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***LACROSSE***

# WORLD ANTI DOPING AGENCY POLICY

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# CHANGES FROM 2008 DOCUMENT

- Minor grammatical alterations
- Inclusion of [comments]
- Alteration to definition of Registered Testing Pool
- Rules document has been formally accepted and approved by WADA

# REGISTERED TESTING POOL

- The Registered Testing Pool will comprise squads of teams that finished in the top 3 positions of the most recent respective world event for seniors and indoor competition only.
- \* It is noted that a squad may not always be in existence, with some squads not established until 12 months prior to a world event.

# IMPLEMENTATION OF RTP

- Testing would begin for the 2013 World Cup
- Teams involved
  - USA, Australia, Canada
- Limited testing
- 2014 – Men
- 2015 – Indoor Men
- 2017 - Women

# WHAT ARE WHEREABOUTS?

- Whereabouts are information provided by a limited number of top elite athletes about their location to the International Sport Federation (IF) or National Anti-Doping Organization (NADO) that included them in their respective registered testing pool as part of these top elite athletes' anti-doping responsibilities.

# REQUIREMENTS OF ATHLETES

- To specify 1 hour each day (between 6 a.m. and 11 p.m.) during which they can be located at a specified location for testing. These athletes do not have to identify the 60-minute time-slot at a home address, but they can if they wish to. Previously this was a 24/7 requirement.
- Athletes can update their 60-minute time-slot and their whereabouts at all times, including by emailing or text messaging their relevant anti-doping organization. If they miss a test, they have the opportunity of providing a reason. If this excuse is accepted by the relevant anti-doping organization, then the missed test is not part of any record and does not count as one of three missed tests required within 18 months before any sanction is considered by the relevant ADO.

## **REQUIREMENTS OF ATHLETES CONT.**

- Athletes can have their agent or another representative submit their whereabouts information if they wish to. In team sports, whereabouts information can be submitted by team officials on a collective basis as part of the team's activities.
- However, athletes are ultimately responsible for their whereabouts. As a result, they cannot avoid responsibility by blaming their representative or the team for filing inaccurate information about their whereabouts or for not updating their whereabouts if they were not at the location specified by them during the 60-minute time-slot.

# WHAT IS ADAMS?

- The Anti-Doping Administration & Management System (ADAMS) was developed to assist in the implementation of monitoring and testing.
- Web-based database management system
  - athletes providing whereabouts information
  - anti-doping organizations ordering tests
  - laboratories reporting results,
  - anti-doping organizations managing results.
- Easy to use, available in several languages, and free.





# FIL WADA RULES

That the FIL WADA Rules 2010 be approved as circulated.