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### TELEX

The ITF have had a telex installed and perhaps you might find it more convenient to telex rather than write. It would certainly be quicker and cost less than telephoning. Should you not have a telex you may still be able to have the use of one nearby. A lot of cities have machines which can be used by people simply on payment of a small fee. Other than that the post office will usually send a telex for you, give it a try as we will be happy to hear from you and it would be disappointing to have a telex and for nobody to use it. The ITF telex number is Austria 112247 and the answer back code is " itf a ".

### NATIONAL MAGAZINES

The ITF would be pleased to have you tell your National Martial Arts Magazines about the dates for the World Championships in Malaysia. Some people think that the ITF doesn't exist anymore and that sort of entry might just let somebody know that we are still alive and kicking! Perhaps you could put that the ITF would be pleased to see any of their old friends at the championships.

### PETITION TO THE IOC

In Newsletter 2/86 we asked you to commence the petition to the IOC and we remind you of the importance of this. The petition should be sent to the IOC at the latest by 15th. June 1986. We enclose a further copy of the form and the instructions and sincerely hope that your efforts are being directed towards a large number of signatures being on the forms. Note that we now ask you to number the pages and let us know the numbers sent to the IOC, this is a safeguard to ensure that some pages do not go missing. We already know that Hungary have 12,000 signatures so there is a figure for you to aim above. In Just a reminder that you do not need to send a copy of all the sheets to the ITF or Master Yun Young Ku but simply the number of sheets and the number of signatures on them will suffice. We hope that you will also follow up your sending of the petition to your national olympic association by asking them for their opinion on the justice of the situation. There has to be a continuous and steady pressure put on to enable the petition to have a chance, please do not allow it to go unnoticed or not acknowledged.

### NATIONAL EVENTS

PUERTO RICO - The 3rd. Copa Internacional General Choi Hong Hi will be held in Puerto Rico in March 1987 and they are interested in having team competition with 5 or 6 countries. Countries interested in participating should contact Puerto Rico National TKD Fed. Ave. Betances, #187 Hnas. Davila, Bayamon, PR 00619 or call (809) 787-3392.

We also enclose the 1985 annual report as we think it is very interesting.

SWEDEN - During 1986 seminars for instructors and umpires are being held on 30th. August and 17th. November. Summer camp is held in Ljungby between 27th. June and 2 nd. July. 5th. Stockholm open Championships 1 st. June and Swedish National Championships 8/9 th. November.

CENTRAL AMERICA - The IVth. Championship will take place in the National Gim. "Ruben Callejas Vallentine" in Tegucigalpa D.C. Honduras C.A. on 10/11th. May, 1986. Five countries will participate, Guatemala, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Honduras. For details contact Mr. German Discua, General Secretary, Apartado Postal 1995, Tegucigalpa D.C. Honduras C.A.

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### NATIONAL EVENTS cont'd

GUATEMALA - The IInd. Guatemala International Cup will be held in Guatemala City on September 27/28th. 1986. They also have plans for an Instructor Seminar and regional tests for black belts. For details contact Mr. Juan Carlos Pena, 7a. Calle, 9 - 75, Zona 1, 3 er. Nivel, Guatemala City.

INDIA - The Junior National & South Asian Invitational Championships will be held in New Delhi from 23rd. to 25th. May 1986. Contact Mr. P. Andrew Gurung at c/o TKD Chronicle, PO Box No. 17, New Delhi 110 001.

### PERSONAL CHEQUES

Unfortunately some people have abused the use of their personal cheques and the ITF do not wish to be caught in the position of having large sums of money owed to them. To avoid this situation you are requested to send a money order made payable to the ITF rather than a personal cheque. Thanking you for your consideration.

### ADDRESS LIST

Enclosed with this newsletter is a list of addresses for the officers and standing committee chairmen. Please note that all correspondence, except on a personal basis, should be directed through the ITF HQ. Should you have any suggestions for the standing committee chairmen then your letter should be sent to the ITF HQ "for the attention of" and the "title" for example Chairman of the Title Committee. In this way the HQ can progress the item and will also be kept abreast of all matters which may mean a change in the procedures. Please note that this is not an opening for you simply to complain, if you must criticise then that will be welcome if it is constructive. In other words should you feel that something needs improvement then suggest a way in which it might be improved and that will be your good deed towards the future of the ITF. In too many cases people feel that they will be frowned upon if they criticise but you have our assurance that your constructive criticism, even if it might tend to displease some people, will not be used against you and in fact in most cases your name need not be mentioned as the originator.

### NATIONAL EVENTS

CANADA - 3rd. April 1986, Championships in Kamrose, Alberta. 26th. April 1986, Northern B.C. Open. 17th. May 1986, Montreal Open. 28th. June 1986, School Team and Canadian Team Tournaments Orleans or Ottawa. 20th. September 1986, Fort Erie International, Ontario. 11th. October 1986, Individual Canadian Championships, Regina. Tentatively July during Expo 86 in Vancouver.

### MASTER PARK JUNG TAE's VISIT TO CYPRUS

From April 20th. to 26th. Master Park Jung Tae was invited to Cyprus by Mr. Evon P. Parkes the instructor for the United Nations Forces in Cyprus. Master Park gave seminars and training and met various local TKD representatives and local dignitaries. Master Park also met with the United Nations Force Commander in Cyprus, Major General Gunther Greindl (Austrian Army) and Brigadier Robin Duschesne (British Army) Chief of Staff United Nations Force in Cyprus. Mr. Parkes seemed to enjoy Master Park's visit and commented upon how beneficial it had been. Perhaps Mr. Parkes will give us a report for the 'Human Weapon'? Anyone else who wants some first class tuition knows where to write, telex, or telephone to, it's that close at hand.

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## INTERNATIONAL INSTRUCTOR/UMPIRE COURSE

The dates of the course are now from 11th. to 23rd. August 1986. This change has been made to allow as many people as possible to attend as we have had requests from several people to change the date as September is not suitable. We hope that this is sufficient notice for you to re-schedule your plans if you were planning on the date in September. Please remember to let us know as soon as possible that you intend to come for the course.

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