



# **COMPETITION RULES**

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## INTRODUCTION BY EJU PRESIDENT

Dear judo friends,

On behalf of the EJU I cordially welcome all the participants and guests of the European Championships for army, police and fire forces in Moscow.

Judo plays a very important role in the training of the personnel of the army, police and fire forces in many countries and it helps them in their everyday work. I believe that this special competition will be a very interesting, successful event. In this regard I would like to take this opportunity and thank the organizers for the great work already done and wish them good luck!

I wish all of the participants and judo lovers many bright impressions and I hope you will enjoy te competition!



Sergey Soloveychik EJU President





## INTRODUCTION BY THE ORGANISING BODY



Dear Judo fans!

I am sincerely glad to welcome you at the Open European Judo Championship among EC Forces 2011.

For the first time ever the continental championship of such a level took place in Moscow in 2010. Teams of power structures of Austria, Azerbaijan, Hungary, Germany, Lithuania, Republic of Belarus, France and Russia were presented at the tatami. The victory was scored by a select team of Ministry of Internal Affairs of Russia, silver medals were gained by the Internal Troops team of Ministry of Internal Affairs of

Russia. Select teams of Ministry of Internal Affairs of Ukraine and Tax Ministry of Azerbaijan gained the bronze.

The tradition of holding the championship is remarkably sustained. The competitions contribute to the improvement of sportsmanship, strengthening the relations between the international power structures, and promotion of judo itself.

This year the Championship is being Open. We expect the first place awards to be put through by the strongest teams not only of Europe, world in general. I am certain that the championships will become the flamboyant event in the sports calendar and will be remembered by all the participants and the viewers!

Mr. Pavel G. Balsky President of the National Judo Veterans Union, Co-Chairman of the Organizing Committee Open Team European Judo Championships For Police, Fire & other Forces Men





## 1. <u>Technical Information</u>

#### 1.1. **DATE**

The team competition will be held on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2011.

#### 1.2. PARTICIPATION

The team should consist of 5 athletes, one in every official weight category stated in point 1.4. A substitute is authorised per weight category.

In order to be represented, the team must be composed of at least 3 competitors who can compete in 3 different weight categories.

The competitors must be of the same nationality as the country, which enters them.

Competitors who have double nationality can only represent 1 country. After having represented a country in the Olympic Games, in continental or regional games or in world or regional Championships, recognised by the EJU, he may not represent another country unless he meets the conditions set forth in the next paragraph. When a competitor changes nationality, he must wait 3 years before he can represent the new country, unless the two countries concerned (the old country and the new country) agree to authorize his entry for the new nationality and this is accepted by the EJU (According to the Olympic charter Art. 42).

The competitors must have a fire, army or police card, which must be presented during weigh in, together with their passport.

Each Delegation will be given a number of free accreditations depending on the number of athletes.

1 - 2 competitors - two officials 7 - 8 competitors - five officials 3 - 4 competitors - three officials 9 - 10 competitors - six officials

5 - 6 competitors - four officials

#### 1.3. AGE

The competitors must over the age of 30, therefore born in 1981 or before.

#### 1.4. WEIGHT CATEGORIES

**Men:** -66 kg; -73 kg; -81 kg; -90 kg; + 90 kg

The competitors will be entered during the weigh-in in the category they belong to. However they can compete in the category immediately above their own category.

The competitions will be held from the lightest to the heaviest weight category.

#### 1.5. COMPETITION FORMULA

The Competition will run on the quarter final repechage system:

An elimination system with repechage starting at the quarterfinal (last 8), i.e. teams will be divided into two tables by means of a "draw", and an elimination system will be used to produce two finalists. These finalists will then compete for the gold medal. The loser will win the silver medal.

The competitors defeated in the quarterfinal will compete in two repechage contests:

- The winners of each of these two repechage contests will compete in the Bronze medal contests against the losers of the semifinal contest of the respective opposite table.
- The winners (2) of those contests are placed third. The losers (2) are placed fifth.
- The losers (2) of the repechage contests are placed seventh.

Preliminaries of the team contest will be held on 3 mats (or on 4 if necessary), the contest for the bronze medals on 2 mats, and the finals on 1 mat.

#### 1.6. DURATION OF CONTESTS

The duration of each contest will be that of 3 minutes for men and the Golden Score 2 minutes.

#### 1.7. WEIGH IN

Unofficial weigh-in takes place just before the official weigh in. Exact times for weigh in can be found in the Program included as Annex 2. The weight of the fighters has to fall within the category in which they are enrolled.

The fighters:

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- Presenting themselves after the closing of the weigh-in, cannot participate at the competition.
- Can present themselves only one time at the official weigh-in.
- Must present their EJU accreditation, passport and a fire, army or police card at the official weigh-in.

