



29th ISGF World Conference, Madrid, Spain 2020

Circular 07 - WORLD MARKET

**To: National Scout and Guide Fellowship (NSGF)
Central Branch groups and individuals (CB)**

Welcome to one of the friendliest characteristic event of the World Conference: the **World Market**

For many years, now, the World Market is a great success. Many NSGFs and Central Branch members take part and sell items which reflect their national identity. From these sales, the ISGF members raise funds to the benefit of NSGF or CB members having difficulties to transfer money, to bring it outside their country or to pay their fee. It is also a way of support to ISGF projects by allotting the collected funds to the ISGF International Development Fund.

This is an excellent opportunity to present its country and to share a little of its culture with the other participants.

Items for sale can be crafts or gifts made in your own country. We would recommend you bring small items of low value and to **refer to the Spanish Customs regulations to ensure that you will be in line with their import rules.**

Please note that it is **not allowed** to

- bring or sell food or drinks;
- to pay in other currencies than the ISGF money. Before the opening of the World Market, participants will be requested to exchange Euros and USD into ISGF currency.

Also, Countries should note that items will have to be stored in participants' rooms until the World Market takes place and any unsold items will be the responsibility of the participants who brought them.

Like in 2017, the ISGF World Committee will take part in this action, and the money collected will be allocated to the ISGF international Development Fund.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION - ORGANISATION:

We invite all NSGFs/CB groups to participate in this event where they will be offered the facility of a table to display the goods, they brought with them.

Special printed ISGF money will be used and this money will be for sale at the World Conference but return exchange will not be permitted. ISGF will supply a teller to exchange your Euros', US Dollars' for ISGF Coupons in denominations of 1, 2, 5, and 10.

So please price accordingly.

Sales are **not allowed** before the World Market opens. When the Market is finished all items must be removed and the ISGF coupons returned to the ISGF teller for credit to one of the three choices as per below and as mentioned on the request form.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

You are requested to fill-in the circular 07A "request form – World Market" and to send it back to the ISGF World Bureau by the 17th March 2020.

Each country may indicate on the request form whether the raised funds from their sales should be allotted. Three options are available:

- 1 To reduce NSGF/CB group membership fee;
- 2 To support any other country;
- 3 To the ISGF International Development Fund (ISGF projects).

All raised funds will be announced at the end of the Conference.