

Annex 1: REGULATIONS OF THE SLOVENIA ALPINE SKI POOL

Article 1

In these regulations the mutual rights, obligations and responsibilities of the members of the SLOVENIA ALPINE SKI POOL (here and after called the SLO ALPINE SKI POOL), competitors and the Ski Association of Slovenia regarding:

- amount of contributions of the SLO ALPINE SKI POOL members (a constituent part of the Regulations)
- number of members
- quantities and types of equipment
- use of equipment
- ownership of equipment

Obligations of the SLO ALPINE SKI POOL members and the competitors are determined.

Article 2

The contributions of the individual members depend on the status of the member and are paid:

- a) as a basic contribution - membership fee,
- b) as a bonus fee

Sponsors contribute their funds in the form of the basic contribution, i.e. the membership fee. The contract of sponsorship may contain provisions for additional bonuses paid to competitors based on their results.

Suppliers

All ski equipment suppliers are required to pay membership fee and Bonuses for each Team member by the scale of contribution.

Supporting members contribute their funds as the basic contribution in cash or other goods.

Sponsors, suppliers and supporting members are bound to pay their contributions (membership fee, bonus fee) on the basis of invoices issued by the SAS - SLO ALPINE SKI POOL.

Article 3

The scales of contribution for the SLO ALPINE SKI POOL suppliers.

When applying for membership a candidate for SLO ALPINE SKI POOL membership is bound to make a deposit equal to the basic contribution prior to the decision of the SAS. The membership fee is a constituent part of Regulations.

3.1 Ski&bindingsuppliers

3.1.1

Membership fee

Basic requested membership fee for skis & bindings suppliers (yearly/per season) is **5.000 €**.

3.1.2

The scale of contribution for the package ski & bindings suppliers.

Contributions have to be paid for each athlete by FIS ranking as follows.

Athlete ranked by WCSLin any of the disciplines:

1st - 3rd - € 7.000

4th - 7th - € 5.000

8th - 15th - € 4.000

16th - 30th - € 2.500

31st - 50th - € 1.300

Suppliers must equip at least 3 athletes in the National Children or Junior Team.

Suppliers with skis, bindings and boots have to assure service and delivery of service material upon individual agreement. For the World cup athletes ranked top 30 by WCSL the supplier shall assure ski service/multi service.

3.1.3

In case athletes achieve Top results during the season supplier is mandatory to pay **Bonuses** by Bonus list for each event as follows:

Olympic Games, World Championship events – individual competitions

1st place - € 7.000

2nd place - € 4.000

3rd place - € 2.000

World Cup events - individual competition:

1st place - € 5.000

2nd place - € 3.000

3rd place - € 1.000

Overall World Cup winner 20.000 €.

Europa Cup - individual competition:

1st place - € 1.000

2nd place - € 600

3rd place - € 300

At Europa Cup bonuses are paid only for men up to 23 years and woman up to 21 years. For older athletes there are no bonuses.

3.1.4

The scale of contribution for **equipping trainers**:

1- 3 trainers - € 500

4 – 6 trainers - € 1.000

more than 6 trainers - € 1.500

The following scale is only valid for SLO ALPINE SKI POOL members that do not equip any athletes.

3.2 Skibootssuppliers

3.2.1

Membership fee

Basic requested membership fee for ski boots suppliers (yearly/per season) is **2.000 €**.

3.2.2

The scale of contribution for ski boots suppliers:

Contributions have to be paid for each athlete by FIS ranking as follows.

Athlete ranked by WCSL in any of the disciplines:

1st – 3rd - € 1.000

4th – 7th - € 800

8th - 15th - € 600

16th - 30th - € 500

Suppliers must equip at least 3 athletes in the National Children or Junior Team.

Suppliers with skis, bindings and boots have to assure service and delivery of service material upon individual agreement. For the World cup athletes ranked top 30 by WCSL the supplier shall assure ski service/multi service.

3.2.3

In case athletes achieve Top results during the season supplier is mandatory to pay

Bonuses by Bonus list for each event as follows:

Olympic Games, World Championship events – individual competitions

1st place - € 2.000

2nd place - € 1.000

3rd place - € 700

World Cup events - individual competition:

1st place - € 1.000

2nd place - € 700

3rd place - € 500

Overall World Cup winner - € 3.000.

Europa Cup - individual competition:

1st place - € 500

2nd place - € 300

3rd place - € 200

Maximal contribution with bonus per season for ski boots supplier is € 3.000.

3.2.4

The scale of contribution for **equipping trainers**:

1- 3 trainers - € 300
4 – 6 trainers - € 600
more than 6 trainers - € 900

The following scale is only valid for SLO ALPINE SKI POOL members that do not equip any athletes.

3.3 Helmets&gogglesuppliers

3.3.1

Membership fee

Basic requested membership fee for the helmets and goggles suppliers (yearly/per season) is **3.500 €**.

3.3.2

The scale of contribution for the helmets and goggles suppliers:

Contributions have to be paid for each athlete by FIS ranking as follows.

Athlete ranked by WCSL in any of the disciplines:

1st – 3rd - € 3.500
4th – 7th - € 2.500
8th - 15th - € 1.500
16th - 30th - € 800
31st – 60th - € 500

Minimum number of racers, equipped with helmets and goggles is 4 racers.

