

**ESC CHAMPIONSHIP  
RUNNING TARGET  
PLZEN, CZE  
26 AUG – 4 SEP 2024**

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

All information is available on the following website:

<https://esc-shooting.org/>

All Preliminary and Final Entries for Athletes and Officials can be done directly online:

<http://entry.issf-sports.info>

### **1. DATES AND SCHEDULE**

Official Arrival	26 AUG 2024
Training	26 AUG 2024
Technical Meeting	27 AUG 2024
Competition	28 AUG – 3 SEP 2024
Official Departure	4 SEP 2024

The Preliminary Competition Schedule is attached to this General Information (Annex 1). The Final Competition Schedule (including Training Schedule) will be distributed after the Final Entry Deadline (30 days before the Official Arrival Day).

The latest Schedule updates will be provided at the Technical Meeting.

### **2. RULES AND REGULATIONS**

The ESC Championship will be conducted according to the ISSF Rules and Regulations "Edition 2023". Detailed information is available on the ISSF website [www.issf-sports.org](http://www.issf-sports.org).

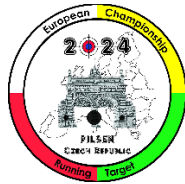
All information, Rules and Competition formats of the ESC Championship can be found on the ESC website: <https://esc-shooting.org>.

The Juries (Competition Jury, RTS/ Equipment Control Jury) will be designated by the ESC to supervise the Championship. Qualified Range Officers holding applicable ISSF Licenses will conduct the competitions.

#### **Running target Equipment**

All athletes must have ISSF seals with serial numbers on their marker tapes. Any shooting vests that do not have ISSF seals on the marker tapes must be submitted to Equipment Control for inspection.

Equipment Control will be conducted according to ISSF Rules using approved, calibrated instruments. Pre- competition testing is not mandatory; however, athletes are responsible for competing with legal equipment and clothing. All athletes are urged to submit any doubtful equipment and clothing to Equipment Control before the competition. All athletes are subject to being selected for random testing during the competition. Athletes found to be in violation of the rules for marker tapes or other equipment violation will be disqualified.



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**3. PARTICIPATION**

**Individual Events**

In each individual event, except 10m/50m Women and 10m/50m Women Junior, each country can register up to five athletes.

In 10m/50m Women and 10m/50m Women Junior events each country can register 6 athletes (two teams per member federation).

In Mixed Team events each country can register 3 Mixed Teams, but only 2 best-ranked will proceed to the Final.

**Juniors**

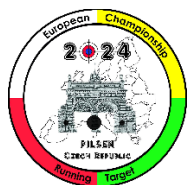
Juniors may participate in the men’s and women’s competitions but in one category only (either in the junior’s or in the senior’s events) at the same championship (place and period).

**Maximum Entry**

The maximum number of starts per event is the number of athlete entries that can be accepted for each European Championship event. Range capacity is determined by the available shooting time and the number of available firing points.

If the maximum number of starts is reached during the Final Entry process, a “waiting list” for that event(s) will be established. If cancellations are subsequently received, entries from the waiting list will be entered on a first come, first served basis. ISSF Headquarters and the Organizing Committee will cooperate to determine if additional entries from the waiting list can be accommodated.

Event			
Men	Max № of starts	Women	Max № of starts
10m Running Target	40	10m Running Target	40
10m Running Target Mixed Runs	40	10m Running Target Mixed Runs	40
10m Running Target Grand Prix	40	10m Running Target Grand Prix	40
10m Running Target Mixed Runs Grand Prix	40	10m Running Target Mixed Runs Grand Prix	40
10 Running Target Mixed Team			40
50m Running Target	30	50m Running Target	30
50m Running Target Mixed Runs	30	50m Running Target Mixed Runs	30
10m Running Target Junior	30	10m Running Target Junior	30
10m Running Target Mixed Junior	30	10m Running Target Mixed Junior	30
10m Running Target Junior Grand Prix	30	10m Running Target Junior Grand Prix	30
10m Running Target Mixed Junior Grand Prix	30	10m Running Target Mixed Junior Grand Prix	30
10 Running Target Mixed Team Junior			40
50m Running Target Junior	30	50m Running Target Junior	30
50m Running Target Mixed Junior	30	50m Running Target Mixed Junior	30



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## ISSF ID Number

All athletes must sign an "Athlete's Declaration" and have an official ISSF ID number issued before participation in the European Championships.

Athletes without ISSF ID number will not be allowed to participate. ISSF ID numbers can be obtained from the ISSF Headquarters by using the official application form.

