The Competition Rules for the BALTIC MOUNTAIN BIKE ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2016

1. General

- 1.1. The Baltic Mountain Bike Orienteering Championships (BMTBOC) is the official event to award the titles of the Baltic Champions in mountain bike orienteering.
- 1.2. BMTBOC is organized by the appointed Federation:

2016 - Estonian Orienteering Federation,

- 1.3. The BMTBOC official programme consists of middle and long distance competition. The title of Baltic Champion is awarded separately for Middle and Long Distance.
- 1.4. The organizing federation has entered both distances as World Ranking Event.
- 1.5. Competition Rules for IOF MTBO Events shall be applied at the BMTBOC.
- 1.6. Additional regulations which do not conflict with these rules and Competition Rules for IOF MTBO Events may be proposed by the organizer.

2. Participating federations

Latvia, Estonia, Lithuania

3. Classes

3.1. Individual middle and long distance competition:

W21. M21

4. Participation

- 4.1. Each competitor shall have full citizenship of the country that he or she represents.
- 4.2. Each federation may enter a team of unlimited number of competitors

5. BMTBOC dates and programme

- 5.1. BMTBOC is held in July 2.-3.
- 5.2. BMTBOC consist two races middle distance on July 2nd and Long Distance on July 3rd.

6. Information about BMTBOC

6.1. Information from the organizer shall be given in the form of bulletins.

7. Costs

- 7.1. Cost of participation is shown in the Bulletins, but shall not be over 24 EUR for two days.
- 7.2. The rental payment of electronic control card for one competitor is 1 Euro per day.
- 7.3. Accommodation and food service must be arranged, but not paid by the organizer. The costs of accommodation and food service shall be kept as low as possible.
- 7.4. Late entries may be charged an additional fee.

8. Punching system

The IOF approved electronic punching system must be used.

9. Starting order

- 9.1. In classes W21 and M21 the starting order is determined by the world ranking. Competitors, who are not in the world ranking, are drawn to the beginning of the starting list.
- 9.2. Start interval for middle is at least 2 minutes and for long at least 3 minutes.

10. Prizes

- 10.1. In the BMTBOC the first three competitors of men and women class are awarded with Medals.
- 10.2. All prizes, medals, certificates and the BMTBOC must be provided by the organizer.

11. Jury

- 11.1. The jury consists of 1 voting members by one of each participating federation. The Event Controller leads the jury but has no vote.
- 11.2. Decisions of the jury are final.