



**ISSF WORLD CUP FINAL  
RIFLE / PISTOL  
BOLOGNA, ITA  
4 OCT – 10 OCT 2016**

**Roma, 25/08/2016**

**TO THE KIND ATTENTION OF ALL ISSF MEMBER FEDERATIONS**

**INVITATION**

**Dear Mr. President,  
Dear Friends,**

Italian Shooting Union is pleased to invite you to participate to the

**ISSF WORLD CUP FINAL 2016**

in all events (Rifle/Pistol), which will take place from 4<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> of October 2016 at Bologna Shooting Range in Bologna, Italy.

Enclosed herewith please find the General Information, Preliminary Competition Schedule and Registration Forms.

We hope to welcome all ISSF Member Federations and making the ISSF World Cup Final 2016 a successful competition.

With best regards,

President of the Italian Shooting Union

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### 1. Rules and Regulations

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the ISSF Rules and Regulations edition 2013 (fourth print 03/2016).

We would like to inform you that during all finals music will be played.

### 2. Events, Categories, Participants, Payment

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| <b>Events:</b>       | Rifle/Pistol  |
| <b>Categories:</b>   | Men, Women (individual only)  |
| <b>Participants:</b> | All qualified athletes will receive invitation by name from the ISSF.                                   |
| <b>Payment:</b>      | All additional payments have to be made in Euros. No credit cards or personal cheques will be accepted. |

### 3. Location and Venue

The competition will take place at the Bologna Shooting Range in Bologna city, via Agucchi n. 98. The Range is situated at a 15 minute driving distance from

the city center, 4 km from the Bologna Airport G. MARCONI (BLQ), and 200 km from Milan LINATE International Airport (LIN).

The complex consists of the following shooting facilities:

- 50m – 70 firing points; 25m – 40 firing points; 10m – 70 firing points fully equipped with SIUS targets of the newest models.
- Full restaurant facilities and adequate resting areas for athletes and officials.
- N.B. there is no Finals Hall and all Finals will be conducted on the Qualification Ranges

## **4. Arrival to Italy and Transportation**

The official arrival and departure airport is BOLOGNA G. MARCONI (BLQ). Transportation from and to the airport will be provided according with your flight information.

The Organizing Committee will provide all participants with free round trip transportation (Hotel/Shooting Range/Hotel) as well.

The athletes who will arrive before the official arrival day or leave after the official departure day must contact the Organizing Committee well in advance.

## **5. Entry Visas**

We strongly advise all participants to verify well in advance whether they need a visa for entry into Italy.

The Italian Shooting Union can provide an official invitation for the period of the ISSF World Cup Final Rifle/Pistol 2016 only.

## **6. Firearms and Ammunition**

All athletes must declare all the firearms and ammunitions to be brought into Italy filling the Temporary Weapons Importation form provided. A copy of the form must be brought by the athletes together with passport/id and visa (if requested) and a copy sent to the Organizing Committee no later than 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2016. Assistance of customs formalities will be provided by the Organizing Committee upon arrival.

**N.B.** the Temporary Weapons Importation Form is a standard module, take notice that no stamp (“marca da bollo”) should be placed on it.

A Weapon, ammunition and Equipment Storage Room will be located within the shooting range. The Storage Room will be available from the official arrival day 04/10/2016 up the official departure day 10/10/2016.

**N.B.** Take notice that all weapons must be located in the official Storage Room.

## 7. Accommodation

All participants will be accommodated at the following official hotel. The Organizing Committee will cover the cost of accommodation and food (full board) for all participating athletes and a maximum of one (1) official or coach from each federation, for a maximum of six (6) nights. Other expenses (i.e. minibar, laundry etc.) will be charged. Athletes and officials together (according to gender distribution) will be accommodated in double rooms, except cases of odd number of participants where single room(s) will be allocated.

Any federation interested to book extra rooms/single rooms or stay extra nights in the official hotel are kindly requested to complete the appropriate Hotel Reservation Form and return it to the Organizing Committee. The cost/difference will be covered by the requesting federation. The hotel is situated at a distance of a 25 minute drive from the Bologna Shooting Range. Internet access is available.

