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FIM Superbike & Supersport World Championships

Change to the 2013 calendar, 14 August

The FIM has announced that, owing to operational challenges, Jaypee Sports International Ltd (JPSI) and Dorna World SBK Organization (DWO) have decided to cancel the 2013 WSBK Indian Round that was scheduled to be held at Buddh International Circuit (BIC) on 17 November 2013.

JPSI, the Federation of Motor Sports Clubs of India (FMSCI) and the Indian Motorsport Marshals Club (IMMC) are working intensely together to make the Indian round as safe as possible in preparation for 2015. As a starting point, the BIC will play host to both the FMSCI 2-wheeler and 4-wheeler National Championship races from 13 to 14 September with fully trained IMMC Marshals officiating at the venue. JPSI has conveyed this to DWO, who appreciate the efforts being made to make it possible to host a round at some time in the future.

FMSCI President Mr. Vicky Chandhok said: "JPSI confirms its interest in going ahead with the race in the future. We look forward to them concluding an arrangement with DWO in order to arrive at a mutually convenient date and to ensure that India has the privilege of hosting a round in the near future."

DATE	COUNTRY	CIRCUIT	WSBK	WSS	STK
24 February	Australia	Phillip Island	x	x	
14 April	Spain	Aragon	x	x	x
28 April	The Netherlands	Assen	x	x	x
12 May	Italy	Monza	x	x	x
26 May	Europe	Donington	x	x	
9 June	Portugal	Portimao	x	x	x
30 June	Italy	Imola	x	x	x
21 July	Russia	Moscow Raceway	x	x	
4 August	United Kingdom	Silverstone	x	x	x
1 September	Germany	Nurburgring	x	x	x
15 September	Turkey	Istanbul	x	x	x
29 September	USA	Laguna Seca	x		
6 October	France	Magny Cours	x	x	x
20 October	Spain	Jerez	x	x	x

About the FIM (www.fim-live.com)

The FIM (Fédération Internationale de Motocyclisme) founded in 1904, is the governing body for motorcycle sport and the global advocate for motorcycling. The FIM is an independent association formed by 108 National Federations throughout the world. It is recognised as the sole competent authority in motorcycle sport by the International Olympic Committee (IOC). Among its 50 FIM World Championships the main events are MotoGP, Superbike, Endurance, Motocross, Supercross, Trial, Enduro, Cross-Country Rallies and Speedway. Furthermore, the FIM is also active and involved in the following areas: public affairs, road safety, touring and protection of the environment. The FIM was the first international sports federation to impose an Environmental Code in 1994.