

## FIDE QUESTIONNAIRE

For National Federations applying for FIDE Membership

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GENERAL INFORMATION	
Country name:	Click here to fill in text.
Is your country recognised by the UN or the IOC?	Click here to fill in text.
Name of the National Federation:	Click here to fill in text.
Established:	Click here to fill in text.
English language version of your National Federation name:	Click here to fill in text.
What is (are) your national language(s)?	
Type of legal entity: *please send us foundational document as attachment to the questionnaire	Click here to fill in text.
Postal address:	Click here to fill in text.
Official e-mail address: *registered email address, to be used for all official communications to and from FIDE, that allows to legally track and prove the delivery of your emails and documents, signed electronically.	Click here to fill in text.
Phone:	Click here to fill in text.
Official website:	Click here to fill in text.
Official social media accounts user names:	Click here to fill in text.
Is your National Federation member of your country's National Olympic Committee? If yes, please send us written support letter from your National Olympic Committee as attachment to the questionnaire. If not, please explain the reasons.	Click here to fill in text.
Please send us, if any, other written support/recognition letters from your national authorities as attachment to the questionnaire.	
Please name your national authority supervising sports/chess:	Click here to fill in text.
The bank account details of your National Federation:	
Do you have dedicated facilities for your National Federation's office ?	Click here to fill in text.

GENERAL PRINCIPLES	
Would your National Federation be ready to (please tick the appropriate box):	
Observe all rules, regulations and decisions of FIDE and ensure that your members and various bodies, including leagues and clubs, also comply with them?	YES□ NO□
Ensure that your Federation's Statutes and rules fully comply with FIDE rules and regulations?	YES□ NO□
Comply with your own Statutes, rules and regulations, refraining from taking discriminatory decisions or actions?	YES□ NO□
Maintain full control and governance of chess in your country, including, without limitations, control over your national competitions, excluding unofficial and unrated events?	YES□ NO□
Develop chess activities, chess culture and chess education in your country or territory?	YES□ NO□
Ensure the participation of your players and teams in the most relevant international competitions, in the limits of your possibilities?	YES□ NO□
Remain in good standing, including in good financial standing?	YES□ NO□
Pay membership fees and other FIDE obligations?	YES□ NO□
Recognise FIDE's authority and position?	YES□ NO□
Effectively support FIDE in all chess activities?	YES□ NO□
Correctly exhibit FIDE logo and name, in accordance with FIDE Regulations?	YES□ NO□
Act independently from any government, public or private institution, except for what is provided as mandatory by your national legal order?	YES□ NO□
Promote amicable and courteous relations with other Member Federations and their members, officials and players?	YES□ NO□
Communicate a copy of your current Statutes to FIDE Offices, adding a translation into English, if written in a different language?	YES□ NO□
Communicate any change of your Statutes, not later than two months after their entry into force? *In the event of doubt or conflict, only timely communicated changes will be considered as valid for FIDE organs	YES□ NO□
Inform FIDE about your chess activities and your institutional and financial situation, answering an annual questionnaire distributed by FIDE Offices, and also sending, if requested, copies of your official documents? (minutes of Assemblies, financial statements, etc.);	YES□ NO□
Regularly organise General Assemblies and elections, in accordance with your Statutes and national legal order?	YES□ NO□
Communicate and update, within one month of any change, the following data: address and contacts; registered email address, to be used for all official communications to and from FIDE, that allows to legally track and prove the delivery of your emails and documents, signed electronically; name and contacts of your President and FIDE Delegate.	YES□ NO□

## **GENERAL ASSEMBLY** Please send us a signed copy of your current Statutes, adding a translation into English, if written in a different language and signed minutes of your Federation's last General Assembly as an attachment When was vour **National** Click here to fill in text. Federation's last General Assembly held? What are the criteria for voting for Click here to fill in text. the members in your National Federation's General Assembly? \*answer the question only if the Statutes of your National Federation do not give a clear answer. Who is eligible as member of Click here to fill in text. your National Federation? \*answer the question only if the Statutes of your National Federation do not give a clear answer. Define the identity of your National Federation's members Click here to fill in text. who represent your national chess community (individuals, clubs, regional associations, etc.): \*answer the question only if the Statutes of your National Federation do not give a Click here to fill in text. What is the date of your National Federation's next elections? **Does your National Federation** Click here to fill in text. restrictions on have any membership in your Federation (on national, political, racial,

## **GRAPHICS & TRADEMARKS**

Please send us your official logo, flag and anthem or any other official symbols of your National Federation as attachments to the questionnaire. Your logo and flag should be sent as .jpg, .png, .eps or .ai files.

Name and author of the anthem (if available):

social or religious grounds or on

account of gender)?

Click here to fill in text.

