

## Draft 2015 WADA Prohibited List for Consultation

**Montreal, May 1, 2014**

Dear Colleagues,

In accordance with the agreed process for the annual review of the Prohibited List, as an International Standard under Article 4.1 of the World Anti-Doping Code, a number of changes to the structure and content of the List are being considered.

The draft 2015 Prohibited List is based on the proposals from the WADA List Committee. We would ask that those with specific experience and professional expertise in anti-doping matters within your organization be given the opportunity to carefully review and provide comments.

We are confident that this opportunity to provide formal comments on the proposed changes will ensure that the List evolves in keeping with the highest possible scientific standards and is reflective of the needs of the international sports community.

WADA would appreciate receiving comments on any aspect of the changes being considered. Any issues or concerns related to substances or behaviors that you wish to bring to WADA's attention are welcomed. In responding to any particular areas of interest or concern, we would request that comments are supported, whenever possible, by appropriate reference(s) to the medical or other scientific evidence, pharmacological effect, or personal experience surrounding the substances or methods in question.

To facilitate the provision of comments by stakeholders, WADA uses an online platform – [WADACONNECT](#).

We request you to please input your comments using this online platform **by July 25, 2014**.

The [short guide on how to create a user account](#) is available on the WADACONNECT platform.

Given that this is a private consultation, once you have created and activated your user account, please inform Violet Maziar by email at [violet.maziar@wada-ama.org](mailto:violet.maziar@wada-ama.org) in order to be added to the List consultation. This will give you access to the following documents:

- Draft 2015 Prohibited List
- Summary of Modifications
- Monitoring Program

The Summary of Modifications, which outlines the changes being considered, is intended to assist your review.

We ask that anyone in your organization who receives this draft List keep it confidential in order to ensure the integrity of the consultation process. As you know, the 2015 List will not be made public until October 1, 2014. Any earlier publication could compromise the process and, more importantly, could lead to confusion in the minds of athletes.

Please do not hesitate to contact Violet Maziar ([violet.maziar@wada-ama.org](mailto:violet.maziar@wada-ama.org)) if you have any questions. We are very grateful for your help with this critically important process.

Yours sincerely,

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