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# FAI Gliding Commission (IGC) Report to the 107<sup>th</sup> FAI General Conference Kuala Lumpur, 4-5 October 2013

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### 1. Important activities, projects or events since last FAI General Conference:

- IGC Plenary in March 2013 Papendal, Netherlands
   minutes available at <a href="http://www.fai.org/igc-documents">http://www.fai.org/igc-documents</a>
- Lilienthal Medal awarded to Mr. Bob HENDERSON (NZ)
- Pirat Gehriger Diploma awarded to Mr. Jaroslav VACH (CZE)
- Pelagia Majewska Medal awarded to Maria BOLLA (HUN)
- 7th FAI Women's World Gliding Championships Issoudun, FRANCE
- 8<sup>th</sup> FAI Junior World Gliding Championships Leszno, POLAN
- 17<sup>th</sup> FAI European Gliding Championships Club, Standard, 20m Multi seat -Ostrow, POLAND
- 17<sup>th</sup> FAI European Gliding Championships 15m, 18m, Open Vinon, FRANCE
- Qualifying Grand Prix races for the 2014 World Grand Prix Championships
- Launch of the SGP company and collaborative effort with FAME

### 2. Positive and negative results:

- FAME and our Sailplane Grand Prix company have had slow start in marketing efforts for the SGP series
- IGC Sailplane Grand Prix marketing and management company launched
- 1 death at the EGC in Vinon (CFIT)

## 3. Main problem(s) encountered and solutions adopted :

None to report



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#### 4. Planned activities and projects for next year :

- Continue development of Sailplane Grand Prix series and new SGP website
- Develop a Sailplane Racing web portal
- Conclude simplification of the Sporting Code for Gliding
- Review and Update the Organizers Handbook
- Expand our reporting capabilities at IGC Competitions
- Increase pool of IGC Chief Stewards
- 2014 Plenary in Varese, Italy March 2014
- 33rd FAI World Gliding Championships 15 Meter, 18 meter, Open Räyskala, FINLAND
- 33rd FAI World Gliding Championships Standard, Club, 20m Multi Seat Leszno, POLAND
- 2014 World Grand Prix Gliding Championships Sisteron, FRANCE
- Qualifying Grand Prix races for 2014-2015 series sites TBD

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• 1st FAI Pan-American Gliding Championships - Chilhowee, USA

# 5. Proposals (if any) to FAI Executive Board, FAI Head Office or for the next General Conference:

None

#### 6. Free reporting:

None

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