



2014 Sport Jiu-Jitsu International Federation Annual Meeting Minutes
Monday, November 24, 2014 –12:00PM-3:00PM – Torrance, CA United States

I. Welcome

Head Director, Mr. Joao Silva, welcomes attendees and states that it is his pleasure to be present at the SJJIF Annual Meeting to discuss the mission, objectives, and direction of SJJIF.

II. Attendance

The following attendees are present:

1. SJJIF Head Director/ NABJJF President Joao Silva
2. SJJIF Director/ NABJJF Vice President Sam Aschidamini
3. SJJIF Director/ ASJJF President Edison Kagohara
4. SJJIF Director/ SJJSAF President Cleiber Maia
5. SJJIF Director/ ESJJF President Marcello – *present electronically*

Non-Attendance

1. SJJIF Director/ NABJJF Treasurer Patricia Silva

III. Activity Reports

1. The Head Director presents 2014 SJJIF activity summarized as follows:
 - a) 15 tournaments that contributed to the SJJIF International Ranking and Team of the Year Awards. Participating countries were Brazil, Japan, Portugal, and the USA.
 - b) SJJIF Worlds Jiu-Jitsu Tournament 2014 – December 2014 Long Beach Pyramid LB, CA USA - 2,200 participants

IV. Approval of New Members


Head Director presents the next item, which is to approve the Provisional Members into Full Member status. This year, SJJIF received membership applications from Portugal, Angola, and French Polynesia that have been approved and given provisional membership status as they await final approval from the executive committee. All provisional members are approved to full member status.


V. Discussion

Discussion on the importance of continuing to bring additional federations to work together with the SJJIF, as well as the importance of educating the BJJ community on the mission and rules of the SJJIF in order to bring more people to the federation and events.

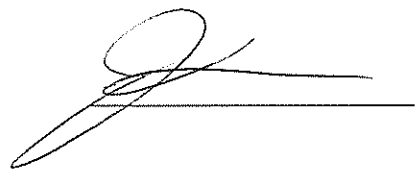
VI. Concluding Remarks of the SJJIF Annual Meeting

The Head Director thanks everyone for their participation in meeting.


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