

Appendix 1

Competition Regulations

1. Regulations of competitions approved by the host organization, alongside with the Rules are the main documents the officials and contestants shall follow. In the opposite case the Official Board shall follow the Rules.

2. Paragraphs of the Regulations shall be exact and exclude their different interpretations.

3. The competition Regulations cover the following parts:

- object and tasks of the competitions;
- the venue and time of the given competitions;
- the organization that hosts the competitions;
- the Chief official and the Chief secretary (by name);
- contestants and teams (entry conditions for teams and participants, weight categories, age, classification, team and organization membership);
- the order and dates to submit entries, the list of documents to present for Mandate Commission;
- the order of medical control and medical-sanitary provision;
- the program of the competitions stating the days and time of the weigh-in and the bouts in every weight category;
- the character and method to conduct the preliminary and final parts of the competitions;
- duration of the bout;
- conditions of the competitions and scoring (definition of individual and team placing);
- system of results' evaluation;
- the order to submit re-entries and their consideration;
- the conditions for the contestants and team reception;

4. Only the organization that has approved the Regulations has the right to make alterations and enter additions to them but not later then the start of the draw and with the necessary information for the representatives of all the participating teams or all the participants.

Appendix 2.1

Circular System with the Subgroups Distribution

1. Order to conduct the competition.

1. If a great number of players takes part in the competition in one weight category it is permitted to distribute participants to 2, 4, 8 and 16 subgroups so the strongest participants shall find themselves in different subgroups. The rest of the competitors are distributed to subgroups by the draw.

2. While distributing competitors to two subgroups, to define individual placing the finals are held. From every subgroup two players taken the first and second places participate in the finals.

When distributing competitors to four subgroups, semi-finals are held among the ones taken the first and second places in the respective subgroups. The first group for semi-finals is composed of the winners of the first and second groups and the second semi-final group is made of the winners of the third and fourth subgroups. The competitors placed first and second in semi-final groups reach the finals.

This order is kept when distributing the competitors to eight or sixteen subgroups.

3. In the preliminary and final parts of the competitions competitors meet each other by the circular system and the bouts, held among the players who have reached semi-finals (or finals) from one subgroup, are considered semifinal (or final) and their results are recorded in score sheets of semifinal (final) competitions.

4. The wrestler who took the first place in the first semi-final subgroup is recorded in the final score sheet as number 1, the one placed the second in the first semifinal subgroup - as number 4; the one placed first in the second subgroup is recorded in the final score sheet as number 2; and the one placed second in the second semi-final group - as number 3.

This order is retained when recording score sheets of the intermediate stages of competitions (while distributing participants to 4,8, or 16 subgroups).

5. Participants who didn't enter the final or semifinal groups (or any other intermediate stage of the competitions) finish the competitions.

6. The competitions in the finals, semi-finals (or some other intermediate stage) are held in 2 rounds: the first round 1 - 3, 2 - 4; and the second round 1 - 2, 4 - 3. In the 2nd round of the finals it is permitted first to hold the bouts for the 3rd and 4th places and after that the bouts for the 1st and 2nd places may be held.

7. The given order is retained completely when team competitions are held by the circular system.

II. Order of Pairing Off.

1. In the subgroups to which the contestants are distributed at the start of the competitions there shall be not more than 6 players.

2. For pairing off in the 1st round the figures are written down according to the number of contestants in two columns: the first number - on the top of the left column, the second - on the top of the right one, and below them the ordinary numbers in succession – 3, 4, 5 and so on, are written down the quantity is equal to the half of all participants; the continuation is carried over to the left column by the order from the bottom to the top.

With the odd numbers of participants in subgroups after the last number "0" is added (to make the number of contestants even).

The opposite numbers meet each other.

3. To pair off the 2nd and the following rounds the numbers are displaced: the first number stays on its place, the rest are shifted anticlockwise to one place in every round that follows.

4. In every round in the subgroup with the odd number of participants one player is free (receives a bye that is meets with the 0).

5. The table bellow is made by the circular system:

the number of participants in subgroup	r o u n d s				
	1	2	3	4	5
3	1-2	1-3	1-0		
	0-3	2-0	3-2		
4	1-2	1-3	1-4		
	4-3	2-4	3-2		
5	1-2	1-3	1-4	1-5	1-0
	0-3	2-4	3-5	4-0	5-2
	5-4	0-5	2-0	3-2	4-3
6	1-2	1-3	1-4	1-5	1-6
	6-3	2-4	3-5	4-6	5-2
	5-4	6-5	2-6	3-2	4-3

III. Definition of Placing

1. In individual competitions a contestant who has got the greatest sum of positive points as a result of all the matches in the subgroup (in semifinals and finals) takes the 1st place in the group of participants at the given stage of the competitions. The places that follow are distributed in accordance with the reduction of positive points scored by the players.

2. If both players have the same number of total points, the winner of their mutual match takes the best place.

3. If several players have the same number of total points (the tie), the places are distributed by the greatest number of victories in the mutual meets.

4. With the equal sum of points and the same number of victories in mutual meets, the best place is defined by:

- a) the greater number of positive points in their mutual meets;
- b) quality of victories and defeats in the mutual meets; in this case the preference goes in succession to the contestant who has got:
 - greater number of total victories 4:0;
 - less time spent for these victories;
 - greater number of victories 4:0 with the time 0.00 for the opponent's elimination before the bout because of his failure to appear on the mat or by the doctor's decision not scored as total victories;
 - greater number of victories by Superiority 3,5:0;
 - greater number of victories with the opponent's elimination 3,5:0;
 - less time spent for these victories;
 - greater number of victories by Superiority 3,5:0,5;
 - greater number of victories on Points 3:0;
 - greater number of victories for the opponent's elimination 3:0;
 - less time spent for these victories;
 - greater number of victories on Points 3:1;
 - greater number of technical victories 3:0;
 - greater number of technical victories 3:1;

- greater number of technical victories 2:0;
 - greater number of points for the opponent's elimination 2:0;
 - less time spent for these victories; and then to the one having scored in succession:
 - greater number of positive points in his defeats;
 - less number of Total defeats 0:4;
 - greater actual time in these bouts.
- c) greater sum and better quality of technical points scored by the fighters in all mutual bouts;
- d) the number of victories in all the bouts in the subgroup (in semi-finals and finals) and the quality of victories and defeats in accordance with p."b" of the given article;

Note: If a group of considered players, using one of these paragraphs can be distributed to subgroups, the places among the players within each group shall be allotted again applying pp.3,4 in succession;

e) if it is not possible to define among the contestants the best one according to the above given paragraphs, the draw is used when it is necessary to put one (or two) contestant into next stage of the competitions. In all other cases the players equally share the taken places.

5. Contestants who didn't reach the final or semifinal groups (or other intermediate stage of the competitions) finish the competitions and share the corresponding places:

- a) if participants were distributed to two subgroups then those who took the 3-rd place in both subgroups share the 5th and 6th places, the ones who took the 4th place in subgroups share the 7th and 8th places, and so on;
- b) in case participants were distributed to 4 subgroups the ones who took the 3-rd place and didn't reach the semi-finals, share 9-12th places; those who took the 4th place in subgroups share 13-16th places, and so on.

The analogous method is used to define the places with distribution to 8 and 16 groups.

6. If after the distribution to subgroups in one of them there is one contestant more, the player who took the last place in the given subgroup takes the last place in the weight category.

7. In case a contestant is eliminated from the competitions because of some disease after he held at least one bout in the subgroup, semi-finals or finals, he is placed considering that in all the bouts he missed he was defeated, and his opponent wins 4:0 with the time 0.00 (not scored as a total victory). If a contestant is eliminated by the doctor before his first bout, he is not defined any place.

8. For the contestant who was eliminated from the competitions by the Chief official decision the place is not defined and the results of his bout - be it in the subgroup, semi-finals or finals - are cancelled.

