

# FIM ASIA STATUTE AND ARTICLES

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#### FIM ASIA STATUTES AND ARTICLES

#### Article 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 NAME:

An association called FIM ASIA (formerly known as Asian Motorcycle Union or UAM) has been founded by those approving these statutes. Nevertheless, FIM Asia shall continue to reserve the rights and ownership of the names and titles Asian Motorcycle Union, UAM and Union Asiatique de Motocyclisme.

# 1.2 HEADQUARTERS:

The legal headquarters and executive secretariat of the FIM ASIA shall be located at <u>a place chosen by the General Assembly</u>. The General Assembly has the authority to change the location\_when necessary.

#### 1.3 DURATION:

The duration of the FIM ASIA shall be unlimited.

#### 1.4 AIM:

The mandate of FIM ASIA shall be to develop and promote all forms of motorcycling activities in Asia and foster cooperation and friendship among its members, notably:

- To address all questions related to the development of motorcycling in Asia.
- To organize at least one Asian Championship motorcycle sport event per year in line with the aforesaid aim.
- To organize camps and seminars for riders, officials, coaches and administrators from the various federations.
- To help in the creation of programs aimed at promoting and developing motorcycle activities in all Asian countries.
- To promote the safe and responsible use of motorcycles in both sporting and nonsporting endeavors in Asian countries.



- To represent the interest of the motorcyclist in Asian nations and notably before the Management Council of the FIM.
- To promote in various media the motorcycle sports and the utility of motorcycles in Asia.
- To advance the goals, objectives and strategic development of the FIM.

#### 1.5 LEGAL STATUS:

FIM ASIA shall be declared a non-profit Asian association and body of the FIM. FIM ASIA shall allow no political, religious or racial discrimination within the organization.

#### 1.6 RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

The Asian CONU declares the reservation of rights in all titles, events, brands, organizations or company names wherever the terms Asia, ASEAN, Middle East and Pacific or any similar terms referring to the Asian CONU's geographical jurisdiction as mentioned; as well as in all television, radio, commercial, internet and digital media such as live streaming, video, telecasts and broadcasts promoting all motorcycle events and activities under the jurisdiction of the FIM; being the continental union who holds the rights to the Continental Championship and, in exercising the rights delegated by the FIM in all two-wheel events that are held within its territorial boundaries.

#### Article 2 - COMPOSITION AND ADMISSION PROCEDURES

Membership to FIM Asia shall be in accordance to the membership qualification and admission procedures provided in the FIM Statutes and by-laws. (e.g. a new FMN of the FIM becomes an ex officio member of FIM Asia. The fees are collected and paid to the FIM and partially retroceded to the CONU...)

#### 2.1 MEMBERS:

#### 2.1.1 Full members:

FIM ASIA is composed of FIM-affiliated motorcycle federations in the Asian continent. All member federations of FIM ASIA, must abide by these statutes.



## 2.1.2 Associate and Honorary members:

FIM ASIA may also recognize associate members without voting rights such as federations recognized by their government, organizations with direct links to the motorcycle manufacturers and honorary members.

#### 2.2 ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBERS

Any national motorcycle federation with the intent to become a member of FIM ASIA must send a written application implying such intent and an undertaking to pay the annual membership dues. This however shall be subject to the federation's compliance with all other requirements and regulations prescribed by the FIM.

Admission shall be pronounced at the General Assembly, upon the proposal of the Management Council.

The same procedure applies to associate members except for the clause concerning FIM membership.

#### 2.3 LOSS OF MEMBERSHIP

The membership is lost either by resignation, addressed to FIM ASIA by registered post at least 60 days prior to the date of the next General Assembly; or by expulsion. Expulsion is automatic when the member loses its FIM membership, or when it has been negligent in the payment/settlement of its dues/liabilities to FIM ASIA for two (2) consecutive years.

An FIM Asia member may also be expelled by the General Assembly upon the proposal of the Management Council for any serious reason or neglect in their payment of membership dues, but not before being given due process to be heard and present their reasons/defense.

#### 2.4 REPRESENTATION OF MEMBERS:

Each member of FIM ASIA with no outstanding/unpaid liabilities and who have expressed their prior intent to participate by nominating their delegates to the General Assembly shall be represented in the said meeting.



