



I.R. IRAN Chess Federation INVITATION



IN THE NAME OF GOD

To: all affiliated Asian Chess Federations FIDE Zones 3.1, 3.2, 3.3 and 3.4

Sub: Asian under16&18 Boys and Girls Chess Championship 2004

Tehran – IRAN 2 – 9 April 2004

Dear Chess Friends

We are pleased to invite your Chess players to take part in the Asian under 16&18 Boys and Girls Chess Championship to be held in Tehran I.R.Iran from 2 April (Arrival) to 9 April 2004 (Departure).

The Tournament shall be played in accordance with FIDE Regulations outlined in the FIDE Handbook.

1. The players who are entitled to participate should not have reached their relevant age as of January 1st 2004
2. The players placed 1-3 in the previous Championships will have a personal right to participate in the Tournament if they fulfill the condition of Article 1.
3. In addition to the players mentioned in Article2, each federation in Zones 3.1 to 3.4 will have the right to send one player in each of the under 16 and 18 (boys and girls) categories
4. Players will be accommodated in twin shared bed rooms (2 players per room) and provided with three meals daily.
5. If any chess federation wishes to have single room accommodation for their players, they have to pay (US \$ 30) per day per person.
6. Without prejudice to previous regulations on number of participants in this championship, each federation shall be entitled to register any number of participants it deems necessary subject to the following conditions:
 - a) Payment to FIDE of the approved fee of SFr. 200 per player in advance.

b) Payment of the full board and lodging expenses of the additional players

7. Delegates, Coaches, accompanying persons and extra players must pay US \$ 55 per person per day in a twin shared bedroom with three meals, and US \$ 70 per person per day in single room.

8. The tournament will be played according to the Swiss System in 9 rounds and the rate of play will be 90 minutes for whole game + 30 seconds for each move.

All Federations are requested to fill in the enclosed registration forms and return them to the I.R.IRAN Chess Federation together with a copy of the passport of the participants not later than 25 February 2004, to the I.R.IRAN Chess Federation Fax: (+ 98) 21 8951514

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With Best Regards

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