9. If in any weight category there is only one contestant it is considered that the championship in the given weight category is not played.

Appendix 2.2

Score Sheet

of Sambo Competition Course

" ____ " _____ 200__ City, country _____

Weight _____

Semifinal "A"

№	Name	Team	1	2	3	4	Points	Place
1			X					
2				X				
3					X			
4						X		

Finals

№	Name	Team	1	2	3	4	Points	Place
1			X					
2				X				
3					X			
4						X		

Semifinals "B"

№	Name	Team	1	2	3	4	Points	Place
1			X					
2				X				
3					X			
4						X		

Chief Official _____

Chief Secretary _____

Appendix 3.1

Elimination System after Two Defeats

I. Order of the competition conduct.

1. In the course of the draw all the participants in every weight category get their numerical numbers in accordance with which they are distributed to two groups:

- group "A" - players who got odd numbers (1, 3, 5 ...);
- group " B" - players who got even numbers (2, 4, 6 ...).

2. The participant defeated twice in the preliminary part in the group is eliminated from the competitions. The elimination competitions last till the time when only 3 competitors stay in the group; they make group finals "A" and "B".

3. Group finals are held by the circular system. The results of the mutual meets held are taken into consideration and all the missing meets are conducted. By the results of all mutual bouts the places of the three best players in each group are defined: A1, A2, A3, and B1, B2, B3.

4. Final bouts can be held by two methods:

- | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| a) A1 - B1 for the 1st place, | b) A1 - B1 for the 1st place, |
| A2 - B2 for the 3rd place, | A2 - B3 for the 3rd place, |
| A3 - B3 for the 5th place. | A3 - B2 for the 3rd place. |

5. If after the next round 2 contestants remain in the group, they take the

1st and 2nd places in the group by the result of the bout between them, and the 3rd place goes to the best one among those eliminated from this group in the last round.

If after the next round only 1 contestant remains in the group he takes the 1st place, the 2nd and 3rd places go to the two best among the contestants eliminated from this group in the last round by the result of the meet between them, it shall be held if they haven't yet met. If after the next round all the contestants were eliminated then the 3 best of them eliminated in the last round will make the group finals.

II. Order of Pairing Off.

1. Pairing off begins with drawing up the list of all participants of the round.

The list of the participants of the 1-st round means the list of the group according to numerical order increase in the course of the competitions in previous rounds. Besides, the contestant who was a bye (free) in the given round (with the odd number of contestants in it) will go to the top of the list of this round, and pairing off for the next rounds will start with him until another "bye" takes place at the top of the round list in his turn.

2. The contestant who received a bye in the given round will go to the following round without the bout. The order of fixing a bye is from the bottom to the top according to the list of participants in the given round starting with the last one.

3. When pairing off for the subsequent round, the "top" one in the round list meets with the nearest "bottom" one with whom he hasn't yet met.

For instance, for 5 participants in the group A the list of the 1st round will make: "1, 3, 5, 7, 9" and pairings of the 1st round: 1 - 3, 5 - 7, 9 - bye. The list of the 2nd round will make: "9, 1, 3, 5, 7" and the pairings: 9 - 1, 3 - 5, 7 - bye.

If a contestant "3" is eliminated in the 2nd round, the list of the 3-rd round will make: "7, 9, 1, 5" and so on.

4. If in the last pair the contestants have already met, one more pair, last but one, is added and of these 4 participants two new pairs are made up.

In this case the top one shall be paired off with all the bottom ones in turn with whom he has not yet met until in another pair there will be found participants who had not met before.

If the aim is not gained, one more pair is added and of 6 participants 3 new pairs are made up according to the same principle and so on.

5. If by successive use of p.4 the aim is not gained, then in the given round another participant next in turn shall draw a bye.

After that the pairing off in this round is made anew (using p.4 if necessary), and so on.

6. The broken sequence of byes is restored in the following round and the participant who gets a bye according p.5 is considered having used his right to be free (get a bye) next time.

7. In the last rounds of the preliminary part of the competitions, it may happen that a contestant receives a bye for the second time in the row or two contestants get a bye.

In any case the number of pairs in the round shall be the maximum.

III. Definition of Contestants' Placing

1. Places 1 to 6 are defined by the results of the final bouts.

2. With the placing of contestants who did not reach the finals, the participant is considered the best if he has got in succession:

- greater number of rounds before his elimination (including the round when he had a bye);
- greater sum of positive points for all the bouts in the group;

- greater number of victories in mutual meets if they were held, and better quality of victories and defeats (appendix 2.1, part III, pp. 3, 4, a, b, c);
- greater number and better quality of victories and defeats in all the bouts in the group.

Participants having the equal indices at this stage share the respective places.

3. The participant is considered the best in the group in the last round among the ones who were eliminated if he has got:

- greater number of positive points in all the bouts in the group; the victory in the mutual meet that shall be held if there was none.

4. With the placing in the group finals, the best participant is considered to be the one who has got:

- greater number of positive points in all the bouts in the group finals;
- greater number of victories and better quality of victories and defeats in the group finals;
- less time spent for total victories;
- greater number and better quality of Technical points in the bouts of the group finals;
- less number of warnings in the bouts of the group finals;
- greater number of positive points scored for all the competitions;
- less time spent for Total victories in all the bouts;

In this case if the index, used to compare the players, is of the different meaning for all the three of them, these 3 places are defined by this index. If only the best (or the worst) player can be defined by this index, the places in the group finals of the other two players with the equal index are defined by the result of their mutual meet.

If all the indices of the three players are the same, the best one in the group finals is defined by a draw.

5. If a contestant is eliminated from the competitions by the doctor, he takes the place in accordance with the elimination round and the result he has got by that time. In case he has reached the group finals, he is included in pairing off at this stage and in the list of final pairs, he is scored in the rest of the bouts the defeat 0:4 with the time 0.00 and his placing is defined by this result.

6. If a contestant is eliminated from the competitions by the Chief official decision (failure to come to the mat, rough breaking of the Rules) his placing is not defined. In case it happened in the finals of the competitions his opponents are scored the victory 4:0 with the time 0.00 and they are placed in the finals according to these results. Participants who didn't reach the finals go one place up.

Appendix 3.2

Score Sheet

of Sambo Competition Course

" ____ " _____ 200 ____

City, Country _____

Weight _____

Participant No.	Name	Team, sports rating	Meets by rounds										Eliminati on round	Positive points	Placing
			1	2	3	4	5	6	...	Semifinals	Finals				
1															
3															
5															
...															
2															
4															
6															
...															

Chief Official _____

Chief Secretary _____

Appendix 4.1

System of Distribution to Groups, Elimination and Repecharges (loser's pool).

I. Order to conduct the competition..

All the participants are distributed to two groups at the draw: A (odd) and B (even). Numerical order of every player is defined by the draw directly at the weigh-in or after it ends and is kept for him during the whole time of the competition.

1. In groups A and B the participants scoring victories in preliminary bouts, proceed to the following round. Thus it lasts until two finalists are defined - the strongest ones in the groups (A1 and B1).
2. Among the contestants defeated by the strongest players, repecharges (loser's pool, consolation bouts) are held by the scheme of the appendix 4.2, for the definition of the following places in the groups (A2, A3 and B2, B3).
3. Another version of repecharges is shown in the scheme of the appendix 4.3, according to which the players who lost to 4 semifinalists and the defeated semi-finalists take part in them.
4. With the great number of participants repecharges of the round may not be held (the so-called "Olympic" system).
5. The version of holding the bouts - according to pp. 3, 4 or 5 - shall be stated in the competition Regulations.
6. In the finals the meets for the 1st and also for the 3rd and 5th places are held. The matches for the 3rd or the 5th places are not held if it is stipulated in the Regulations.

