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## MEMORANDUM

**TO: THE FOLLOWING FINA FEDERATIONS:  
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ITA, KAZ, NED, NZL, RSA, RUS, UZB, USA**

**FROM: FINA, Lausanne**

**DATE: 20<sup>th</sup> April 2011**

**RE: 14<sup>th</sup> FINA World Championships Shanghai 2011  
Women's Water Polo Tournament**

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Dear Friends,

Please be informed that the Draw for the **14<sup>th</sup> FINA World Championships Shanghai 2011 - Women's Water Polo Tournament** was conducted by Mr. G. Lonzi (TWPC Chairman) in Shanghai (CHN) on 15<sup>th</sup> April 2011.

Please find hereunder the result of the Draw:

<b>GROUP A</b>	<b>GROUP B</b>
1. NED - Netherlands	1. AUS - Australia
2. KAZ - Kazakhstan	2. NZL – New Zealand
3. USA – United States of America	3. CAN - Canada
4. HUN - Hungary	4. UZB - Uzbekistan

<b>GROUP C</b>	<b>GROUP D</b>
1. BRA - Brazil	1. ITA - Italy
2. GRE - Greece	2. RSA – South Africa
3. RUS - Russia	3. CUB - Cuba
4. ESP - Spain	4. CHN - China

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### First Preliminary Round – 17<sup>th</sup> July 2011 – Women’s Day 1

GROUP A	GROUP B	GROUP C	GROUP D
1. NED – USA	3. AUS – CAN	5. BRA – RUS	7. ITA – CUB
2. KAZ – HUN	4. NZL – UZB	6. GRE – ESP	8. RSA – CHN

### First Preliminary Round – 19<sup>th</sup> July 2011 – Women’s Day 2

GROUP A	GROUP B	GROUP C	GROUP D
14. HUN – USA	9. UZB – CAN	11. ESP – RUS	13. ITA – RSA
15. NED – KAZ	10. AUS – NZL	12. BRA – GRE	16. CHN – CUB

### First Preliminary Round – 21<sup>nd</sup> July 2011 – Women’s Day 3

GROUP A	GROUP B	GROUP C	GROUP D
20. NED – HUN	22. AUS – UZB	17. BRA – ESP	19. RSA – CUB
21. KAZ – USA	23. NZL – CAN	18. GRE – RUS	24. ITA – CHN

### Second Preliminary Round – 23<sup>th</sup> July 2011 - Women’s Day 4

The first placed teams in Group A, B, C and D have a bye.

- 25. 4A – 4B
- 26. 4C – 4D
- 27. 2A – 3B
- 28. 3A – 2B
- 29. 2C – 3D
- 30. 3C – 2D

### Quarter Final Round – 25<sup>th</sup> July 2011 - Women’s Day 5

31. Loser Game 25-Loser Game 26 (Winner 15 <sup>th</sup> , Loser 16 <sup>th</sup> )
32. Winner Game 25-Winner Game 26 (Winner 13 <sup>th</sup> , Loser 14 <sup>th</sup> )
33. Loser Game 27 - Loser Game 29
34. Loser Game 28 - Loser Game 30
35. 1 <sup>st</sup> A-Winner Game 29
36. 1 <sup>st</sup> B-Winner Game 30
37. 1 <sup>st</sup> C-Winner Game 27
38. 1 <sup>st</sup> D-Winner Game 28

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## Semi Final Round – 27<sup>th</sup> July 2011 – Women's Day 6

39. Loser Game 33-Loser Game 34 (Winner 11 <sup>th</sup> , Loser 12 <sup>th</sup> )
40. Winner Game 33-Winner Game 34(Winner 9 <sup>th</sup> ,Loser 10 <sup>th</sup> )
41. Loser Game 35 - Loser Game 36
42. Loser Game 37 - Loser Game 38
43. Winner Game 35 - Winner Game 36
44. Winner Game 37 - Winner Game 38

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## Final Round – 29<sup>th</sup> July 2011 – Women's Day 7

45. Loser Game 41-Loser Game 42 (Winner 7 <sup>th</sup> , Loser 8 <sup>th</sup> )
46. Winner Game 41-Winner Game 42 (Winner 5 <sup>th</sup> , Loser 6 <sup>th</sup> )
47. Loser Game 43-Loser Game 44 (Winner 3 <sup>rd</sup> , Loser 4 <sup>th</sup> )
48. Winner Game 43-Winner Game 44 (Winner 1 <sup>st</sup> , Loser 2 <sup>nd</sup> )

Games 25 through 48 must be played to a conclusion; accordingly it may be necessary to apply the Water Polo Rules regarding extra time.

Please note that the Management Committee of FINA Competitions may change the order and schedule of games to meet with the requirements of the Host Federation and/or television.

I remain at your disposal for any further information you may need.

Yours Sincerely,

Cornel Marculescu  
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FINA TWPC Committee