

MINUTES

of meeting no. 31 of the

FIFA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

at the Hotel Grand Hyatt, São Paulo,
on 7 June 2014

PRESENT:

Joseph S. Blatter, FIFA President – in the chair; Julio H. Grondona, Senior Vice-President – deputy chairman; Issa Hayatou, Angel María Villar Llona, Michel Platini, David Chung, HRH Prince Ali Bin Al Hussein, Jim Boyce, Jeffrey Webb – Vice-Presidents; Dr Michel D’Hooghe, Senes Erzik, Worawi Makudi, Marios Lefkaritis, Jacques Anouma, Rafael Salguero, Hany Abo Rida, Mohamed Raouraoua, Dr Theo Zwanziger, Marco Polo Del Nero, Sunil Gulati, Eugenio Figueredo, Shk. Salman Bin Ebrahim Al Khalifa, Zhang Jilong, Lydia Nsekera – members; Jérôme Valcke – Secretary General; Edward Brown – minutes

CO-OPTED MEMBERS Moya Dodd, Sonia Bien-Aime

ALSO PRESENT: Members of the FIFA management

EXCUSED: Vitaly Mutko

DURATION: Saturday, 7 June 14.00-18.00

- I. WELCOME BY THE PRESIDENT
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. MINUTES
- IV. AGENDA

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The Secretary General provided an update on the bidding for the FIFA competitions to be held in 2015-2019, the hosts of which would be decided by the Executive Committee at their meeting in December 2014.

The President reported that the Iraqi FA had new leadership and had elected a new President who was asking FIFA to lift the suspension on international matches in Iraq. Shk Salman Bin Ebrahim Al Khalifa added that the situation in Iraq differed from region to region, that the situation in the north was much improved. Following the election of a new president, which was another positive sign, he recommended sending an AFC-FIFA inspection team to monitor the situation and come up with a proposal.

Decisions	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addition of Director of HR & Services Fred Schwenter to the Commercial Register with joint signatory powers with the Secretary General; removal of Christina Collenberg • Confirmation of Barnabas Anga as new chairman and Fred Fakarii as new member of the Solomon Islands Normalisation Committee • Dispatch of AFC-FIFA inspection team to Iraq to look into the possibility of lifting the suspension on international matches • Grant of request by the CBF to recognise the 1951 tournament between European and South American clubs won by Palmeiras as the first worldwide club competition

The members then received a presentation on the FIFA World Cup & the Media from Sunil Gulati and FIFA Director of Communications & Public Affairs Walter De Gregorio including some advice and support to help the members with media activities

Before closing the meeting, the President provided the members with a copy of a manual on football development which he had written in November 1975 in his capacity as Technical Director and which showed that the basic principles of football instruction remained the same after all these years.

15. Next meeting

It was noted that the next meeting of the Executive Committee would be held in Zurich on Thursday, 25 September and Friday, 26 September 2014.

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