ISAF Recognized Training

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MNA Accreditation

A submission from the Chairman of the Development and Youth Committee

Purpose or Objective

ISAF to encourage more Emerging / Developing Nations to undergo the Recognized Training accreditation inspection process.

Proposal

ISAF to subsidise the initial 'Recognized Training' Inspection costs for selected MNAs to to undergo the accreditation process. The yearly payments would not be subsidised, only the initial inspection costs.

Current Position

Any MNA applying for Recognized Training accreditation shall cover all costs associated with the Recognized Training inspection and annual recognition.

Reason

1. Many MNAs from emerging nations hardly succeed in raising sufficient funds to run their programmes, and may then feel reluctant to enter the accreditation process even though their National Programmes are of a suitable standard to become recognized. The IOC International Federations Development Fund has provided a subsidy for this and the Development and Youth Committee would like to be able to formulate criteria by which the selected MNAs are chosen to benefit from this financial subsidy.