



**Conseil International du Sport Militaire
International Military Sports Council**

- Netherlands Delegation -



Regional Military Shooting Championship Pistol

March 19th – March 23rd, 2018

Nijmegen, The Netherlands

INVITATION

**CISM
Friendship through Sport**



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Dear Chiefs of Delegation,

The Netherlands Armed Forces have been entrusted by the International Military Sports Council (CISM) with the organization of a Regional Military Cycling Championship.

On behalf of The Netherlands Armed Forces I have the honor to invite a mission representing your country to participate in this event.

Utrecht, December 5th , 2018

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Attached you will find:

- **Annex 1: Preliminary Agreement**
- **Annex 2a: Final Entry Composition of the mission**
- **Annex 2b: Commitment of the Chief of Mission**
- **Annex 3: Final Entry Travel Data**



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1. Distribution list

CISM governing bodies

- *The Vice-President Europe*
- *CISM Secretary General*
- *The Chief of Liaison Office Europe*
- *President and Members of CISM Sport Committee*

To the Chiefs of Delegations of:

1	Albania (ALB)	22	Latvia (LAT)
2	Armenia (ARM)	23	Lithuania (LTU)
3	Austria (AUT)	24	Luxembourg (LUX)
4	Azerbaijan (AZE)	25	Former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia (MKD)
5	Belarus (BLR)	26	Malta (MLT)
6	Belgium (BEL)	27	Monaco (MON)
7	Bosnia & Herzegovina (BIH)	28	Montenegro (MNE)
8	Bulgaria (BUL)	29	Norway (NOR)
9	Croatia (CRO)	30	Poland (POL)
10	Cyprus (CYP)	31	Portugal (POR)
11	Czech Republic (CZE)	32	Romania (ROU)
12	Denmark (DEN)	33	Russia (RUS)
13	Estonia (EST)	33	Serbia (SRB)
14	Finland (FIN)	34	Slovakia (SVK)
15	France (FRA)	35	Slovenia (SLO)
16	Georgia (GEO)	36	Spain (ESP)
17	Germany (GER)	37	Sweden (SWE)
18	Greece (GRE)	38	Switzerland (SUI)
19	Hungary (HUN)	39	Turkey (TUR)
20	Ireland (IRL)	40	Ukraine (UKR)
21	Italy (ITA)		

2. General program of the championship

DATE	ACTIVITY
Monday, March 19 th	Arrival of participants
	Technical Meeting / Meet & Greet
Tuesday, March 20 th	Training / Competition
Wednesday, March 21 st	Competition
Thursday, March 22 nd	Competition Price giving
Friday, March 23 rd	Departure of participants

NOTE: No gift exchange, no official opening and closing ceremony.



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3. Composition of the mission (maximum)

- 1 Coach
- 1 Trainer
- 3 Competitors
- 1 Driver

Total: 6

According to the CISM Regulations (see CISM Police Manual, art. 3.19) only military personnel in active duty and in possession of a valid military ID card may participate in the competition.

Additional visitors will not be accepted without official written permission of the organization. The costs for board and lodging are at their own expenses.

Please, be aware only 9 countries (including The Netherlands) can participate in this championship. The first countries to register will be our guest!

4. Access to the location of the competition

The location of the competition will be the shooting range Heumensoord (Nijmegen). Travel expenses, to and from the Netherlands, will be the responsibility of the participating country.

The organizing committee will provide road-trip transportation from the place of arrival to the place of stay in The Netherlands (Army Camp Harskamp) and the transport during the competition.

Places of arrival and departure (see enclosed map):

Flight: Amsterdam Airport Schiphol (AMS)

Eindhoven Airport (civil and military airport)

Bus/car: see 4.1

4.1. Address barracks

General Winkelman Barracks

Otterloseweg 5

6732 BR Harskamp

5. Conditions of stay

During their stay in The Netherlands the missions will be guest of The Netherlands Armed Forces from March 19th to March 23rd 2018.

Board and lodging will be provided by the organizing committee and is free of charge.

