrum Application for the Test Events" under the "News" section of the Test Event website at http://www.hellopyeongchang.com/en.

# Please apply each spectrum through the Spectrum Order Portal website (<u>https://spectrumorder.pyeongchang2018.com</u>).

The spectrum application method is as follows:

- Application Deadline : 15 days before the start of each Test Event
- . Late or on-site applications have a lower chance of getting requested frequencies.
- . Private Wi-Fi Routers(APs, Mi-Fis, etc.) also require spectrum application
- The frequency application fee : Free

. POCOG plans on providing frequency allocation services free of charge for devices brought from abroad.

POCOG will notify you via email whether or not your application has been approved after reviewing your application with the relevant government agency.

Upon arrival, all equipment must be tested and tagged at the SMR(Spectrum Management Room) by the relevant government agency before use.

Note: According to the applicable Korean law, you may be fined up to 30 million KRW(30,000 USD) or sentenced to up to three years in jail for the use of an unapproved frequency. Therefore, all wireless equipment must acquire approval before use.



# **General Information**

#### Visa & Customs Clearance

Please check on: <u>mofa.go.kr/ENG</u> "Visa" to find out whether your country is under visa exemption agreement or designated visa-free entry with Republic of Korea or not. If visitors from your countries require a visa to enter Korea, application forms for visitor visas are available on the same website.

Goods imported by NOCs/NPCs, IOC/IPC and IFs for organising and staging the Games (including Test Events participants) may be duty-free. The imported goods should be used as designated purposes in Korea. In some cases, Korean customs authority may request POCOG's Import Purpose Confirmation Note on your sports equipment. Assistance will be available at the Arrival & Departure Help Desk at ICN. For more information on Korean customs procedure, please visit <u>customs.go.kr</u>. You can contact the organising committee on <u>customs@pyeongchang2018.com</u> for advice or consultation if necessary.

#### **Transportation**

#### **Airport Shuttle**

Airport transfer to and from Incheon International Airport (ICN) will be provided by the Organising Committee for teams. This transfer service is provided for a fee of KRW 100,000 round trip per person and this includes your luggage and equipment delivery. Assistance will be available at the Arrival & Departure Help Desks on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor near **Gate 3 and Gate 8.** Please note that this airport shuttle service is only operated on the official arrival date and official departure date written below. If teams would like to arrive earlier or depart later, they will be responsible for their own way to get here. The OC will send **airport transfer shuttle request form** to teams, once the preliminary entries closed.

Date	Aerials	Moguls
Arrival	6 February	8 February
Departure	11 February	12 February



#### Accommodation

The organising committee will reserve and book accommodation for teams for the days of official trainings and competitions according to FIS rules. Team Accommodation will be located at Hanwha Resorts . If teams would like to arrive earlier or depart later, they will be responsible for their own accommodation. Rooming will be done by the information from the FIS online official entries. <u>Please</u> note that any changes on the accommodation needs must be done by the FIS online entry system.

#### FIS Rules (Edition 2016/2017)

#### 4. Accommodation and Payment of Expenses for Teams

Refer to rules 4.1, accommodation (half-board) and transportation on site will be charged CHF 50 per day per person to all competitors and team officials.

\* The reservation should be cancelled according to World Cup Rules 7.6.5. If not, the organising committee is allowed to invoice the costs for late cancelled accommodations to the respective national association.

#### <Accommodation Information>

- \* Address : Hanwha Resorts, 228-33, Taegi-ro, Bongpyeong-myeon, PyeongChang-gun, Gangwon-do, Korea
- \* Tel : +82 033-334-6100
- \* Web site : <u>http://www.hanwharesort.co.kr/irsweb/resort3/eng/resort/rs\_room.asp?bp\_cd=1600</u>

#### Meals

Meals will be provided by the organiser from the dinner of the official arrival day to the breakfast of the official departure day. Meal coupons will be handed out at the registration desk with AD cards. Meal location and meal serving time will be informed later on.



### **Insurance & Liability**

Each competitor must have his/her own medical insurance. The organizing Committee, Korea Ski Association, sponsors and suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged or lost equipment and second and third party claims during the event.

### **Medical Services**

Medical services will be provided for athletes and all other client groups. Medical services for athletes will be available on the field of play and at the Venue Medical Station for athletes near the finish line. The Venue Medical Station for Athletes will offer emergency and trauma care. Three ambulances will be on stand-by near Medical Stations during the period of official training and competition. If an ambulance is dispatched, it will be substituted immediately. If required, patients will be transported to Wonju Severance Hospital for advanced care. According to the Korean Medical Service Act, emergency medical services at the medical stations are provided free of charge. However, advanced treatment in hospitals will be available for a fee. If necessary, repatriation or medical evacuation from the hospital will be organised.

Wonju Severance Hospital (Level 1 Trauma Centre) – 58 km : Ambulance - 45min , Helicopter - 15min

### Automatic interpretation and translation app

The app is equipped with voice recognition software and can translate typed text and text within images. It provides 5 language pairs, Korean-English/Japanese/simplified Chinese/Spanish/French. It will be used by athletes and spectators during PyeongChang 2018 Test Events. It can be downloaded by scanning the QR code for free.



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