II. Order of Pairing Off and Definition of Places.

1. The pairs of the first and all the following rounds in the preliminary competitions are made up according to the scheme of the appendices 4.2 and 4.3.
2. In case repecharges are held by p.3 part I, the loser to the strongest player in the 1st round meets with the loser to the strongest one in the 2nd round. Then the winner of this bout wrestles with the player defeated by the strongest contestant in the 3rd round and so on. In the finals the winners of repecharges (A2 and B2) compete for the 3rd place, the losers of the last repecharge - for the 5th place.
3. When conducting repecharges by p.4 part I, the losers to semi-finalists in the 1st round meet with the losers to the same semi-finalists in the 2nd round, the winners of these bouts meet with the losers to the same semi-finalists in the 3rd round, and so on.

The winners of these meets competed in one group draw the right to meet the defeated semi-finalists of another group. The winners of these bouts (A2 and B2) compete in the finals for the 3rd place, the losers of the last repecharge bout (A3 and B3) - for the 5th place.

4. In the finals for the 1st place, the players who haven't lost a single bout meet in their group (A1 and B1).

5. Following the players who took the 5th - 6th places, the ones who lost last but one repechage bout, take the 7th - 8th places, and so on.

6. After that the places are defined for the players who did not get into the repechages, depending on the round they finished the competitions in. The ones eliminated in one round share the respective place.

