

International Bodyguard & Security Services Association

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Executive Board Meeting Arezzo, Italy 26th May 1997

In attendance:

HRH Prince Adan Czartoryski-Borbon President
George Popper Treasurer
Fritz Wendland General Director

Silvere Salvisberg Education & Qualification Dep. Ching, Chien-Hsien Bank Security Department

Chiu, Ching-Yen Regional Coordinating President for Southeast Asia

Dr. Bryan Dowler Chairman, Legal Department

Adam Popper Chairman, Championships Rules - Technical Committee

Imed Nefzi Guest, PR of CEFAS, Switzerland

Mr. Adam Popper explained to the board members the IBSSA Internet system. It was agreed to take more advantage of the opportunities provided by the Internet.

Mr. Salvisberg gave an overview in relation to the qualification regulations for IBSSA approved bodyguards and security agents. It was agreed that there should be more than four levels of bodyguards. IBSSA will recognize training camps which fullfil the IBSSA standards of education and qualification. The data bank of IBSSA Instructors is being installed now. The Education & Qualification Department will approve (or not) the applications.

Mr. Chiu and Mrs. Ching gave a report relating to the Children's Safety Training Camp system in Taiwan, R.O.C. Mr. Salvisberg presented the education and qualification methods of his company CEFAS in Switzerland. Mr. Chiu will set up an education and qualification center for Taiwan and South-East Asia in cooperation with Mr. Salvisberg.

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Mr. Adam Popper reported on the preparations of the 1st IBSSA Bodyguard Championships in Budapest, Hungary, 1998. He explained the operation of the two committees:

- The Organizing Committee of the 1st Bodyguard World Championships,
- The Championships Rules Committee.

The draft of the 1st Bodyguard Championships Rules has been sent to all IBSSA members. So far there have been no questions, proposals for alterations etc. In autumn this year there will be a preparatory tournament in Bukarest, Romania.

The President, Prince Adan Czartoryski-Borbon, informed the present board members about his meetings prior to this meeting with:

- Dott. Spartaco Bertoletti, PR, Press and Publications Department,
- Florentin Marinescu, Coordinating President for Europe,
- Rony Kluger, Member of the Education and Qualification Department.

Dott. Bertoletti has nearly finished the work for the first IBSSA News Letter. Besides the Internet information system it will be the main information link between the IBSSA members as well as an external showcase for IBSSA.

The Treasurer, Mr. George Popper, informed the board members of the forthcoming Congress in Miami, Florida, USA, 21st to 23rd November 1997. He gave an overview of the accommodation facilities and the program before and during the Congress period. Details will be circulated to all members. He also mentioned that some members had not paid their membership fee for 1997. These members will loose their membership in the event of further non-payment.

Mr. Popper also stated that the IBSSA Passport is nearly ready and will be distributed soon.

Fritz Wendland IBSSA General Director