**Audi FIS Ski World Cup**

**Public Bib Draw and Official Evening Awards Procedures 2022/23**

We kindly ask that you please read carefully and follow all the steps below as part of the Audi FIS Ski World Cup Public Bib Draw and Evening Official Awards Procedures. These procedures will be discussed during the Operations Production Meeting and therefore FIS advises all organizers to include all the relevant personnel mentioned below to be in attendance.

**PUBLIC BIB DRAW**

\* PLEASE REFER TO RULE FOR ALPINE WORLD CUP (Rule # 9.3) RELATING TO START ORDER FOR DH, SG AND AC (IF 1ST RUN = DH OR SG):

* 1. ***The best ten (10) competitors present (quota adjusted) of the corresponding event WCSL will be drawn between start numbers 6 – 15, the competitors 11 – 20 between start numbers 1 – 5 and 16 – 20. Competitors with at least 500 WCSL points will receive start numbers right after 20, followed by the remaining competitors from the group 21 – 30, who will be drawn between the remaining start numbers up to 30.***

SHOW-UP TIME

* **Technical Events (GS,SL)**

We have a split show up time for our athletes for our Technical Events Public Bib Draws:

Racers present ranked WCSL 8-15 must show up 15 minutes prior to the start of the public bib draw.

Racers present ranked WCSL 1-7 must show up by the start time of the public bib draw.

* **Speed Events (DH,SG)**

There will be only one show up time for our Speed Event Public Bib Draws:

Racers present ranked WCSL 1-10 must show up 15 mins prior to the start of the public draw.

MEETING POINT / WAITING AREA

Athletes can spend 15 to 45 min at the meeting point; therefore, we require that the LOC’s arrange a meeting area, which fulfils the following requirements:

* A spacious enough area for the top 15 tech or top 10 speed athletes and one accompanying team chaperone - space for a total of 30 people.
* Comfortable seating for all 30 people in a secured area, separated from the public, media and VIP’s.
* Proper heat to ensure that in even the coldest conditions athletes and team chaperones stay warm while waiting.
* Catering – please ensure that warm and cold drinks are available. We encourage LOCs to provide some appetizers for the occasion. This can be used as an opportunity to showcase your region’s local culinary specialties.
* The LOC may organise an autograph area, the details need to be discussed first with the FIS Director of Race Operations.

**OFFICIAL AWARDS CEREMONY**

If an Official Awards Ceremony takes place in the evening, we would ask that you to provide the following:

* Ensure that the stage is set up with a podium (like at the Winners Presentation in the Finish Area for the place 2,1,3) for the athletes to be presented on.
* Ensure that each athlete invited up on stage for the awards gets an award and not just a handshake!
* Ensure that the National Anthem of the winning nation is played.
* Meeting point for the athletes should be the same as for the public bib draw, with the athletes showing up approx. 10 minutes before the ceremony begins.

For any further questions, please don’t hesitate to contact.

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