Appendix 4.2

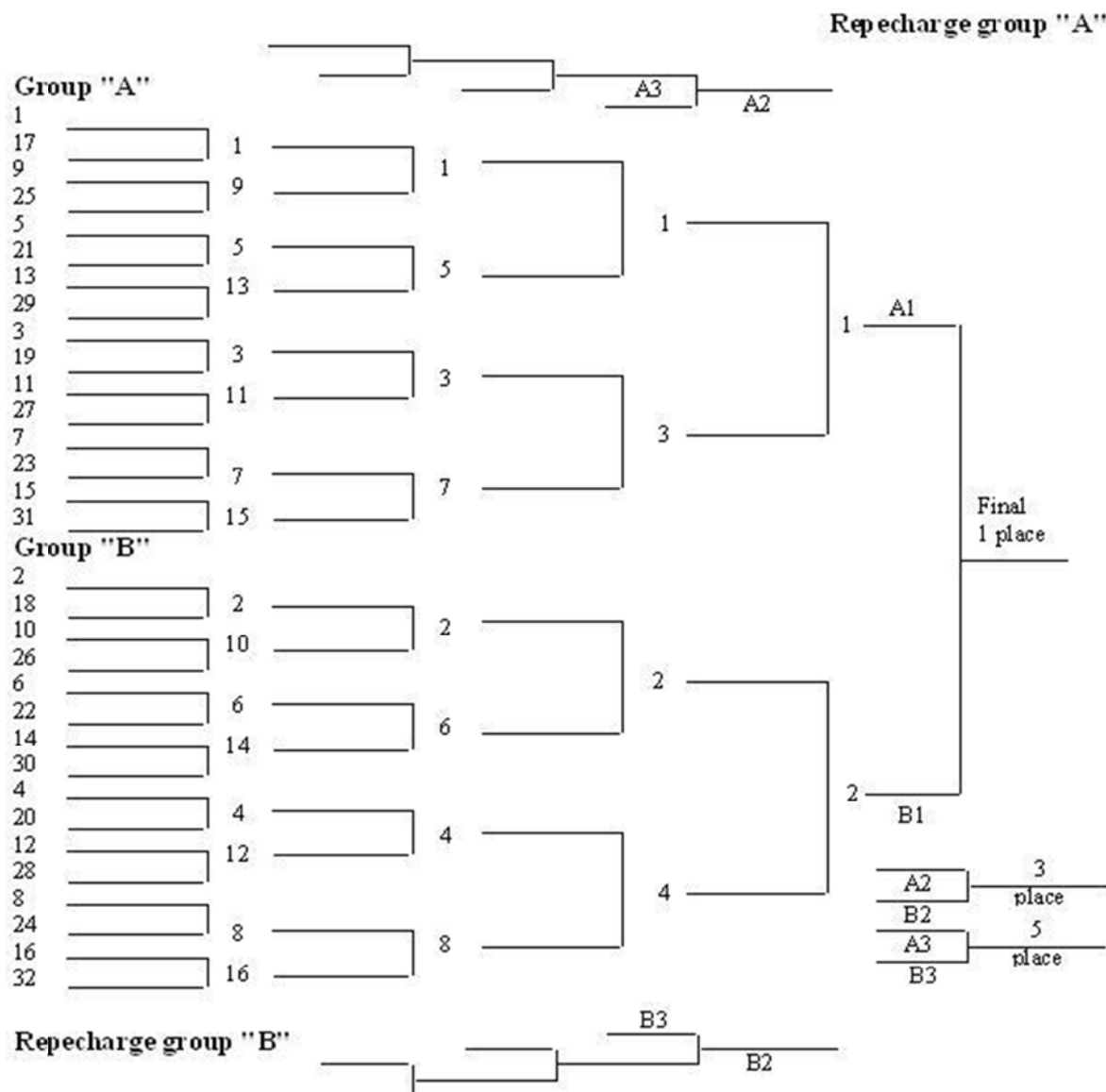
Score Sheet of Sambo Competiton Course

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City,

country. _____

Weight _____ kg



Chief Official _____

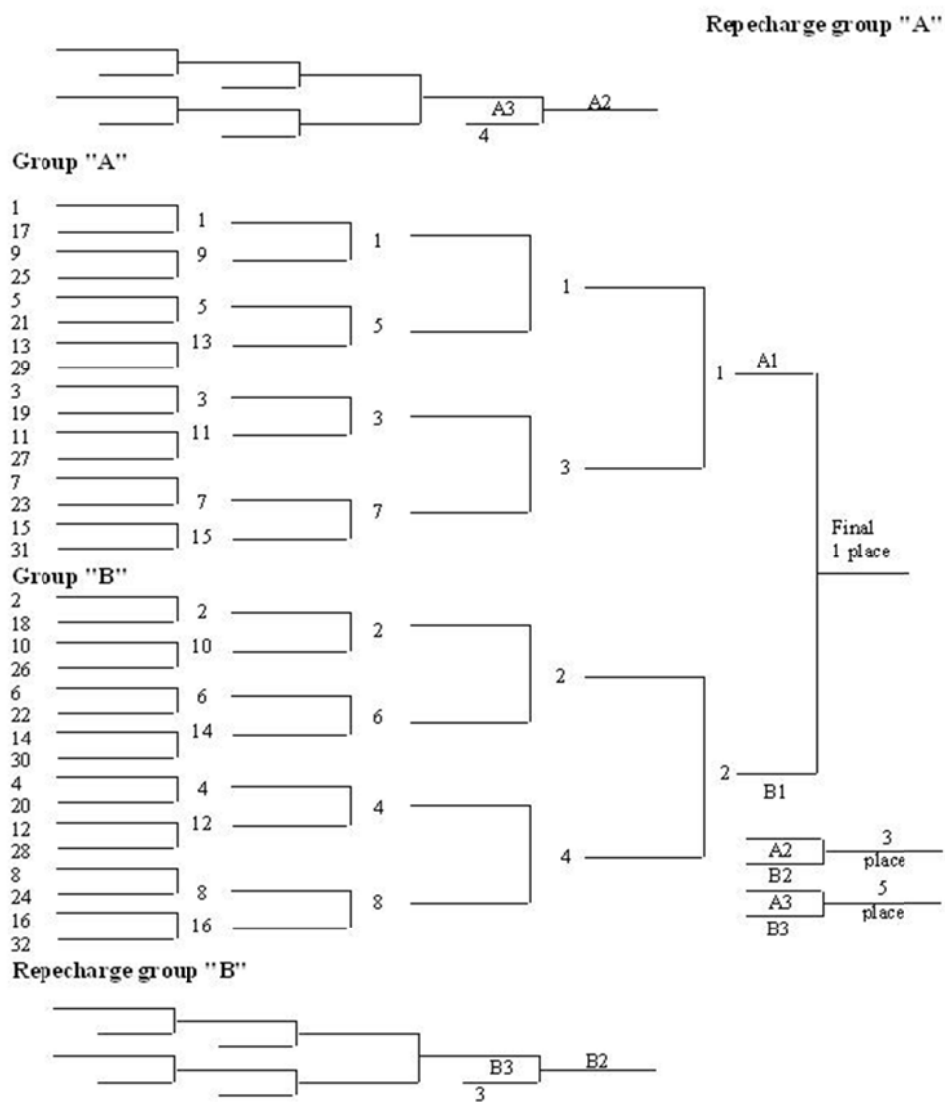
Chief Secretary _____

Appendix 4.3

Score Sheet of Sambo Competiton Course

« _____ » _____ 20__ City, country. _____

Weight _____ kg

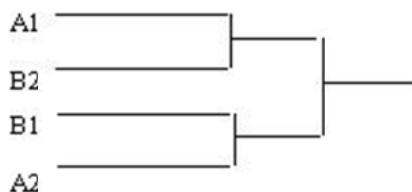


Chief Official _____ Chief Secretary _____

Appendix 5

Method of Competitions in the Finals

1. Olympic method (system) of the finals for 4 contestants. The players taken the 1st and 2nd places in group A and B reach the finals: A1, A2 and B1, B2.



They make the semi-final pairs by the following scheme:

The winners of semi-finals reach the finals.

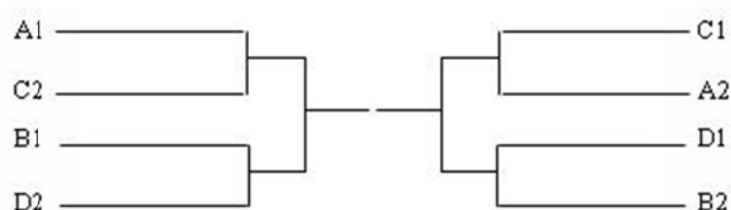
The winner of the final bout takes the 1st place, the loser - 2nd one. The losers in the semi-finals take two 3rd places.

The 3rd and 4th places can be drawn if it is stipulated in the Regulations.

2. Olympic system to hold the finals for 8 participants. The players taken the 1st and 2nd places in groups A, B, C and D reach the finals:

A1, A2 and B1, B2 and C1, C2 and D1, D2.

They make quarter-final pairs by the following scheme:



The winners in the quarter-finals reach semi-finals, the winners of the semi-finals reach the finals.

The winner in the final bout takes the 1st place, the loser - the 2nd one. The 3rd and 4th places can be drawn if it is stipulated in the Regulations.

3. Direct method of the finals for 6 participants. The players taken the

1st - 3rd places in groups A and B reach the finals: A1, A2, A3 and B1, B2, B3.

They make the final pairs by the following scheme:

A1-B1- for the 1st place.

A2-B2- for the 3rd place.

A3-B3- for the 5th place.

The winners of the finals take the 1st, 3rd and 5th places respectively, the losers - the 2nd, the 4th and the 6th ones.

4. Cross- direct method of the finals for 6 participants.

The players taken the 1st - 3rd places in groups A and B reach the finals:

A1, A2, A3 and B1, B2, B3.

They make final pairs by the following scheme:

A1 - B1 for the 1st place.

A2 - B3 for the 3rd place.

A3 - B2 for the 3rd place.

The winners of the final bouts take the 1st and two 3rd places respectively, the losers - the 2nd and two 5th places.

The 3rd - the 4th places can be drawn if it is stipulated in the Regulations.

Appendix 6.1

Definition of Results in Team Competitions

I. Individual - team competitions.

1. In individual-team competitions team places are defined depending on individual placing of participants making the recorded line-up of the team. If in the Regulations some other condition is not stipulated, the team shall have one recorded participant in every weight category.

2. Team placing in individual - team competitions is defined by the one of two methods:

a) by greater sum of points scored by the recorded participants by the principle " the best is the place, the greater is number of points";

b) by the less sum of penalty points scored by all recorded participants considering the places they took by principle " the 1st place - 1 point; the 2nd place - 2 points, and so on", and for every participant absence the team is scored additional number of penalty points equal to the number of competitors in the weight category where he was absent (or in the most numerous weight category if it is stipulated in the Regulations) plus 1 penalty point.

3. With the equality of points in two or several teams, the advantage is given to the team, the participants of which have in succession:

a) greater number of the 1st, 2nd and other places that follow;

b) greater number of participants in those weight categories in which recorded participants took the first places; greater number of their victories; better quality of victories and defeats;

c) greater number of participants in the weight categories in which they took the second places, and so on.

If in a weight category only one player was weighed-in, he brings his team the points corresponding to the 1st place.

4. The results of team competitions shall be recorded in a score sheet.

II. Team competitions.

1. Team competitions may be conducted by any system used for the individual competitions. The system and method, the number of participants in the team, weight categories and the possibility of the competitors' substitution during the competitions shall be defined by the Regulations.

2. Minimum line-up of the team in every meet shall be bigger of the half of the complete team. If a contestant recorded for the meet is absent at the team presentation, the absence is scored and he is eliminated from the competitions.

3. In team competitions (see appendix 6.3) for the victory of its contestant in every pair, the team is scored 1 point, for the defeat or the absence - 0 points. In case no participant is recorded or his failure to come to the meet, his opponent is scored the victory 4:0 with the time 0.00.

The team scored the greatest number of points is the winner of the given meet.

In case of the equal number of points (the tie) the advantage goes to the team that has got:

- a) greater number of positive points scored by the team participants in all the bouts of the given meet;
- b) greater number of victories 4:0, including the ones with the time 0.00.
- c) less time spent for these victories and further according to appendix 2.1, part III, p.4 b.

With the equality of these indices the advantage goes to the team having the greater sum of Technical points scored by all the participants in the bouts they had. Further - according to article 28, p.2. In case those indices are also equal, the team won the bout in the heaviest weight category is considered a winner.

4. The victory of the team meets as whole, scores the team 1 point, the defeat - 0 points.

5. In the competitions held by the circular method (see appendix 2.1) when placing the teams in subgroups, semifinals and finals it is successively considered:

- a) the number of points for the victories in team meets;
- b) the results of mutual meets:
 - the number of team victories in mutual meets;
 - the number of bouts won in these meets;
 - the sum of positive points scored by the participants in these bouts, and so on, according to p.3.

Later on, the advantage goes to the team held the greater number of bouts won by its participants in all the team meets in the subgroup, semi-finals or finals, etc. in the order given before.

Total placing of the teams taken the same places in subgroups (semi-finals) but not reached the semi-finals (finals) are distributed as follows:

- a) by the number of team victories in the subgroup (semi-finals);

- b) by the number of the bouts won in all the team meets in the subgroup (semi-finals);
- c) by the sum of positive points scored by the participants of those bouts, etc., by p.3.

If the team that has not held 50% of meets in the subgroup (semi-finals) withdraws from the competitions, all its results achieved at the given stage are annulled and it takes the last place in the subgroup (semi-finals).

If the team that has held not less than 50% of the bouts in the subgroup, semi-finals or finals withdraws from the competitions its placing depends on the results of those meets. In this case it is considered that in the missed meets it lost to the recorded line-up of the opponents all the bouts 0:4 with the time 0.00.

6. In team competitions held by the elimination system with two defeats, the main provisions of appendix 3.1 are used. In team competitions held by the elimination system and with repecharges, basic provisions of appendix 4.1 are used.

7. With the teams, the line-up of which becomes smaller then the one defined by the Regulations because of the participant elimination by the doctor, the placing is defined by the result achieved by the team before this participant was eliminated. The team is not defined any place if this situation happened because of the participants failure to come to the weigh-in or in case of their elimination from the competitions by the Chief official for the violation of the Rules.

