

NCTTA Championship Meeting; December 6, 2006; 9:00pm-9:58pm

Present: Willy Leparulo, Joe Wells, David Del Vecchio, Francois Charvet, Doug Hurak, Mike McFarland, Dan Wang

#### 1) Sponsorship update

-We updated one another about sponsors. I stressed to OSU how serious this problem was and that I was not happy about NCTTA possibly having to file for bankruptcy to fund these championships.

-We each have to do our part. I have contacted close to 60 companies in the past 2 weeks with no positive replies.

-McFarland found a printing company that would buy an ad in our program if we have the money to produce one.

-in comparison to the TWU nationals, this could be the worst nationals yet if sponsorship does not come available.

#### 2) Equipment sponsors

-OSU admitted they have nothing so far and they are overwhelmed; Francois the main guy at OSU is overwhelmed because he seems to be doing everything himself with help from one other person (Doug).

-IN Las Vegas I am approaching all of the TT equipment folks and working to try and get our needs covered.

#### 3) Site Visit

-We went over the site visit document and what would be covered during the site visit

-Joe spoke about dealings with the hotel

-McFarland is forwarding a catering document for David and I to look at

#### 4) Entry fees

-consideration of entry fees is likely for every school and or every team.

-haven't talked about a number, but if the sponsorship area still goes as is, we will have to charge entry fees