TEAM MANAGER MEETING MINUTES

Friday 10 October 2025

Giovanni Tracanelli, VP Competition EMA: good news: the medals arrived. Athletes who didn't receive their medal yesterday, can come to the Medal Ceremony tent to get it.

Louís Policarpo de Gouveia, LOC President: yesterday we had 'the first day problems'. Sometimes it was due to human factors; he apoligizes for that.
Today it'll be better; there will be more busses.

Giovanni Tracanelli: it was a complicated day; we try to solve the problems and we thank you for your understanding and your support.

Janusz Krynicki, Technical Delegate:
Writen questions: Great Britain: 1) starting blocks are sometimes slipping away (in 100m. and 400m.). It can cause injuries. Are there different sets?
Blocks will be checked (Finland: maybe use two blocks to secure them).
2) Media accreditations: people with their (payed) accreditations are not allowed to go infield.
Slawek Krankowski, Organisational Manager: LOC only allows official, professional photographers infield.
Norway: we can't do our job (to promote masters athletics in our country) this way.
This is the first time it happens: EMA has to decide about this.
Germany: why is there no representative of LOC in these meetings?

3) Lack of officials: make sure officials' tasks are well divided. It's better to have no one to operate the scoreboard, but to hold the measuring tape. Make a better use of them.
Janusz: the lack of officials is a problem; we'll try to do it the best way.

Denmark: in Hammer Throw there were no 4KG hammers available; after 30 minutes, training hammers came, while there were new hammers that still had to be assembled.
Janusz: we will take care.
Ireland: comment about the hurdles: make sure that the hurdles are in the correct positions.

Netherlands: we all understand the delay problems, but make sure the callroom knows the adjusted Time Table. Make the new times clear.
Janusz: the problem was that we didn't know how long the technical delay would last.
Concerns about transport: if a bus comes by and it is full, athletes have to wait for another hour (the number of athletes who want to take the bus is large!)

Germany: yesterday there were some Appeals about the shoes: callroom has to check.
Sweden: the measurement should be taken from the inside of the shoe.

Next Team Managers Meeting: Saturday 11 October 9.00 hrs.
Stadium Ribeira Brava