Appendix 6.2

Score Sheet

of the Results of Team Competitions in Sambo

"__" _____ 200__ City, country _____

Place	Team	Sum of points											Notes
1													
2													
3													

Chief official _____ Chief secretary _____

Appendix 6.3

Score Sheet

of the Team Meet in Sambo

"__" _____ 200__

City, country _____

Team _____

Team _____

Weight category	Name	Points	Team points	Result, time	Team points	Points	Name
48			1	<u>4:0</u> 2.55	0		
52			1	<u>3:1</u> 5.00	0		
56			0	<u>0:3</u> 5.00	1		
...							
+100			0	<u>0:2</u> 5.00	1		

Total result of the meets _____ in favour of
 the team _____

Mat chairman _____

Chief Official _____

Referee _____

Chief Secretary _____

Judge _____

Appendix 7

Entry

from Organization_____for participation

in Sambo competitions_____

from_____ to _____200__ in the city of _____

№	Full name	Date of birth	Sports rating	Weight category	Organization, city, country	Place of work, studies	Coach's name	Best result	Doctor's viza. Stamp
1									
2									
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									

All in all _____athletes are admitted to the competitions.

Chief of the Organization _____ Doctor _____

Coach of the team _____

S T A M P

Representative _____

Appendix 8

Score Sheet

of the weigh-in and the draw of Sambo competition participants.

"__" _____ 200__ City, country _____

Weight _____kg.

No.	No. of the draw	No. of participant	Full name	Organi- zation, city, county	Sports rating, title	Date of birth	Notes
1							
2							
3							
4							
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...							

Chief Official _____

Doctor _____

Chief Secretary _____

Officials _____

Appendix 9

Required Number of officials and serving personnel for Sambo competition conduct (in one place)

Name of the officiating persons	Distribution of officials by the number			
	to 1 mat	to 2 mats	to 3 mats	to 4 mats
O f f i c i a l s :				
Chief Official	1	1	1	1
Chief Official's deputy	-	1	2	3
Mat chairman	2	3	5	6
Chief Secretary	1	1	1	1
Chief Secretary deputy	1	1	1	1
Secretary	-	1	3	4
Technical secretary	1	2	3	4
Timekeeper	2	3	4	5
Referee	4	8	12	16
Judge	4	8	12	16
Official attached to contestants	1	2	3	4
Informant	1	2	3	4
Commentator	1	1	2	2
S e r v i n g p e r s o n n e l				
Doctor	1	1	2	2
Medical nurse	1	2	2	3
Superintendant	1	1	1	1
Painter	1	1	2	2
Typist	1	2	3	4
Representative of the host organization	2	2	2	2
Total:	26	43	64	82

In case the competitions are held over 3 hours, additional 1 referee and 2 judges for every mat are needed.

Appendix 10

Statement of the formal acceptance of Sambo competitions venue

"__" _____ 200__ City, country _____

The present document is made by the Chief official, the representative of the sports facilities and the doctor verifying that the equipment of the competition venue corresponds (does not correspond) to the requirements of Sambo competitions Rules.

Explanation _____

The address of the competition venue: _____

Chief Official _____.

Representative of the sports facilities _____

Doctor _____

Appendix 11

Scheme of the Chief Official's Report Of Sambo Competitions

- 1. Organization of competitions:**
 - a) the name of the competitions;
 - b) the date of the competitions;
 - c) the city and venue of the competitions;
 - d) sports organization that was responsible for preparation and conduct of the competitions;
 - e) line-up of the Chief Officials Board;
 - f) the order of the competition conduct that was planned; its correspondence to the plan; the reasons of changes if any;
 - g) the evaluation of the competition organization (reception of participants, competition areas, meals, etc.);
 - h) the conclusions and suggestions on organization of competitions in future.

2. Popularization of Competitions:

- a) the contents and evaluation of propaganda held in connection with the competitions (posters, coverage of their course in mass media, broadcasting, information for spectators at the venue, etc.);
- b) the number of spectators at the competitions.

3. Participants of the competitions (data of the Mandate Commission):

- a) the number of admitted participants;
- b) the number of participants competed, including their weight category, from every sports organization;
- c) rating qualification;
- d) the number of participants eliminated from the competitions by the Chief official decision including the failure to appear (by default), by the doctor's decision and other reasons.

4. Sports evaluation of the competitions:

- a) conclusion of participants readiness to the competitions; characteristics of participants (teams) physical and technical preparation;
- b) the number of participants having fulfilled sports norms (ratings) considering their victories at the given competitions.

5. Officiating:

- a) personal line-up of Officiating Board (stating the official's category of every official and his duties);
- b) evaluation of the officiating as a whole and every official personally; declaration of the best officials;
- c) number and evaluation of submitted protests,how many of them were satisfied and refused.
- c) specific suggestions on changing and more precise definition of the Rules, system and method of competitions,and so on.

6. It shall be added to the report:

- a) Regulations of the competitions;
- b) team entries for participation;
- c) materials of the Mandate Commission and participants completed forms;
- d) score sheets of the weigh-in;
- e) score sheets of the competitions course (2 copies);
- f) score sheets of the bouts and team meets;
- g) score sheets of all the meetings of the Officials Board;
- h) protests and the decisions made on them;
- i) statement of the venue formal acceptance;
- j) report of the Doctor of the competition.

