

INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

Communication No. 1622

Decisions of the ISU Council

The ISU Council met on June 13, 19 and 20, 2010 in Barcelona, Spain. The following were among the decisions taken by the Council during the meeting:

1. Allotment of 2011 ISU Championships

In accordance with Rule 127 of the ISU Regulations the Council has definitely allotted the Championships for 2011 as follows.

Speed Skating

Essent ISU European Speed Skating Championships, January 7-9, 2011
Federazione Italiana Sport Del Ghiaccio: Collalbo/ Italy

Essent ISU World Sprint Speed Skating Championships, January 22-23, 2011
Koninklijke Nederlandsche Schaatsenrijders Bond: Heerenveen/Netherlands

Essent ISU World Allround Speed Skating Championships, February 11-13, 2011
Speed Skating Canada: Calgary/Canada

ISU World Junior Speed Skating Championships, February 25-27, 2011
Suomen Luisteluliitto: Seinäjoki/Finland

Essent ISU World Single Distances Speed Skating Championships, March 10-13, 2011
Deutsche Eisschnelllauf-Gemeinschaft: Inzell/Germany

Short Track Speed Skating

ISU European Short Track Speed Skating Championships, January 14-16, 2011
Koninklijke Nederlandsche Schaatsenrijders Bond: Heerenveen/Netherlands

ISU World Junior Short Track Speed Skating Championships, February 25-27, 2011
Federazione Italiana Sport Del Ghiaccio: Courmayeur/Italy

ISU World Short Track Speed Skating Championships, March 11-13, 2011
National Ice Skating Association of UK Ltd: Sheffield/Great Britain

ISU World Short Track Speed Skating Team Championships, March 19-20, 2011
Polish Speed Skating Association: Warsaw/Poland

Single & Pair Skating/Ice Dance

ISU European Figure Skating Championships, January 24-30, 2011
Schweizer Eislauf-Verband: Bern/ Switzerland

ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships, February 15-20, 2011
Chinese Taipei Skating Union: Taipei City/Chinese Taipei

ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships, February 28 - March 6, 2011
Korea Skating Union: Gangneung City /Republic of Korea

ISU World Figure Skating Championships, March 21-27, 2011
Japan Skating Federation: Tokyo/Japan

Synchronized Skating

ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships 2010, April 8-9, 2011
Suomen Taitoluisteliitto: Helsinki/Finland

2. Provisional Allotments ISU Championships 2012

In accordance with Rule 127 of the ISU Regulations the Council has maintained the previous provisional allotments as follows:

Speed Skating

Essent ISU European Speed Skating Championships, January 6-8, 2012
Hungarian National Skating Federation: Budapest/ Hungary

Essent ISU World Sprint Speed Skating Championships, January 28-29, 2012
Speed Skating Canada: Calgary/Canada

Essent ISU World Allround Speed Skating Championships, February 17-19, 2012
The Russian Skating Union: Moscow/Russia

ISU World Junior Speed Skating Championships, March 2-4, 2012
Japan Skating Federation: Obihiro City/Japan

Essent ISU World Single Distances Speed Skating Championships, March 22-25, 2012
Koninklijke Nederlandsche Schaatsenrijders Bond: Heerenveen/Netherlands

Short Track Speed Skating

ISU European Short Track Speed Skating Championships, January 27-29, 2012
Czech Speed Skating Federation: Mlada Boleslav/Czech Republic

ISU World Junior Short Track Speed Skating Championships, February 24-26, 2012
Australian Ice Racing Inc.: Melbourne/Australia

ISU World Short Track Speed Skating Championships, March 9-11, 2012
Chinese Skating Association: Beijing/China

Single & Pair Skating/Ice Dance

ISU European Figure Skating Championships, January 23-29, 2012
National Ice Skating Association of UK Ltd: Sheffield/Great Britain

ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships, February 7-12, 2012
pending

ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships, February 27 - March 4, 2012
Skating Union of Belarus: Minsk/Belarus

ISU World Figure Skating Championships, March 26 - April 1, 2012
Fédération Française des Sports de Glace: Nice/France

Synchronized Skating

ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships, April 6-7, 2012
Svenska Skridskoförbundet: Goteborg/Sweden

3. Provisional Allotments ISU Championships 2013

In accordance with Rule 127 of the ISU Regulations the Council has provisionally allotted the following 2013 Championships:

Speed Skating

Essent ISU European Speed Skating Championships, 11-13 January 2013,
Koninklijke Nederlandsche Schaatsenrijders Bond: Heerenveen/Netherlands

Essent ISU World Sprint Speed Skating Championships, 26-27 January 2013,
US Speedskating: Salt Lake City/United States

Essent ISU World Allround Speed Skating Championships, 15-17 February 2013,
Norges Skøyteforbund: Hamar/Norway

ISU World Junior Speed Skating Championships,
pending

Essent ISU World Single Distances Speed Skating Championships, 14-17 March 2013,
The Russian Skating Union: Sochi/Russia

Short Track Speed Skating

ISU European Short Track Speed Skating Championships, 18-20 January 2013,
Svenska Skridskoförbundet: Malmö/Sweden

ISU World Junior Short Track Speed Skating Championships,
pending

ISU World Short Track Speed Skating Championships, 8-10 March 2013,
Hungarian National Skating Federation: Budapest/Hungary

Single & Pair Skating/Ice Dance

ISU European Figure Skating Championships, 21-27 January, 2013,
Croatian Skating Federation: Zagreb/Croatia

ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships, 5-10 February 2013,
Pending

ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships, February 25 - 3 March 2013,
Federazione Italiana Sport Del Ghiaccio: Milano/Italy

