Countries and their representatives at the meeting for official founding of the Deaf International Basketball Federation, DIBF, 20 July, 2002

Australia: ........................................ Lyndon Borrow
Chinese Taipei: .................................. Chen-Chi Ho

Greece: .............................................. Ioannis Stoufis
Finland: ............................................. Jussi Raisio

Israel: .............................................. Yaakov Keren
Lithuania: .......................................... Ramunas Dovydenas

Poland: .............................................. Josef Smarkusz
Russia: .............................................. Andrei Pimenov

Slovenia: ........................................... Anton Petric
Sweden: .............................................. Kjell Gunna

Turkey: ............................................. Erdal Bele
Ukraine: ............................................ Mykola Rybalchenko

USA: .................................................. Rick Balk

Not present:
Great Britain
Italy
Venezuela
Deaf International Basketball Federation,
official establishment meeting in Athens, Greece

We, the undersigned, agree to officially founding of the
Deaf International Basketball Federation and to join this
Federation as members.

Athens, 2002-07-20
For Deaf Basketball in:

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**Notes:**
- The signatures represent the representatives from each country.
- The document is a formal agreement for the establishment of the Deaf International Basketball Federation.
Jussi Raisio  
President  
Deaf International Basketball Federation  
Haunistentie 30  
SF - 212 80 Raisio  
FINLAND

Dear Jussi,

RE: LETTER OF INTENT

The Australian Deaf Basketball Association sturdily supports the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball Federation (DIBF) and intends to join this federation upon its foundation in the near future.

For the Australian Deaf Basketball Association Inc. -

ROBERT BRECHT  
Executive Secretary  
email: Robert.Brecht@ato.gov.au

LYNDON J. BORROW  
Men’s Section Secretary  
email: lyndonb@lbwld.com.au

AFFILIATED WITH: DEAF SPORTS AUSTRALIA & AUSTRALIAN SPORTS COMMISSION
Letter of Intent

Finnish Athletic Association of the Deaf alone support the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball Federation (DIBF) and intend to join this Federation upon its foundation.

For Finnish Athletic Association of the Deaf

Jarmo Järventausta
President

To be mailed to:
Jussi Raisio, DIBF-President
Haunistentie 30
SF - 21280 Raisio

Suomen Kuurojen Urheiluliitto ry
Letter of Intent

The Israel Deaf Sports Organisation alone and/or its Deaf Basketball support the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball Federation (DIBF) and intend to join this Federation upon its foundation.

For the Israel Deaf Sports Organisation

.. David Lanesman
President

.. Israel Deaf Basketball

To be mailed to:
Jussi Raisio, DIBF-President
Haunistentie 30
SF - 212 80 Raisio
03.07.2002, Nr. 134
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DIBF – President
Jussi Raisio

Letter of Intent

The Latvian Deaf Sports Federation alone and/or its Deaf Basketball support the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball Federation (DIBF) and intend to join this Federation upon its foundation.

For the Latvian Deaf Sports Federation

Varis Strazdins
LNSF President

Edgars Vorslovs
LNSF Basketball leader
Letter of Intent

The Lithuanian Deaf Sports Federation alone and/or its Deaf Basketball support the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball federation (DIBF) and intended to join this Federation upon its foundation.

For the Lithuanian Deaf sports Federation

Lithuanian Deaf Sports Federation
President

Aleksas Jasiūnas

Lithuanian Deaf Sports Federation
Basketball leader

Ramūnas Dovydenas
Letter of Intent

The New Zealand Deaf Sports Federation and NZ Deaf Basketball support the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball Federation (DIBF) and intend to join this Federation upon its foundation.

For the New Zealand Deaf Sports Federation

.......................... ..........................
Nicki Morrison          New Zealand Deaf Basketball Assn
President

To be mailed to:

Jussi Raisio, DIBF – President
Haunistentie 30
SF-212 80 Raisio
Dear Jussi,

RE: LETTER of INTENT

The Slovenian Deaf Sport Association supports the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball Federation (DIBF) and intends to join this federation upon its foundation.

For the Slovenian Deaf Sport Association

Mr. Anton Petric
Vice-president of SZGS

Mr. Janez Slatinsek
President of SZGS
Stockholm, 2002-05-27

Letter of Intent

The Swedish Deaf Basketball Organization supports the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball Federation (DIBF) and intend to join this Federation upon its foundation.

For the Swedish Deaf Basketball Organization

Christian Boklund
President
June 25, 2002

Letter of Intent

The United States of America Deaf Basketball, Inc. supports the official foundation of Deaf International Basketball Federation, DIBF and intends to join this Federation upon it's Foundation.

Ray Kilthau
President
president@usadb.us

Myron Greenstone
Secretary
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