The weigh in will be held at the Hotel Salut.

#### 1.8. **DRAW**

Note: before the draw the lists of each category are hung in the draw room / in the corridor outside the draw room. Each head of delegation should check that all his inscribed athletes are on these lists and that they are under the right category. No corrections can be made after the draw.

The draw will take place at 20:00hrs in <u>Hotel Salut</u> the eve before the first day of fights after the nation control.

#### 1.9. CONTROL OF NATIONS

The times for check-in and registration for accreditation at the <u>Hotel Salut</u> are specified in the program. Participating federations must arrive and check-in within the time limits of the check-in and registration for accreditation.

#### a. Finances

The federations must be in order with the annual fee and other financial obligations to the EJU. In order to take part at the competition the national federation must have fulfilled the necessary payments to the organizer and the EJU. There are no EJU participation fees for these Championships.

#### Control of Nations

<u>Identity:</u> Nationality and age of the participants. (each athlete's passport or copy of the passport in case the athletes are still travelling, has to be presented to the EJU official. The competitors must not be present at the nation control.)

<u>List of entries:</u> The list of entries is confirmed with the EJU official.

No inscription will be accepted after the end of the nation control.

#### c. Accreditation

The EJU accreditation cards must be presented at the official weigh-in and before each contest.

#### 1.10. RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FEDERATIONS

#### a. Medical certificate

The sex certificate and the medical certificate of the fighters are not required.

The fighters will compete under the full responsibility of the federations.

#### b. Insurance

Each national federation is responsible for insuring its competitors against 'injury and third part risk (public liability)' during the period of the championships. The European Judo Union declines all responsibility.

#### c. Attitude of the competitors

The participating-federations are responsible vis-à-vis the EJU concerning the general attitude of their fighters.

#### d. Image of Athletes

The participating federations are responsible to have obtained the rights for the EJU to use the athletes' image in whichever way it considers it necessary for the promotion of the sport.

Neither the organizer of the event, nor the Russian Judo Federation (nor any of its officials or members) will be liable or responsible for any personal injury nor for any loss or damage to your property arising out of your participation and travelling in connection with these events.

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## 2. Judogi

#### 2.1. JUDOGI

The competitions will be held in white and blue judogi.

Judogi markings must be in accordance with the EJU regulations, as defined in 2.3. In order to enforce the proper size and measurements of judogi as defined by the Competition Rules and fair conditions for athletes, the special measuring device SOKUTEKI will be used.

#### 2.2. BACK NUMBERS

Country and Sponsor back numbers will be provided by the local organisers.

#### 2.3. ACCEPTABLE MARKINGS

As advised during the EJU Ordinary Congress 2009, the EJU decided to allocate the space on the shoulder stripes only to EJU official suppliers, for all official EJU Tournaments. EJU Suppliers are EJU Partners who have bought the right to advertise on the Judogi shoulder stripes (25cm x 5cm). EJU Partners can also be the athletes' sponsors, if these would like to show the company in EJU events.

Advertising on the arms (10cm x 10cm on both right and left side) can be used by federations and their Judoka as usual for their own profit.

Judoka may make use of Judogi from all manufacturers (even those listed as EJU Suppliers) in all EJU events, as long as they do not use the advertising on the shoulder stripes. It is not allowed to tape or cover any non-authorized suppliers as this would affect the judogi design and the grip of the opponent.





# 3. Refereeing

#### 3.1. SELECTION & REGISTRATION OF REFEREES

Referee inscription for these Championships is as follows:

Each federation may enter **2 referees** with an international or continental licence. The organising federation may enter as many referees as required for the realisation of the championships.

The costs for travelling, board and lodging of the referees are at the costs of the member federation.

The names should be entered in JUMAS by the date stipulated in Section 7 AND **Form 3** submitted to the EJU General Secretariat & Organiser by the date stipulated in Section 7.

#### 3.2. REFEREE MEETING

A referee meeting is scheduled the evening before the first competition day, **at 19:00hrs** at the <u>Hotel Salut</u>. The attendance to the Referee meeting is strictly compulsory.

If an entered referee does not present himself, his federation can be imposed of a penalty according to the list of penalties of the EJU (dated 28.4.1982).

The referees should wear their official uniform (formal dress).

#### 3.3. REFEREEING RULES

The refereeing rules are the IJF and EJU rules.

It's obligatory to take a decision at the end of each contest.

For each contest, three referees will be appointed who will not be of the same nationality as either of the competitors. (The referee draw is done by computer)

A match will always finish with a decision - no Hikiwake.

## **EJU Jury**

The jury is not an appeals jury.

