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TO: Umpire Correspondents, Badminton Europe Members

RE: Umpire Nominations for the European Youth Olympic Festival 2022

Dear All,

Badminton Europe (BEC) is pleased to invite you to nominate umpires for the following event:

European Youth Olympic Festival 2022

Location: Banska Bystrica, Slovakia

Date: 24 to 30 July 2022

Arrival: Must arrive on 23.7.2022 Departure: Must depart on 31.7.2022

For this event, it is required that all nominated umpires have the <u>BEC Accredited/Certificated Umpire</u> or the <u>BWF Umpire</u> level.

Points of arrival

The official points of arrival for the event are Bratislava airport and Vienna airport. Detailed information about transport will be sent to the umpires selected for the event.

Travel expenses

Travel expenses will be covered by the organising committee. The flights tickets will be booked by the LOC. Other travel expenses e.g. for those who will arrive by train, bus or car will be reimbursed on-site.

Accommodation and daily allowance

All International Technical Officials officiating at the European Youth Olympic Festival 2022 will be accommodated in twin rooms.

International Technical Officials for the badminton competition will be provided with full board accommodation and receive a daily allowance of 50€ from arrival to departure.

Umpire Clothing

As per the information sent previously to all Members and umpire correspondents:

- BWF umpires will receive:
 - o 3 polos for those who don't have any
 - 1 additional polo for those who already have some
- BEC umpires will receive:
 - o 1 additional polo

(Each umpire (BEC or BWF) will be given a maximum of 6 polos in total)

Please state the umpire's preferred clothing size for a polo shirt on the nomination form. Additional clothing will not be brought to the event, so please make sure that the indicated sizes are correct. All ITOs will also receive the uniform of the European Youth Olympic Festival 2022.





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Opening/Closing ceremony

Opening ceremony is scheduled on 24.7.2022 at 8:30 pm. Closing ceremony is scheduled on 30.7.2022 at 8:30 pm.

Both ceremonies will take place in the fanzone EYOF, Banska Bystrica. All the ITOs are more than welcome to participate to both ceremonies.

Nominations

Nominations must be made using the link here: nominations for EYOF22

Any changes to the nominations, or any enquiries, must be made to the Badminton Europe office - umpires@badmintoneurope.com

Each Member can nominate a maximum of three umpires for the event.

The closing date for receiving umpire nominations is **Thursday 31 March 2022**. The selection will be announced shortly after the nomination deadline.

Covid-19

Please note that the tournament takes place during the turbulent Covid-19 period. BADMINTON EUROPE and the EYOF Organising Committee are not liable for any costs incurred by third persons because of a cancellation of a tournament. Should the event be cancelled with short notice by the Slovak authorities, due to the Covid-19 situation, beyond the control of both Badminton Europe and the EYOF Organising Committee, neither of them will be liable for any costs related to travelling by umpires for this event. Some national or global epidemiological restrictions might be in place in the sports hall, hotel, transport etc. If applicable, such information will be published on the official event's website and circulated to all Technical Officials.

A detailed Covid-19 protocol will be circulated before the event.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Badminton Europe office if you have any questions.

Thank you in advance for your nominations!

Kind regards

Sven Serré Chair of the TOC Matthieu Hecker Events Officer