



NEW ZEALAND  
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F E D E R A T I O N

## NZCF POLICY FOR PAYMENT OF FIDE FEES

*As adopted by NZCF Council on 21 May 2023*

### 1. Membership Fees

NZCF will pay FIDE membership fees for NZCF's membership of FIDE. NZCF will pay any other affiliation or membership fees of other bodies as decided by NZCF Council.

### 2. Rating Fees of FIDE Events

#### **2.1. Rating Fees of NZCF Events**

NZCF will pay FIDE rating fees for all NZCF events that are allocated according to the NZCF Tournament Regulations and that are to be FIDE-rated.

#### **2.2. Rating Fees of Official Events**

NZCF will pay FIDE rating fees for all official Oceania, Asian and World events allocated to NZCF by the Oceania Chess Confederation, Oceania Zonal President, Asian Chess Federation or FIDE.

#### **2.3. Rating Fees of Other Rated Events**

The fees for rating by FIDE of events held in New Zealand other than an event to which Clauses 2.1 or 2.2 apply are set at NZ\$2.50 per player per event and are to be paid by the organiser or club that requests that an event be rated.

For events where FIDE does not charge fees for rating, NZCF will not charge any fees in relation to rating the events by FIDE.

### 3. Olympiad Fees

#### **3.1. Entry and Registration Fees**

Olympiad Team Entry Fees and any registration fees (where applicable) for the New Zealand teams will be paid by NZCF. Where juniors under 16 are selected and accompanied by adults, NZCF will pay the registration fee or any other official fees relating to 1 accompanying person per junior.

#### **3.2. Other Fees and Costs**

Other fees or costs relating to the Olympiad e.g. travel or accommodation costs will not be paid for players or accompanying persons unless agreed otherwise by NZCF Council.

### 4. Deposit Fees

The organisers of any official FIDE, Asian or Oceania event will pay any applicable deposit before NZCF bids for the event unless agreed otherwise by NZCF Council.

## 5. FIDE Titles

NZCF will pay the fees for the award of the following titles:

### **5.1. Player Titles**

- 5.1.1. Grandmaster
- 5.1.2. International Master
- 5.1.3. FIDE Master
- 5.1.4. Woman Grandmaster
- 5.1.5. Woman International Master
- 5.1.6. Woman FIDE Master

### **5.2. Arbiter Titles**

- 5.2.1. International Arbiter
- 5.2.2. FIDE Arbiter
- 5.2.3. Arbiter Classification Category upgrades
- 5.2.4. Lecturer

### **5.3. Organiser Titles**

- 5.3.1. International Organiser

### **5.4. Trainer Titles**

- 5.4.1. FIDE Senior Trainer

### **5.5. Other Titles Where Fees Must Be Paid By The Applicant**

NZCF will not pay the fees for titles other than those listed in clauses 5.1-5.4 unless decided otherwise by NZCF Council.

## 6. FIDE License Fees

NZCF will not pay the FIDE licence fees for titles in section 5 unless NZCF Council decides otherwise.

## 7. Other FIDE Fees

Where fees must be paid by NZCF e.g. transfer fees, entry fees to official events, NZCF will pay these and provide invoices as outlined in section 8.

Unless NZCF Council decides otherwise, NZCF will not pay any other FIDE fees or charges.

## 8. Invoicing and Payment

For any FIDE-related fees payable, the NZCF Treasurer will provide an invoice to the appropriate person and payment should be made by internet banking in accordance with the invoice. Whether payment is required in advance of NZCF making payments is at the discretion of the NZCF Treasurer.