

Annexe A2

EBL Participations Policy for International Competitions

1. Right to enter

Each member country, which is up to date with the payment of its dues to the EBL is authorised to enter one team in the Open Series and one team in the Ladies Series of the European Championships. Countries which are in arrears with the payment of dues can only participate with the consent of the Executive Committee.

Each member country must play against every other country. Entry and subsequent refusal to play will result in disqualification.

2. Team Members

In addition to a non-paying-captain, each team is entitled to have six members. Subject to the approval of the Credentials Committee the members of any team may be changed up to the time of commencement on the first day of the Championships, but not thereafter.

If a country has submitted the names of fewer than six players, a fifth or sixth payer may be added after the commencement of play on the first day only with permission of the Appeals Committee.

3. Credentials Committee

The names of the Captain and members of each team must be sent for approval to the Credentials Committee of EBL 60 days before the start of the Championship.

Every proposed player must, along with other criteria, satisfy the Credentials Committee that:

- a) he is nominated by the NBO of the country of his birth or the NBO of which such nominated player first became a member, and has not, during the current or immediately preceding calendar year, represented a different NBO in any WBF competition or any zonal or intra-zonal competition; or
- b) he is nominated by the NCBO of the country of his citizenship or bona fide residence and not, during the current or immediately preceding two calendar years, represented a different NCBO in any WBF competition or any zonal or intra-zonal competition.