#### 2.5 OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language of FIM ASIA is English. All documents and publications must be published in English.

#### Article 3 - BODIES OF FIM ASIA

#### 3.1 FIM ASIA BODIES

The FIM ASIA bodies are the following:

- The General Assembly
- The Management Council
- The Commissions
- The Auditors
- The Disciplinary Bodies

#### 3.2 GENERAL ASSEMBLY

# 3.2.1 Composition

The General Assembly shall consist of one representative from each member country.

#### 3.2.2 Powers

By virtue of their appointment as the duly authorized representative of their FMN, the General Assembly, upon the proposal of the FMNs, the Commissions, and/or the Board of Directors shall have the following powers:

- Defines the general policies of FIM ASIA
- Approves the annual report presented by the Management Council
- Determines the sums of dues and different fees
- Approves the accounts of the previous year



- Fixes the budget for the following year
- Elects the President
- Elects the members of the Management Council
- Elect Auditors
- Creates and dissolves all FIM ASIA agencies
- Pronounces itself on all matters related to the goals of the association and not dealt with by another authority

# 3.2.3 Meetings

General Assembly shall meet at least once a year on a chosen/agreed date. However, an extraordinary meeting of the General Assembly may take place any time with the presence of at least two-thirds (2/3) of the total number of member federations of the CONU.

The venue and date of the General Assembly will be decided in the preceding General Assembly. The country where the FIM ASIA Secretariat is located shall be the venue of the next General Assembly when no motions or intent for hosting are manifested by any of the FMNs during a General Assembly.

Electronic Meetings/Decisions - In order to address pressing matters in FIM Asia's sporting and non-sporting endeavors, FIM Asia electronic means (teleconference and video conference meetings, voting by email) shall be accepted in resolving pending issues and concerns and in disseminating information. Such decisions, whenever applicable, shall take effect immediately and will formally be ratified in the next General Assembly.

#### 3.3 VOTING RIGHTS

Each country member is entitled to only one vote. These votes will be expressed by the respective federation's voting members or representative.



## 3.3.1 Convening notice and quorum

The General Assembly shall convene on issues presented by the President and circulated to the parties concerned at least thirty (30) days before the scheduled date of the voting.

The General Assembly shall convene upon the written request of at least one-third (1/3) of the member countries.

All useful documents must be enclosed with the convening notice.

The convening notice must indicate the place, date and time of the General Assembly as well as the agenda drawn up by the Management Council.

The General Assembly can only take decisions when at least one-third (1/3) of the CONU's total members are present.

# 3.3.2 Agenda

The agenda shall include:

- Approval of the minutes of the last General Assembly
- Approval of the President report presented in the name of the Management Council
- The Auditor report
- Approval of the previous year's accounts
- Approval of the provisional budget of the coming year
- A member has the right to submit a proposal to be included in the agenda. The proposal must be made in writing and sent by registered mail at least thirty (30) days before the date of the General Assembly.

# 3.3.3 Voting

Decisions to resolve issues/concerns will be made on the basis of a simple majority vote unless decided otherwise by the General Assembly in the event of requests to carry out the voting by secret ballot.



For the election of persons, voting shall only be by secret ballot, with the absolute majority of two ballots. After the second ballot, the candidate who had obtained the highest number of votes, notwithstanding that such is not the absolute majority, shall be elected into office.

# 3.3.4 Procedures of Voting

Independent tellers shall be appointed by the General Assembly to supervise the running of the elections and to count the ballot papers.

Ballot papers shall only be deemed valid if they do not contain more names than the number of positions to be filled, nor names other than those of the official candidates.

Blank or void ballot papers or any other form of abstention shall not be taken into account when counting the total number of votes cast.

To be elected, a candidate needs an absolute majority of the votes cast (50% of the votes cast + 1 vote, rounded up to the next highest whole number). If there are fewer vacancies to be filled than there are elected candidates, the post shall be filled by those candidates having received the highest number of votes.

If all the vacancies have not been filled after the first round of voting, the following procedure shall apply:

If the number of remaining candidates is higher than the number of vacant position(s) after the first round, the number of candidates allowed to participate in the second round shall be selected according to the highest number of votes they have obtained and by applying the following formula:

Number of vacant position(s) plus one

If the number of candidates is equal or less than the vacant positions after the first round, all candidates shall take part in the second round.

