

2026 GENERAL ASSEMBLY – MAJOR DECISIONS

23 APRIL 2026, 12:00 – 15:00 CEST, VIRTUAL MEETING

2. MINUTES

- 2.1 The General Assembly approves the Minutes of the XXII IFSC General Assembly, held on 11-12 April 2025, in Larnaca, Cyprus.

3. MEMBERSHIP

- 3.1 **Albania:** The General Assembly ratifies the Executive Board proposal to admit the Albanian Climbing Federation (ACF) as the member representing Albania.
- 3.2 **Liechtenstein:** The General Assembly ratifies the Executive Board proposal to admit the Sport Climbing Association Liechtenstein as the member representing Liechtenstein.
- 3.3 **Malta:**
- 3.3.1 **Membership Termination:** The General Assembly ratifies the Executive Board proposal to terminate the membership of the Malta Sport Climbing Association (MSCA).
- 3.3.2 **Membership Admission:** The General Assembly ratifies the Executive Board proposal to admit the ClimbMT as the member representing Malta.
- 3.4 **Uruguay:** The General Assembly ratifies the Executive Board proposal to admit the Asociación Uruguaya de Escalada (AUDE) as the member representing Uruguay.

4. PRESIDENT ADDRESS

- 4.1 The President addresses the General Assembly about the ongoing negotiations with the IOC. He highlights the fact that the Federation is entering a critical transition from a pioneering phase to one of consolidation, stronger governance, and sustainable growth. He highlighted efforts to formalize policies, ensure transparent operations, and actively involve national federations in shaping criteria for future leadership and the long-term “Climbing 2040” vision.
- 4.2 Following the meeting of 15 April between the Executive Board and the National Federations that submitted motions related to membership status and athlete participation, the Executive Board presents an orientation vote to the General Assembly:

- Call for an Extraordinary General Assembly (July 2026), to be held online, and proceed with a vote on the suspension of Russia, Belarus, Israel, and others

Or:

- Discuss the matter at the World Climbing Summit (December 2026), with the possibility of bringing the matter to a vote at the General Assembly 2027

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5. REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD AND OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

The Secretary General addresses the General Assembly on the past year as a key transition period following the election of the new Executive Board, focusing on onboarding its members, strengthening organizational structures, and advancing education, capacity-building, and diversity.

He highlights the governance and integrity reforms already put in place, and sets out priorities for 2026–2028: delivering competitions, consolidating governance and continental structures, increasing revenues to reinvest in development, and ensuring consistent positive operational results while building a solid foundation for the next leadership and Olympic cycle.

6. FINANCE

- 6.1 The VP Finance present its report to the General Assembly.
- 6.2 The General Assembly approves the 2025 Audited and Consolidated Financial Statements: discharge of the Treasurer and of the Executive Board.
- 6.3 The General Assembly approves the 2026 Provisional Budget.
- 6.4 The General Assembly approves the appointment of Deloitte as the independent Auditor for the year 2026.
- 6.5 The General Assembly approves the Fee System 2026-2028.
- 6.6 The General Assembly approves the Financial Regulations Annexes III, VI, VIII.

7. GOVERNANCE

- 7.1 Proposed Statutes amendments approval:
 - 7.11.1 The General Assembly does not approve the proposed Statutes amendments of Articles 10.7.2 and 10.9.2 related to proxy voting.
 - 7.11.2 The General Assembly does not approve the proposed Statutes amendments.

INSTITUTIONAL REPORTS

Other Institutional reports of activities are presented to the General Assembly:

- 7.2 Continental Councils
- 8.1 Athletes Commission report of activities
- 9.1 Disciplinary Commission report of activities
- 10.1 Ethics Commission report of activities

11. NEXT MEETINGS

- 11.1 Extraordinary General Assembly, Virtual, July 2026 (Exact Date TBC)
- 11.2 4-5 December 2026, Climbing Summit, Torino, Italy
- 11.3 15-16-17 April 2027, 24th World Climbing General Assembly, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia