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## **75th ISC Plenary Meeting, Rome, Italy**

**Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> till Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> 2025, ISC-COMMITTEE PARACHUTE-SKI**

### **REPORT/AGENDA Open Meeting**

#### **1. REPORT/ INFORMATION:**

- **Changing the name of the discipline to Parachute-Ski last year, Plenary 2024:**  
we all are already used to the new naming; we had no troubles at all.  
And we are not mixed up with “Paralympic disciplines” any more (we show our big respect for their performances and wish them all the best using “our” name PARA)
- **Composition of the Committee (voted till Plenary 2025):**

Chair:	L. Michael EGGER	AUT
Deputy Chair:	Martin GABLA	CZE
Members:	Henny WIGGERS	NED
	Ulf TINGNERT	SWE
	Günter BERENDT	GER
	Gernot RITTENSCHÖBER	AUT
	Sandro GARGINI	ITA
	(Mark POTAPOV	RUS - suspended)
(Kirill TYUPANOV	RUS - suspended)	
- **Parachute-Ski Competitions in the running season 2024/2025 (as reported to the PS-C'ttee so far (Nov 2024)**
  - 17th till 19th January 2025, WCS Praloup, France
  - 07th till 09th February 2025, WCS Sappada, Italy
  - **14<sup>th</sup> till 19th March 2025 FAI World Para-Ski Championships, St.JOHANN im Pongau, Austria**  
Bulletin 1 is published, see <https://acrobat.adobe.com/id/urn:aaid:sc:EU:2bef1d94-3eda-40b6-9537-04f2dadf7161>
  - **23<sup>rd</sup> till 29<sup>th</sup> March 2025 2<sup>nd</sup> Military Parachute-Ski World Championship (CISM), Engelberg-Titlis, Switzerland**  
(within the 5th CISM Military World Winter Games)  
**Find updated news at [www.parachute-ski.com](http://www.parachute-ski.com)**

As we already pointed out in the last year, all disciplines, also Parachute-Ski has to find a way to handle the situation not only caused by the Pandemic but also by the increasing flight-costs and Parachute-Ski additional by the exploding prices for skiing.

If Parachute-Ski FCEs took place for almost one week, it would be almost impossible to offer the entry fee without accommodation like in other disciplines (no camping in wintertime, hard to find accommodation in Ski resorts, etc.)

In former days the PS-C'ttee always tried to keep the entry as low as possible and organised meets “organized by competitors for competitors”. 2014 (Siberia), 2015 (Germany), 2017 (Austria) and 2019 (Czechia) the entry was € 670,- (6 jumps + final mostly out of helicopter, ski pass + ski race (3 runs), 5 days full board in hotel, transport from airport). Sanction fee was not included.

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Since 2010 Parachute-Ski is working with the “new” different system for the Jury, which means no jury-costs for ISC (except missing three Sanction fees). This made it possible that ISC took profits around € 5.000,- at each of the last two WPC 2017 and 2019 with the Sanction fee of € 90,-- (approx. 70 pax).

One way to find an Organiser for Parachute-Ski FCE might be to increase the Entry Fee in a drastically way – but as said **hand in hand with lowering ISC-Sanction Fee.**

**This year the Parachute-Ski C'ttee tries another way for the WSC 2025.**

**There will be an absolute low Entry of 290,- Euro (including 6 jumps, final jump and re-jumps, ski race, ski pass for the race, Banquet) which does not cover Sanction Fee, accommodation, meals and transport.**

**And as experience of the World Cup Series of the last years we also try to keep the time as short as possible (one day cut off).**

**ONLY IF WE FIND NACs ORGANISING PARACHUTE-SKI COMPETITIONS THIS DISCIPLINE CAN SURVIVE**

Anyway, now the World Cup Series is working (as mentioned above and below), **thanks to Martin GABLA** coordinating it.

- **Competitions in the last Para-Ski season 2023/24**

One Competitions of the World Cup Series was finished with the full program and official results in St. Johann im Pongau, Austria, in March 2024.

(the event in Switzerland was cancelled by the Organizer).

Martin as the WC Series - Coordinator said: “Even though we had only one competition this year, it was well organized, we managed to make the full program, the number of participants was ok.

This season we will have additional to the World Championships and Military World Championships three competitions for the World Cup Series.

Welcome France which is again on board.

You can find results on [www.parachute-ski.com](http://www.parachute-ski.com)

- **FAI World Ranking List for Para-Ski 2024**

The C'ttee has asked for some money to improve and continue the list.

You can find the actual list on [www.fai.org/page/isc-rankings](http://www.fai.org/page/isc-rankings)

## **2. Future WPCs, World Cups and other First Category Events:**

- At the moment there are **no signed Bids** for FCE on the table,  
Bids are welcome for the
  - 6<sup>th</sup> EC and 9<sup>th</sup> World Cup 2026
  - 20<sup>th</sup> WSC in 2027
  - and so on .....

## **3. Parachute-Ski Competition Rules:**

- No changes proposed so far from the C'ttee

## **4. Any other business**

As I told you last time I will step down as C'ttee Chairperson

As replacement the Parachute-Ski C'ttee has proposed Toni GRUBER, Aut, to the Bureau.

I kindly ask you to support and vote for him.

**75<sup>th</sup> FAI/ISC PLENARY MEETING, 1-2 FEBRUARY 2025, ROME. ITALY**

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We are looking forward to receiving information and proposals ([isc-paraski@fai.org](mailto:isc-paraski@fai.org)) and we invite you to organize and join the activities of PARCHUTE-SKI.

Glück ab – gut Land  
michael egger, Chairperson ISC Committee Para Ski  
Nov 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024