



## **E&A Development Commission Minutes of Meeting 13/11/2011 Bratislava (SVK)**

### **Present:**

Jean Michel CAU  
John WOOD

### **Agenda**

DC Members  
Adding Boat & Cable Wakeboard to the Seminar Programme  
Egypt Seminar  
Next Meeting

### **DC Development & Seminar Programme**

The existing DC members have been considering the future of the commission in terms of the members, the disciplines it covers and the presentation of the seminars.

There had been contact with both the Boat and Cable Wakeboard committees as they look to extend their activities to develop their disciplines. The outcome was meetings with both these committees in Bratislava. The discussions were more advanced with Boat Wakeboard and it was determined to add this discipline to the seminar in Egypt with Florian Butty taking the role of presenter and there being added Boat Wakeboard content on the programme. The Cable Wakeboard committee were less sure on the needs to be represented in Egypt and delayed a decision, however they nominated a presenter in Daniel Fetz. Jean Michel subsequently met with both Florian and Daniel to run through the seminar format and the style of the presentations.

The annual DC seminar provides a good option for the Boat Wakeboard committee to further a coaching agenda but Cable Wakeboard were still investigating the options for providing an effective means of furthering coaching in the discipline and perhaps seeking a more bespoke option. They would consider their options and advise the DC if they needed any assistance with a coaching programme.

John Wood will not be able to attend the Egypt seminar so there will be budget for Florian to take his place. If Daniel represents Cable Wakeboard at the Egypt Seminar his attendance would need to be funded by the Cable Wakeboard Committee. The DC also wanted to recruit another presenter and Ricky Casilli had been approached and was interested in being assessed in this role. The DC subsequently requested of Alain Amade that extra budget was available for this to enable the evolution of the committee. After the Bratislava meeting Jean Michel met with Ricky Casilli and he agreed to take up this role.

### **Egypt Seminar**

Subsequent to the Bratislava meeting Jean Michel had been in contact with the Egypt Federation and the venue is to be Sharm El Sheik. The dates are as previously advised, 10th - 13th May.

### **Next Meeting**

The Egypt seminar would be reviewed after the event with the DC, plus the new presenters, meeting in the early summer, possibly in Switzerland. The membership of the DC would be reviewed at the E&A November 2012 meetings and to be made official at the Congress.

John Wood  
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