ISU World Figure Skating Championships, 10-17 March 2013,
Skate Canada: London (Ontario)/Canada

Synchronized Skating

ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships,
Pending

4. Suspension of the Association of Skating Sports of Serbia Membership

Based on evidence presented and in compliance with Article 17, paragraph 1. g) of the ISU Constitution the ISU Council decided that the Association of Skating Sports of Serbia has failed to maintain the minimum requirements for ISU membership. As a result the Council decided to suspend the ISU membership of the Association of Skating Sports of Serbia until the Council will be in a position to decide on the ISU membership in Serbia

5. Decision of the ISU Council on Eligibility of Mr. Evgeny Plushenko (RUS)

Based on evidence presented the Council has concluded that Mr. Evgeny Plushenko breached the ISU eligibility rule 102, paragraph 2, i) of the ISU General Regulations and as a consequence has become ineligible under paragraph 7 a) of that rule. The evidence has proved to the satisfaction of the Council that Mr. E. Plushenko, a skater and member of the Figure Skating Federation of Russia (FSFR), skated in exhibitions held in March and April 2010, in Russia and other countries, without the express prior authorization of the FSFR. Such activity is a breach of the ISU eligibility rules and results in the loss of eligibility.

The present decision communicated to both Mr E. Plushenko and the FSFR may be appealed to the Court of Arbitration for Sport, Lausanne, Switzerland, within 21 days upon receipt of the decision, in accordance with Article 25, paragraph 2, c) of the ISU Constitution.

6. Recognition of new World Records Speed Skating

In accordance with Article 19, paragraph 5. j) of the ISU Constitution the Council homologates the following World Records:

Men 1500 meters

1.41,04	Shani Davis	USA	Salt Lake City, 11.12.2009
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Ladies 500 meters

37,00	Jenny Wolf	GER	Salt Lake City, 11.12.2009
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Ladies Team Pursuit

2.55,79	Canada (Kristina Groves, Christine Nesbitt, Brittany Schussler)	CAN	Calgary, 06.12.2009
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Junior Men 1500 meters

1.44,52	Brian Hansen	USA	Calgary, 05.12.2009
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1.44,45	Brian Hansen	USA	Salt Lake City, 11.12.2009
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Junior Men Team Pursuit

3.54,40	Netherlands (Lucas van Alphen, Frank Hermans, Maurice Vriend)	NED	Berlin, 06.03.2010
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3.50,02	Norway (Sverre L. Pedersen, Håvard H. Lorentzen, Simen S. Nilsen)	NOR	Moscow, 14.03.2010
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Junior Ladies Team Pursuit

3.05,45	Kazakhstan (Yekaterina Aydova, Tatyana Sokirko, Olga Zhigina)	KAZ	Salt Lake City, 13.12.2009
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7. Recognition of new World Records Short Track Speed Skating

In accordance with Article 19, paragraph 5. j) of the ISU Constitution the Council homologates the following World Records:

Men 500 meters

40,651 Si-Bak Sung KOR Marquette, 14.11.2009

Ladies 1000 meters

1.29, 049 Yang Zhou CHN Vancouver, 26.02.2010

Ladies 3000 meters Relay

4.06,610 China CHN Vancouver, 24.02.2010
(Linlin Sun, Meng Wang, Hui Zhang, Yang Zhou)

8. Summary of Figure Skating Officials Evaluation Season 2009/10

During the 2009/2010 season the Assessments (warnings) were determined jointly by the assigned Officials Assessment Commission members and by the Technical Committees. The Council reviewed and ratified the following Assessments:

a) Single and Pair Skating:

Assessment 1:	14	Assessments
Assessment 2:	10	Assessments
Assessment 3:	0	Assessments

Total season 2009/10:	24	Assessments
Out of which	16	concerning Program Components
	5	concerning Technical Elements
	1	concerning both Program Components and Technical Elements
	2	for non-attendance

Previous Seasons Assessments:

Total season 2008/09:	16	Assessments
Total season 2007/08:	12	Assessments
Total season 2006/07:	13	Assessments
Total season 2005/06:	29	Assessments
Total season 2004/05**:	42	Assessments
Total season 2003/04**:	20	Assessments
Total season 2002/03*:	11	Assessments

b) Ice Dance:

Assessment 1:	15	Assessments
Assessment 2:	2	Assessments
Assessment 3:	0	Assessments

Total season 2009/10:	17	Assessments
Out of which	5	concerning Program Components
	9	concerning Technical Elements
	3	concerning both Program Component and Technical Elements

Previous Seasons Assessments:

Total season 2008/09:	11	Assessments
Total season 2007/08:	21	Assessments
Total season 2006/07:	20	Assessments
Total season 2005/06:	25	Assessments
Total season 2004/05**:	56	Assessments
Total season 2003/04**:	9	Assessments
Total season 2002/03*:	4	Assessments

c) Synchronized Skating:

Assessment 1:	1	Assessments
Assessment 2:	1	Assessments

Total season 2009/10:	2	Assessments
Out of which	2	concerning Technical Elements

Previous Seasons Assessments:

Total season 2008/09:	2	Assessments
Total season 2007/08:	3	Assessments
Total season 2006/07:	1	Assessments
Total season 2005/06:	0	Assessments
Total season 2004/05**:	0	Assessments
Total season 2003/04**:	1	Assessments
Total season 2002/03*:	2	Assessments

* = Assessments based on the previous 6.0 based Judging System.

** = Assessments based on partly the ISU Judging System, partly the previous 6.0 based Judging System.

The concerned Officials have been notified about the Assessments by letter and through their Members.

Milan,

June 28, 2010

Lausanne,

Ottavio Cinquanta, President

Fredi Schmid, Director General