



## II Abierto Mexicano de Gimnasia Acapulco, Mexico October 9-14, 2012



### DIRECTIVES

Dear friends,

The Gymnastics Federation of Mexico, has the pleasure to invite your Federation to participate in the aforementioned FIG registered event.

<b>HOST FEDERATION</b>	<p>Federación Mexicana de Gimnasia: Ciudad Deportiva, Puerta 9 Col. Ex-ejido Magdalena Mixhuca C.P. 08010 Mexico City, Mexico Phone/Fax: (52 55) 5657-5681 E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@fmgimnasia.org.mx">info@fmgimnasia.org.mx</a> Website: <a href="http://www.fmgimnasia.org.mx">www.fmgimnasia.org.mx</a></p> <p>Contact person: Naomi Valenzo</p>
<b>ORGANIZING COMMITTEE</b>	<p>Grupo Pegaso Paseo de los Tamarindos #400-A. Piso 28. Colonia Bosques de las Lomas. Delegación Cuajimalpa. C.P. 05120 Mexico City, Mexico Phone: (52 55) 5261-6220 Fax: (52 55) 5261-6294</p> <p>Contact person: Estela de la Torre Borja (Director of Abierto Mexicano de Gimnasia) E-mail: <a href="mailto:esteladelatorreb@gmail.com">esteladelatorreb@gmail.com</a> Cel phone: (52 1 55) 2240-2908 Office Phone: (52 55) 5261-6220</p>
<b>LOCATION</b>	Acapulco, Guerrero, Mexico
<b>DATES</b>	From October 9 to 14, 2012
<b>VENUE</b>	The Fairmont Acapulco Princess (Exhibition Centre "Diamante") Costera de las Palmas s/n Fraccionamiento Granjas del Marquez C.P. 39890 Acapulco, Guerrero Mexico
<b>APPARATUS SUPPLIER</b>	AAI
<b>RULES AND REGULATIONS</b>	<p>The competition will be organized under the FIG rules, as valid in the year of the competition, except for any deviation mentioned in these directives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Technical Regulations</li> <li>• Code of Points</li> </ul>

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<b>FEDERATIONS INVITED</b>	The Organizing Member Federation invites gymnasts by name from the following Federations: AUS, BRA, CAN, COL, CHN, ESP, FRA, GER, GBR, ITA, JPN, MEX, ROU, RUS, USA.																												
<b>PARTICIPATION AND FIG LICENSE</b>	<p>Only the invited senior gymnasts in good standing with the correct age and holding a valid FIG License may participate. The Organizing Committee will be responsible for checking the validity of the gymnasts' licenses. The maximum size of the invited delegation is as follows:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Delegation member</th> <th>Men</th> <th>Women</th> <th>Joint</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Head of Delegation</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Coach (max. 1 per gymnast)</td> <td>1*</td> <td>1*</td> <td>2*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Gymnasts</td> <td>1*</td> <td>1*</td> <td>2*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Doctor</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Physiotherapist</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Judges</td> <td>1*</td> <td>1*</td> <td>2*</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>* Organizing Committee will cover all expenses for these members (international transportation, accommodation and meals)  Note: Members not marked with the asterisk must pay for their international transportation and Organizing Committee will cover accommodation and meals.</p>	Delegation member	Men	Women	Joint	Head of Delegation	1	1	1	Coach (max. 1 per gymnast)	1*	1*	2*	Gymnasts	1*	1*	2*	Doctor	1	1	1	Physiotherapist	1	1	1	Judges	1*	1*	2*
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<b>AGE LIMITS</b>	<p>Age limit for MAG: 16 years (born in 1996 or before)  Age limit for WAG: 16 years (born in 1996 or before)</p>																												
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<b>ENTRY FEES</b>	No Entry Fee will be applied for this event.																												
<b>ACCREDITATION</b>	Accreditations will be available upon arrival.																												
<b>COMPETITION FORMAT</b>	<p>The II Abierto Mexicano de Gimnasia is an All Around competition to be carried out in 2 days.</p> <p>An additional prize mixed teams (1 WAG gymnast + 1 MAG gymnast) will be awarded and the pairs will be drawn during the Press Conference on October 10, 2012.</p> <p>Additionally, prize money will be awarded for the champions on each apparatus.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participation is based on the individual invitations.</li> <li>• The Organizing Member Federation is allowed to participate with 2 WAG and 2 WAG gymnasts.</li> <li>• FIG Competition II rules will be applied for vault</li> <li>• In case of any tie, the tie will be broken as per FIG TR.</li> </ul>																												

