

## Luciano Rossi gets straight to work after election as ISSF President

### New Executive Committee meets and confirms Willi Grill as new General Secretary

Luciano Rossi has immediately started work on building a new ISSF, a day after beating the billionaire Vladimir Lisin by 136 votes to 127.

The following individuals were successfully elected to form the new ISSF Leadership team.

#### **ISSF VICE-PRESIDENTS:**

RHODE Kimberly, USA  
WANG Yifu CHN  
FETTELL Catherine,, AUS  
HANSEN John, DEN

#### **ISSF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

LEE Dalgon, KOR  
ALLEN Elena, GBR  
BOZA Francisco, PER  
GIRAUD Melis, TUR  
MATSUMARU Kiichiro, JPN

#### **CHAIRMEN:**

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE: BROKAMP Jörg, GER  
STATUTES AND ELIGIBILITY COMMITTEE: VRBEK Biserka, CRO  
MEDICAL COMMITTEE: LALLY Dr. James M., USA  
RIFLE COMMITTEE: GOODFELLOW David, GBR  
PISTOL COMMITTEE: TROTTA Gerardo, VEN  
SHOTGUN COMMITTEE: WAHDAN Mohamed, EGY  
RUNNING TARGET COMMITTEE: KUUSISTO Pekka, FIN  
TARGET SPRINT COMMITTEE: DAMDINSUREN Lkhamsuren, MGL  
JUDGES COMMITTEE: BRIEZ Ghislaine, FRA  
COACHES COMMITTEE: GYÖRIK Csaba, HUN  
SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE: HONOUR Dr. Sandra, CAN

The new Executive Committee met for the first time today and confirmed that Willi Grill, the highly experienced former ISSF Technical Director, would become the new ISSF General Secretary.

Speaking after a hard-fought campaign, Mr Rossi said:

*"This is a dream that has finally come true. I am feeling a unique emotion and immense satisfaction that repays great effort and sacrifice. I have been the subject of many personal, attacks over the years but this victory makes all the struggle worthwhile. My heartfelt thanks go out to all those who supported me, from the Federazione Italiana Tiro a Volo to the national federations, to my family, to my campaign team. I don't want to forget anyone, simply a heartfelt thank you to everyone".*

*"ISSF is now entering a new era. I will give back all that I have learned in my years as a sportsman. The new leadership team will work together in a creative and efficient way to build a brighter future for the shooting sports, from all points of view. I will be supported by a team of expert and competent collaborators in various sectors. We will get to work immediately to solve existing problems and new, concrete plans. But I also want to stress that I plan to unite the ISSF Family and be a President for everyone, for the good of the sport."*

The ISSF President confirmed that the first task would be to ensure an orderly handover with the previous management:

*"As the former leadership team has already departed, the urgent priority is to set up new operations of the ISSF offices, including management of all matters related to the media. I ask for your understanding, and patience, if we are not fully*

*operational immediately, but I assure you that this is now our urgent priority. Once we have our structures in place, I look forward to keeping you up to date with regular and clear communications as we build the new ISSF and ensure that it is a valued member of the Olympic family."*

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