



Proclamation

BETWEEN

Special Olympics

AND

International Floorball Federation



**Special
Olympics**

WHEREAS, the IFF, International Floorball Federation, is a global organization whose main mission is to support athletic endeavors in the sport of Floorball; and

WHEREAS, the IFF is an organization committed to promoting, and encouraging the development of Floorball in all possible manifestations to all interested people;

WHEREAS, under the structure of IFF, floorball players offer inspiration to all citizens as symbols of excellence and achievement; and

WHEREAS, when floorball players from different cultures and nationalities compete together, any differences of opinion, belief and territory are set aside in favor of a common pursuit and appreciation of sport;

NOW, therefore, IFF hereby proclaims its unanimous support of and affinity for Special Olympics and all its floorball players, whose extraordinary courage represents the true spirit of sportsmanship.

WHEREAS, the mission of Special Olympics is to provide year-round sports training and competition for children and adults with intellectual disabilities in more than 170 countries throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, Special Olympics athletes offer inspiration to citizens around the world through their accomplishments and dedication; and

WHEREAS, the spirit of Special Olympics – skill, courage, acceptance and joy – transcends boundaries of geography, nationality, political philosophy, gender, age, race or religion;

NOW, therefore, Special Olympics accepts the unanimous support of IFF and conveys this to all its athletes and supporters with the purpose of enhancing the sport of Floorball.

**“LET ME WIN. BUT IF I CAN NOT WIN, LET ME BE BRAVE IN THE ATTEMPT”
SPECIAL OLYMPICS OATH**

International Floorball Federation

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