Appendix 12

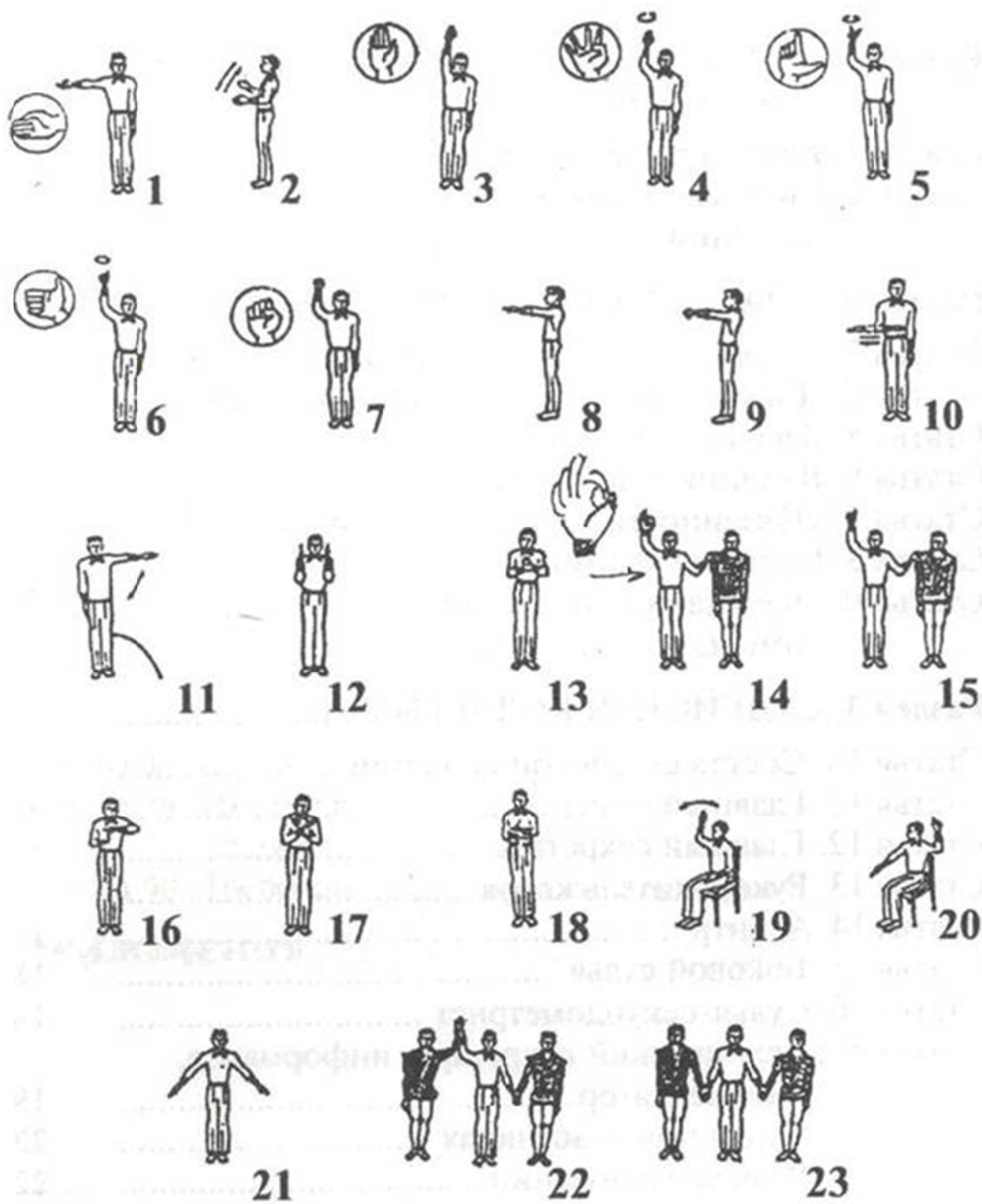
Officials' Gestures

R - referee, J - judge, M - mat chairman.

№	Gesture	Official making a gesture	Description of gestures
1	Introduction of participants	R	Stands facing the officials' table and symmetrically to the players. When introducing a participant stretches in his direction the arm with the shirt sleeve of the corresponding color. Then raises his stretched arms up to the shoulder level simultaneously (edges of the palms down), each in the direction of the respective player. Brings the hands together at the shoulder level, directing to the middle of the mat and coming to that place simultaneously with the players.
2	Start of the bout	R	With the start of the bout (or its resumption from the centre of the mat) blows a whistle. Simultaneously and energetically moves his bent in the elbow arm from up to down in between the contestants, above the centre of the mat (up to the upper arm horizontal level). After that makes a step back and assumes the position suitable for watching the wrestlers' actions.
3	Total victory	R, J, M	Raises up the straight arm with the sleeve of the corresponding color, with the open palm forward.
4	4 points	R, J, M	Raises up the arm bent in the elbow, with the sleeve of the respective color, showing four fingers (the thumb is pressed to the palm) and turning the palm to the left and right.
No.	Gesture	Official making a gesture	Description of gestures
5	2 points	R, J, M	Raises up the arm bent in the elbow with the sleeve of the respective color, showing the thumb and forefinger.
6	1 point	R, J, M	Lifts up the arm bent in the elbow with the sleeve of corresponding color showing the thumb only.
7	Activity	R, J, M	Raises up the arm bent in the elbow with the sleeve of the respective color. The clenched fist is turned forward.
8	Hold-down	R	At the moment the hold-down starts, simultaneously with he

			<p>words:" Count the hold-down!" - stretches forward the arm palm down. The color of the sleeve corresponds to the color of the belt of the contestants applying the hold-down. If the hold-down is complete (after the words</p> <p>" The hold-down is scored!"), or the defensive fighter escapes (after the words " Escape!"), the referee lowers the arm and by the proper gesture shows the evaluation of the hold.</p>
9	Painful hold (Armlock, Leglock)	R	At the moment the painful hold starts, simultaneously with the words "Count the time of the painful hold!" stretches the arm forward with the clenched fist. Oversleeve (sleeve) shall correspond to the color of the belt of the contestant applying the painful hold.
10	"Hold is not scored"	R, J	Makes 2-3 moves with his hand (open palm downwards) in horizontal plane.
11	"Off mat" position	R, J	Lifts up the straight arm nearest to the edge of the mat to the shoulder level. After that blows the whistle and shows with the straight arm to the middle of the mat. At this very moment the players shall resume the bout.
No.	Gesture	Official making a gesture	Description of gestures
12	Take up from Ground to Standing position	R, J	Blows the whistle, after that raises the arms bent in the elbows up with the open palms one to the other. In this case the forearms shall be vertical.
13	Prohibited (illegal) hold	R, J	Raises the arm up to the chest level and grips with one hand the wrist of the other, after that imitates the violation.
14	Caution	R	Facing the officials' table, puts the hand with the sleeve of the respective color on the shoulder of the player at fault and with the other hand shows the sign " caution" - the thumb and forefinger make the circle, the rest of them are straight.
15	Warning	R	Facing the officials' table and standing in the middle of the mat puts the hand with the sleeve of the corresponding color on the shoulder of the player at fault and with the other hand shows the evaluation for the warning.
16	Stop the time	R	Keeps one forearm at the face level with the horizontal open palm down and puts against the middle of that palm from downwards the fingers of the other vertical open palm with its edge forward.

17	End of the bout	R,M	Makes the oblique cross with his forearms. Both palms are with their edges forward.
18	Activize the actions	R	Rotates the forearms with the arms bent in the elbows in front of the chest.
19	Demand attention	J	Lifts up bent in the elbow arm with the open palm forward and makes 2 - 3 moves with his hand in the vertical plane.
No.	Gesture	Official making a gesture	Description of gestures
20	Demand " warning"	R, J, M	With one hand with the sleeve of the respective color shows the side of the mat assigned to the player at fault and with the other hand shows the evaluation that corresponds to the warning.
21	Contestants -to the start positions	R	Blows the whistle, after that shows with the straight arms (open palms down) the respective corner of the mat.
22	Declaring the winner	R	<p>Stands in the middle of the mat facing the officials' table, having taken the wrists of both contestants (the color of the referee's sleeve corresponds to the color of contestants' belt).</p> <p>When the mat chairman declares the winner, the referee lifts his arm up. Then the referee and the contestants turn around and the referee lifts up the winners arm (the color of the sleeve does not correspond to that of the contestants belt) after that the contestants shake hands and leave the mat.</p>
23	Declaring elimination of both contestants (0 : 0)	R	Starting position is the same. When the mat chairman declares the result of the bout, the referee holds both contestants hands but don't lift them up. The rest is the same as in declaring the winner.



Appendix 13

Score Sheet

of Sambo bouts

" ____ " _____ 200 ____ City, country _____

Mat _____ Round _____ Weight _____ kg

No.	Belt	Name	Team, sports rating	Evaluations by minutes			Sum of points	Result of the bout	Time of the bout	Officials
				1-2	3-4	5				
1										
2										
...										

Chief Official _____ Chief Secretary _____

Mat chairman _____ Technical secretary _____

Appendix 14

Report of the Medical service of the competitions

1. Sports event - Sambo.
 2. The name of the competitions_____.
 3. The number of days_____from_____to_____200__.
 4. Venue of the competitions_____.
 5. Full name and the title of the Chief competition doctor:
_____.
 6. Meteorological and sanitation-hygienic conditions of the competitions:
_____.
 7. The number of participants_____;male_____female_____.
 8. The results of medical documents check_____
_____.
 9. Brief characteristics of the venue, participants, accommodation and meals:
_____.
 10. Organization of Medical Service at the venue of competitions and participants accommodation places availability of medical first-aid posts, transport):_____.
 11. Diseases and injuries (reasons, character,the treatment rendered):
_____.
 12. The number of participants eliminated from the competitions (in person) and the reasons: _____.
 13. Drawbacks in the competition conduct_____.
 14. Suggestions submitted by the doctor, their execution by the officials and team representatives_____.
- Full name, speciality, place of work of the medical personnel serving the competitions_____.
- Signature of the competition Chief doctor_____
- "__" _____ 200__

Appendix 15

Score sheet
of personal results

"__" _____ 200__ City, country_____

Weight_____ kg

No.	Full name	Date of birth	Organization, city, country	Sports rating	Coach's full name	Placing	Number of points
1							
2							
3							
...							

