

Safety Test - "Euro Security" - Czech Republic 2020

"Euro Security" is implemented on the basis of the DELEGATED COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) 2019/907 from 14 March 2019 establishing a common training test for ski instructors under Article 49b of Directive 2005/36/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 7 September 2005 on the recognition of professional qualifications.

Date: $3^{th} - 4^{th}$ of April 2020

Location: Sölden, Austria

Introductory meeting will be: April 2th at 8pm, the place will be specified to participants.

Accommodation: Accommodation is not provided. Candidates must make their own room reservations and payment is made directly to the accommodation.

Registration deadline: 28. 2. 2020

Conditions of participation:

Participants must register in writing and in due time. Late registrations for participation are subject to the express approval of APUL.

The participants outside the APUL organization, the citizens of the Union may participate in the Safety Test, if they have successfully passed the Technical Test as stated in the DELEGATED COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) 2019/907 and they are holders of one of the qualifications listed in the Annex I of the 2019/907.

Participation is contingent upon proof of complete and timely payment of the participation fee by the payment date.

Participation fee: ≤ 225.00 - the accommodation, skipass and food is not included in this price. There will be a possible to buy the skipass for a discounted price for the participants. For more information please contact <u>info@apul.cz</u> – we will send you the application form and the payment details.

Insurance:

Participants are not insured. Supplementary insurance is therefore recommend and it is participants responsibility to be insured. All participants take part at their own risk and must be capable of taking part at the exam. APUL is not responsible for any accidents that are not caused by APUL or its service providers. Furthermore, APUL is only responsible for the legitimate execution of the exam. No other liability for the APUL exists.



EQUIPMENT LIST:

- At least 1 pair of skis (preferably freeride skis, at least 90 mm in the middle) with touring binding and ski poles (large basket recommended), touring ski boots, climbing skins
- Avalanche transceiver, 3-antenna device, Avalanche shovel (metal or aluminium, medium to large shovel blade with long shovel handle, extendable), Backpack probe (no screw probes, minimum length 240 cm)
- A helmet is mandatory!
- Ski backpack (with ski attachment option) or ABS avalanche backpack, if available, First-aid equipment (ski instructor first-aid equipment), Bivouac bag
- Waterproof outer clothing, warm clothing we will be outside every day in every weather at least 5 hours
- Sun glasses, ski goggles, gloves (extra pair is recommended), sunscreen
- Ice axe, crampons, harness, 3 carabiners with lock, set of loops
- Sketchbook, pencils

Exam participation is NOT possible without complete equipment!!!

TEST CERTIFYING SAFETY - RELATED COMPETENCES (THE 'SAFETY TEST')

Test structure

The Safety Test shall be composed of two parts including five compulsory modules, each of which is subject to individual evaluation. The Safety Test shall assess the safety-related knowledge and skills of the candidates by means of a theoretical exam and a practical exam If a candidate fails one or more of these modules or if the Safety Test does not include all of the modules, they must re- sit the test in its entirety. The content of the various modules is set out below.

1.The theoretical exam Module:

Make an emergency call in the language of the host country to the local rescue services after an avalanche accident'. The theoretical exam shall be successfully completed, where the emergency call has been made to rescue services in a clear and comprehensible manner and by providing accurate information enabling them to perform their duties.

2.The practical exam

The practical exam for off-piste skiing consists of three teaching modules focussing on group leadership and a module comprising the search for and rescue of two persons buried under an avalanche. The practical exam must be taken in one of the official languages of the Member State where the test takes place. The three modules on group leadership shall each last 15 minutes in addition to 15 minutes preparation time. These teaching modules shall be successfully completed, where at least 75 % of the exercises have been performed satisfactorily.



Complete information about the test can be found <u>here</u>. For further information on the Delegated Act please see the DELEGATED COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) 2019/907 (<u>https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=uriserv:OJ.L_.2019.145.01.0007.01.ENG</u>)

Cancellation fee:

If you need to cancel your participation, please inform us at <u>info@apul.cz</u>. The cancellations made before the registration deadline are free of charge, after the deadline it is 50% refund of the examination costs. It is not possible to cancel later than at least one day before the exam.