## 4. ENTRY PROCESS

Please complete the attached Registration Forms (Annex 1.2. – 7.1) and return them by the established deadlines.

Preliminary and Final Entries for Athletes and Officials must be submitted to ISSF Headquarters. Entry Forms are provided, but All Member Federations are urged to use the ISSF Online Registration Service.

All other Registration Forms must be returned to the Organizing Committee (see also: "Summary of Deadlines").

### Preliminary Entries

ESC Member Federations entering the Championships must submit the Preliminary Entries not later than **26 JUN 2024**.

Please use the ISSF Online Registration Service <http://entry.issf-sports.info>, or exceptionally complete the Preliminary Entry Form (Annex 1.2. and 1.2.1) and return it by email to the ISSF Headquarters [marco.mori@issf-sports.org](mailto:marco.mori@issf-sports.org) and OC to [asistent@shooting.cz](mailto:asistent@shooting.cz)

### Final Entries

ESC Member Federations must forward their Final Entries directly to the ISSF HQ. The Final Entry Deadline (30 days before the Official Arrival Day) is **27 JUL 2024**.

Please use the ISSF Online Registration Service <http://entry.issf-sports.info>, or exceptionally complete the Final Entry Forms (Annex 2. – 2.4.) and return them by email to the ISSF Headquarters [marco.mori@issf-sports.org](mailto:marco.mori@issf-sports.org) and OC to [asistent@shooting.cz](mailto:asistent@shooting.cz)

### Late Entries

If the maximum number of athlete entries have not been reached, late entries will only be accepted until the Late Entry Deadline (3 days before the Official Arrival Day) which is **23 AUG 2024**.

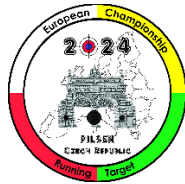
**Important Note:** Until the 3 days Late Entry Deadline, the following changes in the Final Entries are possible without restriction and additional fees:

- a) Change of names / athletes within an event
- b) Change of Status (ECh athlete ↔ "RPO only" athlete) within an event.

Any additional entries received after the Late Entry Deadline, from **23 AUG 2024** onwards, may not participate.

### Entry Confirmation upon arrival

All Team Leaders of ESC Member Federation Delegations must report to the OC Entries Official and confirm their Final Entries. The confirmation must be completed before 12:00h on the day before the Pre-Event Training.



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## Entry Changes after the Late Entry Deadline

From **23 AUG 2024** onwards, only the following changes in the Final Entries are permitted:

- a) Replacement of a registered athlete by another already registered athlete in another event can be made only before 12:00h on the day before the Pre-Event Training for that event.
- b) Change of Status in an event: an “RPO only” athlete can replace a withdrawn “ECh” athlete. The withdrawn “ECh” athlete may not shoot for “RPO only”. The exchange of athletes within an event is not permitted.

## Cancellation

Any ESC Member Federation that reduces the number of athletes listed in their Final Entries after the Final Entry Deadline **23 AUG 2024** must pay applicable entry fees and hotel room cancellation costs according to the number of athletes and entries on the Final Entry Forms originally received. If the applicable fees and costs are not paid, no member of that federation may participate.

## Entry Fee

The entry fees include all charges for registration, local transportation between shooting range and official hotels and doping control.

Fee	Description
EUR 170.00	Final Entry Fee per athlete / per event
EUR 135.00	Final Entry Fee per team/ per event
EUR 50.00	Final Entry Fee per official
EUR 50.00	Additional Late Entry Fee per athlete / per event
EUR 170.00	Cancellation Fee per athlete / per event

**NOTE: All entry Fee Payments must be made to the Organizing Committee.**

## Payment of Entry Fees

The payment of entry fees must be must be paid by the Final Payment Deadline **2 AUG 2024** of the following bank account:

Account holder: CESKY STRELECKY SVAZ, z.s.

Bank Adress: CSOB, a.s., Plzen

IBAN NUMBER: CZ15 0300 0000 0001 8383 3442

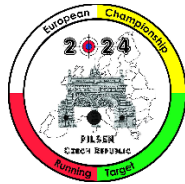
SWIFT/BIC: CEKOCZPP

## Accreditation Process

All persons involved in the Championships (Athletes, Team Officials, ESC/ISSF Officials, OC Officials, Media Persons) must have accreditations that clearly identify the accreditation holder (with photograph, family name and first name, nation and function) in order to use the local transportation and to enter controlled areas on the shooting range.