In both cases, only the candidate(s) who has/have obtained the absolute majority (50% of the votes cast + 1 vote, rounded up to the next highest whole number) shall be elected. If there are less vacancies to be filled than there are elected candidates, the posts shall be filled by those candidates having received the highest number of votes.

There shall be no third round of voting and the remaining position(s) shall remain vacant.



Any position which falls vacant before a period of office has ended or which remains vacant from a previous election shall be filled at the following Congress or Biennial Session. A position prematurely vacated shall be filled for the remainder of the period of office. Candidates will be elected and posts will be awarded according to the rules laid down in paragraphs 5-8. However, if posts with different period of office are to be filled, the allocation of posts shall be in descending order of votes received.

#### 3.4 MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

# 3.4.1 Composition

The Management Council shall be composed of a President and four (4) Vice Presidents, each of different nationalities, elected by the General Assembly.

# Secretary

The Secretary shall be appointed by the Management Council. The Secretary shall assist the President to take care of the daily work of the FIM ASIA Secretariat. The Secretary may attend the Management Council Meeting but without voting right.

Upon the President's request, the qualified persons may attend the Management Council Meeting as observers.

# 3.4.2 Meetings

The Management Council shall meet at least once a year but the FIM ASIA President may call an extraordinary Management Council meeting when necessary.

#### 3.4.3 Powers

- The Management Council has overall responsibility for the management of FIM Asia.
- The Management Council shall be entrusted with all the powers which, according to the Statutes and regulations of the FIM, are attributed to FIM Asia. (Art 14.2.2 of the FIM Statutes)
- The Management Council shall represent FIM ASIA in all legal actions as defendant or petitioner.



#### 3.4.4 Creation of Commission

The Management Council shall create and dissolve the specialized commissions responsible for the management and organization of different events.

Each commission shall be chaired by a member appointed by the Management Council. The commission shall consist of at least 3 members appointed by the Management Council for a duration of two (2) years.

The Management Council shall propose the creation of another article about commission's composition, rights and President's authority.

#### 3.5 PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENTS

General Assembly will elect a President and four (4) Vice-presidents during the regular elections. The President and Vice Presidents are volunteers, and as such, no monthly wages will be paid by the FIM Asia to them except allowances during official FIM ASIA business trips.

#### 3.5.1 The duties of the President are:

- To represent FIM ASIA in all circumstances
- To attend the FIM BD meetings.
- To chair the General Assembly and the Management Council in meetings
- To ensure the decisions of the General Assembly and Management Council are implemented
- To ensure the smooth and efficient functioning of the FIM ASIA at all times
- To ensure that FIM ASIA operates in a manner that allows its aims and objectives to be achieved in compliance with the FIM ASIA statutes and ensuring that such statutes are upheld.
- To enhance the development of FIM ASIA and promote motorcycle activities in the Asian continent.
- The President is the legal representative of FIM Asia and shall represent it before the law, as well as before all external organizations or companies.



- The President may delegate powers to other members of the Management Council. In the event that the President is indisposed, the Management Council shall elect an official to chair the meeting.
- The President may attend any meeting of commissions or working groups of FIM ASIA but he shall be without any voting rights.

#### 3.5.2 Duties of Vice-Presidents:

The duties of the Vice-Presidents are:

- To support the FIM ASIA President to fulfill his duty
- To act as liaison between Commissions and Management Council.
- In the absence of the President during meetings, one of Vice-Presidents shall be appointed as the acting President.

Vice- Presidents may attend any meeting of commission, working group of the FIM ASIA but he shall not have any voting rights.

#### 3.5.3 Candidature

To be eligible for candidature, candidates:

- must have knowledge and experience in motorcycling activities
- must be nominated by the FMN concerned
- has the option to orally deliver a speech in the English language to introduce himself and explain his electoral platform (proposed plans and contributions to FIM Asia, etc.) without any electronic assistance
- Upon election to the FIM ASIA Board of Directors, or the Executive Body, the said individual shall not be elected to any FIM executive body. (Art 14.1.205 Paragraph 4 FIM Statutes)
- The FIM Asia President shall be eligible to run for/ hold office up to a maximum of three (3) four-year terms or a maximum of twelve years as provided and in accordance with the Presidency term stated in the FIM statutes.
- must be the President or member of his FMN's executive council



#### 3.5.4 Term of the President

The President's term commences during the Congress right after he is announced the winner of the Presidential elections. It ends during the next Presidential elections.

