

FIDE Council Decision

Considering that the IOC recommends that its members make every possible effort to ensure the balanced development of sport across all continents, and in this regard supports the principle of continental rotation where practically feasible;

considering that since 2019 the IOC has approved a new bidding process for hosting the Olympic Games, which involves direct dialogue with potential bidders in order to reduce organizational costs and guarantee maximum state support;

considering the need to support and fairly host major chess competitions evenly around the world.

It is resolved that the organization of the Olympiad shall be carried out taking into account the principle of continental rotation (subject to compliance with FIDE's organizational requirements and the availability of financial guarantees).

The priority right to organize the 2032 Olympiad is granted to a federation belonging to ACC.

In exercising this right, the FIDE Council shall conduct direct negotiations with the relevant federations and governments until September 2027.

If suitable bids are submitted, they shall be referred to the 2027 General Assembly for consideration.

If no suitable bids are submitted by October 1, 2027, the Council shall open a general bidding process for hosting the 2032 Olympiad, with priority given to the federation belonging to the continent that has not hosted the Olympiad for the longest period.

Thereafter, in each case, the priority right to host the Olympiad shall be granted to the federation belonging to the continent that has not hosted the Olympiad for the longest period.

The exercise of the above right shall be carried out in a similar manner.

If no official bid to host the Olympiad is received from a continent, the exercise of such continent's priority right shall be deferred to the next Olympiad.