

World Skate Executive Board Meeting Recap - 18th February 2022

Dear friends,

Please find below the main topics addressed during the World Skate Executive Board meeting held on 18th February 2022.

Ratification of appointments

Following the Elective Congress, the Executive Board ratified the following appointments:

- Secretary General: Mr. Roberto Marotta (ITA)
- Vice Secretary General: Mrs. Doris Gentile (ITA)
- Commissioner for Oceania: Mrs. Karen Doyle (AUS)
- World Skate Technical Commissions
 - o Chairmen
 - Artistic Nicola Genchi (ITA)
 - Inline Alpine Siegfried Zistler GER)
 - Inline Freestyle Weifeng Gu (CHN)
 - Inline Hockey Andrea Fonzari (ITA)
 - Inline Speed Skating Jorge Roldan (COL)
 - Rink Hockey Carmelo Paniagua (SPA)
 - Roller Derby Fernando Regueiro (USA)
 - Roller Freestyle Olivier Pascal (FRA)
 - Skateboarding Gary Ream (USA)
 - Scooter Elmery Pirinen (FIN)

National Federations - Process leading to the establishment of one single Governing Body per Country (World Skate Statutes, Art. 3.1-4)

As for the Statutes and Bylaws, "World Skate recognizes only one National Federation per Country". Taking in account that the development of World Skate relies also on the merger of the various existing entities in a single governing body that can better develop our sports in the Countries concerned, the Executive Board decided to invite all the entities located in Countries where more than one National Federation has been recognized to merge and establish one single entity (Federation) governing all World Skate sports in such relevant Country.

Regional Organizations (World Skate Statutes, Art. 19)

Considering that World Skate aims to develop its sports and values all over the world and promote the inclusion of one or more of its sports in regional multi-

game events, the Executive Board established and recognised the following Regional Organizations:

- World Skate Mediterranean Area
- World Skate South American Area
- World Skate Commonwealth of Independent States
- World Skate South-East Asian Area

The Head of each Regional Organization shall be appointed by the Executive Board.