# 3.5.5 Release from Presidency/Vice Presidency

The President/Vice President may be relieved from office by the General Assembly on the grounds of impropriety and dereliction of his duties that result to financial losses for FIM Asia. They may also be relieved from office on the following grounds:

- acquiring personal gains through his influence and position in FIM Asia
- advocating and allowing racial discrimination within FIM Asia
- inability to perform his functions due to absence for than six (6) months due to illness or for any other reasons

This release can be made any time during his term of office with a 2/3 vote by the General Assembly.

#### 3.6 AUDITORS

An auditor shall be elected by the General Assembly for a period of two years. An additional auditor is appointed by the FIM.

The auditors shall be responsible for checking the execution of the budget as well as auditing the accounts and the annual financial report.

The auditors shall present their report to the General Assembly before the vote on the financial report.

The FIM ASIA financial report shall be circulated to the FMNs for their perusal and comments at least thirty (30) days prior to the General Assembly. Only questions or queries submitted in writing within thirty (30) days after the circulation shall be entertained during the General Assembly.

#### 3.7 DISCIPLINARY COMMISION AND APPEALS COURT

The Disciplinary Commission shall consist of three members and one of whom shall be a lawyer. The Appeals Court is the Appeals Courts of the CDI (FIM International Disciplinary Court), of the FIM.



#### Article 4 - CALL FOR NOMINATIONS AND DURATION OF OFFICE

The FMNs shall be notified of the open positions for candidature in the convening notice for the General Assembly meeting.

The Term of Office shall be:

- President four (4) years
- Four (4) Vice Presidents four (4) years

In the case of elections held between the regular four (4) year terms to fill in a casual vacancy, the term of the elected candidate shall be concurrent with the term of the President.

A country may withdraw the mandate given to its delegate. This withdrawal must be made in writing, signed by the President concerned and sent by registered post

The delegate whose mandate is withdrawn shall cease to host his elected position effective on the date of the written notice.

#### **Article 5 - RESOURCES**

The following are the sources of FIM ASIA's revenues:

- Annual fee of its members
- FIM subsidies
- Grants from Asian institutions
- Gifts from the industry
- Profit from sponsorship or sale of rights
- Any income legally acquired

#### Article 6 - MOTION OF CENSURE AND WITHDRAWAL OF MANDATE

Any member of an FIM ASIA agency that shall not correctly fulfill his duty can be subject to a motion of censure. Similarly, any member that shall not comply with the rules of the FIM ASIA when carrying out his duties for FIM ASIA may be dismissed of his mandate. Such a person may also be subject to sanctions laid out in the Disciplinary and Arbitration Code.



#### Article 7 - ALTERATIONS TO THE STATUTES

The Statutes may only be altered by a resolution of the General Assembly obtained with a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote by the voting delegates.

Alterations to statutes shall take effect immediately after the General Assembly of the current year.

#### **Article 8 - STANDING ORDER**

The standing orders shall define the duties of the members of the FIM ASIA bodies and the rules and procedures necessary for the administration of FIM ASIA. They shall be approved by the General Assembly.

#### **Article 9 - INTERPRETATION ACT**

If there is no such provision in the FIM Asia rules and regulations, the FIM regulation shall apply by analogy.

#### **Article 10 - DISSOLUTION**

The dissolution of the FIM ASIA shall be decided by an Extraordinary General Assembly wherein at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members are present. The decision shall only be valid if carried-out by three-quarters (3/4) of the votes of members present or represented.

In case the quorum shall not be reached during this General Assembly, a second Extraordinary General Assembly shall be convened thirty days later during which no quorum is necessary but the decision to dissolve the FIM shall only be valid if carried-out by three-quarters of the votes of members present or represented.

In case of dissolution of FIM ASIA, the available assets at the date of dissolution shall be distributed according to the decision taken by the General Assembly.



