

Very important information - Deadline - June 15, 2009

CIPS and Anti-Doping Rules

CIPS (FIPS e.d., FIPS-Mouche and FIPS-M) is a full member of GAISF/AGFIS (General Association of International Sports Federations) It is a form of International Sports Federations to express their views and to control the evolution of their sports. All are part of the Olympic movement. Mainly decision of the Conference on Doping in Sport held in Lausanne on February 1999 was created of an independent international World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA). All members of GAISF are the stakeholders of WADA (for us: CIPS/FIPS and all national federations affiliated with CIPS). The main document of WADA is CODE that clarifies the responsibility of Stakeholders in the fight against Doping, brings harmonisation between different sports and countries.

CODE operates in conjunction with five international standards:

1. List of Prohibited Substances and Methods
2. Testing
3. Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE)
4. Laboratories
5. Protection of privacy and personal informations

Where we are on the way of harmonisation with WADA Code now ?

1. Establishment of the Anti-Doping Committee in CIPS composed of four members (one from each federation + 1)
2. New CIPS Anti-Doping Rules were established in compliance with WADA Code and after revision it was accepted by WADA foundation, too. After the acceptance of the CIPS Anti-Doping rules which are comparable with other kinds of sports follow next and other obligations.
 - A. Registered Testing Pool (RTP) is the pool of top-level athletes established by CIPS federations based on sports results in the season 2008. The proposal for quantity is the following: FIPS e.d. 10 athletes, FIPS-M 10 athletes, FIPS-Mouche 7 athletes. The list of competition (events) 2009 from each FIPS is necessary, too.
The deadline for delivery to Josef Dolezal, M.D. (dr.dolezal.crs@volny.cz) is May 15, 2009.
 - B. Testing programme CIPS/FIPS. It was made for testing in-competition and out of competition. The CIPS testing programme was send to WADA for revision. After delivery back to me will be send to CIPS federations as soon as possible. In the testing programme CIPS (Antidoping committee) develops a test distribution plan and allocates the number of samples.
 - C. CIPS shall publish a list which identifies athletes included in its RPT and the testing programme as soon as possible
 - D. Testing done outside of an event is very difficult for each athlete from CIPS federation. We are asking WADA for exception from Antidoping rules and testing. The final information will be in CIPS testing programme and in the Anti-Doping Guide.
 - E. All CIPS Anti-Doping activities are necessary with the cooperation of the National Anti-Doping Organisations (NADO) of the country in which the event takes place.

Deadline for the beginning of the testing is June 15, 2009.

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