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19th IRF World Junior Championships 2007 in Bolivia

Colorado Springs, USA – The International Racquetball Federation (IRF) has granted the 19th IRF World Junior Racquetball Championships to Bolivia.

The event will be held December 14th to 20th in Cochabamba, the city that has also hosted the 1998 IRF Adult World Championships with major success.

“This is an exciting development for international Racquetball”, says Secretary General Luke St. Onge, “it will be the first time that the IRF Junior Worlds will be held in South America.”

Bolivia as first host in South America is not really a surprise. The countries success in international Racquetball competitions is one if it’s own. In addition, there are many courts built over the past few years and some more are in construction.

No wonder that that IRF Executive Board was in favor of moving the Junior Worlds to Bolivia to support the countries ongoing boom in Racquetball.

Boys and girls from around the world are expected to compete in several different age groups for gold, silver and bronze medals in singles and doubles.

The 2007 edition of the IRF Junior Worlds is also expected to be live streamed on the internet and shown on national TV broadcast.

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About International Racquetball Federation

It was founded with 13 charter countries in 1979. Since that time countries affiliated with the IRF has grown to more than 100. Since the IRF became a recognized sport for inclusion in future Olympic Programs in 1985 the sport is now competed as a full medal sport in over 6 IOC recognized events such as the Pan American Games and World Games.