

Chess in Schools Commission

Batumi, Georgia

29th September 2018, 15.00-19.00

Chairman: K. O'Connell (IRL)

Present: U. Blanco (VEN), N.Kopaczet (NOR), D. Blanco (ESA), A. Yazici (TUR), J. Suarez Roa (ESP), L. Blasco de la Cruz (ESP), J. Mahomole (RSA), R. Waithe (BAR), E. Joseph (BAH), O. Prohorov (UKR), D. Cabal (BER), P. Ambarukwi (INA), T. Hongwei (CHN), Dr. G. Font (HUN), J. Hall (SWE), I. Baradachev (RUS), A. Kostyev (RUS), S. Tserendorj (MGL), S. Rathma (NOR), E. B. Kykkjebo (NOR), B. Roselli (URU), R. Kihmulu (KEN), H. Bhowany (MAU), R. Smith (TTO), C. Moura Netto (BRA), M. Avdiu (KOS), R. Katende (UGA), K. Howie (SCO), D. Chen (TPE), T. Sitale (BOT), K. Parol (POL), A. Brustman (POL), M. Ngugama (MAW), I. Dobronauteanu (ROU), H. D. Khaled (ERI), J. K. Kiragu (KEN), B. Wanjala (KEN), M. Brokko (EST), G. Diaz (VEN), B. S. Chauhan (IND), R. Mahdipour (IRI), P. Ameku (GHA), R. Zarza (PAR), J. Silva (COL), F. Gonzalez (VEN), J. Silva (COL), A. Marshall-Harris (BER), B. Messaoudi (TUN), C. Rivero Gonzalez (CUB), W. Toledo Zaldivar (CUB), R. Perez Garcia (CUB), S. Nakvanich (THA), H. Pees (DGT), B. Ulises Hernandez (VEN), D. Msibi (SWZ), J. Sidabras (LTU), C. Luis Perez (COL), J. E. Mejia (COL), C. Pesqueira Williams (ARU), P. Chatelain (HAI), B. Marinello (USA), A. Fornal (POL).

The Report of CiS to GA2018 (Annex 20) was approved (with some updates below), together with the comment of CiS Council meeting on the morning of 29th September 2018 concerning 2PB-2018/9 which stated the PB's decision *To approve CI [sic] titles but refer the report to the ECU CIS Commission Chairman for his input.*

CiS Council wondered why this was done and whether it is planned to refer all FIDE Commission Reports to Continental Associations for their input before approval. CiS Council also noted that no input has been received.

36 new SI Titles (see Annex XXXa) were recommended to GA for formal approval.

The application (endorsed by Tunisian Chess Federation) of Bechir Messaoudi to be added to the list of CiS Lecturers (for Arabic & French), recommended by CiS Council, was approved.

The Commission thanks DGT for printing 2000 copies of our booklet *Chess – A Tool for Education & Health*. Note that it remains available for free download in English, French (*Le Jeu d'Echecs - un outil pour l'éducation & la santé*) and Spanish (*Una Herramienta para la educación y la salud*) from cis.fide.com.

Following discussions between CiS Chairman and FIDE Treasurer and within CiS Council and further to the item on Seminar Fees (in Annex 20), now made as a formal proposal, Commission agreed the

insertion of the additional clarification that the seminar fee mentioned in the regulations would be payable in every instance that FIDE-CiS would be responsible for payment to the Lecturer and that relevant text be changed from “up to €100” to “€100”.

Commission also approved the restructuring of fees (see FIDE Handbook B.08.4.1), so that the examination fees (to be paid prior to commencement of training) and licence fees (second column) should become:

Early Years Skills (EYS)	€30	€30	(total €60)
FIDE School Chess Leader (FSCL)	€40	€40	(total €80)
School Instructor (SI)	€50	€50	(total €100)

CiS Councillors & members gave their verbal reports of annual activity.

Other presentations were then made, most notably the video shown by Ronald Zarza concerning the new (13 August) law making chess a pedagogical support activity in schools (1st & 2nd cycles of primary education) in Paraguay.

Many useful comments came from the floor (CiS Secretary will provide minutes of these for CiS web site).

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kevin O'Connell', written over a horizontal line.

Kevin O'Connell, CiS Commission Chairman
Batumi, 1 October 2018

Annex XXXa

CiS School Instructor (SI) Titles recommended to GA2018 for formal approval.

112470	Ianovsky	Matias Manuel	M	ARG	1987	ONL4
152676	Loubet	Mariano	M	ARG	1979	ONL4
22223258	Garcia Valer	Jesus	M	ESP	1975	ONL4
5143063	Solis Oviedo	Raymundo Ernesto	M	MEX	1987	ONL4
3906205	Gomez Hernandez	Fernando Gabriel	M	COL	1990	ONL4
???	Ochambela	Eduardo	M	ARG	1991	ONL4
174840	Gaite	Ruben Alejandro	M	ARG	1995	ONL4
106186	Bernard	Ignacio	M	ARG	1978	ONL4
6403913	Rosado De Jesus	Angel	M	DOM	1965	ONL4
3310671	Chapi Cussi	Marleni Rosario	F	BOL	1985	ONL4
46698000	Mali	Suraj Suryakant	M	IND	1988	ONL4
7500254	Martis	Valentino	M	ARG	1986	ONL4
140783	Almiron	Martin Alejandro	M	ARG	1977	ONL4
32088930	Garcia Madruga	Miguel Angel	M	ESP	1997	ONL4
2256754	Lain Moreno	Juan Carlos	M	ESP	1976	ONL4
5501776	Asri	Sofiane	M	TUN	1969	TUN1
5510570	Badra	Abderrazak	M	TUN	1963	TUN1
5510414	Ben Chaabane	Akram	M	TUN	1985	TUN1
5518717	Ben Gaed	Arbi	M	TUN	1975	TUN1
5507839	Ben Mustapha	Hamdi	M	TUN	1973	TUN1
5502179	Bouhamed	Abdelaziz	M	TUN	1978	TUN1
5500478	Charfeddine	Akram	M	TUN	1985	TUN1
5518709	Chakroun	Malek	F	TUN	2004	TUN1
9201424	Elburki	Fawzi	M	LBA	1959	TUN1
9201262	Elnami	Hashem	M	LBA	1994	TUN1
5518733	Sayahi	Abdessalem	M	TUN	1985	TUN1
7902751	Aouachria	Marwa	F	ALG	1999	FRA1
666220	Benda	Thierry	M	FRA	1982	FRA1
36057541	Incardona	Stéphane	M	FRA	1965	FRA1
20673418	Melier	Ludovic	M	FRA	1978	FRA1
260150	Piette	Kevin	M	BEL	1989	FRA1
249114	Wery	Laurent	M	BEL	1974	FRA1
5600243	Vella	Duncan	M	MLT	1971	GEO1
5310156	Somoff	Georges	M	LBN	1979	GEO1
10812431	Kiragu	Judith	F	KEN	1966	GEO1
4800664	Al-Dori	Salman Ahmed Salman	M	IRQ	1958	GEO1