#### 11.1 UNAUTHORIZED MEETINGS

The organization or staging of any motorcycle sports activity wherein speed is a determining factor and whose rules and regulations do not conform with FIM Asia's and/or its member FMN's national Safety & Sporting Code, its Appendices or the Regulations and as such are not inscribed in the FIM Asia's and/or its member FMN's national Calendar will not be recognized by the FIM Asia and/or its member FMNs. Such unauthorized meetings are not insured by any policy entered in by FIM Asia and/or its FMNs, and riders participating in such unauthorized meetings are not covered by any insurance for accident, death, invalidity and repatriation.

Riders requesting to be issued with an FIM international license to compete in an international competition must have participated in the current year of national federation's FMNR national series to be eligible and granted to be a member in good standing of the FMNR in FIM international license, if applicable.

#### 12. NATIONAL LICENSE FOR ABROAD ISSUANCE REGULATIONS

All FIM Asia members nations passport holders and whom are Competitors who wish to take part in a competition organized abroad ie: National or international higher levels, can only do so with the approval of their own FMN and organizers must be in possession of that approval before the competitor is allowed to compete.

- 12.1. Competitors and riders who wish to take part in a National Competition organized abroad can only do so with the prior approval of their own FMN.
- 12.2. Should an Organizer accept the Entry of a foreign Competitor and/or Rider who has no prior authorization from the FMN which issued them with or without their License or Licenses, that Organizer would be committing an infringement which, when brought to the attention of the FMN authorizing the National Competition concerned, shall be punished by a fine, and sanctions to the said rider for the infringement, the amount of which shall be left to the discretion of the FMN that authorizes the National Competition concerned.



#### Article 12 -EVENT CRISIS MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES

# ACTIONS TO BE TAKEN BY FIM ASIA OFFICIALS (PERMANENT STEWARD, CHIEF STEWARD, JURY PRESIDENT, TECHNICAL DIRECTOR, CHIEF TECHNICAL STEWARD, MEDICAL DIRECTOR AND CMO) FOLLOWING AN INCIDENT INVOLVING SERIOUS INJURY TO A COMPETITOR, OFFICIAL (OR A SPECTATOR) Edition 1 Sept. 12, 2019

#### A full investigation is required in the event of the following:

Fatalities, loss of sight or limb/s, paralysis, serious head injuries, potential fatality any spinal injury, a spectator being hit by a bike or other vehicle and any incident where a rider, official (or spectator) is airlifted from the event due to the severity of their injury.

It is the responsibility of the Clerk of the Course with his knowledge of the circuit facilities, marshals, medical staff and local laws and use experience / common sense to deal with the situation and deal with local authorities (police).

# In the event of a major incident telephone/message to the relevant Sport Commission. In the case of Road Racing:

The FIM Asia Official(s) (permanent Steward/Chief steward) will summarize the information and inform as soon as possible by phone the following persons:

#### **Telephone numbers: (**Whatsapp)

1) STEPHAN CARAPIET	FIM ASIA President	+63 917.899.2363
2) KENDY CHAN	CCR	+852.9328.0326
3) FRANS TANUJAYA	CMS	+62 811.223.668
4) ROMMEL PANGANIBAN	FIM ASIA	+639063733386



# Immediate information gathering for police/insurer by the FIM Officials (If applicable) / Clerk of the Course/Organizer Venue/Operator

- 1. Photographs' Scene
- Impound motorcycle(s) involved in the crash and rider'(s) equipment(s)
- 3. Impound Rider's helmet and to be released until further notice.
- 4. Obtain witnesses' names, addresses and telephone numbers
- 5. Seek and obtain video and photographic evidence from any source.
- 6. Be cautious if asking spectators

#### Information to be forwarded to Governing Body FIM ASIA by the FIM ASIA Officials:

- 1. Steward's Report
- 2. Marshal/Observer Reports
- 3. Any other witnesses' reports
- 4. Medical Log/Report
- 5. Scrutineer's Report (if necessary)
- 6. Racing / Radio Log
- 7. Regulations
- 8. Event Final and Supplementary Instructions (Event Management Committee meeting report(s), Safety Meeting report(s), International Jury Meeting reports)
- 9. Event Program
- 10. Track Plan
- 11. Third party insurance/Copy of Permit/Risk Assessment

The CCR Coordinators will collect all the detailed information from the FIMOfficials and relay it if requested to the Legal Department.

