

# FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE GYMNASTIQUE

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WORLD CUPS 1989 - 1990

ARTISTIC GYMNASTICS AND RHYTHMIC SPORTIVE GYMNASTICS

## REGULATIONS

### 1. PREAMBLE

Following the decisions taken by the General Assemblies of the FIG held at Herning in 1987 and at Seoul in 1988, the World Cup 1989-1990 will, on a trial basis, take the form of qualifying round and a final competition.

Different systems have had to be conceived for Artistic Gymnastics and for Rhythmic Gymnastics (RSG).

### 2. ARTISTIC GYMNASTICS

#### 2.1 Qualifying Rounds

The qualifying rounds begin after the World Championships in Artistic Gymnastics of 1989. They conclude at the end of May 1990.

#### 2.1.1 Qualifying Competitions

Qualifying competitions have been announced by the national federations. On the propositions of the respective Technical Committees the Executive Committee of the FIG has chosen the following 8 tournaments for men and women gymnasts in the order shown :

##### Women

| <u>Federation</u> | <u>Competition</u>  | <u>Venue</u> | <u>Date</u>   |
|-------------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------|
| JPN               | Chunichi Cup        | Nagoya       | 18 - 19.11.89 |
| RFA               | DTB-Pokal           | Stuttgart    | 1 - 3.12.89   |
| USA               | America Cup         | Washington   | 5 - 6. 3.90   |
| FRA               | Intern. de France   | Paris/Bercy  | 23 - 25. 3.90 |
| URS               | Moscow News         | Moscou       | 30 - 31. 3.90 |
| RDA               | Turnier der Meister | Cottbus      | 6 - 8. 4.90   |
| ROM               | Intern. Tournament  | Ploiesti     | 21 - 23. 4.90 |
| BUL               | Golden Sands        | Varna        | 10 - 14. 5.90 |

##### Hommes

| <u>Federation</u> | <u>Competition</u>  | <u>Venue</u> | <u>Date</u>   |
|-------------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------|
| JPN               | Chunichi Cup        | Nagoya       | 18 - 19.11.89 |
| RFA               | DTB Pokal           | Stuttgart    | 1 - 3.12.89   |
| USA               | America Cup         | Washington   | 5 - 6. 3.90   |
| CAN               |                     | Toronto      | 31. 3.90      |
| URS               | Moscow News         | Moscou       | 30 - 31. 3.90 |
| RDA               | Turnier der Meister | Cottbus      | 6 - 8. 4.90   |
| CHN               | China Cup           | Beijing      | 27 - 29. 4 90 |
| ITA               | Grand prix de Rome  | Rome         | 30 - 31. 5.90 |

The organizers of these tournaments are fully responsible, on behalf of the FIG, for the organization and the running of these qualifying tests in respect of the World Cup.

These qualifying competitions will not be recognized as such unless at least 8 federations participate for qualification purposes. In any other case, no qualification points will be granted.

The tournaments take place under the supervision of the FIG. On each occasion, 2 members of the Technical Committee must be present. They will direct and control the competitions. The expenses of travel of these members of the TC's will be payable by the FIG while the expenses of their stay will be chargeable to the organizing federations.

#### 2.1.2 Right of Participation

Those federations, whose women gymnasts or men gymnasts have taken part in Competitions II or III of the World Championships 1989, are entitled to take part in the qualifying competitions.

The qualifying federations may choose the tournaments to which they propose to send their competing gymnasts. At each tournament only two women gymnasts - similarly, only two men gymnasts - may be entered at the maximum. These gymnasts need not be those who attained the qualifying requirements at the World Championships. Gymnasts, of either sex, can be changed from one tournament to the other. In order to qualify for the Final of the World Cup, participation in at least 3 tournaments is obligatory.

#### 2.1.3 Judging

The qualifying competitions will be judged according to the provisions of the Code of Points for Competition II.

#### 2.1.4 Designation of the Participants at the Final

The designation of the finalists will be made by a classification of points based on rankings.

For each tournament the following points will be attributed :

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| 1st rank           | 20 points |
| 2nd rank           | 18 points |
| 3rd rank           | 16 points |
| 4th rank           | 15 points |
| 5th rank           | 14 points |
| (so on till the :) |           |
| 18th rank          | 1 point   |

The position obtained by the addition of the points awarded in the different tournaments will determine participation in the Final.

If a federation participates in more than 3 tournaments, the three best results obtained will be taken into consideration.

#### 2.1.5 General Provisions

The general provisions for participation in the qualifying tests will be in conformity with the conditions prescribed by the host federations. The provisions of the Technical Regulations of the

FIG must equally be observed (composition of the delegation, financial conditions, etc.).

The Executive Committee and the Technical Committees reserve the right to add other provisions.

#### 2.2 Final

The Final of the World Cup is organized, jointly, for men and women gymnasts.

##### 2.2.1 Venue

The 1988 General Assembly of the FIG granted the organization to the Fédération Royale Belge de Gymnastique. The manifestation will take place at Brussels.

##### 2.2.2 Date

The Final will be held during the period of 26th to 28th October 1990.

##### 2.2.3 Participation

18 women gymnasts and 18 men gymnasts, from the qualifying federations, will take part in the Final.

In the event of an equality of points at the 18th position, the best classification obtained in a qualifying competition will be the determining factor.

Those federations are qualified whose gymnasts have obtained the best totals of points during the qualifying tests.

