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ACBS 5th ASIAN TEAM EVENT & 6th 6-RED SNOOKER CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017 Bishkek - Kyrgyzstan

Date:24th March 2017,

Dear All ACBS Member Countries,

It's my pleasure to inform you that Kyrgyz Snooker Federation (KSF) has confirmed to host the above championships in **Bishkek-Kyrgyzstan from 13**th to 19th of May 2017.

I, therefore, on behalf of the ACBS, and KSF have the pleasure of inviting your Association / Federation to participate in these events.

Please enter your players' names and details into the ACBS web site www.acbs.qa, using the password emailed to you earlier. Closing date for entries is 24th of April 2017.

PARTICIPANTS: Each country is allowed to enter the below number of players in each discipline:

Team Events: Minimum 2 (two) players and Maximum 3 (three) players. However, <u>Iran, India, Malaysia and Pakistan</u> are eligible to enter 2 (two) teams each as the semi-finalists of 2016 championship, the host country can enter 2 (two) teams.

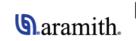
Entry fee will be US\$100.00 per team for the event, and must be paid to the tournament Director before the start of the championship.

6-Red: 3 (**three**) players for each country, however, <u>India – Malaysia and Afghanistan</u> are eligible to enter **4** (**four**) players each as the semi-finalists of 2016 championship. The host country is entitled to enter **8** (**eight**) players.

Entry fee will be US\$50.00 per player for the event, and must be paid to the tournament Director before the start of the Championship.

Please note that the Winner & Runner up of this C'ship will be given the chance to play in the Sangsom 6 red C'ship in Thailand.









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Note: The Referees & Players meeting will be held on 12th May at 7pm. - The first 4 days will be given to 6-Red, and remaining 3 days will be specified for Team Event.

EVENT INFORMATION

AIRPORT: Manas - Bishkek International Airport

AIRPORT HOSPITALITY: Transportation from airport to the hotel will be arranged by the host federation. As such, please provide your flight details once they are confirmed.

HOTEL: Golden Tulip, Bishkek. http://www.goldentulipbishkek.com

ADDRESS:_37 ISANOVA STREET,720017,BISHKEK,Phone: <u>+996 312 610707</u> **HOSPITALITY**: Accommodation with breakfast will be arranged at Golden Tulip hotel.

All participating countries will have to pay an amount of <u>US\$ 90.00 (US dollars ninety)</u> per single room per day and <u>US\$ 100.00 (US dollars one hundred)</u> per double room per day to the host country, as subsidy towards the cost of accommodation for the duration of the tournament plus two extra days.

Referees: The host federation will provide free accommodation sharing room including breakfast for the overseas referees plus US\$50.00 as daily allowance each from ACBS and UAEBSA. So please send your nomination before 24th of April to Mr. Joseph Lo the Chairman of ACBS RCP and cc to me.

VENUE: G.Battir – Sadig Kosoves st

Tables: <u>WIRAKA</u> Cloths: <u>HAINSWORTH MATCH</u>

Balls: Aramith 1G Scoring system: WIRAKA Electronic

VISA: Please check with the Kyrgyzstan embassy in your country. If you need an official invitation for your visas from the host country, contact it at (kyrgyzsnooker@gmail.com) for the same. Passport copy and details of the player/s and accompanying delegate should be sent to the host country and CC to me for visa issuance.







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MATCH FORMAT

Team Events:

1) Minimum 2 players, maximum 3 players. The third player can only play double.

2) Match format:

Team A vs Team B

Single No. 1 Player **vs** No. 1 Player Single No. 2 Player **vs** No. 2 Player Double No. 1 & 2 or No.1 & 3 or **vs** No. 1 & 2 or No. 1 & 3 or No. 2 & 3 Single No. 1 Player **vs** No. 2 Player Single No. 2 Player **vs** No. 1 Player 1 frame each, best of 5 frames.

6-Red:

First Round, Round-Robin Best of 9 frames Last 32 Round, Round-Robin Best of 9 frames Quarter-Finals Best of 11 frames Semi-Finals Best of 11 frames Final Best of 13 (in one session with 30 min break)

Please note that the Technical committee has the right to change the tournament format according to the number of participants players.

PRIZE MONEY:

Team Events:

1st position: US\$ 4500 (challenge trophy + replica) +\$ 2250 from ACBS = \$ 6750. 2^{nd} position: US\$ 3000 (plus replica trophy) + \$ 1500 from ACBS = \$ 4500 3^{rd} position: US\$ 1500 (plus replica trophy) + \$ 750 from ACBS = \$ 2250 Last Eight: US\$ 300 each from ACBS ((plus replica trophy) = \$ 300 Highest Break: US\$ 500 (plus certificate) + \$ 250 from ACBS = \$ 750

6-Red:

1st position: US\$3500 (challenge trophy + replica) + \$ 1750 from ACBS=\$ **5250**

 2^{nd} position: US\$ 1750 (replica trophy) + \$875 from ACBS=\$ 2625 3^{rd} position: US\$ 500 (replica trophy) each + \$250 from ACB)= \$750 Last Eight: US\$ 250 each from ACBS ((plus replica trophy) = \$250









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Challenge trophies for the Asian champions shall be provided for by ACBS; replicas thereof and other trophies for the remaining winners shall be borne by the Host Country. The highest break shall be over a century in points and in case of a tie the prize and trophy will be awarded to the player who first made such a break.

Photograph: All participating countries are requested to send passport size photographs of their players together with their achievements in National/International events for the souvenir magazine program.

Should you require any other information, please feel free to contact the undersigned or the host association at the contact details given below:

ASSOCIATION: Kyrgyz snooker federation

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GENERAL

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Looking forward to receiving your entries and nomination of referees before the 24th of April, 2017.

With Best Regards

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