



To
President Velibor Srdic´
Vice President Fiona Johnson Kocjanči

IDO WORLD HIP HOP & ELECTRIC BOOGIE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

It is with great regret that we The Danish Danceschools must write this letter to You Mr. President of IDO Velibor Srdic´

The Danish Dance Schools see no opportunity to arrange and complete this year's World Championships in Hip Hop and Electric Boogie 2021.

There is at huge uncertainty about the number of dancers that will compete. Normally we would expect approx. 2,000 dancers, (2800 in 2017) but taking the Covid-19 situation in notivce nothing is certain, it can be 1500 dancers or less.

There are changes with mutations around Europe at the moment, several countries have problems, which means that the uncertainty is even greater for arranging and completing the tournament. Restrictions regarding entering Denmark has also changed and this might hold dancers back for not participating in the World Championship.

As a board, we have a responsibility to our association The Danish Danceschools and we see in our budget figures a deficit of Euro 38,000. Therefore we can not defend it to our members after a Covid-19 period of 1½ years without any income.

It has been an honor and we have been proud that IDO had awarded the World Cup in 2013 and in 2017 to the Danish Dance Schools. We have been looking forward to hosting the World Championship again here in 2021, but we must acknowledge that Covid-19 has made it difficult for all of us in the IDO family. We look forward to 2022 being the year we are back, and thus even stronger in the IDO family.

We once again regret the DDD Board's decision, and wish the best for IDO and dancing in the future.

Best Regards
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