Mission members will be accommodated in barracks.

Additional food & beverage and special requirements (telephone, laundry, etc.) must be paid by the concerning mission.

There is no way to provide official accommodation prior to and after the invitation dates. Any costs, made before the date of arrival and/or after the date of departure, must be covered by the participants.



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6. Food and beverage

The use of bottled water is not necessary. Tap water is safe to drink. Menus are widely varied.

If you need diet and religion-related requirements, please let us know.

7. Medical support

The Netherlands will take care of medical support (first aid) on site. Further costs for medical support are at the expense of the participants. Participants' health insurance must be valid in The Netherlands and a copy must be handed over if applicable.

8. Regulations of the championship

The championship will be governed by the CISM Regulations (Edition 2012). Specific regulations for this championship will be forwarded to all participating countries during the Technical Meeting.

9. Uniforms

No service uniforms are required.

10. Customs and visa procedures

For information regarding passport and visas for entry into The Netherlands, please contact The Netherlands embassy in your country or the respective embassy serving your country in The Netherlands.

Make sure, that you apply for your visa in time!

11. Weather conditions

The temperature in March in The Netherlands is between 10°C – 18°C. Average temperature is about 15° C. The probability for rain is at 35%.

12. Registration forms deadlines

- Preliminary Agreement (Annex 1) February 1st , 2018
- Final Entry (Annex 2a/b) March 1st , 2018

A valid and operated phone number and email address are required on the final entry form in case the organizing committee needs to contact you.



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13. Correspondence

All official correspondence concerning the competition should be sent to:

Preferably through email: cismnl@mindef.nl

Or:

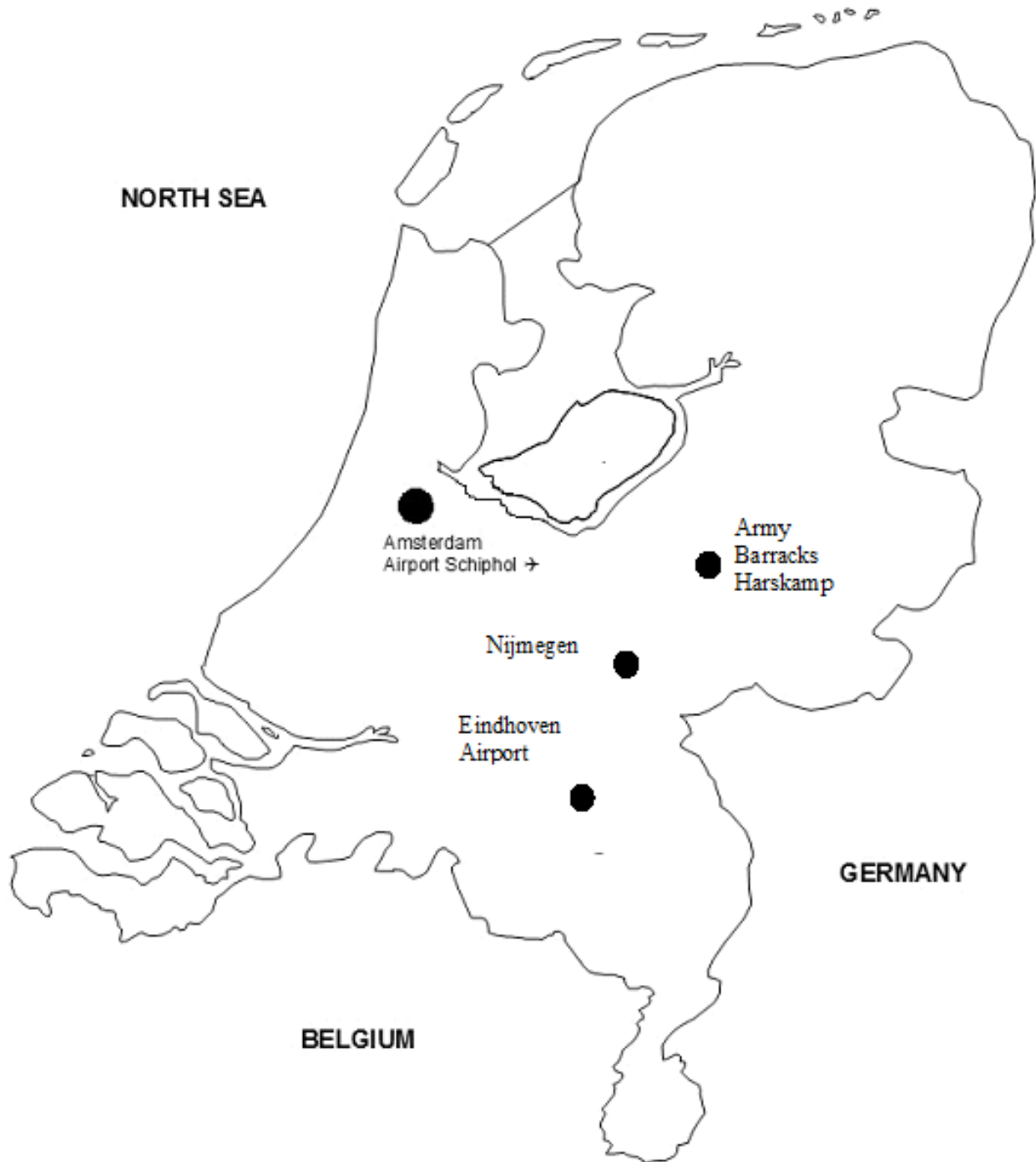
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14. Map