Gymnasts, other than those who have taken part in the qualifying rounds, may be chosen by their federation. Each federation, however, may not be represented by more than 2 women gymnasts and 2 men gymnasts at the maximum.

The organizing federation may designate 2 women gymnasts and 2 men gymnasts to take part if it is not included within the group of qualifying federations.

Likewise, 2 women gymnasts and 2 men gymnasts will be invited to the Final in the capacity of reserves.

##### 2.2.4 Competition Programme

The 18 gymnasts of both sexes will compete in an all-around competition according to the provisions of the FIG for Competition II (final of the all-around competition).

The day after the Final of the all-around competition, a final for each apparatus will be organized according to the provisions of the FIG for Competition III.

## 2.2.5 General Provisions

The general provisions (composition of a delegation, etc.) must conform to those of the Technical Regulations of the FIG.

## 2.2.6 Financial Conditions

The organizing federation will bear the cost of transport, lodging and subsistence for all the participants, also those for the organization of the manifestation, according to the provisions of the Technical Regulations of the FIG.

# 3. RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS

## 3.1 Individual Gymnasts

### 3.1.1. Qualifying Rounds

The qualifying rounds will begin after the World Championships in Rhythmic Gymnastics of 1989. They conclude at the end of May 1990.

#### 3.1.1.1 Qualifying Competitions

Qualifying competitions have been announced by the national federations. On the proposition of the Technical Committee, the Executive Committee of the FIG has chosen the following provisional 3 tournaments :

| <u>Federation</u> | <u>Competition</u> | <u>Venue</u>    | <u>Date</u> |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| FRA               | ?                  | Corbeil/Essones | 11-13.5.90  |
| JPN               | ?                  | Tokyo           | 5.90        |
| URS               | ?                  | Moscou          | ?           |

The organizers of these tournaments are fully responsible, on behalf of the FIG, for the organization and running of these qualifying tests in respect of the World Cup.

The organizing federations must undertake to include in the tournament all those federations having the right to participate in qualification. They may also invite to the tournament federations which are not so qualified.

The tournaments take place under the supervision of the FIG. At the minimum, 2 members of the Technical Committee must be present. They will direct and control the competitions. The expenses of travel of these members of the TC will be payable by the FIG while the expenses of their stay will be chargeable to the organizing federations.

## 3.1.1.2 Right of Participation

Participation in the qualifying rounds is open to all those federations which have had one or more gymnasts classified within the 1st to the 36th place in the all-around individual Competition of the World Championships 1989.

In the event of equality at the 36th place, all the federations having a gymnast ranked 36th are admitted for participation in qualification.

Each federation may not present more than 2 gymnasts at each of the qualifying tournaments. These gymnasts need not have themselves attained the qualifying requirement at the World Championships.

The organizing federation may invite more than 2 gymnasts per country. For the purposes of qualification, however, only the two best results will be taken into consideration.

### 3.1.1.3 Judging

The qualifying competitions will be judged according to the provisions of the Code of Points for the all-around competition.

### 3.1.1.4 Designation of the Participants at the Final

The designation of the finalists will be made by a classification of points based on rankings.

For each tournament - separately for each participant of a federation - the following points will be attributed :

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| 1st rank           | 20 points |
| 2nd rank           | 18 points |
| 3rd rank           | 16 points |
| 4th rank           | 15 points |
| 5th rank           | 14 points |
| (so on till the :) |           |
| 18th rank          | 1 point   |

The position obtained by the addition of the points awarded in the different tournaments will determine participation in the Final.

### 3.1.1.5 General Provisions

The general provisions for participation in the qualifying tests will be in conformity with the conditions prescribed by the host federation. The provisions of the Technical Regulations of the FIG must equally be observed (composition of the delegation, financial conditions, etc.).

### 3.1.2 Final

The Final for the RSG will be organized co-jointly with that for Artistic Gymnastics.

#### 3.1.2.1 Venue

The 1988 General Assembly of the FIG granted the organization to the Fédération Royale Belge de Gymnastique. The manifestation will take place in Brussels.

#### 3.1.2.2 Date

The Final will be held during the period of 19th to 21st October 1990.

#### 3.1.2.3 Participation

18 gymnasts will qualify for the Final.

Thereby, those federations are qualified whose gymnasts have obtained the best totals of points during the qualifying rounds.

In the event of an equality of points at the 18th position, the best classification obtained in a qualifying competition will be the determining factor.

Each federation may have not more than 2 gymnasts taking part.

The organizing federation may designate 2 gymnasts if it has not any qualified gymnasts.

Likewise, 2 gymnasts will be invited to the Final in the capacity of reserves.

#### 3.1.2.4 Competition Programme

The 18 gymnasts will compete in an all-around competition. In addition, a final with each piece of hand apparatus will be organized. For these competitions, the provisions of the Technical Regulations and the Code of Points of the FIG will apply.

#### 3.1.2.5 General provisions

The general provisions (composition of a delegation, etc.) must conform to those of the Technical Regulations of the FIG.

#### 3.1.2.6 Financial Conditions

The organizing federation will bear the cost of transport, lodging and subsistence for all the participants, as well as those for

the organization of the manifestation, according to the provisions of the Technical Regulations of the FIG.

### 3.2 Groups (Group Exercises)

There are no qualifying rounds for groups but a direct qualification will apply based on the results obtained in the World Championships 1989.

The provisions of the Technical Regulations are valid for the qualification for the World Cup and for the organization of the competition.

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