



INTERNATIONAL CYCLING UNION

For the attention of National
Federations

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Additional information concerning the introduction of the “Elite National Commissaire” qualification

Dear Sir or Madam,

Our letter of 8 March concerning the introduction of the qualification of “Elite National Commissaire” has given rise to several questions which we will answer by means of this letter.

Elite National Commissaire courses

As specified in our previous letter, Elite National Commissaire training will be available, upon request to the UCI, from 1 **January 2012** for all disciplines. Moreover, it should be noted that training for Elite National Commissaires in the **road and MTB** disciplines will be available from 1 **November 2011**.

A minimum of 10 participants will be required for a training course to take place. We are encouraging National Federations to organise joint training sessions involving several (neighbouring) Federations in order to share costs.

Participants will be provided with the course materials by the UCI Commissaire Instructor on the first day of the training. These materials will not be sent to the participants in advance.

For federations whose national commissaires do not speak English or French, the training documents may be sent before the training course in order to be translated into the local language. An instructor/translator should be available to translate the course.

Instructors qualified to provide the Elite National Commissaire training

The UCI will inform the National Federations in good time of the list of UCI-approved instructors who can provide the new training.

A UCI Commissaire Instructor will be appointed for each request sent to the UCI. For its part, the requesting Federation must appoint a National Commissaire Instructor from its country, who shall also be present throughout the training session.

UCI International Commissaire courses

The National Commissaire courses approved by the UCI that have been held up to the present will remain valid for gaining access to the various pre-selection examinations for international courses until **1 January 2014**.

From 1 January 2014, any candidate wishing to participate in an international course must have the qualification of Elite National Commissaire.

We would like to thank you in advance for your understanding and send you our kindest regards.



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