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ANNEX 1

PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT

To be returned before : February 1ST 2018

Email:

NATION:

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS:

	Officials	Athletes	CSC members	Referees	Total
Men					
Women					
Total					

MEANS OF TRANSPORT: _____

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: _____

Your Contact	Rank/Name	
	Phone	
	E-Mail	



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ANNEX 2a

FINAL ENTRY COMPOSITION OF THE MISSION

To be returned before : March 1st 2018

Email: cismnl@mindef.nl

NATION :

#	Function	Rank	Name and Surname
1.	Chief of Mission		
2.	Team Director		
3.	Coach		
4.	Mechanic		
5.	Physician		
6.	Male athlete		
7.			
8.			
9.			
10.			
11.			
12.			
13.			
14.	CSC Member		
15.	Ad Libitum		

In strict compliance with applicable **CISM Regulations – Chapter VII, Art. 7.21 and Art. 7.22**, I, the undersigned Chief of Delegation, hereby officially confirm that all athletes representing my nation in the CISM event are on active duty in my nation's Armed Forces. I understand that sanctions may be imposed against my nation, my mission, my team, individual athletes, or myself for violation of this provision (**CISM Regulations Chapter I, Art. 1.12**).

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: _____



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ANNEX 2 b

FINAL ENTRY - COMMITMENT BY THE CHIEF OF MISSION

NATION :

The undersigned, Chief of Mission declare that he has read the **CISM Regulations** and moreover understood the following prescriptions:

Article 1.10. RIGHTS OF MEMBER NATIONS

- A. Active member nations have the right to:
 - 2. Be invited top all CISM Championships.
- B. Inactive member nations have the same rights as active member nations except that:
 - 2. They do not participate in any CISM event until they have met their financial obligations.

Article 7.21. PARTICIPATION - MILITARY STATUS

- A. Only military personnel on active duty in Armed Forces may take part in competitions organized by CISM.
- B. No one may be recalled to active duty in the Armed Forces for the purpose of participating in a CISM competition. In the case of an intermittent military service, the athletes regularly recalled may not take part in CISM competitions, under any circumstances, if more than 18 months have elapsed between this recall and the end of their last call to arms.
- C. Exceptions to the above may be authorized by the General Assembly, upon recommendation of the Board of Directors.
- D. All military participants in a CISM event shall be in possession of proper documentation which signifies active military service of the member nation he represents. The documentation can be:
 - 1. A valid military identity card for those athletes who are authorized to present their military identity cards abroad,
 - 2. A form of verification (in English and/or French) of military status accompanied by a passport.
- E. By signing the final entry, the Chief of Delegation confirms the military status of the participating athletes. If there are last minute changes in the participation of the



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athletes, the verification file may be signed by the Chief of Mission, but shall be confirmed by the Chief of Delegation by official letter.

