

## **F4 Scale Sub-Committee Report for 2015**

The Sub-Committee Chairman, Mr Graham Kennedy GBR, was during the first three quarters of the year in regular e-mail contact with the subcommittee members and established a number of working groups that were tasked to examine the present rules and suggest proposals to clear up anomalies and to give more clear guidance in some areas of conduct. A number of proposals were forthcoming from the groups and have been submitted for the 2016 Plenary Meeting Agenda.

The Chairman also visited the Organisers and Venue of the 2016 F4C&H World Championships in Romania to monitor progress and offer advice in good time. The composition of the different judging panels and the Jury were also finalised in close consultation between the Chairman and Organisers to ensure fair representation of countries and continents in the panels. The venue and the arrangements regarding the event are on track.

No Continental Championships for F4CH were run during 2015. Due to lack of interest, the European Scale Championship have been put on the backburner and the CIAM will not be asking for offers to host the EC any longer.

During the late fall both the CIAM Bureau and Subcommittee members had problems getting any response from the Scale Chairman, finally in the beginning of December the CIAM 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, after once again trying to establish contact, got a short notice from the Chairman stating being in hospital, but nothing more.

During December 2015 it became obvious that Mr Graham Kennedy was unable to continue with his duties as F4 S/C Chairman due to significant personal and health issues and he formally resigned from the position at the end of January 2016.

Upon a request from the 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President of CIAM, Mr Narve Jensen, with the approval of the President of CIAM, the RSA Delegate and F4 S/C Member, Johan Ehlers, has functioned as Acting F4 S/C Chairman from December 2015 up to the April CIAM Plenary Meeting.

Johan Ehlers

Acting F4 Scale Subcommittee Chairman