FEDERATION'S OFFICIALS & STAFF			
Please send us your	Please send us your National Federation Chart as an attachment to the questionnaire.		
Position	Full name	E mail	Phone
President:	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.
FIDE Delegate:	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.
Deputy President:	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.
Vice President:	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.
General Secretary:	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.
Rating Officer:	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.
Executive Board members' details (name, email, phone): *Please indicate Representatives for Athletes', Disabled chess players and Women in Chess, if any.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.
Describe how the Executive Board members are appointed?	Click here to fill in text.		
Number of paid staff:	Click here to fill in text.		
Number of voluntary staff:	Click here to fill in text.		
Does your National Federation have Commissions?  If yes, please specify names, responsibilities, and their Chairpersons.  Please provide Commissions' Chairpersons' details (name, email, phone).	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.
Other positions, if any (please add the title)	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.	Click here to fill in text.

FINANCIAL MATTERS	
* If there are any legal restrictions on disclosure of financial information as requested, please justify and provide the data to the extent it is possible.	
Does your National Federation prepare annual financial reports, including balance sheet and income statement?  If yes, please send the documents as attachments to the questionnaire.	Click here to fill in text.
Are annual reports reviewed and approved by your National Federation's board and / or General Assembly?	Click here to fill in text.
Are annual accounts audited by an independent auditor duly licensed according to the laws of your jurisdiction?  If yes, please attach the auditor's opinion to the financial report and send the documents as attachments to the questionnaire.	Click here to fill in text.
Does your National Federation prepare annual budgets?	Click here to fill in text.
Are annual budgets reviewed and approved by your National Federation's Board and / or General Assembly?	Click here to fill in text.
What are the sources of income for your National Federation? Please state percentage for the below items for the latest financial year:  1) membership fees and fees for services provided by your National Federation (%),  2) income from tournaments organized by your National Federation (%),  3) government funding (%), please provide the amount  4) National Olympic Committee, (%), please provide the amount  5) funding from private sponsors / donors,  6) other sources – please specify (%)	Click here to fill in text.

NATIONAL TEAMS	
Does your National Federation have National Teams? If yes, in which categories?	Click here to fill in text.
What kind of support do you provide to your national team players? Please provide details (e.g.: Monthly Salary, covering Open tournaments expenses, Training camps, etc.)	Click here to fill in text.
Does your National Federation provide any Insurance/social benefits for your national team players?	Click here to fill in text.
Please provide details about your National Team Championships for the last year: (number of teams participated, Championship's dates)	Click here to fill in text.

LEAGUES AND CLUB INFORMATION	
Is there a club registration in your National Federation?	Click here to fill in text.
Number of leagues:	Click here to fill in text.
Number of clubs:	Click here to fill in text.
Number of women's clubs:	Click here to fill in text.
Please provide details about your Club Championships for the last year: (number of clubs participated, Championship's dates)	Click here to fill in text.

	PLAYERS
Is there an individual player registration in your National Federation?	Click here to fill in text.
If yes, what is the total number of registered male players/female players/boys U18/girls U18?	
Does your National Federation organise chess Under Age Group National Competitions?	Click here to fill in text.
If yes, please list the Age Group National Competition(s) your National Federation conducts?	
Please provide details about your National Individual Championships for the last year: (number of players participated, Championship's dates)	Click here to fill in text.
How many active players does your National Federation have (with or without FIDE ID)?	Click here to fill in text.
Name your player(s) with FIDE titles (if any) :	Click here to fill in text.
How many open tournaments does your National Federation organise annually?	Click here to fill in text.
Did your players and teams participate in any international competitions last year?  If no, please provide the reasons.	Click here to fill in text.
Please list the competitions (indicate the dates) that your National Federation plans to organize next year or send us your events Calendar as an attachment to the questionnaire.	Click here to fill in text.

OTHER MATTERS	
Share a few examples of key / big projects organized by your National Federation.	Click here to fill in text.
Describe other major activities organized by your National Federation such as social programs, workshops etc.	
How may FIDE support the development of your National Federation?	Click here to fill in text.
How many schools in your country have some type of chess programs?	Click here to fill in text.
Is your National Federation responsible for educational chess and its promotion in your country? If not, please provide the name and the contact of the responsible organization.	Click here to fill in text.
Does your National Federation have an official responsible for developing Chess in Education on your National Federation's Executive Board?  If yes, please provide his/her contact information.	Click here to fill in text.
Specify the Vision, Mission and Values of your National Federation.	Click here to fill in text.
What are your expectations from becoming a FIDE member?	Click here to fill in text.
Please add any points not covered above that you would like to add.	Click here to fill in text.

Submission date:	Click or tap to enter a date.
Questionnaire filled in by:	Click here to fill in text.
Position in a National Federation:	Click here to fill in text.

We thank you very much for your time, efforts and kind responses to this important FIDE document.