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**Fédération Aéronautique Internationale**  
**Mr. Jean-Marc Badan,**  
**FAI Sports & Development Director**  
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Dear Mister Jean Marc Badan,

We are sincerely glad to learn that the National Aero Club of Bosnia and Herzegovina is intending to apply for organization of the World Paragliding Championship for seniors in 2013 and we wish to inform you that the City of Sarajevo will support this bid with great satisfaction.

We are fully aware of the significance of this competition and we are sure that it will be a place of meeting of paragliding enthusiasts and sports fans in general. Thus, we are proud to have an opportunity to host an event of such a high importance.

The primary responsibility of our administration is directed toward young athletes who come to such competitions and toward bringing back the Olympic spirit to our mountain Bjelasnica, the city of Sarajevo and the state of Bosnia and Herzegovina. The organization of this competition would promote our Olympic mountains as top class sports and tourist destinations.

Sincerely,



**MAYOR**  
**Prof. Dr. Alija Behmen**