

## **NCTTA Championship Committee Online Meeting Minutes** **August 13<sup>th</sup> , 2006 via Gotomeeting.com software**

Meeting was called to order at 9:30pm EST by President Willy Leparulo  
Other board members present: David Del Vecchio (Treasurer); Liang Liu (PR);  
Wassim Chao (Recruitment); Joe Wells (Vice President), Francois Charvet, Michael Yao,  
Doug Hurak  
Absent: Seemant Teotia (Registrar); Mike McFarland (Division Rep)

1) **ACUI tournament** will be sanctioned as a 4 star tournament instead of 3 star.

### **2) Insurance waivers**

- OSU will get a certificate of insurance for the ACUI event and NCTTA will get one for our event, we will submit it now for this year's event.
- question about whether whole organization is covered, will ask Karen for opinion.
- also asking Karen about contract between OSU and NCTTA about insurance

3) **60/40 split** was voted on and agreed upon by everyone there as well as the specific language about splitting it 60/40 prior rather than after tournament is paid for.

### **4) Contract and Sponsorship updates**

- use PPT as guidelines to potential sponsors
- Once a contact person is obtained anyone within this committee will contact or reply to all to notify so there is no duplication.

### **5) Rec Sports issues**

- Rec Sports and the University are unwilling to sign any contract with NCTTA, so OSU will delete them from the contract
- This presents grave concerns on NCTTA's end as the university can cancel this event any time it wishes with no care to what it does to us,

6) **Tournament Committee:** will consist of Francois, Ed Hogshead, Chris Williams (ref), Joe Wells, David Del Vecchio (NCTTA Technical delegates) and myself (ACUI) as well as one or two other OSU folks.

### **7) Competition Management direction**

- will it be like Freemont (just a ping pong tourney) or like TWU (dancing bears)
- OSU still hasn't gotten a direction figured out (a bit troubling, but we are patient)

### **8) Volunteers**

- OSU is trying to find local volunteers to save on cost
- learning from TWU last year experience where they lost tons of money flying in volunteers

9) **Hotel/banquet update**-Francois will sign agreement this week.