F. If one of these documents is not available, participation is refused.

Article 7.24. PARTICIPATION OF AN INACTIVE MEMEBR NATION

Athletes or teams of an inactive member nation may not participate in any CISM event (art 1.10 of the Regulations).

Article 7.30. CHIEF OF MISSION

A. Chief of Mission

1. Chiefs of Mission shall be familiar with CISM regulations.
2. Missions must not only participate or be present at sports events, they are also required to participate in information conferences on CISM, study days, commemorative and cultural events and ceremonies organized by the host nation.

B. Conduct of a mission

1. The Chief of Mission is responsible for the behavior of his team in sports and general discipline. He shall ensure that members of his mission respect the rules and directives prescribed by CISM and organizers of the championship. The respect of schedules is particularly important as they form the basis for the effective conduct of competitions and ceremonies.
2. The Chief of Mission shall also enforce the rules concerning behavior and dress during the ceremonies. He plays an important role in promoting the CISM spirit among his mission, a spirit represented by friendly attitude towards other missions, courtesy towards organizers and fair-play in competition.

Article 8.6. ABSENCE OF A MISSION WITHOUT NOTIFICATION

If a mission which submits a preliminary agreement and/or final entry is absent without notifying the host nation in time, a sanction will be imposed (CISM Regulations, Art. 1.12).

Article 8.17. RULES OF STAY

A. General

1. The Chiefs of Mission are responsible for the discipline of their mission. The missions fall under the jurisdiction of the organizing nation. During events, all athletes

present on the playing fields are equal before the jury, the referees and to themselves. No one may use his rank to impose his views on sports matters.



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2. Civilian members of the missions shall conform to the discipline accepted by all other participants.

B. Military uniforms

1. Unless otherwise approved by the Official CISM Representative, all participants shall wear military uniform during official ceremonies such as the opening and closing ceremonies and medal-awarding ceremonies. Individuals without proper uniform will not be allowed to participate in the championship.

2. The presentation of medals takes place, in principle, during the closing ceremony. The presentation of medals may be done in sports uniform, if for organizational reasons it is not possible to wear military uniforms. This is the case e.g. when the presentation immediately follows a championship sports event. Sports uniforms shall respect the corresponding national criteria (training suit, sports shoes, etc.) Displaying the national flag on the podium by the recipient (athlete or team) at a medal awarding ceremony is forbidden. Individuals failing to respect these prescriptions shall not receive their medal(s) during the official ceremonies.

C. Forbidden actions

1. In conformity with the statutes and traditions of CISM, any political or religious propaganda during a CISM event, in particular the dissemination of documents, pictures, brochures, reviews, etc. is strictly forbidden.

2. Any contravention shall result in the exclusion of the mission from further competition and may result in additional sanctions (Regulations Art. 1.12).

Article 8.19. ACCOMODATIONS

E. All missions, including those of the host nation, shall be accommodated under the same conditions. If the conditions are in accordance with the CISM norms and standards, the missions are expected to accept the accommodation provided by the organizing nation.

G. (...) Any mission that does not accept the accommodations provided by the organizing nation and judged as adequate by the Official CISM Representative will not be allowed to participate in the championship.

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF MISSION

RANK/NAME: _____



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ANNEX 3

FINAL ENTRY – TRAVEL DATA

To be returned before: March 1st 2018

Email: cismnl@mindef.nl

NATION :

	PLACE	DATE	FLIGHT Nr TRAIN Nr BUS Nr	TIME
ARRIVAL				
DEPARTURE				

MEANS OF TRANSPORT: _____

DATE: _____
SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: _____

Your Contact	Rank/Name	
	Phone	
	E-Mail	