

4th FIDE Council meeting

11 December 2025

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List of decisions

CM4-2025/01 To note President's report.

CM4-2025/02 To approve Treasurer's report.

CM4-2025/03 To note Verification Commission's report.

CM4-2025/04 To recommend to the 2025 General Assembly to approve the FIDE budget for the year 2026 and provisional FIDE budget for the year 2027.

CM4-2025/05 To recommend to the 2025 General Assembly to approve the update of the FIDE Financial Rules regarding the maximum amount of rating fees paid by one federation.

CM4-2025/06 To recommend to the 2025 General Assembly to approve Ernst & Young as External Auditors for annual audit of FIDE accounts for 2025.

CM4-2025/07 To approve the FIDE Council Resolution in respect of the Mexican Chess Federation.

CM4-2025/08 To recommend to the 2025 General Assembly to approve the proposed amendments to the FIDE Charter.

CM4-2025/09 To recommend to the 2025 General Assembly to approve the proposed amendments to the Electoral Rules.

CM4-2025/10 To recommend to the 2025 General Assembly to approve the Constitutional Commission's proposal regarding the by-laws regarding the clarification of the interpretation of Art.13.7 of the FIDE Charter.

CM4-2025/11 To note the Constitutional Commission's report.

CM4-2025/12 To note the Global Strategy Commission's report.

CM4-2025/13 To note the Arbiters' Commission's report.

CM4-2025/14 To approve the recommendations of the Arbiters' Commission on Seminars, Classification upgrades, Amendments to the lecturer list, FA norms and titles.

CM4-2025/15 - To approve the Arbiters' Commission's proposal regarding the update of the FIDE Regulations for the Titles of Arbiters. **Table of changes.**

CM4-2025/16 To note the Qualification Commission's report.

CM4-2025/17 To approve the recommendations of the Qualification Commission on titles.

CM4-2025/18 - To approve the proposal of the Qualification Commission regarding Proposed Junior Age Direct Titles. **Table of changes.**

CM4-2025/19 To approve the recommendations of the Trainers' Commission on titles and Academies.

CM4-2025/20 To note the Events Commission's report.

CM4-2025/21 To approve the recommendations of the Events Commission on titles.

CM4-2025/22 To note the Chess in Education Commission's report.

CM4-2025/23 To approve the recommendations of the Chess in Education Commission on titles.

CM4-2025/24 To note the Fair Play Commission's report.

CM4-2025/25 To approve the recommendations of the Fair Play Commission on titles.

CM4-2025/26 To approve the Fair Play Commission's proposal regarding the update of the FPL Definitions, FPL Financial Regulations, and FPL Title Regulations. **Table of changes.**

CM4-2025/27 To note the Rules Commission's report.

CM4-2025/28 To note the Technical Commission's report.

CM4-2025/29 To note the Players with Disabilities Commission's report.

CM4-2025/30 To note the Commission's for Women's Chess report.

CM4-2025/31 To note Continental Presidents' reports.

CM4-2025/32* To approve the FIDE Council Resolution for the General Assembly in respect of the limitation regarding Russian and Belarussian Chess federations.

CM4-2025/33 To extend the right to perform under the FIDE flag for Russian and Belorussian players who are currently playing under it till March 1, 2027.

CM4-2025/34 To extend the authorities of Mr. Al-Mudahka as a Reverse Delegate for the Syrian Chess Federation till April 1, 2026 and align the duties in consultation of Constitutional Commission.

CM4-2025/35 To further consider the potential request by FIDE for UNESCO recognition of chess as an Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity.

CM4-2025/36 - To approve the proposals regarding FIDE awards.

CM4-2025/37 To note the update about the Year of Chess in Education 2026.

* The decision was adopted by a majority of votes. Mr. Azmaiparashvili, Mr. Aulin-Jansson and Mr. Khodarkovsky voted against the proposal.