



**Special Olympics**  
*Europe/Eurasia*  
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**PROCLAMATION**  
**BETWEEN**  
**Special Olympics Europe/Eurasia**  
**and**  
**CEV – Confédération Européenne de Volleyball**

**WHEREAS**, CEV is an organization committed to promoting, and encouraging the development of Volleyball in all possible manifestation to all interested people;

**WHEREAS**, under the structure of CEV, Volleyball players offer inspiration to all citizens in Europe as symbols of excellence and achievement; and

**WHEREAS**, when Volleyball players from different cultures and nationalities compete together, any differences of opinion, belief and territory are set aside in favor of a common pursuit and appreciation of sport;

**NOW**, therefore, CEV hereby proclaims our unanimous support and affinity for Special Olympics Europe/Eurasia and all its players whose extraordinary courage represent the true spirit of sportsmanship.

**Confédération Européenne de Volleyball**

  
André Meyer  
President

  
Aleksandar Boricic  
Senior Vice-President

**WHEREAS**, the mission of Special Olympics Europe/Eurasia is to provide year-round sports training and competition in a variety of sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities; and

**WHEREAS**, in countries, throughout the region Special Olympics athletes offer inspiration to all citizens through their accomplishments and dedication; and

**WHEREAS**, the spirit of Special Olympics - skills, courage, acceptance and joy- transcends boundaries of geography, nationality, politic, philosophy, gender, age, race or religion;

**NOW**, therefore, Special Olympics Europe/Eurasia obtains the unanimous support of CEV and conveys this to all our athletes and supporters with the purpose of enhancing the sport of Volleyball.

**Special Olympics Europe/Eurasia**

  
Mary Davis,  
President and Managing Director

FOURTEENTH OF MAY, TWO THOUSAND AND TWELVE, BEOGRAD