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REGULATION
of the XXI World Championship among men and the XII World Championship among women in fire and rescue sport "Baku-2026"

1. Goals and objectives of the competitions

The XXI World Championship among men and the XII World Championship among women in fire and rescue sport (hereinafter referred to as competitions) are held in order to:

- further develop and popularize the profession of firefighter and rescuer;
- improve professional and sports skills of employees of fire and rescue services;
- strengthen friendly relations and cooperation with fire and rescue services of different countries of the world;
- popularize and develop fire and rescue sports among the population of different states.

2. Organization of competitions

The general management and organization of the competition is carried out by the International Sport Federation of Firefighters and Rescuers in cooperation with the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Republic of Azerbaijan.

The direct organization and conduct of competitions (preparation of competition venues, transfer of the participants from the airport to the hotel and back, medical care, provision of sports and technical equipment, catering and accommodation, cultural and leisure program, media coverage, etc.) is carried out by the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Republic of Azerbaijan together with the Ministries of Finance, Tourism and Sports, Culture, and Foreign Affairs.

The competitions are held in accordance with the rules of competition in fire and rescue sport and the Regulations of international competitions in fire and rescue sport, as amended and modified in 2025.

The firefighting aand technical equipment (with photos), which is used in combat deployment and fire relay race, should be published on the website www.interfiresport.com not later than **October 2, 2026.**

The competitions in combat deployment are held with the use of the motor pumps of the company "ROSENBAUER FOX 3 or 4" with a full set of this motor pump, with an electric starter system with STORZ connecting hoses, according to the decision of the Sports and Technical Committee.

3. Dates and venue of the competition

Competitions are held: **from November 2 to 8, 2026.**
Venue: **Republic of Azerbaijan (Baku).**

4. Competitors and admission conditions

The competitions are attended by the national teams of men and women of the member countries of the International Sport Federation of Firefighters and Rescuers, as well as teams of other countries upon invitation.

The sports delegation consists of 33 people, including: the head of the delegation – 1, the team representative – 2, coach – 2, doctor – 2, judge – 2, press – 2, translator – 2, athletes: men – 10, women – 10.

It is allowed to change the quantitative structure of delegation taking into account the declared athletes and the sports personnel.

The President of the national federation of the country participating in the competition has the right to change the composition of the delegation at his discretion, with the exception of athletes participating in the competition.

The representatives of teams need to submit the signed application and passport (or identity card) to credentials committee. Athletes are not allowed to compete without these documents. Applications are submitted separately for the men's team and the women's team.

Doping control is carried out during the competition in accordance with the current provisions of the World Anti-Doping Code (WADA), the International Standard for Testing and the Prohibited List. The procedure and number of samples taken from athletes is determined at a joint meeting of representatives of the teams and the Main Judging Panel **on November 3, 2026.**

5. Competition program

November 2 – Arrival of teams, accreditation of sports delegations

November 3 – Credentials committee
Meeting of representatives of the teams and the Main Judging Panel
Competition draw
– Testing of sports equipment

November 4 – Climbing the hook ladder
– Grand opening ceremony
– Finals in climbing the hook ladder
– Awarding of winners and prize-winners

November 5 – 100-meter obstacle course
– Finals in 100-meter obstacle course

November 6 – Fire relay 4x100 meters

November 7 – Combat deployment
– Closing ceremony
– Awarding of winners and prize-winners

November 8 – Departure of teams

** Awarding of winners and prize-winners in different disciplines can be held daily on the days of the competition or on the day of the closing ceremony.*

6. The system of scoring and evaluation in sports disciplines

Men, women

Sports discipline	Composition	Results
Climbing the hook ladder	8 people	6 results
100-meter obstacle course	8 people	6 results
Fire relay 4x100 meters	2 teams	1 result
Combat deployment	1 team	1 result
Double-event	individual championship	

Competitions in climbing the hook ladder, 100-meter obstacle course, combat deployment are held in two attempts.

7. Conditions for defining the team and individual championship

The all-team championship among men and women is determined by the smallest number of places occupied by teams in all sports disciplines. If the sum of the places is equal, the highest place is awarded to the team with the best result in combat deployment.

The team championship in sports disciplines is determined by the smallest amount of time scored by the scoring participants. If the sum of the amounts of time is equal, teams are awarded the same place (subsequent place is not awarded). The team that has not scored the full number of scoring results is assigned a place after the teams that have a full score. In case of equality of incomplete scores – one should be guided by the smallest amount of time of the scoring participants.

Individual championship in the disciplines is determined by the best result of scoring attempts. In case of equality of results of two or more athletes, the advantage is given to the athlete who started earlier. If these results were shown in one race, the best place is awarded to the athlete who had the best sum of the time of two attempts in the preliminary races.

In case of equality of results in the fire relay and in combat deployment, the highest place is awarded to the team that started earlier.

The double event is not included in the all-team result.

To determine the winners and prize-winners, semifinal and final races are held in 100-meter obstacle course and climbing the hook ladder. The number of athletes in the semifinal and final races is determined by the number of racetracks. The results of the semifinal and final races are not included in the team result.

Semifinal races are formed according to the results of preliminary races according to the scheme: 1st semifinal race – 5, 1, 4, 8 result, 2nd semifinal race – 6, 2, 3, 7 result. The final race is formed according to the results of the semifinal races according to the scheme: 3, 1, 2, 4 result.

The team and individual championships among men and women in sports disciplines are held separately.

8. Awarding

The teams that took the 1st, 2nd, 3rd all-team place are awarded with cups and diplomas; participants – with medals and gifts.

Teams that took 1st, 2nd, 3rd place in the fire relay and combat deployment are awarded with cups and diplomas; participants – with medals, diplomas and gifts.

The participants who took 1st, 2nd, 3rd place in the individual championship in climbing the hook ladder, 100-meter obstacle course and the double event are awarded with medals, diplomas and gifts.

Winners in sports disciplines are awarded with champion ribbons.

Coaches of national teams in all sports disciplines are awarded with medals, diplomas and gifts.

In the event of an anti-doping rule violation identified during in-competition testing, the athlete's results are automatically disqualified. The results of the remaining athletes are reviewed in accordance with the provisions of the WADA Code.

Competition organizers will amend the final Competition results. Medals, cups, and prizes are subject to return to the athletes (teams) after the changes are made to the final Competition protocols.

9. Participation conditions for the sports delegations and participants of the competitions

The annual membership fee of 4,000 (four thousand) US dollars is transferred to the International Sport Federation of Firefighters and Rescuers **before April 1, 2026.**

The participation fee in the amount of 700 (seven hundred) US dollars for one member of the sports delegation is transferred to the account of the host country **before November 2, 2026 or on the day of arrival to the competition.**

The expenses related to the business trip of sports delegations (travel tickets, accommodation, meals, daily allowances during travel, salary preservation, etc.) are borne by the countries sending the delegation to the competition.

The costs of the competitions are borne by the organizers of the competitions at the expense of their own and attracted funds in accordance with the procedure established by law.

The team which failed to pay the membership fee to ISFFR shall not be allowed to take part in competition (clause 2 of the Regulations).

10. Procedure and deadlines for submitting applications

The preliminary application (official letter) on the participation and the quantitative composition of the sports delegation is sent **before September 2, 2026.**

The application for the team's participation in competitions in sports disciplines is submitted to the credentials committee on the day of the draw **on November 3, 2026.**

The registration form of the established sample is sent **before October 2, 2026.**

This information will be used by the organizers of the event for meeting, organizing the departure, booking hotel rooms, production of accreditation badges and solving other organizational issues.

The participating countries of the competition send the above information to two addresses:

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