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## UEFA Executive Committee meeting in Cardiff

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## **UEFA EURO 2012™ – Announcement of Host Association(s)**

The UEFA Executive Committee will hold its next meeting on Tuesday 17 and Wednesday 18 April in Cardiff, Wales, at the St David's Hotel and Cardiff City Hall.

The meeting will be divided into several parts:

## **General UEFA Executive Committee meeting**

Tuesday 17 April - 09:00-15:00 - St David's Hotel, Havannah Street, Cardiff CF10 5SD Discussion of the ordinary agenda issues (exact items to be communicated nearer the time) There will not be any media activities after the meeting

## Selection of the Host Association(s) for UEFA EURO 2012™

- Tuesday 17 April 15:30-18:45 Cardiff City Hall, Cathays Park, Cardiff CF10 3ND Final presentation of the bidding dossier by the three candidates (Croatia/Hungary, Italy, Poland/Ukraine) - closed to the media
- Wednesday 18 April 09:00-10:30 Cardiff City Hall Decision by the Executive Committee on the Host Association(s) of UEFA EURO 2012™
- Wednesday 18 April approx. 10:30 Cardiff City Hall, Assembly Room (or immediately after the end of the Executive Committee meeting if it ends later) Announcement of Host Association(s) of UEFA EURO 2012™ by the UEFA President

The announcement of the Host Association(s) will be followed by a press conference in the same room.

The bidders will be required to receive absolute majority (half the valid votes plus one) in the first ballot to be chosen. Should no candidature get the absolute majority, a second ballot would take place with the two bidders which received most votes in the first ballot. In the event of a draw in the second ballot, the UEFA President would have a casting vote. UEFA Executive Committee members from Italy and Ukraine will not be entitled to vote in any of the ballots.

Media representatives wishing to attend the announcement of the Host Association(s) for UEFA EURO 2012™ on Wednesday 18 April are kindly requested to inform UEFA by emailing accreditations@uefa.ch before Friday 23 March.

Bearing in mind the capacity of the announcement room, media should be aware that there will be limited space reserved for ENG crews and photographers, therefore it is of utmost importance to respect the accreditation deadline as indicated above.

Details on ordering telecommunications/ISDN lines in the media working area at the Cardiff City Hall will be sent with the confirmation of accreditation acceptance.

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