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President of the FMJD, Mr. Janek Mäggi

General Secretary of the FMJD, Mr. Yyriy Chertok

All national draughts federations

Dear Sirs,

The Latvia Draughts Federation has contacted President of the FMJD Mr. Janek Mäggi and FMJD Executive Council about the decision of the Executive Council of the FMJD to hold the World Title match between Mr. Alexander Georgijev and Mr. Roel Boomstra in spite of the fact that Mr. Alexander Georgijev refused to play this match. The FMJD Executive Council also decided to postpone this match to Autumn 202, which is actually after the planned World championship tournament in Tallinn in June and July 2021. Taking into account the request from the Latvia Draughts Federation, a special commission was established to consider this issue. However, in our opinion, this special commission did not take into account our arguments at all.

As a result, the Latvia Draughts Federation has no other means left in our hands but to appeal this decision of the FMJD Executive Council to the General Assembly of the FMJD to ensure a proper and transparent evaluation of this case at the General Assembly of the FMJD in 3 July 2021. Therefore, the Latvia Draughts Federation officially requests to add the following item to the Agenda of the FMJD General Assembly – "Latvia Draughts Federation request on the decision of the FMJD Executive Council on the Men's World Title match in 2021".

Best regards,

Chairman of the Executive Board
of the Latvia Draughts Federation Vladislavs Vesperis

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