

International Correspondence Chess Federation Delegate Engagement

- 1. As a democratic organisation values and encourages the input of all federation delegates to the Congress voting process.
- 2. Federations have a number of options to be able ensure they engage in the democratic process as detailed in section 1.6 of the Voting Regulations
- 3. The online voting process is designed to facilitate this engagement by allowing federation delegates a number of opportunities to input to the Congress voting process.
- 4. Within the timetable laid out in the voting regulations:
 - a. Initially all federation delegates are allowed and encouraged to contribute to the creation of proposals.
 - b. Federation delegates are furthermore allowed to comment upon proposals and interact with the proposal creators with the aim of improving clarity, understanding and validity of said proposals.
 - c. Upon closure of the proposal window federation delegates are able to vote with options as detailed in voting regulations section 1.9 B
 - d. For the four weeks before the closing of online voting, the server will send a weekly e-mail reminder to all delegates who have not yet completed their voting; this email will include a list of the Congress proposals and a link to each proposal which has not yet been voted on.
 - e. For the last two weeks of the voting period, the frequency of these emails will increase to daily
- 5. Federation delegates are reminded that they have a responsibility to represent their players by engagement with the voting process and determining their voting input by whatever internal mechanism is desired.