Note: Numerical order is general for all the participants.

Chief Official_____ Chief Secretary_____

LIST
OF THE MAIN REQUIREMENTS TO CONDUCT
NATIONAL SAMBO COMPETITIONS
(for the organizers)

1. Hotels - accommodation of participants, officials, coaches and guests.
2. Restaurant, cafe, canteen, buffets – for participants.
3. Transport – meeting and transportation of participants to their residence and back;
 - from the residence to the sports hall and back according to the Rules of competitions.
4. Sports hall – the act of the hall correspondence to the necessary requirements to conduct the competitions; it should be applied to the report. The hall has to be of the sufficient size to place 3 mats and also:
 - the places for the guests, leaders and press;
 - the places for spectators on the stands;
 - the places for participants;
 - the radio-equipped training hall to warm-up;
 - dress rooms for men and women with the shower and lavatory;
 - the room for the Executive Committee of the Russian Federation;
 - the room for Chief Secretaries;
 - the dress-room for the officials.

The quarters that may be foreseen in the hotel or the sports hall:

- the room to register the arriving people (leaders, officials, participants of the competitions);
- the room for the Mandate Commission;
- the room for the draw and meetings of representatives and officials;
- the room for the weigh-in.

5. MEDICAL SERVICE:

- is accomplished by the personnel of the medical-physical clinic – 1 doctor and 1 nurse for every mat;
- presence at the competitions the ambulance brigade;
- medical care is rendered on the mat and the doctors should have the replacement footwear.

6. SECURITY OF THE ORDER:

- security representatives, who submit to the Chief Official, have to be present in the sports hall.

7. EQUIPMENT:

- mats;
- electronic indicator panel to register technical actions and sanctions;
- two stop-watches for every mat;
- chairs for officials and coaches;
- 2 computers with printers;
- 2 Xeroxes;
- Electronic and mechanical scales for the weigh-in.

8. Setting of the mats, arrangement of the tables, chairs and the necessary equipment, placing of spectators, participants, officiating brigades and official persons – ACCORDING TO THE RULES OF THE COMPETITIONS.

9. Stuff to use: PAPER, FOLDERS, LOOSE-LEAF BINDERS, CLIPS, PENS AND OTHER OFFICE SUPPLIES.

10. Publicity stuff: POSTERS, PLACARDS, BOOKLETS, PROGRAMS, INVITATIONS.

11. Awarding attributes: MEDALS, CUPS, DIPLOMAS, CERTIFICATES, PRIZES FOR PARTICIPANTS, COACHES AND OFFICIALS.

12. The script of the competition Opening Ceremony.

13. The script of the Awarding Ceremony.

14. The script of the Closing Ceremony.
15. To foresee the number of officials and serving personnel according to the norms
(THE NORMS ARE STATED IN THE COMPETITION RULES).
16. To foresee the officials' payment and BY THE RESULTS OF THE
COMPETITIONS DEFINE 5 BEST OFFICIALS TO BE AWARDED WITH THE
VALUABLE PRIZES.

REGULATIONS

OF THE INTERNATIONAL SAMBO COMPETITIONS CONDUCT UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR SAMBO FEDERATION (FIAS)

International Sambo Competitions are held under the auspices of FIAS or Continental Federations on the basis of their Regulations, FIAS decisions, Continental Federations, International Sambo Rules in accordance with the approved calendar of the competitions.

1. THE CHOICE OF THE NOMINATION (COUNTRY) TO HOLD SAMBO WORLD OR CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

National federations- FIAS members, which want to hold the World or Continental Sambo championship, have to submit the written request addressed to the General Secretary of the International or Continental federation not later than 2 years before the date of the competition conduct stated in the Calendar of competitions.

The requests are considered on the competitive basis. The following facts have to be stated in it:

- the name of the competitions;
- the place of its conduct (city) and approximate date;
- information of the competition place (the venue) and other necessary facilities;
- information of accommodation (conditions and prices of staying);
- information of the National federations and sponsors financial guarantee.

The requests of National federations to hold the World championship are considered at FIAS Executive Committee meeting, Continental championships - at the Continental federations Executive Committees meeting.

The final decision of the choice of the country, organizer of competitions, is taken at the Congress of the corresponding federation not later than a year before the start of the competitions.

2. RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF THE CONDUCTIVE

ORGANIZATION.

The National federation, that got the right to hold the World or Continental championship on the competitive basis, must:

- form the Organizing Committee for preparation and conduct of the competitions;
- work out the detailed program of holding this sports arrangement;
- submit the financial plan with the analysis of all the expenditures necessary for holding the competitions in question.

The program of conduct and financial plan has to be submitted to the Executive Committee of the corresponding federation for the approval not later than 6 months before the start of the competitions.

All the following changes introduced by the conductive organization after the approval by the Executive Committee of the corresponding federation should be coordinated with it.

President of the national federation – organizer of the competitions accounts personal responsibility to FIAS Executive Committee or Continental one for the preparation and conduct of the World or Continental championship.

The executive Committee of the International or Continental federation has the right to send the Chairman of the sports technical commission to the Organizing Committee of the competitions with the aim to render practical assistance in the preparation and conduct of the competitions.

FINANCIAL GUARANTEE

The Executive Committee of the corresponding federation takes the decision about the number of its members and the members of the officiating board the receiving side will bear the expenses for.

The expenses include:

- transportation from the place of staying to the competition venue;
- staying at the hotel not lower than 3 stars;
- three times meals;

- payment for the officials' work proceeding from: FIAS or Continental Chairman of the Referees' Commission, Chief Secretary - \$ 70 (70 Euro- ESF) per day, deputy Chief Secretary - \$ 50 (50 Euro – ESF) per day (3 persons), (the work of the Referees' Commission Chairman, Chief Official and Chief Secretary is paid for two days more).

Besides, the organizers are committed to bear expenses for the meals and accommodation of 20 officials (World and Continental championships and Cups) and pay for their work \$50 (50 Euro-ESF) per day.

The receiving organization is obliged to prepare awarding attributes for every weight category including:

the set of medals for every weight category

- 2 gold (for the champion and his coach);
- 1 silver;
- 2 bronze;
- the set of diplomas (according to the taken places);
- valuable or money prizes for the prize-winners;

In team competitions it is necessary to foresee the Cups for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places.

Five best officials by the results of competitions are awarded with valuable prizes.

The organizers of the competitions in their bulletins must inform in details about all expenses the National federations will bear due to their participation in the World and Continental championships.

INFORMATION AND PUBLICITY

Organizers must provide with the necessary information and program of the competitions all National federations coordinating them preliminary with FIAS Executive Committee or respectively with those of the Continental federations.

Organizers must advertise by the means of mass media (newspapers, radio, TV) the coming competitions to popularize and develop Sambo in the country playing host to the given sports event.

ACCOMMODATION

Organizers must reserve the rooms at the hotels not lower than 3 stars for the members of the National federations and to inform in time about the quality of staying there and their price.

They have to provide all National federations with three meals a day.

The cost of accommodation and meals for one member of the delegation should not exceed \$ 50 (50 euro –ESF) a day.

RECEPTION OF THE NATIONAL DELEGATIONS

Organizers must guarantee the free entry and departure from the country.

The host country is obliged to organize offices to receive and sending off the National delegations that have to be located at the competition venue, airport and train station.

TRANSPORT

Organizers must provide with the transport to take National delegations from the airport and train station to the hotel and competition venue and during the competitions – from the hotels to the sports hall.

National federations bear expenses on transfer proceeding from \$ 10 (10 Euro-ESF) per one member of the delegation.

ACCREDITATION

Organizers have to make accreditations for all participants, officials, members of the Executive Committee, guests of honor, journalists, serving personnel and security.

