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## MotoGP Class Applications for 2012 season

Following changes to the regulations for the MotoGP class there has been considerable interest expressed by teams wishing to participate in 2012 and beyond.

FIM, Dorna and IRTA have agreed the following timetable for selection of teams for 2012.

By Friday 29 April 2011 (the first day of the Estoril round, Portugal) teams must register their interest in order to receive further information. Teams considered to be eligible for the class will then be sent a prospectus providing the further information and the conditions of participation.

By Friday, 13 May 2011 (the first day of the Le Mans round, France) teams who still wish to participate must submit a formal application which needs to be supported by detailed information requested in the prospectus.

Applications will be reviewed at Le Mans and teams will be notified of an acceptance, a rejection or pending status. A provisional list of teams will then be published.

By Friday, 3 June 2011 (the first day of the Catalunya round, Spain) accepted teams will be required to lodge a security deposit with IRTA. A final list of accepted teams will then be published.

Teams interested in applying for a MotoGP entry must contact IRTA: IRTAUK@aol.com

## 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 103 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.