#### Forward to FIM ASIA Office of the President by CCR Coordinators:

- 1. Documents provided by Steward/Organizer as listed
- 2. Regulations
- 3. Event Final and Supplementary Instructions (Event management Committee meeting report(s), Safety Meeting report(s), International Jury Meeting reports)
- 4. Event Program
- 5. Homologation Report & Track Plan(s)



#### Article 13. PROTOCOLS AT FIM ASIA CHAMPIONSHIPS AND PRIZE EVENTS

# Technical Appendix

In order to enhance the prestige and visibility of the FIM ASIA CONTINENTAL UNION (FIMAS CONU) as the Governing and Sanctioning Body for Motorcycling Sports in Asia (as defined by FIM), the events shall reflect the value of the roles played by the FIM and FIMAS Officials, Representatives, Delegates, the host National Federation (FMNR) and promoter/organizer, while celebrating the performances and talent of the top three riders, or national teams, their teams, manufacturers and sponsors at each Event. The Protocol will be implemented at all Events for FIM ASIAN Championships and Prize Events.

This protocol shall apply to all FIMAS produced, sanctioned and/or officiated Motorcycling Events and FIMAS Signature Events. Such Events shall include FIMAS Asian Road Race Championship, FIMAS Asian Motocross Championship, FIMAS Asian Enduro Championship, FIMAS Asian Supermoto Championship, Asian Talent Cup, Asia Cup of Road Race, FIMAS Touring Events and any other Events originating from FIMAS.

# A. Protocol for the podium ceremony at FIM ASIA Championships and Prizes

For each class and category, the riders (or national teams) who finished the race(s) in 1st, 2nd and 3rd place, together with a representative of the team and/or manufacturer of the winning rider (or national team) if so specified in the Regulations of the Championship, must take part in the ceremony for presentation of the trophies on the podium.

# 1. Official responsible for the protocol:

Unless such an Official is already in place or where applicable, an Official responsible for protocol is appointed by agreement between the FIMAS and the promoter to direct, coordinate and assume responsibility for the protocol and stage-managing of the ceremony. The official in charge will be indicated in the Supplementary Regulations.

#### 2. Presentation:

Where applicable, a presenter will be charged with announcing the podium ceremony against a FIM/FIMAS musical background, then with presenting and calling on to the podium the rider(s) or national team(s), then the FIMAS Representatives, VIPs and guests invited to present the trophies.



#### 3. Podium:

The various elements of the podium, the FIMAS logo, the FMNR logo, the graphics used for the title of the FIMAS Championship, the positioning of the advertising marks must correspond to the instructions in the Visual Identity Guidelines established by the FIMAS unless otherwise agreed.

#### 4. National Anthems:

The national anthem of the winning rider, according to his/her passport nationality or national team, will be played for a sufficient time. Particular attention shall be paid to the quality of the sound equipment used.

### 5. Flags:

The national flags of the FMN(s) of the riders, according to his/her passport nationality (or national teams), in first, second and third place will displayed at the back of, or above the podium.

# 6. Trophies:

For all classes and categories, the trophies will be provided and prepared by the local Promoter, the local Organizer or the Title Sponsor. They will bear the name of the event and the FIMAS Championship or Event name, Prize and or placement, the class and/or category and the date of the Event won or placed by the rider or team.

The trophies will be presented first to the manufacturers' or national team representative followed by the riders (or national teams) having finished the race in 3rd, 2nd and 1st place.

7. Order of Presence of Personalities, Guests and Presenters for the Podium Ceremony:

Presence of Personalities, Guests and Presenters at the podium ceremony and prize giving, will be announced by importance or rank.