3. CONDUCT OF THE COMPETITIONS.

3.1. Mandate Commission.

Organizers have to provide the Mandate Commission with the separate office.

Full power of the Mandate Commission is regulated by art. 4 of the International Sambo Rules.

The heads of the National federation delegations have to submit to the Mandate Commission the following documents:

- the team entry signed by President of the National federation to participate in the competitions (according to appendix 8 of the Rules);
- passport;
- participant's international license;
- receipt of the payment by the National federation the year member's fee;
- besides, the heads of National federations have to submit 2 national flags and the brief version of the national anthem.

3.2. Weigh-in.

Sports delegations which did not undergo the Mandate Commission are not admitted to the weigh-in.

Official weigh-in is held one day before the competitions, the order and time is stated in the Regulations.

Official weigh-in has to correspond strictly to all the requirements to art.6 of the International Sambo Rules.

In case the competitions are held during 2 days the weigh-in is held every other category, starting with the lesser one (e.g. men 52...62...74...90... +100; women 48...60...72 and so on).

If the competitions are held during 3 days, then the weigh-in is held every two categories, starting with the lesser one (e.g. men 52... 74...100; women 48...60...72 and so on).

The weigh-in is held strictly one time before the competitions of the given weight categories, no additional weigh-in on the day of the competitions is allowed.

3.3. Drawing of lots (draw).

The Chief Official of the competitions is responsible for the participants' draw.

Two variations of the draw may be held.

The first variation: the draw in all weight categories is held during the weigh-in. Every participant, after he undergoes the official weigh-in, pulls out the number according to which the place in the subgroup is defined to take part in competitions (without scattering the strongest ones).

The second variation: the draw is held on the day of arrival after the accreditation with scattering the strongest wrestlers according to preliminary entries by the computer.

3.4. Venue of the competitions.

The Chief Official must check the readiness for the competitions the facility, equipment, inventory and their correspondence to the requirements of the International Sambo Rules, to make the act of acceptance of the venue and also to assure that all the necessary documents are available.

Organizers have to foresee the following premises in the venue:

- the hall for meetings;
- the room for the work of the Executive Committee;
- the room for officials (separate ones for the Chief Official and Chief Secretary);
- dress-rooms with the keys, lavatories and showers for participants (men and women);
- the room for emergency care;
- the room for massage;
- press center with fax and telephone;
- the room for interview;
- the room for the weigh-in (men and women);
- the place for the athletes' warm-up;
- the room to rest for athletes, officials and members of the Executive Committee;
- the bar and restaurant;

Organizers must provide the venue with the corresponding inventory:

- electronic scales for the weigh-in (3);
- wrestling mats in accordance with the Sambo Rules (3);
- electronic score-board with the sound signal to inform spectators and participants about the course of the bout (3);
- stop-watches (3);
- one central table with 20 chairs for the members of the Executive Committee;
- one table with 2 chairs for the Chief Official;

- one table with 2 chairs for the Chief Secretary;
- one table with 10 chairs for the officials at every mat;
- one table at every mat for the officials attached to the participants;
- one table with 3 chairs at every mat for the medical personnel;
- one microphone on the table at every mat and one on the central table;
- one large information board to inform participants and representatives of the program, schedule and course of the competitions.

Setting of mats, arrangement of tables, chairs and the necessary equipment is accomplished according to the attached schemes.

Besides, it is necessary for the Secretariat work:

- two computers with printers;
- two Xeroxes;
- stuff to use (paper, cartridges for printers and Xeroxes, folders, loose-leaf binders, clips, pens and other office supplies).

Organizers are obliged to foresee the seats in the sports hall for participants, guests, official persons, representatives of press and TV. The entrance to the competition venue is allowed only to the people with accreditations.

3.5. COMPOSITION OF THE OFFICIATING BOARD AND SERVING PERSONNEL

The composition of the Officials' (Officiating) Board is recommended by the corresponding International federation. The work of the Board is regulated by Part 3 of the International Sambo Rules. To make the officials' work successful, the organizers must provide the Officials' Board with the serving personnel:

- courier to deliver the minutes of the competition course to the secretariat;
- courier to deliver the minutes to the central table;
- two electronic engineers to make the work of computers and the electronic board continuous;
- two persons for every mat to accompany athletes to the bout.

Superintendent of the competitions has to provide the continuous work of the serving personnel as well as the work of security.

3.6. CEREMONIAL OPENING OF THE COMPETITIONS

Organizers have to prepare the Ceremonial Opening.

Delegations of countries - participants of the competitions line up in the alphabetical order with their national flags and the tablets with the names of the countries. The team of the country playing host to the competition comes to the parade last.

The Officiating Board takes the seats in accordance with distribution to the mats opposite participants.

Under the sounds of the national anthem of the country – organizer the state flag is raised, then FIAS flag or the one of the Continental federation.

President of the country or the Chairman of the Organizing Committee welcomes

all the people present at the Ceremony. Then the floor is given to FIAS or Continental federation President. President (FIAS or Continental federation) officially opens the competitions.

3.7. CONDUCT OF COMPETITIONS

The competitions are held in accordance with the Regulations of Competitions composed at the basis of the International Sambo Rules.

The competitions are held by the unified time regulations (the start of the competitions, weigh-in, Mandate Commission, Opening and Closing ceremonies, conduct of the evening part).

Mandate Commission: 11.00 – 16.00 on the day of the arrival.

Weigh-in: 18.00 – 19.00 on the day of the arrival for the participants of the first day of the competitions. 15.00 – 16.00 during the competitions.

Start of the competitions (morning part): 10.00.

Evening part of the competitions (Opening Ceremony, final bouts, awarding of champions and prize-winners, Closing Ceremony: 18.00).

During the bouts only the Officials' Board, medical personnel and the coach-second are allowed to be present at the mat. The athlete goes to the mat accompanied by a specially defined person (support personnel).

3.7. CEREMONIAL CLOSING

After the finals in every weight category all the athletes of the given category who won the prize places and their coaches, clad in the uniforms of National federations, gather in the place defined by the organizers for the awarding ceremony.

The Officiating Board takes the seats defined by the organizers (usually opposite spectators).

The announcer pronounces the last name, name, country and after that the athlete stands on the podium according to the place he took.

President of the International or Continental federation conducts the awarding.

After the awards are presented the National flags of prize-winners in the given weight category is raised and at the same time the anthem of the winner's country sounds.

At the end of the ceremony 5 best officials are awarded according to the result of the competitions.

3.8. THE CLOSING CEREMONY

The Closing Ceremony is held by the rules of the Opening Ceremony.

After the awarding in the last weight category in the presence of the officials lined up opposite participants, FIAS or Continental President declares the competitions closed. After that the National flag of the country-organizer and the flag of the International federation are pulled down, to the accompaniment of the

country - organizer anthem, FIAS or Continental federation flag is handed to the delegate of the National federation, the organizer of the next championship.

4. ORGANISATION OF THE PRESS SERVICE.

Organizers of competitions have to provide journalists and photo-reporters with the Press center. In the Press Center there should be available:

- several computers connected with Internet;
- shelves for information bulletins and protocols;
- multiplying technique (Xerox, duplicators);
- telecommunications with the minimum of devices (at the World and Continental championships for seniors – 10 devices, at the World and Continental championships for juniors and youth – 5 devices).

All journalists bear their own expenses for the use of communications means.

Organizers have to provide the Press Center with the head and the serving personnel. The head of the Press Center accomplishes the direct connection with the Secretariat of the competitions. All radio, papers and TV journalists can receive the information only in the Press Center. The Press Center has to prepare the final documents with all the results of competitions. The schedule of the Press Center work should be convenient for all the journalists. Organizers have to provide the accredited journalists and photo reporters with accommodations.

The organization that sends journalists to the competitions should bear expenses on their travel allowance.