

**INTERNATIONAL TABLE TENNIS FEDERATION**  
**PARA TABLE TENNIS**



***TECHNICAL DELEGATE***

***EVALUATION REPORT***

**NAME OF TOURNAMENT :**           **2015 COPA CHILE**

**Ranking Factor:**                   **20**

**Name of the Organizer:**           **Comite Paralimpico de Chile**

**Name of the Chairman**           **Erich Petauchnig**

**Dates of the Tournament:**       **November 12 – November 16, 2015**

**Name of Technical Delegate**       **Karol Ziduliak - CAN**

**Participants Report submitted to ITTF Headquarters:** **November 14, 2015**

**Report submitted to Technical Officer:**                   **November 23, 2015**

**Accommodation:** Hotel NH Ciudad de Santiago  
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Phone: +56 2 23417575, web: [www.nh-hoteles.com](http://www.nh-hoteles.com),  
E-mail: [info@nh-hoteles.com](mailto:info@nh-hoteles.com)

Hotel Neruda – for officials  
Address: Avenida Pedro de Valdivia 164

**Meals:** Lunch (12:00 – 15:00) and Dinner (18:00 – 21:00) served to all in the area under bleachers at the venue. Breakfasts served in hotels. Breakfast very good; lunch and dinner improved after the first day. Needs more variety.

**Venue:** Polideportivo Estadio Nacional, Avenida Pedro de Valdivia 4801, Nunoa, Santiago, Chile  
Lighting – very different on all tables, varies from 680 to 1500 lux  
Floor – by STAG.  
Bleachers – for approximately 5000 spectators  
Control desk, Referee’s desk & TD desk – at the level of gymnasium floor.  
Washrooms: 1 cubicle wheelchair accessible in both Men and Women washrooms; adequate for standing players.  
Medical service – Iris Serano when present. An ambulance available outside of the venue.

**Transport:** Two buses with capacity of 35 people each,  
There were up to 6 cars for wheelchair players, each able to transport up to 6 wheelchairs. Full capacity of all wheelchair cars was 22 wheelchair players.  
Transport was generally on schedule during the tournament.

**Equipment:** Tables: 16 Stiga Premium (8 wheelchair accessible)  
Nets: DHS  
Balls: Xushaofa 40\*\*\* white  
Score indicators: DHS  
Surrounds: made and supplied by Fechiteme  
Umpires tables: by DHS  
Towel holders: baskets

**Officials:** Referee: Freddy Almendariz (ECU) – IR  
Deputy Referee: Fernando Moleda (URU) - IR

Classifiers: Dr.Iris Serrano (VEN), Nadia Vaccaro (ARG)

Umpires: 2 IU - (ARG,CHI)  
18 National Umpires  
20 in total

Ball boys/girls: Most of the time sufficient number.

### **Organizing Committee:**

President: Gianna Cunazza  
Chairman: Erich Petauchnig  
Computer Person & Results: Hernan Brizuela (ARG)  
Media: Cristian Leon  
Logistics Manager: Marya Sobkowiak  
Finance: Karlha Andrade  
Volunteers: Romina Silva  
Accreditation: Romina Silva  
Accommodation: Karlha Andrade  
Awards: Gianna Cunazza  
Master of ceremonies: Francisco Hernandez

### **Results:**

All the draws and the results given to all countries in a timely fashion to baskets. Very efficient work of the computer person. Results in electronic form sent to Ranking director by E-mail right after each event. The live results uploaded daily on the PTT website.  
Many pictures were taken and downloaded in dropbox by Cristian Leon of Comite Paralimpico de Chile. The Dropbox created by Ian Marshall  
Live streaming done by Comite Paralimpico de Chile. It can be seen on <https://www.youtube.com/comiteparalimpico.chi>

**Participants:** 90 male athletes  
 21 female athletes  
 15 coaches  
 4 leaders  
 7 supporting staff  
 137 in total from 12 countries.

