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**R U L E S**  
**FIS Cup Ski Jumping (Men)**  
**2009-2010**

Legend: FCJ-M = FIS Cup Ski Jumping (Men)

**1. Calendar Planning as well as Entry and Appointment of the Competitions**

**1.1 FIS Cup Ski Jumping**

1.1.1 Each National Ski Association is entitled to apply to the Sub-Committee for Calendar Planning for FCJ-M competitions (individual competition) by the pre-established deadline.

1.1.2 The application has to be made two years in advance and on the official FIS entry form.

1.1.3 Several FCJ-M competitions can be carried out on the same date.

1.1.4 The last FCJ-M event in a competition season is carried out as the FCJ-M-final. In connection with the FCJ-M final the overall FCJ-M prize-giving ceremony will take place.

**1.2 Appointment of the FCJ-M-events**

1.2.1 The Sub-Committee for Calendar Planning examines the:

- suitability of the hill in question for FCJ-M-competitions by means of the valid hill certificate;
- accommodation capacity and the spectator appeal of the competition site;
- standard of the race organisation.

1.2.2 According to the result of this evaluation and the proposed dates the Sub-Committee for Calendar Planning establishes a provisional FCJ-M-competition schedule for the upcoming two years. The final FCJ-M-competition calendar for the current season requires the approval of the FIS Council.

## **2. Participation Right for FCJ-M Competitions**

**2.1** Only competitors with a FIS-Code are allowed to be entered.  
Each National Ski Association has full responsibility for the qualification of its competitors for FCJ-M competitions and for their ability to handle the jumping hills being used.

## **2.2 Number of Participants for the National Ski Associations**

- Each National Ski Association can enter, for a FCJ event, a maximum of ten (10) athletes.
- the host nation has the right to enter an additional National Group of ten (10) athletes (group I);
- the maximum starting quota of the host nation can therefore be 20, however, all other participating nations up to a maximum quota of ten (10) athletes.
- If more than two (2) FCJ-M-competitions are planned to be carried out in one country, the host nation is only entitled to enter a National Group in a maximum of 2 events per series (summer or winter FCJ-M-series), however, all in all not more than four (4) times.

## **3. FCJ-M Evaluation**

### **3.1 Individual competitions**

1st place = 100 points	16th place = 15 points
2nd place = 80 points	17th place = 14 points
3rd place = 60 points	18th place = 13 points
4th place = 50 points	19th place = 12 points
5th place = 45 points	20th place = 11 points
6th place = 40 points	21st place = 10 points
7th place = 36 points	22nd place = 9 points
8th place = 32 points	23rd place = 8 points
9th place = 29 points	24th place = 7 points
10th place = 26 points	25th place = 6 points
11th place = 24 points	26th place = 5 points
12th place = 22 points	27th place = 4 points
13th place = 20 points	28th place = 3 points
14th place = 18 points	29th place = 2 points
15th place = 16 points	30th place = 1 points

**3.1.1** In case of equality in points between competitors each jumper receives the points corresponding to the rank (the following place is omitted).

**3.1.2** A minimum of five (5) National Ski Associations must participate if a FCJ-M competition is to count for the FCJ-M evaluation.

3.1.3 FIS Cup Standing

The FCJ-M points of all individual competitions of the current season will be counted for the FCJ-M overall winner.

In case of an equality of points in the FCJ-M standing the better ranking order of the different competitions will be used to decide the ranking.

If the competitors are still equal, the starting order will be drawn.

**4. Competition Mode and Starting Order**

The FCJ-M competitions have to be carried out according to ICR art. 452 (individual- and team competitions) with the following supplements:

4.1 For individual competitions the competitors will be divided into three groups. The number sequence of the groups is as follows:

- Group I of the organizing country
- Group II (athletes without FCJ-M points)
- Group III (athletes with FCJ-M points)

The starting order within the group will be determined as follows:

- Group I: draw or seeding
- Group II: draw
- Group III: reverse order of the actual FCJ-M standings. As soon as athletes appear in the FCJ-M standings they are seeded in group III according to their ranking. For the first FCJ-M competition of the season, the final FCJ-M standing of the past season is decisive.

4.2 For the second competitive round (final), only the top 30 of the first competition round are qualified (plus jumpers tied at the last qualified place). They start with the same start number but in reverse order of the collective points score from the first competitive round. A jumper, who has reached 95 % of the maximum length of the longest jump by the jumpers who have to qualify but has a fall, has the right to participate in the competition in addition to the top 30.

4.3 The final round must start 20 minutes after the end of the first competition round. The jumpers who are not at the start on time are disqualified.

**5. FCJ-M-Prizes**

5.1 The FCJ-M overall winner, (summer and winter), receives the FIS Cup trophy.

The first three competitors receive a FIS medal.

The trophy and the medals will be provided by the FIS.

The FIS Cup trophy and the medals shall only be awarded at the final.

**6. Accommodation**

An invitation and information packet must be sent by the organiser to each National Ski Association. Participating teams must enter their competitors prior to the published entry deadline. By doing so, secure their required number of booked reservation.

For booked room reservation not used, the organiser has the right to demand a cancellation fee from the resp. National Ski Association.

7. If necessary, the reimbursement of expenses for travel and accommodation for foreign TD, TD Assistant and Jumping Judges have to be paid according to ICR art. 405.4. The organiser has to provide and take over a shuttle service between the accommodation and the competition site.

**8. FCJ-M Control and Reports**

- 8.1 Each FCJ-M organiser must get in touch with his national "press agency" before the competition season and make sure that, immediately after the FCJ-M competition, the FCJ-M result list or at least the FCJ-M ranks will be distributed by this agency.
- 8.2 The press-/media service has to be organised and performed according to the recommendations and guidelines of the International Ski Federation as well as the International Association of Ski Journalists (AIPS).
- 8.3 The TD is responsible for the control and the report on the FCJ-M event. The writing and the prompt dispatch of the report to the FIS Office, together with the FCJ-M result list must be completed from the competition site
- 8.4 Each FCJ-M organiser has the duty to send the result list by telefax immediately after the competition to the FIS Office and to the next FCJ-M organiser.