45. Zlatna pirueta Zagreba

45th Golden Spin of Zagreb

December 13 – 16, 2012

Zagreb – CROATIA

1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

The 2012 Golden Spin of Zagreb will be conducted in accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2012, Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dancing 2012, as well as all pertinent ISU Communications.
Participation in the 2012 Golden Spin of Zagreb is open to all ISU Members.

2. TECHNICAL DATA

All Competition Events and Official Practices will take place in Competition Arena – Dom Sportova (size 60 x 30 m). Dom Sportova is an indoor, heated, artificial ice surface.

SINGLE SKATING – LADIES AND MEN

Short Program
The Required elements to be skated are listed in the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2012, Rule 510, paragraphs 1 and 2 and the respective ISU Communication.

Duration: 2 minutes and 50 seconds maximum, but may be less

Free Skating
In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2012, Rule 520 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced Program" and the element values.

Duration:	*Men:*	*4 ½ , minutes +/- 10 seconds*
	Ladies:	*4 minutes, +/- 10 seconds*

Determination and publication of results will be done according to the ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2012, Rule 353.

PAIRS

Short Program
The Required elements to be skated are listed in the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2012, Rule 513 , paragraphs 2 and 3, Group A and the relevant ISU Communications.

Duration: 2 minutes and 50 seconds maximum, but may be less

Free Skating
In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2012, Rule 521 and the relevant ISU Communications. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced Program" and the element values.

Duration: 4 ½, minutes +/- 10 seconds

Determination and publication of results will be done according to the ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2012, Rule 353.

ICE DANCING

Short Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2012 and all pertinent ISU Communications.

Duration: 2 minutes and 50 seconds, +/- 10 seconds

Free Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2012, Rule 610 and all pertinent ISU Communications. For value of the required elements and components see the respective ISU Communications.

Duration: 4 minutes, +/- 10 seconds

Determination and publication of results will be done according to the ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2012.

3. ENTRIES

Each ISU Member may enter one Competitor for Ladies and Men and one Dance Couple and two Pairs. ISU Members must enter Competitors and their substitutes on the official Entry Forms. Entry forms listing Competitors and substitutes must be sent to:

Croatian Skating Federation
Zlatna pirueta Zagreba
Trg Krešimira Ćosića 11
10 000 Zagreb
Croatia
Fax: +385 1 309 35 47
E-mail: croskate@zg.t-com.hr

Entries must reach the Organizer not later than ***November 16, 2012****.*

4. JUDGES

ISU Members with entries for this Competition may nominate Judges with the qualification for ISU Championships or International Competitions and their substitutes for each event in which the Members have Competitors entered, but not more than two judges in total.
Nomination of Judges and substitutes must be sent with the entry forms for Competitors by ***November 16, 2012****.*

Judges Meeting/Draws

The draw for the panel of Judges will be made at the first Judges meeting which will be held on Thursday, December 13, 2012 at 6,30 p.m. in the Main Ice Rink.
All Event Review Meetings will be held on Sunday, December 16, 2012.

5. MEALS, LODGING AND TRAVEL EXPENSES

The Organizer will provide and cover the expenses for rooms and meals for Referees, Judges and Technical Panel. The Organizer will cover the above mentioned expenses beginning with lunch on Thursday, December 13, and ending with lunch on Sunday, December 16, 2012.
Should any Judge arrive at the Hotel before the period described above or stay for a longer period, room and meal costs will be the responsibility of the individual and respective Member and must be paid on arrival.
All extra expenses will be the responsibility of the individual and their respective Member and must be paid prior to departure.
Travel expenses have to be covered through the respective Members.

6. PRACTICE

Official practices for Competitors will begin on Thursday, December 13, 2012 around noon. The detailed schedule will be issued at the time of registration.

7. MUSIC

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD, MD or any other approved format, in accordance with Rule 343. Each program must be recorded on one track respectively on a separate disc or cassette.
Competitors must provide a back-up disk or cassette for each program.
The titles, composers and orchestras of the music to be used for the Short Program and Free Skating for Singles and Pairs, for the Original Dance and Free Dance for Ice Dancing and for the Exhibition, must be listed for each Competitor on the official Music Selection Form and attached to the official Entry Form for Competitors.
All cassettes and discs must show the Competition Event, Competitors name, Country and exact running time of the music – not skating time – including any starting signal and must be submitted at the time of registration.
If music information is not complete and cassettes, tapes or discs not provided, accreditation will not be given.

8. ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS

All Referees, Judges, Technical Panel and Competitors taking part in the Competition are requested to announce as soon as possible but not later than ***November 16, 2012*** *to the Organizer, on enclosed forms, the names of the airlines, flight numbers, dates and times of arrival at the Zagreb Airport – Pleso, Zagreb – Croatia.*

9. REGISTRATION

All Event Officials, Referees, Judges, Team Leaders, Competitors and Coaches taking part in the Competition are requested to register at the 2012 Golden Spin Registration Room, located in the Hotel Panorama.

All skaters will be required to present their valid passport prior to receiving accreditation. Accreditation will not be issued without presentation of a valid passport.

10. OFFICIAL HOTEL

Four Points Sheraton Panorama Hotel
Trg Kresimira Cosica 9
HR-10 000 Zagreb
Croatia

All hotel bookings can only be done through the Organizing Committee.

11. LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119, the Organizer accepts no liability for bodily or personal injury, or for property loss or damage incurred by Competitors and Officials. Each ISU Member is expected to provide its own insurance protection. The Organizer will provide emergency medical services for all invited Officials and Competitors during the competition period.

12. INFORMATION

For further information, please contact:

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13. PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE

Thursday December 13, 2012	*Official Practice*	
	Team Leaders Meeting	*5 p.m.*
	Technical Controllers and Referees Meeting	*6 p.m.*
	Judges Meeting	*6.30 p.m.*
	Draws	*8 p.m.*
Friday, December 14, 2012	*Ice Dance – Short Dance*	*1 p.m.*
	Pairs – Short Program	*3 p.m.*
	Men – Short Program	*6 p.m.*
	Opening Ceremony	*6.30 p.m.*
	Ladies – Short Program	*9.30 p.m.*
Saturday, December 15, 2012	*Men – Free Skating*	*1 p.m.*
	Pairs – Free Skating	*4.30 p.m.*
	Ice Dance – Free Dance	*5.30 p.m.*
	Ladies – Free Skating	*7.30 p.m.*

Please note that this schedule is subject to change.

There is a possibility that depending on entries the Competition might take place on Sunday as well.