

## MINUTES TO THE 2<sup>ND</sup> MEETING OF THE NATIONS COMMITTEE MEN

**Date:** Tuesday, 26 May 2021

**Time:** 15:45 – 16:15

**Venue:** Vienna, AUT

**Participants:** Morten Stig Christensen / DEN  
Ingo Meckes / SUI  
Jari Henttonen / FIN  
Fintan Lyons / IRL  
Mark Schober / GER  
Bertrand Gille / FRA

**EHF:** Michael Wiederer / President  
Peter Sichelschmidt / Senior Director National Team Competitions  
Mario Kovacic / Competitions / Club Competitions

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### **1. Welcome and Introduction**

President Wiederer opened the meeting with welcoming words to all participants and explaining the role of the chairmen representing the NCM. Furthermore, the possible nomination of the elected people into the different boards was described.

### **2. Status Report EHF Competitions**

Reference to be taken to the minutes of the common NCM/NCW meeting; no additional discussion took place.

### **3. Nomination of three representatives to the Nations Board**

The NCM Members nominated Morten Stig Christensen, Mark Schober and Ingo Meckes to the Nations Board.

### **4. Nominations of two representatives to the Professional Handball Board**

The NCM Members nominated Morten Stig Christensen and Mark Schober to the Professional Handball Board.

### **5. Election of Chairperson**

Chat between the participants took place about the experience of the previous members and how the elected person should represent the Committee. Following the common discussion the NCM Members elected Ingo Meckes as a Chairperson of the NCM.

## **6. Election of Vice-Chairperson**

Following the common discussion the NCM Members elected Jari Henttonen as a Vice-Chairperson of the NCM.

## **7. Miscellaneous**

A question regarding the registration procedure for the M19 EHF EURO and all YAC Summer Events 2022 was raised.

The participants also discussed the issue of a possible late ending of the national leagues and what options the EHF has in order to be able to finish the registration process in time. This point will be forwarded to the PHB in order to clarify the options with the leagues.

Fintan Lyons asked about the latest status of the IHF/EHF Trophy 2021 and if there are reasons why nations did or did not register for the Trophy. After the information exchange it was agreed that he will discuss with some nations why they did not register as he is interested in gathering more data about a non-registration in order to understand the difficulties and to work on a solution for this.

For the Minutes: Mario Kovacic

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