It can be consulted by the referees in case of any difficulty. In no circumstances can the competitors or their representatives of their delegation consult the jury.

No protest against the referees' decisions will be accepted.

#### Withdrawal by injury:

#### **During eliminations**

- if the responsibility of the injury cannot be attributed to one of the fighters, the injured fighter shall loose the contest.
- if the responsibility of the injury is attributed to one of the fighters, the other will be declared winner. The fighter responsible for the injury will not be able to participate at the repechages.
- In case of withdrawal, the fighters cannot present himself for the following contests.

#### During the finals or semi-finals

- if the responsibility of the injury cannot be attributed to one of the fighters, the injured fighter shall loose the contest.
- if the responsibility of the injury is attributed to one of the fighters, the other will be declared winner.

**Note:** a fighter who has been declared as a loser by injury can continue the competition. A fighter who has got a direct « hansokumake » as the penalty against the spirit of our sport, will not be authorised to continue the competition.





## 4. Coaching

#### 4.1. POSITION OF COACHES

Chairs for two coaches per each competition mat, for the blue and the white side, will be provided behind the barrier of advertising panels.

#### 4.2. CONDUCT OF BEHAVIOUR OF COACHES

The coach is responsible for his athlete's conduct from entering the competition venue until leaving it, before and after each contest.

Coaching will be strictly limited to communication with athlete, tactical advice, encouragement, instructions in unexpected situations, as injury, etc.

The coach will remain seated on his chair throughout the contest..

#### Forbidden behavior of a coach:

- Any comments on or criticism of the referees' verdicts.
- Demanding correction of the referees' decisions
- Any abusive gestures toward referees, officials, or public
- Touching, hitting, kicking, etc. the advertising panels or any equipment
- Any kind of behavior showing disrespect to the opponent, referees, officials, opponent's coach, his own athlete, the public, etc.

#### **Dress code:**

- Draw: jacket suit and tie
- Elimination rounds: national track suit with trousers reaching down to shoes.
- For the final block program (TV time): jacket suit with tie.

The following are forbidden at any time: shorter trousers, sleeveless tops, undressed upper body, any kind of head caps and cover, jeans, sweaters or similar sports unrelated dress, flip-flops.

#### 4.3. PENALTIES

Any coach who infringes upon these rules will be disqualified from accompanying his athletes into competition zone and taking up coach's chair until the end of event (not only for the particular day).

The EJU may apply more severe penalties, depending on the case.

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## 5. Local Information

#### 5.1. HALL

The Championships will be held at the **Sports palace "DINAMO"**, Krylatskoe.

#### **5.2. NEAREST AIRPORT**

«Vnukovo», «Domodedovo», «Sheremetyevo»

#### **5.3. NEAREST TRAIN STATION**

«Belorussky»

#### **5.4. EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER**

In case of emergency, change of flight schedule, etc, during the last week before the championships, the contact persons from the organising committee is:

Ms. Ogneva Nadegda - 007 (906) 037-33-24 Ms. Ogneva Nadegda - 007 (495) 953-35-29

#### 5.5. TRANSPORT

The organizer will take care of the transportation from the above mentioned international airport or from the above mentioned train station to the official competition hotels and competition venue during the competition. Transportation services will be offered only to those participants who are accommodated in the official competition hotels. Please send **Form 6** to the organisers.

Participating National Federations are responsible for their own travel to Moscow, Russia

#### 5.6. OFFICIAL HOTELS

Local organizer is paying for accommodation of all the participating teams. The teams have to be there before weighing in and leave event 10th.

The organizing committee is providing hotels in three categories on full board basis. The prices quoted here are in Euro per person per night.

#### **Hotel SALUT**

119571 Moscow, Leninskiy prospect, 158

	Full board	
Single room	€ 126	
Double room	€ 191	

Note: Full board includes three meals per day starting from dinner on arrival day and ending by breakfast on departure day.

Please be informed, that your reservations will be processed according to the date of your booking.

#### Please make your reservation by sending Form 5.

All participants to be accredited must stay at one of the official hotels.

In case of any damage to hotel property or competition venue caused by members of a delegation, the referring national federation will be charged by the organizing committee.

#### 5.7. TICKETS

Please advise if tickets, if any, will be sold online, or at the door.

#### **5.8. MEDIA**

AIPS licence holders can apply for Media accreditation at the Venue on dd of month yyyy from 10:00hrs till 18:00hrs and on dd of month yyyy from 10:00hrs till 18:00hrs. Submit Form 4 to apply for Media Accreditation to the General Secretariat and the Organiser. Deadline stipulated in Section 7.





## **Deadlines & Checklist**

#### TWO MONTHS BEFORE (01th February 2011) 6.1.

#### 6.1.1. Form 1 - Numerical Inscription / Back number order

This form MUST be sent by deadline, as it serves as order for the sponsor backnumbers needed for the event.