3.3.3

In case athletes achieve Top results during the season supplier is mandatory to pay

Bonuses by Bonus list for each event as follows:

Olympic Games, World Championship events – individual competitions

1st place - € 4.000
2nd place - € 2.000
3rd place - € 1.000

World Cup events - individual competition:

1st place - € 2.000
2nd place - € 1.500
3rd place - € 800

Overall World Cup winner - € 4.500.

Europa Cup - individual competition:

1st place - € 800
2nd place - € 500
3rd place - € 300

3.4 Poles & protector suppliers

3.4.1

Membership fee

Basic requested membership fee for the poles and protector suppliers (yearly/per season) is **2.000 €**.

3.4.2

The scale of contribution for the poles and protector suppliers:

Contributions have to be paid for each athlete by FIS ranking as follows.

Athlete ranked by WCSL in any of the disciplines:

1st – 3rd	- € 2.000
4th – 7th	- € 1.000
8th - 15th	- € 800
16th - 30th	- € 500
31st – 60th	- € 250

3.4.3

In case athletes achieve Top results during the season supplier is mandatory to pay **Bonuses** by Bonus list for each event as follows:

Olympic Games, World Championship events – individual competitions

1 st place	- € 2.000
2 nd place	- € 1.000
3 rd place	- € 700

World Cup events - individual competition:

1 st place	- € 1.000
2 nd place	- € 700
3 rd place	- € 500

Europa Cup - individual competition:

1 st place	- € 500
2 nd place	- € 300
3 rd place	- € 200

3.5 Glove supplier

3.5.1

Membership fee

Basic requested membership fee for gloves suppliers (yearly/per season) is **1.000 €**.

3.5.2

The scale of contribution for gloves suppliers:

Contributions have to be paid for each athlete by FIS ranking as follows.

Athlete ranked by WCSL in any of the disciplines:

1st – 3rd	- € 1.000
4th – 7th	- € 800
8th - 15th	- € 600
16th - 30th	- € 500

3.5.3

In case athletes achieve Top results during the season supplier is mandatory to pay **Bonuses** by Bonus list for each event as follows:

Olympic Games, World Championship events – individual competitions

1st place - € 2.000
2nd place - € 1.000
3rd place - € 700

World Cup events - individual competition:

1st place - € 1.000
2nd place - € 700
3rd place - € 500

Overall World Cup winner - € 3.000.

Europa Cup - individual competition:

1st place - € 500
2nd place - € 300
3rd place - € 200

Maximal contribution with bonus per season for gloves supplier is € 3.000.

Article 4

In case producer of any ski equipment doesn't want to enter the Pool as a member, Ski Association of Slovenia will require the above stated amounts from the team members which will insist on use of the equipment of such producer.

In case member is not willing to cover Contribution and Bonuses for some of the athletes who would like to use their equipment, those athletes are obligated to cover costs themselves.

Article 5

The number of sponsors, suppliers and members depends on the financial scheme of the SLO ALPINE SKI POOL and on the SAS Executive committee decision.

The number of sponsors and members is determined on the basis of decrees issued by the SAS Executive committee (if possible for the period of one Olympic cycle - 4 years).

Article 6

The suppliers shall give the SLO ALPINE SKI POOL at its disposal or in free use for an individual competitor equipment with which the Ski Association of Slovenia equips the competitors.

The quantity and the quality of the equipment shall meet the world standards of the top skiing. In the year of the Winter Olympic Games and the World Championship the suppliers shall supply additional equipment only for the participants.

The quantity of the equipment, for particular category of the athletes, should be determined with individual contract, depending on how many athletes from every category supplier equips. Categories for ranking the athletes are determined in Article 5 of the SLO ALPINE SKI POOL Statute.

Article 7

All equipment belongs to suppliers and is at the SLO ALPINE SKI POOL disposal. At the end of the season the competitors shall return the equipment mentioned in point a) whereas the equipment mentioned in points b) and c) are considered as durable goods.

Article 8

Each competition season the Ski Association of Slovenia determines criteria for the use of equipment and conditions under which a competitor obtains or loses the right to use the equipment.

Article 9

The Ski Association of Slovenia shall sign a contract on mutual rights and obligations with each competitor in which the type and firm of equipment of the individual competitor and the way of use have been described in detail. The competitor engages to exclusively use the equipment determined by the contract at all trainings, competitions and official participation in Slovenia and abroad within the scope of the work programmes.

Article 10

All members of the Pool have a right to make testing of their equipment with competitors of the Slovenia ski teams. Time for testing is limited: it should take place within the period from the WC finals till 31st May after the season. Equipment can be tested only within the terms without training and on special occasions when team management establishes there is no other alternative. Team management can with agreement with supplier and the concerned competitor, in case of competitors' injury or some other excusable reason also extend the time for testing till 15th September.

Article 11

During the season in which the competitor is ranked in one of the selections (World Cup and Europe Cup Team), he is entitled to receive adequate equipment.

Article 12

Concrete mutual obligations, rights and responsibilities shall be determined by a special contract between Ski Association of Slovenia and individual racer.

Before the contract or agreement is signed for the first time, the competitors shall be informed about all the responsibilities and rights which result from these regulations.

Article 13

All mutual obligations, rights and responsibilities not specifically defined in the Regulations of the SLOVENIA ALPINE SKI POOL are determined by individual agreement between the SAS and the supplier.

Article 14

Initially, disputes shall be solved by the manufacturer, afterwards by the SAS Executive committee.

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