



# Report

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ICF Board of Directors, Cape Town, South Africa,  
9 – 12 December 2015

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**ICF Position: Continental Representative form America**

## ***1. Visits and Meetings since last Board Meeting***

### **1. Pan-American Games Toronto (July 10-26)**

During the Pan American Games in Toronto several informal meetings were held with some NOC Presidents and Chef de Mission from countries Of Central America and Caribbean area. With the intention of starting the work related to the Central America & Caribbean Games to be held in Barranquilla, Colombia in 2018.

### **2. Belize Development Program:**

For the past months I has been working with Belize to establish the strategy to be carried out for the 2018 Games and the develop plan to be executed in Parallel. A face to face meeting will be held in November.

### **3. Development plan for America:**

Several meetings were held with the President of COPAC to establish and formalize the develop plan that will support the Pan-American Games to be held in Peru in 2019.

### **4. Guadalupe:**

In a communication with ODECABE/CACSO there is a possibility that Guadalupe (island of the Caribbean) if is approved in the ODECABE Assembly could participate in the Central American and Caribbean Games in Barranquilla.

## **2. Tasks undertaken for this period**

### **Puerto Rico Olympic Cup: Training Camp for Develop Countries to participate in the Central America and Caribbean Games 2018 (2 weeks)**

For the past months it has been working in project proposal for the Training Camp to be taken each year until 2018. It shall be carried out 3 Trng. Camp during this period. The cost of this event will be provided by the Puerto Rico Olympic Committee and National Federation. This program will focus on new countries and those who are developing.

| <b>Milestone</b>   | <b>Planned Start</b> | <b>Planned End</b> | <b>Status</b>   |
|--|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Send Invitation to Participant</b>  | Aug/2015             | Dec/2015           | <b>On Going</b> |
| <b>Air Ticket Quotation to some countries</b>  | Aug/2015             | July 2018          | <b>On Going</b> |
| <b>Logistic (Transportation, Boats, Competition)</b>   | Aug/2015             | Dec/2015           | <b>On Going</b> |
| <b>Competition Copa Olimpica 2016-2018</b>   | Aug/2015             | Dec/2015           | <b>On Going</b> |
| <b>Get approval of NOC for the Countries to participated (Belize, Guatemala, El Salvador, Guadalupe, Barbados, Trinidad)</b> | Aug/2015             | Dec/2015           | <b>On Going</b> |

### ***3. Issues and Main Points of Report***

1. Boat to be deliver for Develop Countries
2. Ensure proper support from NOC to the National Federations.

### ***4. Future Initiatives and Tasks***

1. Approve the Training Camp Plan
2. Begin with all the logistic activities for the 1<sup>st</sup> Training Camp to be held in June 2016.
3. Visit to Belize in November 26-28, 2015
4. Incorporate Haiti as ICF new Member

### ***5. Items for Resolution by Board of Directors***

None