

## CRITERIA FOR THE ALLOCATION OF THE FEI DRIVING WILD CARD TEAM INVITATION

As per Article 916 Entries:

### **"3. Entries for CAIs and CAIOs**

*3.3 Invitations to NFs: At CAIOs, NFs are invited by the Organising Committee. Additionally, the FEI has the right to nominate one of the foreign teams to be invited by the OC."*

### **Criteria**

Requests for the FEI wild card team invitation must come from the NF and are only allocated to a national team containing 2 or 3 Athletes.

Applications for the FEI wild card team invitation must be submitted to the FEI Driving Director not later than 7 days after the publication of the FEI Approved schedule and must indicate the NF for which the wild card invitation is requested; and must list the names and FEI Athlete IDs of the 2 or 3 athletes which will comprise the team for the NF. The FEI wild card team invitation will be allocated at the latest 4 weeks prior to the week of the event. If the FEI wild card team invitation is withdrawn before the first Monday prior to the week of the event, the FEI may re-allocate it to another NF.

NFs can request a FEI wild card team invitation a maximum of two times per year. However, if no other requests for an FEI wild card team invitation for any given event have been received, it may be allocated to an NF who has already received two wild card team invitations.

Requests for the FEI wild card team invitation will be allocated upon review of previous results of Athletes from the requesting NF.

If several requests are received for the same event, the FEI wild card team invitation will be allocated by a draw and will exclude NFs who have already received an FEI wild card team invitation during the same year.

Once allocated, FEI Team Wildcards will be included in the FEI Approved Schedule, under "Invitations".