# Presentation of trophies in the following order:

- i. To the winning rider (or team):
  - The Sovereign or Head of State or Prime Minister, a Minister or Secretary of State or the Governor of the Province or the Prefect or the Minister of the Province or their equivalents (in this precedence order) or Political person of Area.
  - In his absence, the FIMAS President or his appointed Representative.
  - In the absence of the above persons, the FMNR President or his appointed Representative.
- ii. To the rider (or team) in second place:
  - The local promoter/organizer.
  - In his absence, the FIMAS President or his appointed Representative (if he does not present the trophy to the winning rider or team).
  - In the absence of the above persons, the FMNR President or his appointed Representative (if he does not present the trophy to the winning rider or team).
- To the rider (or team) in third place:
  - Representative of the Executive Body of the title sponsor or main sponsor.
  - In his absence, the FIMAS President or his appointed Representative (if he does not present the trophy to the winning rider or to the rider in second place or team).
  - In the absence of the above persons, the FMNR President or his appointed Representative (if he does not present the trophy to the rider (or team) in second place).
- iv. To the manager of the team of the winning rider (where applicable):
  - The Mayor of the locality.
  - In his absence, another personality, celebrity or dignitary of the country or the region or a local personality or dignitary



#### 8. Dress code:

When possible, an invitation shall be sent out in advance to each personality charged with presenting a trophy on the podium with a note informing them of the dress code which should be respected in all but exceptional circumstances (e.g. traditional national dress, extreme climatic conditions): business attire (State or FIMAS uniform or suit or blazer and tie for men, dress or skirt or trouser suit for women).

- B. Protocol for receiving officials and guests at FIM World Championships and Prizes
  - 1. Visibility of the FMNR / FIMAS:

FIMAS and FMNR logo or acronym shall be displayed in accordance with the visual identity guidelines agreed upon between the FIM and the Promoter/Organizer on all visual materials used to promote the Event.

The FIMAS and FMNR flag shall be present alongside the FIM flag wherever the latter is hoisted at the Event venue.

2. Protocol and Hospitality for FIM and FMNR Officials:

The Organizer or Promoter of an Event of an FIMAS Championship shall:

- i. Provide the necessary passes for the FIMAS and FMNR Officials, their accompanying person and guests to enter the Event, as agreed beforehand between the FIM and the Promoter or Organizer;
- Make available to the Members of the FIMAS disciplinary bodies (i.e. FIMAS Jury or FIMAS Stewards) suitable premises, equipped with WIFI, to enable them to deliberate behind closed doors throughout the Event. At least one TV screen and a closed circuit TV monitor set to coverage of the race(s) shall also be provided.
- ii. Make available to the FIMAS and FMNR Officials for the duration of the Event premises equipped with a table and sufficient chairs and at least one TV screen
- iv. Provide the FIMAS and FMNR Officials with a catering service (including drinks, hot and cold food), replenished from time to time, for the duration of the Event.



- v. Invite the FIMAS and FMNR Officials and one accompanying person each to any celebration organized before, during or after the Event.
- vi. Make available sufficient parking spaces for those mentioned above, close to the Race Direction.
- C. Protocol and Hospitality for the FIMAS President or his appointed delegate or representative. The Organizer or Promoter of an Event of an FIM World Championship shall:
  - 1. Make available assigned and marked parking spaces reserved for the FIMAS President or his appointed representative close to the Race Direction.
  - 2. When possible, make available an office with air conditioning and/or heating with sufficient chairs for several guests or accompanying persons and equipped with WIFI, at least one TV screen and a closed circuit TV monitor with coverage of the race(s); there should be toilets close by.
  - 3. Provide the above persons with a catering service (including drinks, hot and cold food), replenished from time to time, for the duration of the Event.
  - 4. Introduce him to the governmental, regional or local representatives or to any personalities present at the Event.
  - 5. Invite him, with his accompanying persons and guests, to any celebration organized before, during or after the Event.
  - 6. Invite him to any press conference organized during the Event.
  - 7. Include him in the Podium ceremonies (the rules concerning podium ceremonies are contained in a separate set of draft regulations).
  - 8. If necessary, provide a single (or double where necessary) room for him in a superior category hotel.
  - 9. If necessary, provide domestic transport for duration of event from the airport and/or the hotel to the Event venue and vice versa.

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#### ARTICLE 14 - GOVERNMENT INTERVENTION

All affiliated members of FIM Asia as National Motorcycle Federation's or FMN are autonomous from government intervention and shall have technical exclusive control of the administrative promotion and the development of the particular motorcycle sports for which they organize, sanction and promote. This is in line with the Olympic movement to face issues to preserve its autonomy."

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