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**To. Presidents and General Secretaries
National Chess Federations of FIDE Asian Zone 3.3**

**Subject: Invitation to the BPK PENABUR Asian Zone 3.3
Schools Chess Competition 2025**

Dear Esteemed Colleagues,

Warm greetings from the Indonesian Chess Federation (PERCASI).

With the highest respect for our shared commitment to the advancement of chess in Asia, we are pleased and honored to extend this invitation to your esteemed federation to participate in the BPK PENABUR Asian Zone 3.3 School Chess Competition, which will be held in Jakarta, Indonesia, from 27 to 31 August 2025. This regional championship serves as a strategic initiative to promote chess development among youth and to strengthen regional cooperation.

We firmly believe that your federation's participation will contribute significantly to the success of this championship and offer valuable experience for the young players representing your country. Attached to this letter is the tournament regulations details.

Should you require any further information or assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us as stated in the regulations. We sincerely look forward to welcoming your delegation to Jakarta and to a memorable and inspiring championship for all participants.

Yours faithfully,

Indonesian Chess Federation (PERCASI)



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BPK PENABUR

Asian Zone 3.3 Schools Chess Competition

Open & Girls under 7, 9, 11, 13, 15 & 17

27th August – 31st August 2025

Jakarta, Indonesia

Invitation

BPK PENABUR under the auspices of the Indonesian Chess Federation (PERCASI) and the Asian Chess Federation (ACF) alongwith the International Chess Federation (FIDE), is honored to invite all National Chess Federations from Zone 3.3 to participate in **the BPK PENABUR Asian Zone 3.3 Schools Chess Competition** to be organized in Jakarta, Indonesia from 27th August (arrival) to 31st August (departure) 2025.

General Rules & Regulations

The Competition shall be governed by the General Regulations for FIDE Competitions and the Laws of Chess.

1. Participation

- 1.1. Entitled to participate are chess players from all chess federations from Zone 3.3. The participant must not have reached the respective age categories before 1st January 2025.
- 1.2. There will be 12 groups. In cases there are fewer than ten players in an age group, that group shall be merged with another age group. Please check the table below:

Under 7 Open / Girls	Born on or after 1 st January 2018
Under 9 Open / Girls	Born on or after 1 st January 2016
Under 11 Open / Girls	Born on or after 1 st January 2014
Under 13 Open / Girls	Born on or after 1 st January 2012
Under 15 Open / Girls	Born on or after 1 st January 2010
Under 17 Open / Girls	Born on or after 1 st January 2008

- 1.3. Organizer will provide free board and lodging for two (2) players from all categories and for one (1) head of delegation from each country.
- 1.4. Each country may register an unlimited number of players, subject to payment of the registration fee and full board/lodging fee to the Organizing Committee.
- 1.5. FIDE ID (FIN) for registration is required for all players.

2. Registration

- 2.1. Participants are requested to register to email addresses: pb.percasi@gmail.com and festival.catur@bpkpenabur.or.id

2.2. Registration Fee

Registration Date	Players
Before and on 13 th August 2025	USD 30 (Include Entry fee)
After 13 th August 2025	USD 50 (Include Entry fee)

- 2.3. The closing date to register is 20th August 2025. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to accept or decline late registrations due to space and equipment availability. An additional payment of USD 50 per player will be imposed as a penalty for late registration.

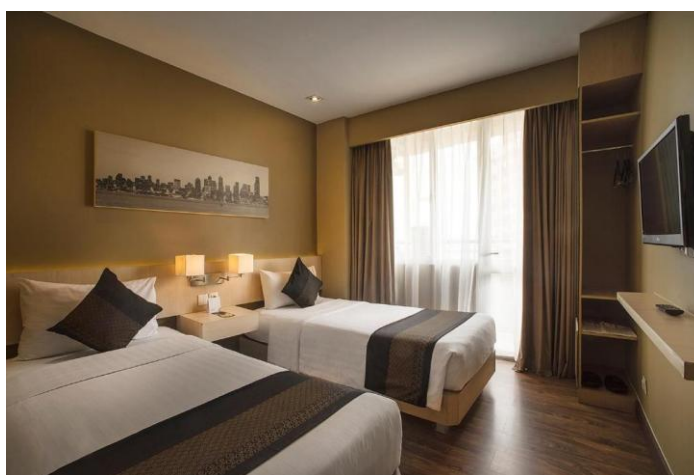
3. Venue & Official Hotel

- 3.1. The venue shall be at the PENABUR Intercultural School Kelapa Gading Jl. Boulevard Bukit Gading Raya Blok A5-A8, Kelapa Gading, Jakarta.

