

tourist season. Maybe our riders wait mainly for the World Championships. But in the future we could have a situation when there won't be organizers enough for World Championships which are very financially demanding. The financial situation in many European countries will not be good and it will not be good even for our organizers. Maybe this situation in the future could cause the number of World Championship events to be reduced annually. The world has changed. EBU is trying to solve this situation to find organizers in Europe for less expensive international events like the European Cup. But we do not feel enough assistance from our delegates in that very few riders come from their country, or it even happens that they schedule a domestic event on the same day as a European Cup which absolutely prevents riders from taking part in an international event of the European Cup. This happened in Slovakia this year and in past years in other countries. Is it possible to explain to our riders and their families who do not have enough money to go to international events? Does the delegate give maximum effort in the best way to initiate the interest of riders? For example, connect the transportation of several riders in one car; explain to them that to travel is very good for them and to get to know other riders, cultures, etc.? And that is the reason they should plan ahead and save their money throughout the year instead of spending it on unimportant personal expenditures? We all need a strong and efficient Europe for our future. This must be a Europe where people learn to know and understood the differences in each country and the mentality of particular nations; that they can understand each other even with the language differences. Without traveling all this is impossible. In the next years today's generations of our riders will build this Europe. It depends on us a bit if they are to become people who will think internationally or, instead, if they are to be nationalists concerning themselves only with the events within their respective countries. The EBU Committee tries to do its best in this matter. We have spent our money and time on it. Maybe it will be necessary to reduce this all-out effort in the future if it doesn't have good responses from our delegates. Our organizers of European Championships and European Cups do a perfect job and have our great appreciation and respect. But it is not always visible by the participation of riders from some countries. I value the work of the national delegates very much because most of the time that work is unpaid and voluntary. Nevertheless even EBU has to see some reason for its own work. The sense fades away when the participation of riders in our events is so little when there has been so much effort and hard work by our organizers. Are you able to change anything in this? Are you able to support us more in this effort? We will look for you - as well as your riders at the European Cup in Italy following weekend, and at the final in England in September. Take your riders and come and enjoy EC 2009 in Italy. See you there! I wish good luck for all of you. Libor Musil

THANK YOU FOR READING!

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	Thanks for the information. About the vote, I will agree. Best Regards				
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	federation of one representative in one country. Will not the suggestion agenda be a domestic problem? Do you include the				
	policy of the international Biketrial spread to have an influence on				
	the world championship and a serious problem in BIU in this vote?				
T	The answer is "Yes", would you submit it after having arranged a				
	problem again? An argument is necessary.				
	BJU secretary Shuji Mishima				
	Dear Hiro,				
	Yes, I do agree we have a new member BCA who is strong and enthusiasm to our sports. Best regards, Kevin People have to understand that BikeTrial is not a question of				
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	Just that. Maybe current statutes of BikeTrial do not answer this situation maybe BIU can think about				
	Best regards. Màrius				
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