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| <b>Hotel NH Villanova ****</b>  |                 |
| <i>Via Villanova 29/8 - 40055 Villanova di Castenaso (BO) – tel. +39 051 604311</i>     |                 |
| <b>Special price per room, per night, inclusive of all taxes – breakfast and dinner</b> |                 |
| <b>SINGLE ROOM</b>  | <b>€ 90.00</b>  |
| <b>DOUBLE or TWIN ROOM</b>  | <b>€ 122.00</b> |

## 8. Weather Information

During the period of October, the weather in Bologna city is normally pleasant. The average temperature is about 15 - 20 degrees Celsius during the day and 10 - 15 degrees during the night. October is the beginning of autumn and during this period rainy days are expected also, so the athletes are requested to be prepared for this kind of weather as well.

## **9. Organizing Committee contacts**

If you need any additional information please feel free to contact us

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**PRELIMINARY COMPETITION SCHEDULE**

|                                       | <b>PT</b> | <b>Comp. Start</b> | <b>To</b> |                                     | <b>Rep. Time</b> | <b>Finals</b> |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| <b>Tuesday</b><br><b>04.10.2016</b>   |           |                    |           | Arrival of Delegations              |                  |               |
| <b>Wednesday</b><br><b>05.10.2016</b> |           |                    |           | Firearms and Equipment Control      |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 08:30              | 09:30     | 50m Pistol Men - PET                |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 10:00              | 11:00     | 50m Rifle Prone Men - PET           |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 15:30              | 16:30     | 10m - Official Training             |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 16:30              | 17:30     | 50m - Official Training             |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 16:30              | 18:15     | 25m - Official Training             |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 16:00              |           | Technical Meeting                   |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 19:00              |           | Opening Ceremony                    |                  |               |
| <b>Thursday</b><br><b>06.10.2016</b>  | 08:15     | 08:30              | 10:00     | 50m Pistol Men - Qualification      | 12:00            | 12:30         |
|                                       | 10:30     | 10:45              | 11:35     | 50m Rifle Prone Men - Qualification | 13:15            | 13:45         |
|                                       |           | 14:00              | 15:30     | 25m Pistol Women - PET              |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 16:00              | 18:00     | 25m Rapid Fire Pistol Men - PET     |                  |               |
| <b>Friday</b><br><b>07.10.2016</b>    |           | 08:30              | 09:45     | 25m Pistol Women - Precision Stage  |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 10:15              | 11:15     | 25m Rapid Fire Pistol Men - Stage 1 |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 11:45              | 12:15     | 25m Pistol Women - Rapid Fire Stage | 15:00            | 15:30         |
|                                       |           | 12:45              | 13:45     | 25m Rapid Fire Pistol Men - Stage 2 | 16:15            | 16:45         |
|                                       |           | 17:00              | 18:30     | 10m Air Rifle Women - PET           |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 17:00              | 18:30     | 10m Air Pistol Women - PET          |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 17:00              | 18:30     | 10m Air Rifle Men - PET             |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 17:00              | 18:30     | 10m Air Pistol Men - PET            |                  |               |
| <b>Saturday</b><br><b>08.10.2016</b>  | 08:30     | 08:45              | 09:35     | 10m Air Rifle Women                 | 13:00            | 13:30         |
|                                       | 08:30     | 08:45              | 09:35     | 10m Air Pistol Women                | 15:30            | 16:00         |
|                                       | 10:05     | 10:20              | 11:35     | 10m Air Rifle Men                   | 14:15            | 14:45         |
|                                       | 10:05     | 10:20              | 11:35     | 10m Air Pistol Men                  | 16:45            | 17:15         |
|                                       |           | 14:30              | 16:00     | 50m Rifle 3 Positions Women - PET   |                  |               |
|                                       |           | 16:30              | 18:00     | 50m Rifle 3 Positions Men - PET     |                  |               |
| <b>Sunday</b><br><b>09.10.2016</b>    | 08:15     | 08:30              | 10:15     | 50m Rifle 3 Positions Women         | 14:00            | 14:30         |
|                                       | 10:45     | 11:00              | 13:45     | 50m Rifle 3 Positions Men           | 15:30            | 16:00         |
|                                       |           | 17:30              | 19:00     | Champions Trophy                    |                  |               |
| <b>Monday</b><br><b>10.10.2016</b>    |           |                    |           | Departure of Delegations            |                  |               |