

KYOKUSHIN WORLD UNION KWU COSTA RICA "Time to be United" San José, Costa Rica, October 3rd 2019

## **PROTOCOL**

We are aware of the need to coordinate the efforts of the Organizations – Federations of **Kyokushin Costa Rica** regardless of their affiliation, in order to support and promote international athletes. For this we commit ourselves to the realization of a national competition in order to select our best athletes to participate in the **World Championship of the KWU**, as well as in different national and international competitions, and what is why we decided in common agreement to become **Kyokushin World Union Costa Rica**.

The aim is to provide our athletes a sportive circuit which join the different **Kyokushin Organizations** throughout the country which are members of **KWU Costa Rica** and thus give them the opportunity to become active participants in the **Kyokushin World Union**. To achieve this goal, we created **KWU Costa Rica** – a national union that will represent the common interests in the international structures and Kyokushin World Union.

We know that throughout history, our varieties of styles, and provenance have different approaches to the development of the **Kyokushin**. Actually, today there are different international organizations of **Kyokushin Karate** in the world and in **Costa Rica**.

Each one has its history that deserves respect. Based of the principle of mutual respect, we recognize completely independent organization for all the members of the **KWU** and we recognize their right to develop their organization and their state using the form they deem appropriate, counting on the common goals and objectives of the **KWU Costa Rica**.

Strengthen efforts with a common will, with all members in equality, openness and the democratic nature of all procedures to achieve common objectives, and our common solution, such as:

- -Promote Kyokushin in Costa Rica.
- -Organize and support the competition area under the name Kyokushin World Union Costa Rica.
- -Adoption of the competition regulations of the Kyokushin World Union.
- -The promotion of links in the national Kyokushin Karate.
- -Sharing of experiences through the organization of camps, seminars, trainings, specials, meetings of different organizations federations in a common national championship, collaboration at the national, regional or local level between clubs and Kyokushin sports activities.

When we make decisions that affect common activities, we are committed to following all the rules of the Kyokushin World Union. We are committed to respect the opinion of all the **Members of the Union** and to make decisions only after extensive discussions and considering the points of view of each one.

In faith thereof we sign in San José, Costa Rica on October 3rd 2019.

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