



International Physicists' Tournament

Online poll on sanctions for Russia and Israel

Remote poll - Jan 2025

Background

In late 2024, the IPT Secretary raised over the Decision Assembly mailing list that the registration of team Israel for the IPT 2025 suggests that the team should experience the same or similar restrictions for participation as team Russia, given the humanitarian crisis in Gaza caused by the Israeli army and the multiple genocide accusations by responsible international institutions. After the email discussion, the Decision Assembly revisited the applied sanctions to team Russia and voted on the sanctions for team Israel.

Poll results

Q1: The current terms of sanctions to team Russia are: participation under "team IPT" name, team IPT should demonstrate no connections to the country, flag or affiliated universities, team IPT should not benefit from the team's performance when registering for the subsequent editions. Are we extending the restrictions on the participation of Team Russia to be applicable to the IPT 2025?



Yes - 9 votes, No - 7 votes

Q2: Team Israel has registered for the IPT 2025. Do we introduce restrictions to the team Israel for participation in the IPT 2025?

Yes - 6 votes, **No - 10 votes**

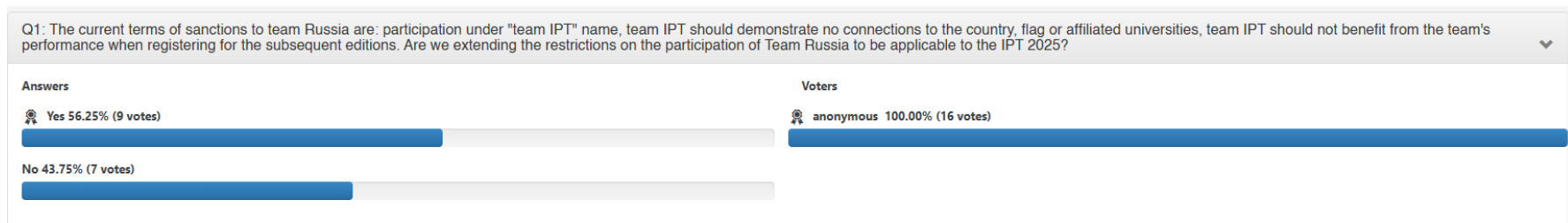
Q3: If the result of the vote on Q2 is Yes, what type of restriction we introduce?

Identical to team Russia's sanctions - 9 votes

The following restrictions: no flag and country demonstration but allowing naming and logo of affiliated university - 5 votes

The online poll description is accurate.

Appendix: the screenshots from the IPT website with the poll results





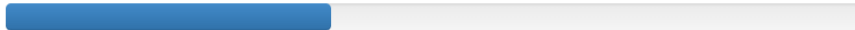
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Answers

👤 No 62.50% (10 votes)



Yes 37.50% (6 votes)



Voters

👤 anonymous 100.00% (16 votes)



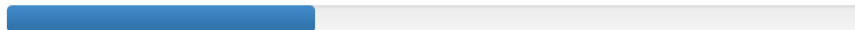
Q3: If the result of the vote on Q2 is Yes, what type of restriction we introduce? ➤

Answers

👤 Identical to team Russia's sanctions 64.29% (9 votes)



The following restrictions: no flag and country demonstration but allowing naming and logo of affiliated university 35.71% (5 votes)



Voters

👤 anonymous 100.00% (14 votes)

