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CHANGE OF TELEPHONE/FAX NUMBERS

The telephone number for the championships is now (418) 6816322. The fax number is now (418) 6821049.

REGULATIONS

Please note that the regulations will be as per the current ITF regulations.

ENROLLMENT

We are surprised to note that there are still some countries which have not sent the form to say that they will send competitors to the event. This means that planning is difficult and you must write immediately if you wish to compete.

VERIFICATION OF DEGREE HELD

The following procedure will be followed by the ITF for the issue of ITF certificates for people who join the ITF with certificates from other organizations:

- 1. For 1st. degree up to 3rd. degree the ITF will accept the date of grading as being that date which is on the certificate from another organization if the national governing body certifies that the date is acceptable and that the person is qualified to be that degree with the ITF. The original of the other organization's certificate must be sent to the ITF and it will not be returned. The person must take a grading with a qualified ITF examiner to be assessed or upgraded.
- 2. For 4th. degree upwards the person must attend an international instructor course which is approved by the ITF. The original of the other organization's certificate must be sent to the ITF and it will not be returned. The ITF grading examiner must certify that the date is acceptable and that the person is qualified to be that degree with the ITF.

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VISITING OTHER COUNTRIES

The ITF have in the past advised people that they must inform this HQ when they intend to visit other countries to participate in TKD, no matter what the purpose is. This is necessary for several reasons, including the need to prevent people interfering with the internal affairs of another national association.

The following procedures must be followed for all national events and visits to other countries where it is intended to meet TKD practitioners from that other country:

- 1. National associations must inform the ITF HO of their plans for all events of a national or international standing. This would include all events to be held with only people from that country participating and all events to be held with people from other countries participating
- 2. National associations must inform the ITF HQ when they require to have a trainer or a grading examiner because they have not got a qualified person in their country. They must inform the ITF HQ, in writing, well in advance of the proposed training or grading. This must be done for each and every time that it is wanted.
- 3. The national association of a person who intends to make a visit to another country must be informed, in writing, the purpose of the visit. The national association must inform the national association of the other country and the ITF HQ, in writing, of the intended dates and the full purpose of the visit. The ITF HQ must be informed well in advance of the intended visit. This must be done for each and every time that a visit is intended. This must be done even if there have been visits in the past and you consider it to be a regular arrangement.

It is necessary to say that should anyone not follow the above procedures then it may be referred to the disciplinary committee.

PROMOTIONS

Many congratulations to those who have been promoted.

Vth. Degree

October 20th. 1989 - USA - Harris Bonfiglio, Michael Bonfiglio.

March O9th. 1990 - USSR · - Volmir V. Ligai.

IVth. Degree

October 20th. 1989 - USA - Jay Gantner. March 09th. 1990 - Greece - Kostas Kalfas.

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