#### ONE MONTH BEFORE (9th March 2011) 6.2.

#### Form 3 - Referee Inscription

Form 3 must be submitted to the EJU General Secretariat and the Organisers.

#### Form 5 - Hotel Reservation

Form 5 must be sent to the organisers. All delegates to be accredited must book their accommodation via the organiser at the official hotels. Unless payment is received by the date stipulated, a written confirmation that payment must be made on the arrival day must be made.

#### 6.2.3. Form 8 - Visa

The Russian Judo Federation will help with obtaining entry visas for athletes and officials. Please send Form No 7 via e-mail or fax. Please specify all information that is needed in the invitation letters for visas.

#### 6.2.4. Form 6 - Travel Schedule & Transfers

Only delegations arriving in airports / train stations / harbours defined in section 6 and advising the organisers on time will be transferred to the hotel by the organisers.

#### **MONDAY OF THE WEEK BEFORE (27th March 2011)** 6.3.

#### Form 2 - Nominal Inscription

Form 2 must be sent to the organisers.

#### Form 4 - Media Inscription

Journalists must send in their media inscription to both EJU General Secretariat & Organisers in order to receive accreditation.

#### Form 7 - Training

Should be sent in if the athletes will require training before the championships. Hall is available: Dates of Hall Availability.

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# Annex 1: Programme (all times are in local time CET)

PROGRAM	PROGRAMME	ZEITPLAN
(Provisional time schedule)	(Sous réserve de modifications)	(Einleitender Zeitplan)
Thursday, 07.04.2011	Jeudi le <u>07.04.2011</u>	Donnerstag, den <u>07.04.2011</u>
Arrival of the EJU Delegates	Arrivée des delegates de l'UEJ	Ankunft EJU Delegation
Arrival of delegations	Arrivée des délégations	Anreise der Delegationen
15:00 – 20:00 Registration	Accréditations	Akkreditierung
	Enregistrement à l'hôtel et contrôle des paiements de logement	Anpassung und Finanzielle
Friday <u>, 08.04.2011</u>	Vendredi le <u>08.04.2011</u>	Freitag, den <u>08.04.2011</u>
Registration	Accréditations	Akkreditierung
Financials & Hotel Check-in	Enregistrement à l'hôtel et contrôle des paiements de logement	Anpassung und Finanzielle
Unofficial weigh-in	Pesée officieuse	Inoffizielle Waage
Official weigh-in	Pesée officielle	Offizielle Waage
Meeting of the referees	Réunion des arbitres	Kampfrichterbesprechung
Draw	Tirage au sort	Auslosung
Saturday, 09.04.2011	Samedi le <u>09.04.2011</u>	Samstag, den <u>09.04.2011</u>
Preliminaries and repechage fights	Préliminaires, repêchage	Beginn der Vorkämpfe und Semifinale
Opening ceremony	Cérémonie d'ouverture	Eröffnungszeremonie
Finals	Finales	Finale
Sunday, <u>10.04.2011</u>	Dimanche le <u>10.04.2011</u>	Sonntag, den <u>10.04.2011</u>
Departure of the delegations	Départ des délégations	Abfahrt Delegationen
	(Provisional time schedule)  Thursday, 07.04.2011 Arrival of the EJU Delegates Arrival of delegations Registration  Friday, 08.04.2011 Registration  Financials & Hotel Check-in  Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in Meeting of the referees Draw Saturday, 09.04.2011 Preliminaries and repechage fights Opening ceremony Finals  Sunday, 10.04.2011	(Provisional time schedule)  Thursday, 07.04.2011  Arrival of the EJU Delegates Arrivée des delegates de l'UEJ Arrival of delegations Registration  Accréditations  Enregistrement à l'hôtel et contrôle des paiements de logement  Vendredi le 08.04.2011  Registration  Financials & Hotel Check-in Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in Meeting of the referees Draw  Tirage au sort  Saturday, 09.04.2011  Preliminaries and repechage fights  Sunday, 10.04.2011  Couverture  Finales  Sunday, 10.04.2011  Peuliminaries and repechage le 10.04.2011  Dimanche le 10.04.2011





## Annex 2: Contact Information

## 4.1 Address & Contact Details of Organising Committee

Address: National Veteran Judo Union

1 st Kadashevskiy pereulok, 7/9, 115035, Moscow, Russia

**Tel Number:** 007 (495) 953-35-29, 007 (906) 037-33-24

**Fax Number:** 007 (495) 953-49-83

**Email:** judo-masters@mail.ru

#### 4.2 Address & Contact Details of EJU General Secretariat

Address: General Secretariat

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