

To the

- National Ski Associations (Full Members)
- Members of the FIS Council
- Chairs of the FIS Committees

Oberhofen, 9th March 2023

The FIS World Ski Championships 2028/2029

Dear President, Dear Secretary General, Dear Ski and Snowboard Friends,

We are pleased to invite all interested National Ski Associations to submit their candidacy for hosting FIS World Ski Championships in the years 2028 and 2029.

At the FIS Congress 2024 in Reykjavik (ISL), the FIS Council shall elect the hosts of the following FIS World Ski Championships:

- the 2028 FIS Ski Flying World Championships
- the 2029 FIS Para World Ski Championships
- the 2029 FIS Snowboard, Freestyle and Freeski World Championships
- the 2029 FIS Nordic World Ski Championships
- the 2029 FIS Alpine World Ski Championships

Applications for the organisation of the abovementioned FIS World Ski Championships according to the respective rules have to be sent to the FIS Secretary General at latest by 1^{st} May 2023 together with the registration fee and guarantee for training days, as follows:

-	Alpine World Ski Championships	CHF 400'000 + 200 training days
-	Nordic World Ski Championships	CHF 150'000 + 200 training days
-	Snowboard, Freestyle and Freeski	
	World Championships	CHF 125'000 + 400 training days
-	Ski Flying World Championships	CHF 100'000
-	Para World Ski Championships	CHF 20'000 + 100 training days

For repetitive, consecutive candidatures, Candidates will be entitled to a 25 % reduction in the registration fee for the second consecutive candidacy and a 50 % reduction for the third and further consecutive candidacies (Rules for the Organisation of FIS World Championships, art. 5.1.2).

After the election, the elected Organisers of FIS World Ski Championships will have to pay the following non-refundable fee and provide the following number of training days:

- Alpine World Ski Championships
- Nordic World Ski Championships
- Snowboard, Freestyle and Freeski World Championships
- Para World Ski Championships

CHF 1 million + 600 training days CHF 400'000. -- + 600 training days

400 training days To be confirmed by Council in spring

Furthermore, the application shall include the following:

- Written confirmation that the Candidate agrees to conform in all respects with FIS Rules for the Organisation of FIS World Ski Championships per article 1.3 of these rules.
- A statement that the Candidate to the best of its ability will not allow any discrimination in regard to affiliated National Associations or their individual members on account of racial, religious, political or other grounds.

After submission of the candidacy by 1st May 2023, FIS will provide each Candidate and its National Ski Association with a detailed questionnaire for completion. Consequently, the Candidate is requested and recommended not to produce a brochure or such like with the application.

Detailed information and various documents in regards to the FIS World Ski Championships can be found on the <u>FIS website</u>. In order to facilitate the growth of the sport, applications for the individual event groups for the FIS Snowboard, Freestyle and Freeski World Championships might be able to be taken into consideration depending on the numbers of candidates and subject of approval by the Council.

The Rules for the Organisation of FIS World Ski Championships can be downloaded from the <u>FIS Website</u>.

A bidding guide with specific details about the different FIS World Ski Championships is available on our <u>website</u>.

Please do not hesitate to contact Michel Vion, Secretary General (vion@fis-ski.com) or Sandra Spitz, Event Director (spitz@fis-ski.com) if you have further questions.

In the meantime, we very much look forward to seeing you at the last period of the World Cup season and take the opportunity of wishing you a successful end of competition season for your teams and a smooth organisation of your events.

Kind regards,

INTERNATIONAL SKI AND SNOWBOARD FEDERATION



Johan Eliasch President

1:00

Michel Vion Secretary General