

INTERNATIONAL TABLE TENNIS COMMITTEE
FOR THE DISABLED

TECHNICAL DELEGATE REPORT

Name of Tournament:	IV. Open International Villa De Bilbao - Spain	
Name Organisation:	Etsaiak M.T.E.	
Name Organiser:	Mr. Patxi Quiroga	
Ranking Factor:	20	
Date tournament:	Arrival day	3 April
	Classification	4 April
	Competition days	4,5,6 April
	Departure day	7 April
Number of participating nations:	21 nations were present	
Total number participants:	144	
	Men 109	
	Women 35	
Referee:	Josep M. Miro	France
TD:	F. Twardy	Netherlands

1. Tournament Information on the website: Basic information was available on the website about the tournament.

2. Transport: Transport between the airport and hotel was organised by small special buses accessible to wheelchairs. Between the hotel and Sport Accommodation there was a good schedule to both Hotels with large special buses of the City of Bilbao.
Note: On the Arrival Day there was a general France - Air strike, for this reason most of the participants arrived to late.

3. Hotel Accommodation: Abba Hotel ***
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Both Hotels are accessible for wheelchairs. Breakfast and dinner are served in the Hotels.

4. Table tennis Equipment: Number of tables: 16
Brand tables: GEWO 2000 green ITTC approved
Ball: Stiga yellow ***
Surroundings: Yes
Floor: synthetic material, accessible for disable TT
Gluing room: There was an extra room in the venue.

5. Information supply for players and coaches: The information distribution was not good and there was not a general information desk. At the end of the competitions there were no results given to the teams.
7. Umpires: 29 Umpires, all from Spain. The Umpires are Specially educated for disabled table tennis.
8. Ball boys: There were about 20 Ball boys every day, but not always at the right time and right place.
9. Draws: The Draws are held before each competition conform to the Snack - System.
10. Number of Classifiers: 2 (Mr. Zwerina and Mr. Stefak)
11. Ceremonies: Opening ceremony: On the first competition day
Award giving: After the last competition.
12. Other points: There was a reception on the office of the Deputo General of the Province of Biscay and a reception in the City Hall of Bilbao.
TV was present in the playing Hall all the days
13. Resume: It was a good Tournament conform the:
Handbook for Rules and Regulations Ranking Factor 20.
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Report is submitted to the Secretary General: Thursday, 24 April 2003

Franz Twardy
Technical Delegate