

CIRCULAR NO. 8  
FROM THE INTERNATIONAL SKI FEDERATION  
TO ITS MEMBERS REGARDING THE

## **Qualification of the Ski-Competitors for the Olympic Winter Games 1952**

Referring to the decisions taken by the International Ski Congress in Venice, we inform the members of the F. I. S. that our proposals concerning qualification of competitors at the forthcoming Olympic Winter Games have been officially approved by the Executive Committee of the I. O. C.

Skiers will therefore qualify for participation at the Games according to paragraph 8 of the F. I. S. Rules and the following additional rule concerning qualification of Ski teachers. Ski teachers shall not be eligible unless:

- a)* they teach as an incident to their main vocation or employment in a purely part-time manner,
- b)* they teach elementary skiing not including any kind of competitive skiing or coaching for competition,
- c)* their reward differs in no way from that earned by their non-competing colleagues, that means that they capitalize under no circumstances of their athletic fame or ability,
- d)* that such teaching be discontinued at least 90 days before the beginning of the Games.

The application and enforcement of the rules concerning qualification and the control of the competitors entered for the Olympic Games 1952 have been entrusted by the I. O. C. to the F. I. S.

According to the decisions taken by the F. I. S. Congress in Venice the Special Committee for questions of qualification will deal with this matter. The members of the Committee are:

Mr. J. Stanley Mullin, 458, South Spring Street, Los Angeles 13, U. S. A.

D<sup>r</sup> Otto Lorenz, Rilkestrasse 1, Innsbruck, Austria.

M<sup>e</sup> Jacques Tuot, 50, rue Laborde, Paris VIII<sup>e</sup>, France.

The F. I. S. will be responsible for a strict and honest application of the approved regulations. We shall therefore be grateful to all National Associations for making sure that all the members of their Olympic teams fully comply with the conditions prescribed.

---