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TO UEFA MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS

For the attention of
the President and the General Secretary

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47th Ordinary UEFA Congress, Lisbon, Portugal, Wednesday 5 April 2023

Dear Sir or Madam,

As announced in circular letters no. 35/2022 of 10 June 2022 and no. 80/2022 of 21 December 2022, the next Ordinary UEFA Congress will be held in Lisbon on Wednesday 5 April 2023 and will take place at the **Lisbon Congress Center**, Praça das Indústrias 1, 1300-307 Lisbon. Looking ahead to this event, we would like to give you the following information:

Congress programme, agenda and documents

Please find enclosed three copies of the **Congress programme and agenda** (as approved by the UEFA Executive Committee at its meeting on 25 January 2023), as well as three copies of the following **enclosures accompanying the agenda**:

- Item V of the agenda – Report of the UEFA President and the Executive Committee and Report of the UEFA Administration 2021/22
- Item VI a) and b) of the agenda – Financial Report 2021/22
- Item VI c) of the agenda – Budget for 2023/24

Please provide all enclosed documents (as well as this circular letter) to the delegates appointed by your association.

Financial matters

We believe that the reports on **financial matters (item VI)** provide a clear and precise picture. However, should you have any questions that cannot be answered at the Congress without consulting the accounts, please submit them to the UEFA finance division in writing **by 22 March 2023**, thereby allowing us to prepare replies properly with the aid of all relevant documents.

Elections *(item IX of the agenda)*

As already communicated in circular letters no. 8/2023 of 6 February 2023 and no. 9/2023 of 16 February 2023, the UEFA administration has received the following candidatures (all of which have successfully passed the required eligibility check):

a) Candidate for the UEFA presidency *(for a four-year term)*

	Surname	First name	Country
1.	Čeferin*	Aleksander	Slovenia

* standing for re-election

b) Candidate for one female member position on the UEFA Executive Committee *(for a four-year term)*

	Surname	First name	Country
1.	McAllister	Laura	Wales

c) Candidates (in alphabetical order) **for seven member positions on the UEFA Executive Committee** *(for a four-year term)*

	Surname	First Name	Country
1.	Christensen*	Jesper Møller	Denmark
2.	Diallo	Philippe	France
3.	Duka*	Armand	Albania
4.	Fousek	Petr	Czechia
5.	Klaveness	Lise	Norway
6.	Kobiashvili	Levan	Georgia
7.	Pavelko*	Andrii	Ukraine
8.	Petrie	Rod	Scotland
9.	Quaderer	Hugo	Liechtenstein
10.	Rubiales*	Luis	Spain
11.	Vassallo	Björn	Malta

* standing for re-election

d) Candidate for one member position on the UEFA Executive Committee *(for a two-year term)*

	Surname	First Name	Country
1.	Watzke	Hans-Joachim	Germany

e) Candidates (in alphabetical order) **for one FIFA vice-president position** *(for a four-year term)*

	Surname	First name	Country
1.	Csányi*	Sándor	Hungary
2.	Lahti	Ari	Finland

* standing for re-election

f) Candidates (in alphabetical order) **for the FIFA vice-president position reserved for the four British associations** – i.e. England, Scotland, Northern Ireland and Wales *(for a four-year term)*

	Surname	First name	Country
1.	Hewitt	Debbie	England
2.	Martin*	David	Northern Ireland

* standing for re-election

g) Candidates (in alphabetical order) **for one ordinary member position on the FIFA Council** *(for a four-year term)*

	Surname	First name	Country
1.	Gomes	Fernando	Portugal
2.	Le Graët*	Noël	France

* Please be informed that Mr Noël Le Graët has, in the meantime, decided to withdraw his candidature from the election of one ordinary member position on the FIFA Council. Therefore, Mr Fernando Gomes remains the sole candidate for this position.

h) Candidate for one ordinary member position on the FIFA Council *(for a two-year term)*

	Surname	First name	Country
1.	Neuendorf	Bernd	Germany

Accreditations, voting and attendance cards

Accreditations for the Congress will be distributed upon arrival at the UEFA welcome desk situated in the hotel lobby. Please note that accreditations for the Congress are **personal** and may not be transferred to anyone else in any circumstances. **Only accredited persons will be allowed to enter the Congress hall**, so please make sure you wear your accreditation.

The procedure for distributing **voting and attendance cards** to delegates remains unchanged – they will be **distributed on the day of the Congress from - 08.15 to 08.45** at the entrance to the Congress hall.

Voting rights/voting by proxy

Article 18(1) and (2) of the *UEFA Statutes* stipulates that: "Each Member Association shall have one vote" and that "Votes by proxy shall not be permitted."

If you need any more information at this stage, please send an email to congress@uefa.ch.

We hope this information is useful to you and look forward to seeing you in Lisbon.

Yours faithfully,

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Theodore Theodoridis
General Secretary

Enclosures

- As mentioned

cc (with enclosures)

- UEFA Executive Committee
- European members of the FIFA Council
- Honorary members of UEFA
- FIFA, Zurich