



LIETUVOS AEROKLUBAS
AERO CLUB OF LITHUANIA

Member of Federation Aeronautique Internationale



January 15, 2013, Nr.008, Vilnius

Copy to : Jean – Marc Badan, Secretary General of the FAI
Jean-Claude Weber, President of the CIA
Alex Nagorski, Chairman of the Event Development Service

Subject : 21st FAI World Hot Air Balloon Championship 2014 bid

Letter of Intent

Dear Mr. President,

Lithuanian Ballooning Association, together with the city of Birštonas, is honored to submit this intention to bid for the hosting of the 21st FAI World Hot Air Balloon Championship in August, 2014.

During the past 20 years, Lithuanian Ballooning Association organized several FAI sanctioned events, European Hot Air Balloon Championship in 2003, 1st. Women European Hot Air Balloon Championship in 2010, 1st. FAI Junior World Championship 2012

The city of Birštonas has been hosting Lithuanian Nationals and a great number of different ballooning events for more than 20 years.

Complementary information, according to the Sporting Code,

The title, dates and place of the event:

21st FAI World Hot Air Balloon Championship – August 2014 –Birštonas –Lithuania.

The organiser's name, coordinates and qualifications :

Lithuanian Ballooning Association – Kastonu 4-7, Vilnius, Lithuania; Ballooning club „Audenis“ from Birštonas, Zverinciaus str.28.

During the past 20 years Ballooning club „Audenis“ has been organising Lithuanian Nationals and a great number of different ballooning events.

The maximum total number of competitors the organiser is prepared to accommodate :
100 + the top 3 current championship medal holders

The equal number of competitors to be invited from each eligible NAC :
invitation : 2 per country + proportional number of competitors according to the ranking method in
5.6.2.2. All eligible NACs at the date of invitation (January 2014)

Aeroclub of Lithuania President

Jonas Mažintas

CIA delegate for Lithuania

Žydrunas Kazlauskas