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Dear Mr. President, Regional Directors and Colleagues,

Before starting with my report, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the Regional Directors for supporting their NROI. These volunteers have generously given of their time making sure that our sport stays safe for all participants.

Your IROA cadre and NROI have also represented your region in a recommendable fashion and I wish to express my sincere gratitude to both. We should not forget that our Range Officers are the backbone of IPSC.

I also would like to extend my thanks to IROA Vice-president Jose Belino for his countless hours of work and dedication.

So far this year we've added a total of 48 new IROA Officials from the following regions: Philippines 10, Germany 5, Canada 4 France 4, Chile 3, Switzerland 2, Jamaica 2, Sri Lanka 2, Israel 1, Greece 1, Slovak Republic 1, Austria 1, Barbados 1, Italy 1, Costa Rica 1, Sweden 1, Spain 1, Hong Kong 1, Slovenia 1, Great Britain 1, Norway 1, Australia 1 Moldova 1 and Czech Republic 1.

2020 has given us time to reflect on our educational system. These are the projects in progress to be completed before the next Assembly in 2021.

- 1) Review and revamp IROA Seminars Level I and II
- 2) Issue various manuals to help your NROI to be more efficient and consistent within our Confederation.
- 3) Time has come to review air fare subsidies for our IROA Officials working at matches outside their Regions in Level IV & V matches. We would like to have an open-minded discussion with the Regional Directors regarding their willingness to partially subsidize IROA Officials when they're representing their country abroad.
- 4) We're planning to have various videos clearly showing the intent and interpretation of our rules. This will be an essential part of your NROI training to be consistent with their calls.
- 5) Right now, we're finalizing the last steps of sending you the Chrono manual which will assist your region to properly set-up a Chrono Stage.
- 6) Other manuals in the works are a) Match Director Responsibilities, b) Opening and closing ceremony procedures c) RM manual
- 7) Forming new committees re: Course Design, Virtual Seminars (in English and Spanish), ESS Tutorial which includes tools for the Range Master to run Level III – Level V matches.

All these projects will take in consideration the input submitted by our IROA Range Masters as they have the practical experience in the field and are in a better position to assist.

My sincere thanks and appreciation go out to the IROA Officials who have and are still contributing to the development of various projects concerning IROA.



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Bob Chittleborough and the Rules Committee are to be acknowledged for a job well done. This gratitude extends to Juergen Tegge and the Sanctioning Committee for helping many countries to get their matches approved.

As for 2021 it's difficult to predict what will happen in the months to come. Plans are underway to hold the Pan-American in the USA, and the Handgun World Shoot in Thailand. We definitely are going to require extra NROI and IROA Officials because of the new pre-match format at the WS. You will be informed in due time.

I'm pleased to hear that a few regions have been able to schedule a number of Level III matches this year so far.

In closing I wish you and your families all the best for the New Year, happiness and health.

Sincerely,
Dino Evangelinos
IROA President



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