Accreditations (for persons registered before the Late Entry Deadline and with photograph in the ISSF database) will be prepared by the Organizing Committee. All other accreditations will be prepared by the ECh Accreditation Office.

Accreditations and BIB Numbers will be distributed by the Organizing Committee after payment of the entry fees.



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## 5. SHOOTING RANGE

The ESC Running Target Championships will take place at the Plzen-Lobzy Army Shooting Range

Adress: Pilsen, Czech Republic

Střelnice ASO DUKLA Plzeň Shooting Range ASO DUKLA Pilsen

Loc: 49°44'12.86"N,13°25'10.52"E

[Map link](#)

All ranges are equipped with SIUS electronic targets. The firing direction of the shooting range is north.

## 6. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS REQUIREMENTS

Entering to the Czech Republic with a firearm and/or ammunition, you must present to the Immigration Officer with a Firearms Permit.

Persons with an EU firearm permits just have to show the EU firearms permit to the police officer and do not need to show any other forms or pay any taxes.

Persons arriving from outside the EU or don't have an EU firearm permits, must apply for the temporary permit for weapon import, on which they can register up-to three weapons. Please, fill in the Firearm and ammunition form as well as the Application of ANNEX 5.1.

**The application shall be lodged at the latest 30 days before entry the Czech Republic.**

Please send the Firearm and Ammunition Form no later than **20 JUL 2024**

The Czech Republic is a part of the Schengen area and European Union. For non-European countries or countries not in Schengen must be issued visa. Please send the Visa support form no later than **20 JUL 2024**

## 7. OFFICIAL HOTEL/ACCOMMODATION

### Official Hotels

#### **Courtyard by Marriott\*\*\*\***

EUR 85.50 / single room incl. breakfast

EUR 95.00 / double room incl. breakfast

EUR 126.00 / triple room incl. breakfast

Courtyard Pilsen welcomes you with the first-class hospitality, sophisticated accommodation and a great hotel location in Pilsen city center. Free high-speed Wi-Fi access, restaurant, gym, laundry service. The given prices are per room per night, buffet breakfast included. Distance from the shooting range 4,5 km. Paid parking. Recommended for delegations arriving by air.

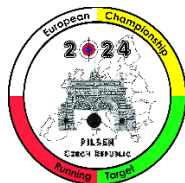
#### **Parkhotel Congress Center Pilsen\*\*\*\***

EUR 75.50 / single room incl. breakfast

EUR 96.00 / double room incl. breakfast

Triple room on request





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The Parkhotel Congress Center Pilsen is one of the largest convention and hotel facility in the Czech Republic. The hotel has a heated outdoor swimming pool, wellness center, fitness studio, and tennis courts. The given prices are per room per night, buffet breakfast included. Distance from the shooting range 7 km. Free parking. Recommended for delegations arriving by their own means of transport.

### **PLEASE DO NOT MAKE HOTEL PAYMENTS TO THE ISSF OR THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

**Following your hotel reservation, you will receive the confirmation and an invoice with the payment details.**

Travel Agency Contact:

Mr. Tomas Hazuka

E-mail: [hazukovo@gmail.com](mailto:hazukovo@gmail.com)

### **Food Service at the Shooting Range**

There is a restaurant at the shooting range that offers regional cuisine and beverages.

## **8. TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION**

### **Travel – Arrival**

The Organizing Committee will provide the transport service for all the delegations between the official airport and the official hotels during the official days of the 2024 European Championship - (August 26 - September 4 2024).

### **Airport pick up – Transportation to the Official Hotels (and return for departure)**

The Official Airport is Vaclav Havel Airport Prague. The destination from PRG Airport to Pilsen is 89km. The round-trip Airport Prague-Pilsen-Airport Prague 75 EUR/person. The pick-up service at these airports is only for those who are in official hotels.

### **Local Transportation – Shuttle Service**

The Organizing Committee will also provide local transportation daily between the official hotel Courtyard by Marriott and the shooting range, according to the official transport schedule. The transport service will be effective from August 27 to September 4 2024.

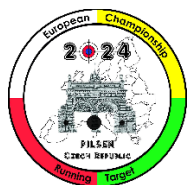
## **9. COMPETITION RELATED PROCEDURES**

### **Technical Meeting**

The Technical Meeting will take place on **27 AUG 2024**, at the shooting range.

Each participating ESC Member Federation is kindly requested to have at least one representative present at the Technical Meeting to receive updated information regarding Final Competition and Training Schedules, draw procedures and other important issues related to the Championships.

The time of the meeting will be confirmed after the Final Entry Deadline.



