



# FÉDÉRATION AÉRONAUTIQUE INTERNATIONALE

## BALLOONING COMMISSION CIA

### COMMISSION D'AEROSTATION

## CIA Safety & Education Subcommittee Report 2012

Present at Skype meeting 1: Bengt Stener (SWE)

Rudy Paenen (BEL)

Stefan Handl (GER)

Present at Skype meeting 2: Bengt Stener (SWE)

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As Rudy Paenen will be the only subcommittee member to attend the meetings in Birštonas have we held all subcommittee meetings on Skype. Rudy will present the subcommittee report.

### 1. *Reports from safety officers during 2011*

Date	Event	Safety Officer	Report
27 – 31 July, 2011	LUXGSM - World Balloon Trophy 2011	Stefan Handl	Received
15 - 23 September, 2011	17 European Hot Air Balloon Championship, Lleida, Barcelona, Spain	Hans Åkerstedt	Received
9 - 17 September, 2011	55th Coupe Aeronautique Gordon Bennett, Barcelonnette, France	Stefan Handl	Received
23 – 27 November, 2011	2011 Tochigi Hot Air Balloon International Championship	Hans Åkerstedt	Received

The reports submitted were discussed together with the comments from the event debriefing that was send out from the Jury Board.

### 2. *Safety officers for events in 2012*

The subcommittee recommended the following safety officer for this year's events:

Date	Event	Safety Officer
22 – 27 May, 2012	1st FAI Junior World Hot Air Balloon Championship, Lithuania	Jerzy Czerniawski
11 – 15 July, 2012	LUXGSM - World Balloon Trophy 2011	Stefan Handl
8 -12 August, 2012	12th Debrecen Cup International HAB Competition & Pre-European Test Event	László Mészáros
17 – 25 August, 2012	20th World Hot Air Balloon Championship, Battle Creek,	Ted Watts
17 - 22 September, 2012	2nd FAI Hot Air Balloon European Women Championship, Germany	Klaus Hartmann
31 Aug - 8 September, 2012	56th Coupe Aeronautique Gordon Bennett, Toggenburg Valley, Switzerland	Stefan Handl
21 – 25 November, 2012	2011 Tochigi Hot Air Balloon International Championship	Hans Åkerstedt

**3. Updating of the Safety handbook**

The subcommittee have updated the Safety Handbook with the following items:

- Updating it to referee to the correct version of the Sporting Code Section1.
- Updating the text with recommendation to the Event Director in case of an incident. The suggestion to this update comes from an event debriefing last year. Suggested change:

The director shall forward information about incidents/accidents to pilots and officials during subsequent task briefing, as detailed as he can. This prevents rumours during the event and gives competitors an understanding of the incident/accident and the eventual impact on the competition.

**MOTION:**

***That the updated Safety Officer's Handbook be accepted by the plenary.***

**4. 12th International Youth Camp**

The CIA has received a request from Germany to make a presentation about the 12th International Youth Camp (10 minutes presentation incl. discussion).

Germany then asks for a donation from CIA for this event.

The Safety & Education Subcommittee decides to put forward the following motion:

**MOTION:**

***That CIA to assist the 12th International Youth Camp with a monetary donation of 2.000 Euro.***

**5. Nomination of sub-committee members and Chairman for the coming year**

Bengt Stener (SWE) (Chairman)  
Stefan Handl (GER)  
Rudy Paenen (BEL)  
Felicity Clegg (ZAF)  
Petr Kubicek (CZE)