



REGULATIONS 3rd International Chess Tournament for the prizes of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan 20th November – 30th November 2024

1. <u>Tournament Classification</u>

The Tournament is organized with the following objectives:

- To fulfill the decree of the President of the Republic Uzbekistan from 14th January 2021 "On measures to further develop and popularize chess, as well as enhance the system of training chess players",

- Engagement of youth, professional and qualified chess players to participate in chess competitions and tournaments,

- Popularization and development of chess in Uzbekistan,

- Preservation and multiplication of cultural and sports traditions,
- Development of skills of Uzbekistan chess players.

2.Host Organizations.

The general management and organization of the competition is carried out by the Uzbekistan Chess Federation, supported by FIDE and in cooperation with the Agency for Youth Affairs of the Republic of Uzbekistan. The direct management of the tournament is entrusted to the Board of Arbiters.

<u>3.Time and Venue.</u>

The Tournament takes place in the city of Tashkent from November 20th (arrival) till November 30th (departure), 2024.

Day	Event	Time	
20.11.2024	Arrival		
21.11.2024	Opening ceremony 1 round	14.00	
22.11.2024	2 round	14.00	
23.11.2024	3 round	14.00	
24.11.2024	4 round	14.00	
25.11.2024	5 round	14.00	
26.11.2024	6 round	14.00	
27.11.2024	7 round	14.00	

28.11.2024	8 round	14.00
29.11.2024	9 round	10.00
29.11.2024	Closing ceremony	17.00
30.11.2024	Departure	

4. Tournament System.

The Tournament is a 9-round Swiss in two groups: main group A rated 2250 and above, group B for the rated participants with rating 2249 and less.

FIDE Rating shall be considered as on 1st November 2024 (standard).

Time control is the following:

90 minutes and a 30-second increment per move starting from move one.

5. Tournament Participants and Conditions.

The participation is free of charge for:

- Chess players with international titles GM, IM, WGM, WIM,

Fees for the participants from Uzbekistan in the A Group (paid till 10th November):

- For chess players with FIDE rating 2350 and above the tournament fee is 400 000 sums,

- For chess players with FIDE rating 2250-2349 — 450 000 sums,

Fees for the participants from Uzbekistan in the B Group (paid till 10th November):

- For chess players with FIDE rating 1900-2249 — 450 000 sums,

- For chess players with FIDE rating 1600-1899 — 500 000 sums,

- For chess players with a FIDE rating below 1600 - 550 000 sums.

A 50% discount is provided for seniors 60 years old or older and for the physically impaired participants.

Citizens of Uzbekistan transfer their fees to the mentioned below account in Uzbek sums:

Account	2021 2000 1001 7827 6001	INN 201710234
Name of bank	PJSCB "DAVR BANK"	MFO 00981

Fees for the international participants in the A, B Group (paid till 10th November): 100 USA dollars.

A 50% discount is provided for seniors 60 years old or older and for the physically impaired participants.

Bank account for international participants:

Uzbekistan Chess Federation	Account: 2021 2840 2001 7827 6009			
S.W.I.F.T.: DVRBUZ22	Address: 98A Karimov str., Tashkent, Uzbekistan			
Bank name: P.J.S.C. "DAVR BANK"	Bank phone: (99871) 207-09-81			

6. Determination of winners and prizes.

Winners are determined by number points scored and, in case of a tie, by the following tie breaks:

- 1) Direct encounter,
- 2) Rating performance,
- 3) The greater number of wins,
- 4) The greater number of wins with black,
- 5) Buchholz,
- 6) Buchholz Cut 1,2, etc.

If participants have equal scores their prizes will not be shared and will be distributed according to the abovementioned tie breaks. If one player wins in two nominations, prizes are not summarized, the bigger prize or the main prize shall be awarded. Prize money shall be transferred to the bank accounts of the prize winners or paid in cash. The bank expenses might be charged from the prize money.

Group	A:
Group	

Main prizes		Special prizes				
1	25000	Women		Juniors under 20		
2	15000	1	800	1	700	
3	7000					
4	5000					
5	4000					
6	2500					
7	2000					
8	1500	Seniors (60 and above)		e) Juniors under 14		
9	1000	1	500	1	500	
10	900					
11	800					
12	700					
13	600				•	
14	500					

15	400			
Total:	66500		Total:	2500

Group B:

Main prizes Special prizes					
1	1000	Women		Juniors	under 20
2	700	1	600	1	600
3	600				
4	500				
5	400				
6	350				
7	300				
8	250	Seniors (60 and above) Juniors und		rs under 8	
9	200	1	200	1	200
10	100				
Total:	4400			Total:	1600

Prize winners from Uzbekistan shall receive prizes in the national currency according to the Central Bank of the Republic of Uzbekistan exchange rate.

7. Fair Play Rules

All participants shall comply and co-operate with the Fair Play rules. Players may be removed from the tournament at any time on final decision of the Chief Arbiter based on fair play rules.

All the players agree that they have no right to appeal the aforementioned actions either through arbitration, consultation or in a court of law within any jurisdiction. Participants have no right to appeal for pairings made during the tournament. By registering in the tournament, players will not have the right to claim any financial compensation or redress related to the tournament.

For the success of the event the Organizer has the right to change the schedule with due notice, update the regulations or decide for any matter that is not mentioned in the current regulations.

<u>8. Visas</u>

Participants, that need visa to enter Uzbekistan, have to register before 1st November 2024, pay the

tournament fee in advance and send their passport copy. Otherwise, organizers do not guarantee the visa support.

Organizers won't be able to provide visa support if the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Uzbekistan doesn't allow visa issue.

9.Dress code and healthcare measures

Please consider the FIDE dress code rules (don't show up wearing shorts, flip flops, slippers and so on). Participant might be excluded from the tournament in case of the increased body temperature or other illness symptoms. Additional regulations might be issued later if necessary.

10. Financing.

Payments for the prize fund and organizational expenses, arbiters, transfer, accommodation and board for invited persons and officials of the tournament will be covered by Uzbekistan Chess Federation, fees and sponsorship.

Travel expenses of other participants and trainers and per diems are covered by sending organizations.

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