

REGULATION

Stage of the World Sambo Championship (Individual) Among Men, Women and Combat Sambo for the Prize of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan N.A. Nazarbayev 2014

1. Goals and objectives

1. To develop and promote Sambo in the Republic of Kazakhstan and on the international arena.
2. To enhance the professional skills and competitiveness of athletes.
3. To extensively involve the public in sports activities and promote a healthy lifestyle.
4. To determine the winner of the 2014 World Championship (1st stage).

2. Management of competitions

The general management of the organisation and holding of the tournament shall be handled by the Sports and Physical Education Affairs Agency of the Republic of Kazakhstan, the Tourism, Physical Education and Sport Department of the City of Almaty, the Sambo Federation of the Republic of Kazakhstan, and the International Sambo Federation (FIAS).

A panel of judges approved by the Chairman of the FIAS Referees Commission shall be entrusted with directly overseeing the competitions.

3. Dates and venue

The competitions shall be held from 24-27 January 2014 at the Baluan Sholak Sports and Culture Place: Republic of Kazakhstan, Almaty, pr. Abaya, 44, ul. Baytursynova.

Competition schedule:

24 January	Arrival day
10.00-16.00	Accreditation of competition participants
16.00-17.00	Meeting of representatives
17.00-18.00	Weighing and drawing of members of weight categories: Men: 52 kg, 62 kg, 74 kg, 90 kg, +100 kg; Women: 48 kg, 56 kg, 64 kg, 72 kg, +80 kg; Combat Sambo: 62 kg, 74 kg.
25 January	
10.00	Preliminaries
13.00-14.00	Break
16.00-16.30	Opening ceremony
16.30	Finals, award presentation
17.00-18.00	Weighing and drawing of members of weight categories: Men: 57 kg, 68 kg, 82 kg, 100 kg; Women: 52 kg, 60 kg, 68 kg, 80 kg; Combat Sambo: 68 kg, 90 kg.
26 January	
10.00	Preliminaries
13.00-14.00	Break
18.00	Finals, award presentation
27 January	Departure of delegation

4. Competition participants

The top teams from countries whose federations are FIAS members are invited to take part in the Stage of the World Championship for the Prize of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan. The delegation officially includes 22 athletes (9 men, 9 women, 4 Combat Sambo), 1 manager, 2 coaches, 1 doctor, and a referee permitted by FIAS.

Only athletes having a FIAS licence for 2014 may take part in the competition. The National Federation must pay the licence fee of USD 25 no later than one month prior to the start of the competition under the condition that they have FIAS licence books. If athletes do not have a FIAS licence book, one may be acquired from the FIAS Treasurer or from an authorised person for USD 10 at the competitions. Payments shall strictly be made in USD.

5. Conditions and procedure for holding competitions

The competitions shall be held in accordance with the existing Sambo Competition Rules and FIAS Sports Regulation. Each athlete must undergo a medical examination three days prior to departure from his/her country. The examination results must be recorded in the application.

The Organising Committee shall guarantee first aid to all members of the sports delegations.

6. Applications for participation

A list of delegation member names should be delivered to the Organising Committee prior to 27 December 2013 and include copies of the passports of all delegation members.

7. Award presentation

Athletes that take top places shall be awarded certificates and medals of the corresponding degrees and prizes: \$1,000 for first place, \$500 for second place, and \$250 for third place.

8. Financial conditions

Expenses associated with the accommodation, meals, and shuttling of delegation members shall be borne by the Organising Committee.

Expenses association with manufacturing printed products (pennants, posters, brochures, etc.) and medals shall be borne by the Organising Committee.

All expenses associated with holding the Stage of the World Sambo Championship in Almaty shall be borne by the Organising Committee. Expenses associated with the meals and accommodation of each foreign team comprised of:

22 athletes + 2 coaches + 1 referee shall be borne by the Organising Committee.

National Federations must independently pay for accommodation and meals for any persons exceeding the number of team members from a given country. Additional days of accommodation shall also be paid for by the National Federation at its own expense (for the entire delegation).

The heads of the sports delegations must settle all financial obligations with the Organising Committee on the day of arrival and meet all the accreditation requirements.

FIAS Shall pay the salary of the 21 (twenty-one) referees having international status in the amount of USD 50 per each day of the competition, while payment to the chief referee and secretary shall be made in the amount of USD 100 for each day of the competition, including the day of arrival and day of departure.

Referees from the international category shall be permitted to officiate.

FIAS shall pay for the travel of the chief referee and secretary from their residence to and from Almaty.

All broadcast rights for this event shall belong to FIAS.

9. Insurance of participants

Each competition participant must have accident insurance (original copy) that is submitted to the Organising Committee. Life and health insurance for the competition participants shall be provided by the sending organisations.

10. Accreditation

All participants must undergo the accreditation procedures. Accreditation will take place at ASTANA International Hotel, ul. Baytursynova, 113, Almaty, Republic of Kazakhstan.

During the accreditation procedure, the heads of the sports delegations shall submit the following documents to the competition secretariat: an application according to weight category, a passport or identification document, a FIAS licence with a stamp confirming payment of the annual Federation fee, two state flags (1x2 metres), a CD or minidisc with the national anthem, an insurance policy (original copy), and two photos for accreditation.

In order to obtain accreditation, media members must first complete the corresponding form in the Media Centre - Accreditation section on the official FIAS website at: <http://sambo-fias.org/pages/accreditation>, indicating the competition name in the Comments section as "Stage of the World Sambo Championship (Individual) Among Men, Women and Combat Sambo for the Prize of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan N.A. Nazarbayev 2014". The form must be completed no later than 5 January 2014.

11. Visa support

All World Sambo Championship members shall be provided with the visa support required to obtain a visa at the consulate institutions of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

12. Marketing and advertising

The Organising Committee shall guarantee the observance of the sponsorship rights for FIAS partners and sponsors specified in the corresponding agreements.

13. Contact information

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