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- 3.2. Two (2) players from all categories and one (1) head of delegation per country are entitled to free board and lodging starting from 27th August 2025 (after 14.00) to 31st August (before noon) at the El Hotel, Kelapa Gading, Jakarta



- 3.3. Room arrangements will be made on first-come first-served basis. Early check-in and late departure are covered by the participants. Free board and lodging will be provided on a double room sharing basis. Should players/head of delegation/accompanying persons require a single room, additional cost of USD 40 will be applied per room per day.
- 3.4. All other players and all other accompanying persons should pay the cost for board and lodging (including breakfast, lunch and dinner) per person/day as given below:

Single room : USD 80
Double (twin sharing) room : USD 60

3.4. A two-way bus transfer will be provided between the hotel and the playing venue.

4. Format of Play

- 4.1. The tournament will be conducted using Swiss System of 7 rounds using the Swiss Manager Program for pairing and shall be in accordance with the Playing Rules of FIDE.
- 4.2. Time control is in 60 minutes plus 30 second increment per move starting from move one (1).
- 4.3. Players who arrive 30 minutes after the announcement of the start of the games shall lose by default.

5. Tie-break System

The final ranking of the players will be determined according to the number of points obtained. If two or more players are tied at the end of the tournament, the tie shall be broken by the tiebreak systems in the following order:

- a) Direct Encounter
- b) Greater Number of Wins (forfeits and byes counted)
- c) Buchholz Cut 1
- d) Sonneborn-Berger

6. Schedule

(Time: Jakarta - Western Indonesian Time – GMT +7 Hours)

Date	Time	Activity
27th August 2025	14:00	Arrival & Check In Hotel
	17:00	Technical Meeting at Indonesia Chess Museum
	19:00	Gala Dinner at Indonesia Chess Museum
28th August 2025	10:00	Opening Ceremony
	13:30	Round 1
	17:30	Round 2
29th August 2025	08:30	Round 3
	13:30	Round 4
	17:30	Round 5
30th August 2025	08:30	Round 6
	13:00	Round 7
	17:00	Closing Ceremony
31st August 2025		Departure



Indonesia Chess Museum

7. AWARDS AND PRIZES

7.1. Prize fund, trophies, medals and certificates accompanied by **Ben mascot** will be awarded to the top three places from each category.

7.2. Prize Fund (IDR)

	CATEGORY					
	U7	G7	U9	G9	U11	G11
1 st Champion	IDR 3.000.000	IDR 3.000.000	IDR 3.000.000	IDR 3.000.000	IDR 3.000.000	IDR 3.000.000
2 nd Second	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000
3 rd Third	IDR 1.000.000	IDR 1.000.000	IDR 1.000.000	IDR 1.000.000	IDR 3.000.000	IDR 1.000.000

	CATEGORY					
	U13	G13	U15	G15	U17	G17
1 st Champion	IDR 5.000.000	IDR 5.000.000	IDR 5.000.000	IDR 5.000.000	IDR 5.000.000	IDR 5.000.000
2 nd Second	IDR 2.500.000	IDR 2.500.000	IDR 2.500.000	IDR 2.500.000	IDR 2.500.000	IDR 2.500.000
3 rd Third	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000	IDR 1.500.000

7.3. Certificates and **Ben mascot** will be awarded to 4th–10th places from each category.



7.4. Certificates of participation will be presented to all players.

7.5. All players will receive a free T-shirt.



8. Others

- 8.1 The Chairman of the Appeals Committee shall be nominated at the Technical Meeting. The Committee shall be composed of one chairman and two members and two reserves, all from different federations, chosen from among the representatives of national federations present.
- 8.2 Protests including appeals against decisions of the Chief Arbiter or his assistants, must be submitted in writing to the Chairman of the Appeals Committee within thirty (30) minutes after completion of the relevant playing session.
- 8.3 Each protest shall be submitted in writing with an accompanying fee of USD 100 or its equivalent in local currency. If the protest is upheld, the protest fee will be refunded; otherwise, it shall be forfeited to the Organizing Federation.
- 8.4 The decision of the Appeals Committee is final, binding and takes effect immediately.
- 8.5 The Chief Arbiter may, in consultation with the Asian Chess Federation, issue additional written regulations to take care of other details which is not covered by these regulations.

9. Visa

Players/Participants who need visas must submit their request alongwith a clear copy of their passport and a color photo with a white background (any size) **no later than 13th August 2025** and via email to: pb.percasi@gmail.com

The organizer will arrange an Indonesian visa with the following fees:

- When it is possible for you to obtain a Visa on Arrival: USD 50
- When it is possible for you to obtain an e-Visa: USD 125

Invitations shall be issued only after all the pre-payments are made. Organizers will not bear any responsibility for visas of late entries or in case the Ministry of Foreign Affairs does not provide the visa support.

10. Transfer Information

Organizers shall provide airport transfers for players and the head of delegation from Soekarno-Hatta International Airport to the El hotel and from the El hotel to the airport.

All participants are requested to send their flight details for arrivals and departures to the organizers before 20th August 2025 to provide transfer service. Otherwise, organizers will not bear any responsibility for the transfers.

11. PAYMENT

- 11.1. All payments shall be transferred to the following bank account:

All bank charges are to be paid by the sender.

Bank Name : [BANK CENTRAL ASIA \(BCA\)](#)

Account Name: [YAY BPK PENABUR](#)

Account No. : [2887797575](#)

Swift Code : [CENAIJJA](#)

Bak Address : [Jl. MH Thamrin No.1 Jakarta Pusat 10310](#)

- 11.2. Payment must be completed upon arrival. Participants will not be included in the pairings until they have paid all the costs of the accommodation and tournament fees.

12. Contact Information

For General Information

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