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GENERALNI SPONZOR:



**INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE AT THE 17th EUROPEAN FAIR PLAY CONGRESS,
POREČ, 28 September-1 October 2011**

ZLATNI SPONZOR:



Dear Sports Friends,

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OLIMPIJSKE OBITELJI:

The Croatian Olympic Committee as an organiser of the 17th European Fair Play Congress and the EFPM General Assembly invites you to participate in the proceedings of the mentioned events. The 17th European Fair Play Congress will be held in Poreč, Croatia, on 29 and 30 September 2011 and the EFPM General Assembly on 1 October 2011.

The EFPM entrusted the organisation of the mentioned event to the Croatian Olympic Committee. It will be held under the auspices of the European Olympic Committees, the International Council of Sport Science and Physical Education, the President of the Republic of Croatia and the Ministry of Science, Education and Sport.

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Topic of the Congress is "Sport as a Part of Culture: Fair Play as a Part of Sports Culture"



Aim of the Congress: to promote fair play principles, tolerance and other values of sport by the exchange of experiences and examples of good practice and by a scientific approach to the topic open new possibilities for promotion of activities promoting fair play behaviour in sport and other areas of life. The topic is aimed at the exploration and promotion of new possibilities of development of sports culture, as a part of culture and good relations of children and the youth in sport, in order to combat violence and bad manners.



Congress Participants: Representatives of all EFPM members, representatives of National Olympic Committees and their organisations in charge of fair play in Europe, EFPM lecturers and scientists, sports officials, sports associations representatives, athletes and students, will take part in the Congress. About 150-200 persons are expected to attend the Congress.

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We invite you to join us and attend the 17th European Fair Play Congress and therefore participate actively in the promotion of fair play and other values of sport and through the exchange of good practice and scientific presentations gain new experiences and insights into the promotion and respect of fair play, tolerance in sport as well as in other areas of life and relations of children, the youth and other citizens.

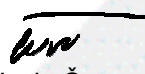


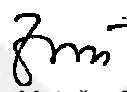
For more detailed information, please contact the project leader, Mrs Biserka Vrbek by phone: +385 1 3659 610; Mobile: +385 98 477 959 or e-mail: fairplay@hoo.hr or biserka.vrbek@hoo.hr.

Please find enclosed the Congress announcement containing all necessary information and we kindly ask you to fill in the attached registration form and send it by **31 July 2011** at the latest.

We look forward to seeing you soon! Welcome to Croatia at the 17th European Fair Play Congress!

Yours sincerely,


Josip Čop
Secretary General


Zlatko Mateša, Ph.D.
President