# INTERNATIONAL PARALYMPIC TABLE TENNIS COMMITTEE FOR THE DISABLED



# TECHNICAL DELEGATE

# EVALUATION REPORT

Name of Tournament / Championships :	7.Trofeo del Mediterraneo
Ranking Factor Applied for :	20
Name of Responsible Federation :	Associazione Sportiva Il Gattopardo and Italien Po
Name of Chairman of Organising Committee :	Giuseppe Vella
Dates of Play:	December 1 - 5, 2004
Name of Technical Delegate :	Jiri Danek - CZE
Report submitted to IPC and IPTTC:	January $7^{\text{th}}$ , 2005

## Accommodation: Hotel KORE \*\*\*\*, Agrigento.

The hotel was new, very comfortable. Therefore the tournament was for standing players only, we had no problem with the accessability of accommodation. All of the participants of the tournament stayed there.

We had all of the breakfasts and dinners in the hotel. Meals were very good. The lunches, were served dirrectly in the sport hall in the good quality too.

Venue: Sport hall - Palazzetto Provinciale "G. Salemi", Racalmuto

> Playing hall: 40 x 22m

> > 8 playing tables (play field 12 x 6m)

Floor: wooden – very good

Lighting: only approx. 400 Lux, no day light was there Referee's table: in the middle of the longer site of the hall ( for referee + deputies and computer man )

Gluing room: was on the stoa, out of the playing hall

Spectator seats: approximately 400

Officials room: office for OC + TD, the room for the umpires,

the first aid room, changing rooms for players,

Snack bar, the extra place for lunch

no extra tables, Practising tables:

Refrishing area: small snack and café for all of particicants + drinking

programme (good - bottled watter).

**Equipment:** Tables: 8 tables JOOLA 2000 – S, blue, ITTF approved

> Balls: JOOLA \*\*\*, orange, ITTF approved

Scorers: JOOLA, ITTF approved Net/Post: JOOLA, ITTFapproved Surroundings: JOOLA, ITTF approved

**Competition days**: Playing days: December 2 - 4, 2004

> Dec 1, 2004 arrival and classification day for the participants,

> > draw of Open event by Referee and TD, meeting

Open singles and start of Team events, draw for Team Dec 2, 2004

and Single events

Team events, medals ceremony Dec 3, 2004

Dec 4, 2004 The single in classes + medals ceremony

Dec 5, 2004 Departure od delegations

#### **Number of Participants: 5 Nations** were present there

17 men 7 escorts

### 24 participants in total

**Transport**: The transport from Airport in Catania to hotel Kore and back was good.

> The local transport between hotel and Venue was without problems too. Organizers used one big bus for it. The distance between the hotel and Venue was approximately 25 - 30 km. We needed for it approximately 35 - 40

minuts.

Classifiers: **Heinz Zverina AUT** Officials:

> **Christian Koppelberg** GER **Jacky Simon** FRA

Referee: Deputy referees: Renzo Bertotto ITA **Anna Maria Albanese** ITA

8 umpires from Italy (F.I.Te.T and C.I.P.) Umpires:

TD: Jiri Danek CZE

Meeting of managers of delegation was in December 1st evening. **Meeting:** 

The Organizers gave there the last information and draw of OPEN.

EDP: No education program was during the tournament.

**Classification:** The classification area was prepared in hotel Kore, with all of the necessary

Equipments. The classification was done in Dec 1<sup>st</sup>, afternoon and evening.

10 players were classified there.

In next days, the classifiers observed some of players. I would like to thank

both of the classifiers they worked like very good team.

The perfect Results Books were given to delegations during the closing **Results**:

dinner.

The electronic results were sent to Ranking Officer in time and in the right

Formats.

### **Organizing Committee:**

Chairman of the tournament Giuseppe Vella Antonio Poli Vice - Chairman Secretary + coordinator Teresa Morello Secretary assistant **Emanuela Lagona** Technical officer Francesco Vesco Venue officer **Domenico Busuito** 

# Medical services: The first aid interlocked: Associazione "Volontari Riunity" from

Racalmuto.

The ambulance car and crew of the ambulance were in the hall the whole

time of the tournament.

# **Evaluation**: The 7<sup>th</sup> Trofeo del Mediterraneo was in 2004 very small tournament, but

the level of organisation was very good. The sport level of the tournament was well-seeming too. As well as the Catania tournament, the OC of 2005 tournament in Agrigento will have to be prepare for much biger number of players, therefore it will be the last tournament of standing, before WRL of

selection of WC 2006.

The new OC, which organized the tournament this year will be able to manage it really well, but will be necessary to change the hall and maybe the

number of playing days.

**In conclusion :** I would like to compliment Organizers. I knew some older tournaments in

Agrigento and I can tell, this one was really well organized, with all of necessary condiction for the good IPTTC tournament. I wish OC to go on in

the same way in the next years too.

Jiri Danek IPTTC – Technical Delegate January 7th, 2005