

To the
 - Cross-Country Snow Controllers
 (according to the list below)

For information to:
 - OC's Cross-Country World Cups, WSC and
 their NSA
 - FIS Cross-Country Staff

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Snow Control for Cross-Country World Cups and WSC, Season 2020/21

Dear Ski Friends,

We refer to the FIS Cross-Country World Cup rules and are pleased to inform that you have been appointed as FIS snow controller:

Date	Site, Country	Snow Controller	Control Date (CC 15 days)
27.11.2020	Ruka, FIN	Annmari Viljanmaa, FIN	12.11.2020
04.12.2020	Lillehammer, NOR	Terje Lund, NOR	19.11.2020
12.12.2020	Davos, SUI	Hippolyt Kempf, SUI	27.11.2020
19.12.2020	Dresden, GER	Andreas Schlütter, GER	04.12.2020
01.01.2021	Val Müstair, SUI	Hippolyt Kempf, SUI	17.12.2020
05.01.2021	Toblach, ITA	Enzo Macor, ITA	21.12.2020
08.01.2021	Val di Fiemme, ITA	Enzo Macor, ITA	24.12.2020
16.01.2021	Ulricehamn, SWE	Ludvig Remb, SWE	01.01.2021
23.01.2021	Lahti, FIN	Annmari Viljanmaa, FIN	08.01.2021
30.01.2021	Falun, SWE	Ludvig Remb, SWE	15.01.2021
20.02.2021	Nove Mesto, CZE	Petr Mach, CZE	05.02.2021
22.02.2021	WSC Oberstdorf	Andreas Schlütter, GER	07.02.2021
12.03.2021	Oslo, NOR	Terje Lund, NOR	25.02.2021
19.03.2021	Beijing, CHN	John Aalberg	04.03.2021
	JWSC/U23 tbc	???	#####

We kindly ask you to proceed according to the rules:

2. Snow conditions

2.1 Snow Control

The Organising Committee must constantly inform the FIS Race Director on the snow conditions and preparations, especially during the last 3 weeks before the event.

A snow controller is nominated by the FIS Office for each World Cup stage and is responsible to send a report to the FIS Office (aschhoff@fiski.com) **15 days before the event.**

If the snow report is negative the Race Director will coordinate the work of an event preparation group that is comprised as described in article 2.2.

2.2 Event Preparation Group

In the case of difficult snow conditions 15 days before the event, an event preparation group will be appointed in order to make a decision on the possibility to hold the events as planned or to make any necessary changes.

The members of the event preparation group are:

- The FIS Race Director
- The FIS Assistant Race Director
- The FIS Event Coordinator
- 1 representative of the Organising Committee
- 1 representative of the National Ski Association
- The Chair(s) of the FIS Committee(s)

The event preparation group will make its decision at the latest 8 days before the event. In any case, the competition courses must be ready at the latest 5 days before the event.

In the meantime, both the host NSA and FIS will look for potential alternative locations within the same country or another country according to article 1.2.1.

If necessary, the FIS Race Director can nominate an expert (FIS TD or FIS homologation inspector) to be sent to the site in order to inform the event preparation group on the snow conditions, the snow production / transportation progress and the course preparation.

All the travelling and accommodation costs will be paid by the OC.

In addition, the expert will receive a daily rate paid by the OC according to ICR 304.1.1.

This timeline do not apply for city sprints.

Many thanks and best regards,

INTERNATIONAL SKI FEDERATION

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Race Director Cross-Country

(sent by e-mail without signature)