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Cyprus to host a week of Work and Play

Seventeen countries, including players from the newly established Association in Nigeria, have confirmed participation in the II Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Championship, scheduled from 14-20 February in Paphos, Cyprus.

Bowlers from Australia, Bahamas, Canada, Cyprus, England, Gibraltar, Guernsey, India, Isle of Man, Jersey, Malaysia, Malta, Nigeria, Northern Ireland, Scotland, Singapore and Wales will compete.

During the week of the Championships, the inaugural Congress of the Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Federation (CTBF) will be held on Wednesday, 16 February and the European Tenpin Bowling Federation Executive Committee will also be holding its Presidium meeting in Paphos on 18/19 February.

Conveniently located adjacent to the Championship venue, the Mayfair Hotel in Paphos has been selected as the official hotel for players, officials and visitors who will converge on Cyprus next month for the busy week of bowling and meetings.

Cyprus is renowned as an island of tradition, charm and romance, attracting people from all over the world. Situated in the Eastern Mediterranean at the cross roads of three continents, Cyprus is in a strategic location that has shaped its history and civilization throughout the centuries. As a popular, international sport, tenpin bowlers from every continent – Africa, Americas, Asia, Caribbean, Europe and Oceania - will be represented at the forthcoming Championships.

Full details regarding the II CTBF Championships can be found on the event website - www.angelfire.com/pa5/ctbc2005 or via the link from the Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Federation's official website - www.ctbf.org.

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