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Dear Competitors and Guests,

On behalf of the organizers and the Polish Chess Federation I would like to welcome you to the European Team Chess Championship. It is a great honor for us to host such a prominent event.

Best players in Europe are arriving to the capital of Poland. Therefore, we expect a tight competition for the Team European Champion title and, at the same time, hard-fought rivalry on individual chessboards for every place.

We would like the tournament to go down in history as one of the most successful and well-organized. We will make every effort to leave you with good memories from the event. We wish the Teams and competitors good luck and may the best win!

This year, the Individual European Chess Championships took place in Legnica, and in less than a month after the closing of the European Team Chess Championships, again in Warsaw, European Rapid and Blitz Chess Championships will take place, to which we cordially invite you all.

Polish Chess Federation makes efforts to include our Royal Game into the World Games 2017, which in four years time will take place in Wrocław, Poland. The decision will be announced this year and we hope that it is going to be favorable advantageous for us.

See you on another great chess event held in Poland!

Tomasz Delega
President of the Polish Chess Federation