<b>DRAWING OF LOTS</b>	The gymnasts' drawing of lots will take place during Technical Meeting on October 10, 2012 at The Fairmont Acapulco Princess (Room Princesa).
<b>PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE</b>	<p>Tuesday 09/Oct  All day           Arrival of Delegations  21:30-23:00   Delegates' Technical Meeting (Room Princesa)</p> <p>Wednesday 10/Oct  10:00-13:00   Training  16:00-18:30   Training  19:00-20:00   Press Conference  20:30-23:30   Welcome party by the pool (required white clothing)</p> <p>Thursday 11/Oct  10:00-13:00   Training  16:00-19:00   Training  19:00-21:30   I Pegaso Junior Mexican Cup (AA)</p> <p>Friday 12/Oct  16:00-18:00   Judges' Meeting (Room Princesa)  19:00-19:15   Opening Ceremony  19:15-21:00   1º part – All Around competition  (WAG: VT, UB; MAG: FX, PH, SR)</p> <p>Saturday 13/Oct  18:00-20:00   2º part – All Around competition  (WAG: BB, FX; MAG: VT, PB, HB)  20:15-21:00   Gymnastics Gala* – Closing Ceremony  21:00-21:30   Awards Ceremony (AA and Mixed Teams)</p> <p>                          22:30-01:30   Farewell Party (Restaurant La Hacienda)</p> <p>Sunday 14/Oct  Afternoon       Photo and video session  Acapulco Tour</p> <p>Monday 15/Oct  All day           Departure</p> <p><i>*For Gala, gymnasts are required to prepare a routine with music and clothes with specific theme to be announced in a later stage. Please confirm if your gymnast will participate in the Gala.</i></p>
<b>EVENT MANAGER</b>	Estela de la Torre Borja Director of Abierto Mexicano de Gimnasia E-mail: <a href="mailto:esteladelatorreb@gmail.com">esteladelatorreb@gmail.com</a> Cel phone: (52 1 55) 2240-2908 Office Phone: (52 55) 5261-6220
<b>MEDICAL SERVICES</b>	Organizing Committee will provide first aid services and will have on site 2 doctors during all training sessions and competition.

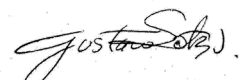
<b>VISA</b>	<p>Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the Mexico Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Mexico. The Organizing Committee will be happy to assist each Delegation member with an official invitation letter, provided that the request is made before September 9, 2012 to the OC.</p> <p>The request must include the function, full name, gender, date of birth, citizenship and passport number, passport expiry date, the arrival and departure dates of the Delegation Member as well as the city the visa application support letter must be sent to.</p>
<b>INSURANCE</b>	<p>The Host Federation, the Organizing Committee and the FIG will not be held responsible for any liabilities in case of accidents, illness, repatriation and the like. The FIG Technical Regulations foresee that all participating Federations are responsible for making their own arrangements to have the necessary valid insurance coverage against illness, accidents and for repatriation for all the members of their Delegation. The OC will verify the insurance upon arrival of the delegation members (e.g. cover note or photocopy of the valid policy). Delegation members with insufficient insurance cover must inform the OC in advance.</p>
<b>INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION</b>	<p>Organizing Committee will pay travel costs for one coach, one gymnast and one judge on each discipline if invited.</p> <p>Each Federation will propose their travel itinerary in economy class and after OC approval with the reservation code, the cost will be reimbursed upon arrival.</p> <p>Additional Delegation Members must cover their own travel costs and the Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the OC by September 9, 2012.</p>
<b>LOCAL TRANSPORTATION</b>	<p>Local transportation Airport-Hotel-Airport will be provided by the Organizing Committee with no extra cost provided the travel schedule information is informed by September 9, 2012.</p>
<b>ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS</b>	<p>Organizing Committee will cover expenses for accommodation and meals for one coach and one gymnast on each discipline if invited.</p> <p>Additional Delegation members must book their accommodation directly to the Official Hotel.</p> <p>The Fairmont Acapulco Princess  Costera de las Palmas s/n  Fraccionamiento Granjas del Marquez  C.P. 39890  Acapulco, Guerrero  Mexico  <a href="http://www.fairmont.com/acapulco">www.fairmont.com/acapulco</a> &lt;<a href="http://www.fairmont.com/acapulco">http://www.fairmont.com/acapulco</a>&gt;  Phone: (52 744) 435-2600 / (744) 469-1000  Fax: (52 744) 466-3084 / (744) 469-1018</p> <p>Hotel Reservations:  Phone: 01-800-090-9900</p> <p>Reservations in Mexico:  Phone: (52 55) 1107-0800 Ext. 223 / 224</p> <p>Reservations in Acapulco:  Phone: (52 744) 469-1000 Ext. 5198</p>

<b>FINAL BANQUET</b>	All accredited persons are invited free of charge to the Final Banquet that will be held at Restaurant La Hacienda, inside The Fairmont Acapulco Princess.																																								
<b>JUDGES AND JURIES</b>	Apparatus Jury (or Juries) will be composed as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 D judges, min. 4 E-judges, plus 1 Supervisor</li> </ul> Each delegation is entitled to present one judge. Judges must have a valid FIG brevet for Cycle XII.																																								
<b>PRIZE MONEY</b>	Additional to medals and commemorative silver trophy to the winners, a prize money will be awarded as follows: <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="4" style="text-align: center;"><b>Prize money in USD</b></th> </tr> <tr> <th style="text-align: center;"><i>Ranking</i></th> <th style="text-align: center;"><i>All Around (per discipline)</i></th> <th style="text-align: center;"><i>Mixed Teams (per Team)</i></th> <th style="text-align: center;"><i>Each apparatus</i></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 5,000.00 USD</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 5,000.00</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$500.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 3,500.00 USD</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">3</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 2,000.00 USD</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">4</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 800.00 USD</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">5</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 600.00 USD</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">6</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 400.00 USD</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">7</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 300.00 USD</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">8</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$ 200.00 USD</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	<b>Prize money in USD</b>				<i>Ranking</i>	<i>All Around (per discipline)</i>	<i>Mixed Teams (per Team)</i>	<i>Each apparatus</i>	1	\$ 5,000.00 USD	\$ 5,000.00	\$500.00	2	\$ 3,500.00 USD	-	-	3	\$ 2,000.00 USD	-	-	4	\$ 800.00 USD	-	-	5	\$ 600.00 USD	-	-	6	\$ 400.00 USD	-	-	7	\$ 300.00 USD	-	-	8	\$ 200.00 USD	-	-
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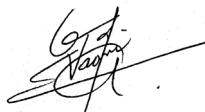
Sincerely Yours,



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