

Conditions for ICSF Election Congress and Candidates

General Conditions for Candidates to the ICSF Board:

The election to the ICSF Board requires active involvement and significant contributions to the development of casting and flycasting activities. Candidates must not hold a passive position within the Board. The candidate should meet the following criteria:

1. Active Participation in Casting and Flycasting Activities:

Candidates must hail from a national federation actively engaged in casting and flycasting activities, including participation in international competitions, efforts in youth development, and organization of domestic and international casting events.

2. Demonstrated Expertise in Casting (Flycasting) on the National Level:

Candidates should possess sufficient experience and expertise in casting or flycasting at the national level, demonstrating their understanding of technical aspects and competitive standards.

3. Familiarity with ICSF's Organizational Structure and International Position:

Candidates must have a comprehensive understanding of the organizational structure of the ICSF, its current activities, and its position within the global sports community, including associations like Sportaccord, IWGA, AIMS, CIPS, and WADA.

4. Language Proficiency:

Candidates are encouraged to have proficiency in both spoken and written English and German, although it is acceptable for at least one language to be highly proficient with a good comprehension of the second language. Proficiency in both languages is advantageous as English and German serve as the official languages of the ICSF. Effective communication in both languages facilitates better engagement with the international community within the federation.



5. Division of Activities Among ICSF Board Members:

The ICSF Board consists of 6-7 members, including the Treasurer. The division of activities among the board members is as follows:

- ICSF President
- ICSF General Secretary General
- 1st Vice-president of ICSF
- 2nd Vice-president of ICSF
- Board member
- Board member
- Treasure

Proposed Functions for the International Casting Sports Federation (ICSF) Executive Board:

ICSF President:

- Represents ICSF at all important meetings with other sports federations, or delegates a person authorized by him/her to attend on ICSF's behalf. These meetings include Sportaccord, IWGA (International World Games Association), AIMS (Alliance of Independent Recognized Members of Sport), and CIPS (Confédération Internationale de la Pêche Sportive).
- **2.** Coordinates and oversees the activities of the ICSF Board.
- **3.** Keeps informed about all activities and initiatives undertaken by ICSF Board members.
- **4.** Participates in the opening ceremony of the World Championship events.
- **5.** Collaborates with the ICSF Secretary General in the preparation of ICSF Board meetings and the ICSF Congress.
- **6.** Chairs the Casting Technical Committee responsible for regulating and standardizing casting techniques.



ICSF Secretary General:

- 1. Serves as the primary communication link between national federations, ICSF members, and relevant stakeholders. Maintains records and archives of correspondence.
- 2. Handles and administratively processes applications for new ICSF members, including cooperating and associated members.
- 3. Organizes and prepares all necessary documents for ICSF Board meetings and sets the agenda for the sessions.
- 4. Responsible for administrative tasks and document processing related to the ICSF Congress and General Assembly, including agenda preparation and other requirements.
- 5. Acts as a central repository for information received from ICSF Board members.
- 6. Takes charge of managing the ICSF archive, ensuring proper storage, and handling of historical documents.
- 7. Manages the purchase and distribution of ICSF materials, such as plugs and fly lines.
- 8. Oversees the production and distribution of flags for individual World Championships.

1st Vice-president of ICSF:

- 1. Represents flycasting within the ICSF and advocates for its interests and development.
- 2. Chairs the Flycasting Committee, which focuses on improving flycasting standards and techniques.
- 3. Collaborates in the formulation of the ICSF competition calendar for flycasting competitions.
- 4. Monitors activities related to casting sports within CIPS (International Sport Fishing Confederation).

2nd Vice-president of ICSF:

- 1. Takes responsibility for anti-doping initiatives within ICSF, coordinating efforts with WADA (World Anti-Doping Agency), and staying up-to-date with developments in the field.
- 2. Has the authority to establish an Anti-Doping Committee within ICSF.
- 3. Contributes to the creation of the ICSF competition calendar for the season.
- 4. Takes the lead in seeking prospective sponsors for ICSF and prepares related materials.



Board Member:

- 1. Participates in creating the competition calendar for the upcoming season, incorporating the requirements and preferences of individual national federations.
- 2. Engages in communication with potential organizers of World Championship and World Cup events in casting sports.

Board Member:

- 1. Advocates for youth-related matters within ICSF, focusing on casting sports.
- 2. Maintains regular communication with ICSF federations that prioritize youth development in casting sports.
- 3. Represents ICSF's interests in matters related to the International World Games Association (IWGA) and ICSF's participation in the World Game.

Treasurer:

- 1. Manages ICSF's financial accounts and ensures proper accounting practices.
- 2. Processes financial documents for the ICSF Board, Congress, and General Assembly.
- 3. Records payments for membership fees from individual federations.
- 4. Maintains financial statements for ICSF's sub-accounts, including those of the President and Secretary General.
- 5. Keeps a record of ICSF's assets.

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