1. GENERAL

1.1. The Host Country of the second International Economics Olympiad is Russian Federation. The IEO will take place in Saint Petersburg.

1.2. The Host Organisation of the second International Economics Olympiad is National Research University Higher School of Economics (HSE).

2. DATES

2.1. The IEO will take place on 23 July 2019 — 1 August 2019

2.2. The approximate program of the IEO is as follows:

- **23 July**: Arrivals
- **24 July**: Opening Ceremony, First round of the competition
- **25 July**: Second round of the competition
- **26 July**: Day in Saint Petersburg
- **27 July**: Third round of the competition: preparation
- **28 July**: Third round of the competition
- **29 July**: Moderation
- **30 July**: Day in Saint Petersburg
- **31 July**: Closing Ceremony
- **1 August**: Departures

2.2. All contestants, team leaders and observers are expected to arrive on 23 July and leave the venue on 1 August. Early or late arrivals or departures should be discussed with the Steering Committee. Visitors and guests may arrive at any day.

3. APPLICATION AND REGISTRATION

3.1. According to the Statute of the IEO, the team application process consists of two stages: State and Institutional. Applying as a team means that an applicant agrees with the Statute and Annual Regulations 2019, guarantees to organise contestants selection process and support (including finding means to cover their travel costs), to find and appoint team leader(s).

3.2. A team from a certain country may apply at the Institutional application stage regardless of the results of the State application. This application can be initiated by any legal entity from this country, including government institutions and non-governmental organisations. Applications will be reviewed by the Executive Board according to the Statute.
3.3. All applications should be sent to the email address of the Steering Committee: info@ecolymp.org. The Steering Committee will confirm the receipt of the application within two working days (this is not the approval of the application). There is no official form of the application letter, but it should include the name of the institution that will handle the process, its address, telephone numbers, the name and the contact details of the team coordinator. It is recommended that the letter includes an explanation of the selection process.

3.4. The State application deadline is 30 April 2019. The Institutional application deadline is 31 May 2019.

3.5. The names and details of the contestants and team leaders should be provided to the Steering Committee no later than 30 June 2019 by filling in the form provided by the Steering Committee. All changes after this date are possible only upon Steering Committee approval. If contestants and team leaders need to apply for a visa to the Host Country, Steering Committee may request their details earlier in order to comply with visa requirements.

3.6. A team should consist of 1 to 5 contestants and 1 to 2 team leaders, one of whom is appointed team leader A.

3.7. Each contestant should bring to the IEO the document confirming that he/she is eligible to participate.

4. FEES

4.1. There are no participation fees for teams that are invited to the IEO, including up to 5 contestants and up to 2 team leaders. This covers accommodation in the shared rooms and meals costs during the dates between Arrivals and Departures days, excursions, gifts, and prizes.

4.2. The participation fee for a third team leader, an observer, or a visitor is 1200 euros per person. This fee covers accommodation in the shared rooms and meals costs during the dates between Arrivals and Departures days, excursions, gifts, and prizes.

4.3. Single rooms are available upon request in limited numbers. The charge is 600 euros per person for the dates between Arrivals and Departures days.

4.4. All participation fees and room charges must be made before 30 June 2019. Applications received without full payment will be rejected with no refunds.

4.5. If an observer or a visitor wants to attend only part of the IEO program, he/she should discuss the participation fee with the Steering Committee.
4.6. The Steering Committee will take care of the transfers between Saint Petersburg “Pulkovo” airport and the IEO venue on 23 July and 1 August, no fees apply. In case of arrival or departure outside these dates, the Steering Committee can organise the transfer for an extra charge. In any case, the detailed explanation of how to get to the IEO venue from the airports and Saint Petersburg city centre will be provided.