**Classification:** Two classifiers have tested and classified following players:

PTT ID	Nat	Family Name	Given Name	Birthdate	Sex	Class	Tests	
2822	ARG	BUSTAMANTE SIERRA	Guillermo Jose		M	2 R	1	Classified in Copa Tango 2015
4759	BRA	LASKOSKY	Gustavo Alexandre		M	7 R	7	
5151	BRA	LOPES DA COSTA	Andrea		F	7	7	
5412	CHI	ALARCON HERNANDEZ	Luis Salvador		M	7	7	
1152	CHI	CASTRO	Gustavo		M	NE Rr	10	
5401	CHI	CEA TIRADO	Sharon Dayana		F	5	5	Classified in Copa Tango
5405	CHI	CONTRERAS CARTES	Rodolfo Andrus		M	8	9	
1234	CHI	CORTES LIEPI	Cesar		M	NE Rr	NE	
5408	CHI	DIAZ BUSTAMANTE	Manuel Jesus		M	10		No show
5410	CHI	DIAZ TORRES	Sebastian Jesus		M	8	9	
5403	CHI	ESPINOZA PEREZ	Ailyn Paulina		F	10	10	Classified in Copa Tango
5407	CHI	FUENTES SCHREIBER	Francisco Andres		M	8	8	
5414	CHI	GONZALEZ MUNOZ	Rudy Andres		M	10	NE	
5402	CHI	HERNANDEZ SILVA	Claudia Daniela		F	7	8	Classified in Copa Tango
5409	CHI	MERINO	Mauricio Andres		M	5	4	
5406	CHI	MIRANDA VALLEJOS	Diego Antonio		M	7	8	
4871	CHI	PARRA	Jonathan		M	3 Rr	2	
5413	CHI	SOTO	Marco Antonio		M	8	8	
5411	CHI	TORRES OROSTICA	Ignacio Hernan		M	6	6	

R = under review

Rr = re-evaluation

Classification was done very well and professionally.

**Meetings:**

Technical meeting:

November 12 – 19:30 – VIP meeting room at the venue.  
 Information about the transport and meals and the draws for Singles given to all delegations. All managers asked for submitting the composition of teams on November 13 at noon time.  
 November 13 – 17:00 – Draws for Teams events given to baskets for all delegations.

Umpires briefing:

November 13 – 9:00 – in the gym  
 Conducted mostly in Spanish, since all the umpires speak Spanish.

## Competition Days:

November 11 & 12: Arrival of teams  
November 11 & 12: Classifications  
November 13: Singles events competition  
November 14 & 15: Teams events competition  
November 15: Awards Presentations  
November 16: Departures of delegations

## Evaluation:

In general the tournament was very well prepared from the point of view of running the tournament - good schedule, but not enough umpires, enough ball boys and girls, matches on time.

Work of the computer person Hernan Brizuela flawless.

Copa Chile was organized for the first time. The gymnasium is very impressive, but there was an outside light coming in, causing uneven lighting readings – from 450 all the way up to over 2000 lux during the day and from 300 up to 700 during the night. Call area was organized very well. Cristian Leon submitted many interviews and pictures to Ian Marshall for PTT web site.

Accommodation – good, except for no wheelchair accessible showers and toilets in hotel.

- Transport - good
- Meals - need more variety
- Venue - next time should be in gym without outside lighting
- Equipment – good – all 16 ITTF approved tables, 8 of them wheelchair accessible
- Opening Ceremony – not done, next year must be done, the players are expecting and looking forward it
- Water distribution – very good – 5 water stations
- Referee and DR - excellent
- Reporting to PTT web site – very good – many interviews and pictures submitted to PTT web site.
- Call area - very good
- Closing Ceremony – Very well professionally done
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Now I would like to point out areas where the organizers could improve:

- Accommodation – arrange wheelchair friendly accommodation for all wheelchair players in hotels.
- Make sure there is an Opening Ceremony next time.
- Copying of passports and signing of Code of Ethics (Conduct) should be done during accreditation, saving time.

- Try to get more support from the Chilean Table Tennis Association, especially in providing umpires.
- Invite foreign umpires as per PTT Directives.
- Seek another venue, where there would not be an outside light coming in, causing uneven lighting readings.

Gianna Cunazza and Erich Petauchnig were always ready to listen to all my requests and requests of the Referee team for making the Tournament better and has followed through with actions right away.

Taking into consideration, that this was the first PTT Tournament in Chile I can say CONGRATULATION GIANNA AND ERICH AND YOUR TEAM OF VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WELL ORGANIZED TOURNAMENT.

Submitted by Karol Ziduliak, Technical Delegate

November 24, 2015.

### Some pictures



Cups for overall results:  
1. BRAZIL 2. CHILE 3. FRANCE



View of the Playing area



Call Area



By-by. See you next year