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## **The Voice of the Athletes**

The current Athletes Committee was formed after the 2010 World Championships. In the past year the Athletes Committee took an active role in the discussions and development of the new Finals format and new Rifle clothing rules. The Athletes Committee kept what was best for the athletes foremost in mind in trying to achieve the best possible solutions.

The Athletes Committee would like to provide feedback to the ISSF on the 2013 World Cups and World Championships and invite athletes to give us feedback/comments after each event on our new "website". The Athletes Committee is also working with the ISSF to improve television coverage in all the shooting disciplines and the presentation of the shooting process to spectators together with the results. We invite athletes to give us your ideas for improvement on our new e-mail.

In the new quadrennial, spectators at all World Cups and World Championships will be encouraged to actively participate in the Semi-Finals and Finals. The Athletes Committee wants to make sure the athletes know that they need to be prepared for noise whether it is cheering, applause, or music while shooting the competition, the Semi-Finals and Finals. Athletes will be expected to behave in a professional manner while competing and especially during the whole Finals process.

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