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C.T.T. SAFETY TEST – November 30-December 1 2026

Organizer: Ski Association of Slovenia – Ski Instructors and trainers Association of Slovenia

Place and date: **Zermatt (SUI), 30.11. and 1.12.2026**
(In the event of insufficient snow conditions, the organizer reserves the right to change the location of the practical part of the course)

Legal ground: C.T.T. SAFETY TEST is carried out on the basis of the **COMMISSION DELEGATED REGULATION (EU) establishing Common Training Tests 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 the professional qualifications**

Access conditions: Conditions of Access to - C.T.T. SAFETY TEST is defined in Annex II. Eligible candidates (2.1.2) **COMMISSION DELEGATED REGULATION** (EU) of 14.3.2019 establishing a common qualification test for ski instructors pursuant to 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 - Eligible candidates (2.1.2). Among the requirements for admission are the successful completion of the Ski Instructor Level 2 qualification (or being in the process of obtaining it) and the successful completion of the CTT Technical Test.

Applications: Applicants may only apply through application form at the link https://form.jotform.com/262986531172362 by **November 12th 2026**.

Equipment: Skis, suitable for every snow condition (preferably freeride skis, at least 90 mm in the middle) and ski poles (large basket recommended), ski boots (freeride ski boots recommended), 3-antenna avalanche transceiver (beacon), avalanche shovel, snow probe (minimum length 240 cm), ski helmet, ski backpack or avalanche backpack (if available), first-aid kit, waterproof outer clothing, warm clothing, sun glasses, ski goggles, gloves, sunscreen, notebook, pencil. Participation to the test will not be allowed without the complete equipment.

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Introductory meeting: All accepted candidates will be informed of the place and time of the introductory meeting.

Test structure: The CTT Safety Test shall be composed of two parts including five compulsory modules, each of which is subject to individual evaluation. The CTT 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. Participants will be notified of their exact examination schedule (Day 1 or Day 2) following the closure of registrations.

The theoretical exam: 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.

Practical exam: The off-piste practical exam consists of avalanche forecast analysis, group guiding and one of three modules focusing on meteorology, mountain hazards or snowpack analysis. Part of the practical exam is also the search and rescue of two people buried under an avalanche. The practical exam must be taken in one of the official languages of the Member State in which the exam is held. The three modules on group guiding last 15 minutes each, with an additional 15 minutes for preparation in each. These teaching modules are passed if at least 75% of the assignments are satisfactorily completed. Complete information about the test can be found in the DELEGATED COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) 2019/907 (https://tinyurl.com/DCR2019907).

Fees: €210,00 (VAT included) per applicant, paid to the bank account of Ski Association of Slovenia, Podutiška cesta 146, SI - 1000 Ljubljana, IBAN: SI56 0400 1004 6477 054 SWIFT/BIC koda: KBMASI2X (OTP bank d.d., Slovenska cesta 58, 1000 Ljubljana), by November 12th 2026.
Accommodation, skipass and food are not included. All candidates will be informed about possible accommodation and ski pass special offer.

Results: Results will be announced after their analysis at the meeting point.

General provisions: The participants take part to the test at their own risk. We advise to take out insurance - both in case of an accident and third-party liability. In the event of an accident, the organizer assumes no responsibility. In case of unjustified absence the fee is not refunded.

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