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CHAIRMAN COMMUNICATION 005/2020

The ITKF Traditional Karate family

We hope that everyone is in good health together with their families.

Here are some relevant information deliberated at the last Directors Meeting:

1. Timetable

At a board meeting held in 8th June it was decided that due to the pandemic, this year's regional championships will be moved to 2021 and the ITKF world championships to 2022. Any changes in this regard will be communicated immediately to everyone.

2. New website

We inform you that the new ITKF website (itkf.global) is in the final stages of construction and the new official ITKF email is secretary@itkf.global.

3. Officials

The Directors unanimously selected Mr. Rui Francisco Martins Marçal as ITKF **Treasurer**, Mr. Sadiomar Santos as the ITKF **General Director**, Mr Jorge Alexandre Crosa and Fernando Silva as the **Comptrollers**.

For the **Communications and Marketing Commission** (Mr. Yeal Nir, Mr. Leonardo Neves Berg do Prado, Mr. Ibrahim Albakr and Mr. Roman Pavlovic). **Innovation and Technology Commission** (Mr. Vinícius Sant'Anna Pinto, Mr. Joarez Evangelista Franco Junior, Mr. Rafael Gustavo Gaertner and Mr. Sheriff Abuel Enein. **Athlete's Committee** (Cornel Musat , Mr. Ricardo Luiz Buzzi, Ms. Martina Rey and Ms. Manona Danciu.

Formal appointment of the **Technical Committee**: Chairman – Sensei Richard Jorgensen, Sensei Tasuke Watanabe, Sensei Gilberto Gaertner, Sensei Vladimir Jorga, Sensei Vencislav Nedev, Sensei Eligio Contarelli, Sensei Justo Gómez.

Formal appointment of the **Shihan-Kai Council**: Chairman – Sensei Tasuke Watanabe, Sensei Vladimir Jorga, Sensei Richard Jorgensen, Sensei Bernardo Contarelli, Sensei Gilberto Gaertner and Sensei Vencislav Nedev (alternate).

The Tradition Continues



Gilberto Gaertner
ITKF Chairman