

# INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

## Communication No. 1166

### ISU Short Track Speed Skating Championships Officials' Course

The ISU has decided to hold a course for ISU Short Track Speed Skating **Championships Referees, Starters and Competitors Stewards**, which will be organized by the ISU and U.S. Speedskating in:

**Fort Lauderdale, Florida, U.S.A., September 18 to 21, 2002**

#### Program

- Rule Changes following the 2002 ISU Congress
- Refinement of Interpretation of Rules
- Administrative matters
- Team Work 2

An examination will be held during the course to test the knowledge of the Regulations.

**Opening of the Course:** Wednesday, September 18th, 2002 at 18.00 hours

**End of the Course:** Saturday, September 21th, 2002 at 14.00 hours

#### Location (official hotel):

RIVERSIDE HOTEL  
620 East Las Olas Boulevard  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301, USA  
Phone: +1 954 467 0671  
Fax: +1 954 462 2148  
Toll free: +1 800 325 3280  
E-mail (Mary Mathurin): [mmathurin@riversidehotel.com](mailto:mmathurin@riversidehotel.com)

#### Participants

This course will be open to ISU Championships Referees, Starters and Competitors Stewards for the season 2002/2003. In addition, US Speedskating and Speed Skating Canada may send Officials on the International list of Officials, however the Member concerned will be responsible for all costs of the persons entered. Due to the limited time between the Congress and the Course the list of Championships' Officials will be communicated by fax to all ISU Members.

Entries must reach the following address before August 15th, 2002:

International Skating Union  
Pierre Eymann - Speed Skating Coordinator  
Chemin de Primerose 2  
1007 Lausanne  
Switzerland  
Phone: (+41) 21 612 66 66  
Fax: (+41) 21 612 66 77  
Email: eymann@isu.ch

Please send your entries directly to the above address, giving exact information about the arrival and departure of the participants. If a visa is needed, please contact the local organizer (US Speedskating) to receive a letter of invitation for named participants.

### **Transport**

A shuttle service to the Riverside Hotel is available from and to the airports of both Fort Lauderdale and Miami.

### **Expenses and financial contributions**

The ISU will pay the hotel and meal expenses from the lunch on September 18, until lunch on September 21, 2002 in the official hotel.

In addition the ISU will pay a travel subvention to all participants based on the following criteria:

For all ISU Championships Officials from:   Asia and Oceania Regions - CHF 2'000.- per person  
  North American Region - CHF 400.- per person  
  Western Europe - CHF 1'000.- per person  
  Eastern Europe - CHF 1'200.- per person

Payment of travel contribution will be made from the ISU Office to the ISU Member concerned after the course has been completed. A copy of the flight ticket must be given to the Course administration before the closing of the course.

Expenses and contributions will only be paid by the ISU at the condition that the participants are in attendance during the whole duration of the course.

### **Other conditions**

It is essential that all ISU Championships' Officials attending this course plan future Courses for the training of Officials on the International Competition list and that Championship Officials are expected to arrange and conduct such Courses.

Milano,  
                  July 8, 2002  
Lausanne,

**Ottavio Cinquanta**, President

**Fredi Schmid**, General Secretary