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# INNOVATIVE PARIS 2024 MODERN PENTATHLON FORMAT UNDERGOES FINAL TEST



- Budapest (HUN) hosts replica Olympic Games competition
- Format includes 90-minute showpiece comprising all five disciplines
- Athletes from 10 nations taking part in four-day test event

MONACO: April 22, 2021 – The new Modern Pentathlon format designed for introduction at the Paris 2024 Olympic Games is being tested for the third and final time in Budapest (HUN) this week.

An invitation to participate has resulted in 10 nations sending athletes to test the format at the



are looking forward to hearing their feedback after the positive comments that came from previous test events in 2020.”

UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann said: “We just had two successful Pentathlon World Cups in Sofia and we are now with a group of athletes in Budapest for the last event for the new Modern Pentathlon format designed for Paris 2024.

“The organising committee in Hungary has prepared everything in a very efficient way and all participating nations have taken part in a technical meeting where they got instructions about how it will work, step by step and discipline by discipline.

“We are looking forward to a successful test and to monitoring the format together with coaches and officials to discuss if any modifications need to be made in future. It is very important that we listen to the athletes and find out what is their judgment about this test.”