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### **Storage of Firearms and Ammunition**

Storage is located at the Shooting Range and start working 1h before the start of the competition, and closed 1h after competition.

## **10. AWARD CEREMONY**

The Award Ceremonies will take place at the Finals Hall immediately after the end of the competition day (see also: Final Competition Schedule).

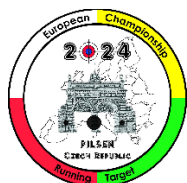
During the ceremonies the athletes are required to present themselves in their official national uniform or national tracksuits (tops and bottoms).

## **11. MEDIA RELATIONS**

All Media representatives must register for the Championships by using the Media Accreditation Form (Annex 6). Final Hall media coverage is the property of ESC. Please contact the ESC Media Officer if you need to record news footage from the Finals at [esc@escsport.eu](mailto:esc@escsport.eu)

## **12. ANNEXES**

Annex 1.	Preliminary Schedule;
Annex 1.1.	Summary of deadlines;
Annex 1.2.	Preliminary Entry Form;
Annex 1.2.1.	Preliminary Entry Form Juniors;
Annex 1.3.	Preliminary Hotel Form;
Annex 2 – 2.4.	Final Entry Form;
Annex 3.	Final Travel Form;
Annex 4.	Visa Support Form;
Annex 5.	Firearm and Ammunition Form;
Annex 5.1.	Application for temporary weapon import;
Annex 6.	Media Accreditation Form;
Annex 7.	Final Hotel Form;
Annex 7.1	Final Rooming List Form.



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### **13. SUMMARY OF DEADLINES**

The Summary of Deadlines is attached to this General Information (Annex 1.1).

### **14. CONTACT DETAILS**

ESC Technical Delegate	Mr. Pekka Kuusisto
Email:	<a href="mailto:pekka.kuusisto@kuusistogroup.com">pekka.kuusisto@kuusistogroup.com</a>
ESC Coordinator	Mr. Yahor Aleinik
Email:	<a href="mailto:yahor@escsport.eu">yahor@escsport.eu</a>
LOC Competition Manager	Mr. Bohumir Pokorny
Email:	<a href="mailto:bondejs@atlas.cz">bondejs@atlas.cz</a>
LOC Secretary	Mr. David Pokorny
Email:	<a href="mailto:atlipoko@seznam.cz">atlipoko@seznam.cz</a>
LOC Accommodation Manager	Mr. Tomas Hazuka
Email:	<a href="mailto:hazukovo@gmail.cz">hazukovo@gmail.cz</a>
LOC Transport Manager	Mr. Jan Fidler
Email:	<a href="mailto:sskmp@telecom.cz">sskmp@telecom.cz</a>





## ANNEX 1.1. SUMMARY OF DEADLINES

ANNEX	FORM	RETURN TO	DEADLINE
1.2	Preliminary Entry Form	ISSF: <a href="mailto:marco.mori@issf-sports.org">marco.mori@issf-sports.org</a> Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	26 JUN
1.3	Preliminary Hotel Form	Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:hazukovo@gmail.com">hazukovo@gmail.com</a>	26 JUN
2	Final Entry Form - Athletes	ISSF: <a href="mailto:marco.mori@issf-sports.org">marco.mori@issf-sports.org</a> Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	27 JUL
2.1	Final Entry Form – Athletes Juniors	ISSF: <a href="mailto:marco.mori@issf-sports.org">marco.mori@issf-sports.org</a> Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	27 JUL
2.2	Final Entry Form Officials	ISSF: <a href="mailto:marco.mori@issf-sports.org">marco.mori@issf-sports.org</a> Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	27 JUL
2.3	Final Entry Form Mixed Team	ISSF: <a href="mailto:marco.mori@issf-sports.org">marco.mori@issf-sports.org</a> Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	27 JUL
2.4	Final Entry Form Mixed Team Juniors	ISSF: <a href="mailto:marco.mori@issf-sports.org">marco.mori@issf-sports.org</a> Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	27 JUL
3	Final Travel Form	Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	27 JUL
4	Visa Support Form	Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	20 JUL
5	Firearm and Ammunition Form	Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	20 JUL
5.1	Application for temporary weapon import	Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	20 JUL
6	Media Accreditation Form	Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:asistent@shooting.cz">asistent@shooting.cz</a>	27 JUL
7	Final Hotel Form	Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:hazukovo@gmail.com">hazukovo@gmail.com</a>	27 JUL
7.1	Final Rooming List Form	Organizing Committee: <a href="mailto:hazukovo@gmail.com">hazukovo@gmail.com</a>	27 JUL

